

Entertainer

At the hospitable home of Mr. J. R. Shearin, Pine Vale, Miss Buria Shearin entertained a few friends in honor of her guests, Miss Bostha Hoffman, of Meredith College.

The contest, "Flower Wedding," was participated in by all, and with humor and merry glee was in evidence upon each face. Mr. Cade Hayes, of Louisburg, won the first prize, which he gracefully presented to the guest of honor.

After the contest the guests were invited to the brilliantly lighted dining room, where a most delicious salad course was served, followed by jelly, cream, cake and fruits. The table was artistically decorated with evergreens and simulated snow and crystal, which presented a most attractive appearance.

Retiring to the parlor they were given a rare treat of beautiful scientific music, gracefully rendered by the charming honor guest. The approach of the year hours gave warning that the time of leave-taking was at hand. So amid many congratulations and expressions of appreciated enjoyment, they bade their kind, genial host and gentle hostess a grateful adieu.

A Friend

She Was Smothering.

Rockford, Ala.—Mrs. M. C. Panchal, of this place, says: "I was taken with nervous prostration, and had headache, backache, pains in my right side, and smothering spells. I called in physicians to treat my case, but without relief. Finally I tried Cardui, and it gave perfect satisfaction. I recommend it to every sick woman." Are you weak, tired worn-out? Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to weak women? Cardui has a record of over fifty years in relieving such troubles, and will certainly benefit you. It prevents those frequent headaches, and keeps you up, out of bed, feeling fresh and happy. Try Cardui.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Plain Talk to Parents.

"Do not fail to make allowance for slight exaggerations when hearing of pranks in school.

"Do not accuse the teacher of undue favoritism. If she is kinder to one child than to another it's because that one does not take advantage of the liberty allowed him. This is simple justice.

"Do not tell the teacher that Willie will not lie. She may know better.

"Do not condemn the teacher without a fair hearing. This is accorded to even the worst criminal. There are usually two sides to the story.

"Do not send a scathing note to the teacher by Nellie, the contents of which she knows. Her aggressive look of triumph is not soothing and the teacher is only human.

"Do not make unfavorable comment upon the methods of the teacher in the presence of your child. Send him to carry in wood while you are doing so, if it must be done.

"Do not expect the teacher to understand Jimmie's disposition the first day. You have studied it for six years and there are still kinks in it which you have failed to straighten out.

"Do not plead lack of time to visit the school. There is no excuse for shirking a duty.

"Do not reproach the teacher with the fact that Tommy has not learned a single thing the entire year. She is not responsible for his lack of brains.

"Do not send a verbal request to have Jennie's seat changed. There is often no vacant seat and one change usually means at least half a dozen.

"Do not forget the teacher's interest in your child is personal. She will do more to help him than any one except yourself.

"Do not expect the teacher to manage without friction a child whom you yourself have never been able to control.

"Do not insist that the teacher is keeping your child back through spite. She will hardly risk her reputation as an instructor to gratify a personal grudge, however disagreeable the child may be.

"Do not forget that the parents owe a duty to the teacher just as surely as the teacher does to the child."

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia, when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

If a woman can lose enough sleep at parties to be sick all day long she knows she is having the best time in her life.

When her child is in danger a woman will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of life is necessary to protect a child from croup. Get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by all dealers.

MEMORY IN FISH.

Following Results Shown in a Test With Gray Parsh.

Even the fishes of the sea have pictures of memory's wall. Experiments have been made with several fishes as to their facilities for remembering, and the most striking results have been obtained with the gray parsh, which lives chiefly on small silvery hued sardines. Some of these were taken and colored red and were then put into the tank where the parsh was with several silver colored sardines. Of course the normal sardines were at once colored and eaten, but it was not until hungry that the parsh made a wasteful meal of one of the red colored sardines.

On the second day the sardines were, however, he promptly demolished the remainder. Later the parsh devoured the sardines irrespectively of color, thus showing not only loss of a memory, but also the power to distinguish color.

Subsequently sardines colored red and blue were placed in the tank together with the silver ones. The same result was obtained, the fish sardines not being attacked until the other were gone, and sardines completely investigated of the new ones. After this introduction the parsh ate the sardines of all three types without any difficulty.

Some species of the sea needle were then substituted for the blue sardines. These were at once avoided by the parsh, which promptly got out of the way of the new sardines. This showed traces of memory, as the result of contact with the sea needle were shown and recognized.—Chicago Tribune.

THE WARM BREATH.

Why It Comes Out Cold Through Partly Closed Lips.

When one breathes out cold air from the lungs through the wide open mouth the breath has the same temperature as the body, 98.6 degrees F., and frequently on a cold day we warm our fingers by breathing on them. If, however, we blow the breath vigorously from the mouth the temperature of the breath appears to be much lower than when breathed gently and with open mouth and is decidedly cooling in its effect, writes J. Gordon Ogden in Popular Mechanics.

The latter fact is due to the well known principle established by Lord Kelvin, that a compressed gas upon expanding will absorb heat. The breath, compressed by being forced to pass through the small orifice made by the puckered lips, immediately expands upon being admitted to the outer air and to do so must take up heat.

This is also the identical principle involved in the manufacture of artificial ice. Ammonia gas is first compressed into a liquid and then liberated into a network of tubes surrounding large sheet iron boxes filled with distilled water. The liquid ammonia, set free at one end of the pipe system, begins at once to evaporate, and by the time it has scampered through the long iron tubes it has become gas. As we have learned, to change a liquid to a gas requires heat. This heat is taken from the iron piping, an excellent conductor, which in turn robs the water of its heat, thus freezing it.

The Mexican Mosquito.

The finest fly traps are not in it with a very minute spider named mosquito. Natives gather from oak trees a branch covered with this spider's nests and hang it up in the house. The spiders begin on the flies by wholesale. Mosquito nests are very tidy, pretty and old maidish. A lot of tiny beetles make their home therein with the spiders. The beetles live on fly legs, the crumbs and scraps from the mosquito's table, and pay for their board and board by keeping the web house perfectly clean and refined, eating everything and dropping no litter in the Mexican professional gentleman's house. Mrs. Mosquero is a very quiet, orderly lady who never wanders from her own fireside or strays from her own back yard, but when a fly calls round she gets very busy with her spider knives and saws.—New York Press.

Lovers of Sports.

The Anglo-Saxons love sport. No matter to what part of the world they are found the spirit is strong among them. Wherever the restless Anglo-Saxon dominates the love of sport is dominant. The Americans are at least the most of them—descendants of this virile race, and nowhere is the love of sport so much exhibited as in this country. Our people are patrons of horse racing, of baseball, of golf, of football, of all out of door sports as no other people. The English are great sportsmen, but not to the extent that Americans are, for the reason that the opportunities are greater here.—Nashville American.

Bad Advice.

Friend—What's worrying you? Manager—The prima donna of my company refuses to sing oftener than twice a week. I am making only hundreds where I ought to be making thousands. Friend—I'd settle that. If I were you I'd marry her. (A year passes.) Friend—My gracious, you look seedy! What's happened? Manager—I took your advice and married the prima donna, and now she won't sing at all.

Reciprocity.

Friend—What do you think may have as much to do with the life of a man as that word is reciprocity. What you do not wish done to yourself do not do to others.

Friendship—One should not be a Pythagoras.

Sandy Creek Items.

Bad roads and mud is a very common evil of our people.

We organized a Sunday School at Sandy Creek last Sunday with a large enrollment. We now hear bright prospects for a good school.

We are glad to note that Eddie Gaptus, who has been tight sick, is improving.

G. E. West will leave in a few days for Florida.

The North Carolina Day exercises and box party given by the teachers, Misses Mary and Ethel Shearin, at Sandy Creek Academy on last Wednesday evening was one of the most enjoyable occasions held in this section in some time. The school children acquitted themselves well and their Indian scenes was indeed good. The boxes, filled with all kinds of goodies, were sold for good prices and the demand for them was great all through the sale, after which the boys and girls arranged a feast which was greatly enjoyed. The fish pond was also a source of great amusement and was greatly enjoyed. The exercises as a whole were fine and reflects much credit upon those who had them in charge. Quite a nice little sum was realized, which were for the benefit of the school. I. T. Z.

SHEEP FOR SALE

20 sheep, including several registered shropshires, for sale. R. G. ALLEN

PHOTOGRAPHS

I have opened a photograph gallery under tent on 24th Street in Louisburg for fifteen days and will be glad to have you call in and see my work. All work done promptly and at most reasonable prices. Give me a call. Respectfully, J. M. ALSTON

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Marina Perry, deceased, late of Franklin county, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to exhibit the same to me on or before February 17th 1912 or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This February 17th, 1911. J. R. COLLIE, Adm'r of Marina Perry Dec'd W. H. Yarborough, Jr., Att'y.

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