

## Tutt's Pills

Induce regular habit, good digestion. Relieve the dyspeptic and debilitated and tone up the system.

### AGAINST MALARIA

Winter cover crops will save the soil from washing. The top six inches of dirt contain three-fourths of the available plant food.

The world fliers are doubtless glad they have reached the place where they no longer have to hop.

Fashion note for women with bobbed hair: Wig wear was popular 150 years ago.

The best way to make a lot of good enemies is to allow "dead beats" to open a charge account.

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### WOOD FOR SALE

Dry Pine, \$5 per cord, sawed Slats \$4, and mixed swamp wood. See W. F. BEASLEY, Louisburg, N. C. 10-31-41

### \*\*\*\*\* Your Conversation \*\*\*\*\*

**"RAGTIME"**  
One of the most distressing periods for the neighborhood is the open window season while the neighbor's daughter is learning to play "ragtime." "Ragtime" is short for "ragged time" and originally was used as an adjective. It once was applied to the melodies sung and played by the southern negroes.

In the long run, interest in the bank will net you more than interest in a race track bet.

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### Father Sage Says:

The terrible thing about most mother-in-law jokes is that they're largely true.

### LOUISBURG HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

#### The Davenport Mystery

(By Louise Joyner)  
In Modena, California, there has lived for the past twenty years a gentleman of great prominence. He has a distinguished and commanding figure, holds himself erect and commands the respect and admiration of all the citizens of Modena. This important personage with steel gray eyes and Roman nose, is none other than the great William G. Waters, president of the United Modena and Starling Steel Mills. He practically owns Modena and the surrounding country. There are great mills there and many tenement districts, all belonging to William G. Waters. The tenement districts are beautiful little towns within themselves however and the mills are likewise sanitary and healthy. All the laborers know and love Waters for his unfailing courtesy and kindness to them. They are happy and contented and, as they are fully aware, owe their happiness and contentment to their boss.

When Waters landed in Modena, he was a poor penniless boy with active imagination and great ideas. He had not worked there very long when he decided that the waters of the river, on the banks of which Modena was situated, if conserved, would provide power for large factories and mills. He told some people of his plan and they scorned him. However a wealthy old gentleman of the town became interested in the boy's project and placed the capital necessary for factories and mills at his disposal. The town grew from a village of about a thousand people to a city of about forty thousand.

Now, with all of his money, a fine house and a good true wife, Waters was not happy. In 1917, he lost the only child he had. A little girl with coal black curls and deep blue eyes. He had never recovered from his loss. He walked to and from the office for exercise. His wife nearly always waited for him in the evenings on the porch. She could always tell when he had been thinking of little Nellie by the manner in which he walked when returning in the evenings. Whenever she saw that he was sad and depressed, her smile grew more tender and her voice sweeter and softer. She herself grieved when he was at work but always, she greeted him with a sweet cheerful smile and soft words of encouragement.

One bright January day in '21, she stood waiting for her husband with a new, brighter and more cheerful smile than ever before. Clearly she was very happy over something. "Oh, Billy," she cried when he was within earshot, "do hurry. I have a big surprise for you."

He hastened his steps and quickly reached the porch. After his customary evening kiss, she pulled him into the house. She opened the sitting room door softly and gently pushed her husband before her into the room. There, on the sofa by the fire, lay a lovely young girl of about sixteen or seventeen. Her dark black hair was pushed back from her forehead and lay in decided contrast to the white pillow on which her head rested wearily. A slight smile played about her mouth as if she were having pleasant dreams. The fire flickered and the soft light fell on her clear white skin, giving color to the pale sunken cheeks. A soft down comfort was spread over her and a small foot, clad in a bedroom slipper several sizes too large, protruded.

A smile crossed Waters face, almost immediately replaced however by an expression of sadness, while yet the smile lingered in his eyes.

"Who is it, Mary? What is it. An Angel? It looks like little Nellie," as he spoke tears filled his eyes and rained down his cheeks.

"Come in the other room and I will tell you all I know about her. I'm afraid we will wake her in here."

They crossed the hall. Mr. Waters hung his hat and coat up and entered the other room with his wife. He settled himself in a large easy chair and exchanged his shoes for slippers which had been placed near his chair by his wife.

"Now," he said, "tell me all about it my dear."

"All right," she answered. "This morning about an hour after you left I was sitting here reading when the door bell rang and I went to see who was there. I opened the door and saw there that lovely child whom you saw a moment ago, lying in yonder, peacefully sleeping. Her coat was nothing but rags and her dress not much better while her shoes were almost solesless and about to come to pieces. I said 'Good morning,' and she said 'good morning.' Then she said, 'I beg your pardon madam, but I've come a long way and I haven't eaten anything since day before yesterday. Could you...?' 'Certainly,' I replied, 'come right in and get warm. You must be nearly frozen.' I brought her in and made her sit close

### HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nauseous Calomel tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.

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to the fire while I prepared some eggs and hot cocoa for her. I knew it would not be best for her to eat anything very heavy, as hungry as she must be. It was pitiful Billy to see that poor starved child eat. She does look a little like little Nellie, and I couldn't help picturing her, almost starved to death and begging for food as this child is. When she had eaten what I gave her, I asked her to have more. 'No ma'am,' she replied, 'that was mighty good but I reckon I'll have to be going now. Thank you, just the same.' I asked her where she was going. 'I don't know,' she said, 'I'm looking for my mother.' Your mother, I exclaimed. 'Have you no home?' 'No ma'am. I haven't any home. If you would like to hear about me I'll tell you all about it. Most folks don't like to hear about me.' She said that so pitifully Billy. You would have cried if you had heard her. 'Poor little homeless waif. I wonder where she did come from and how and why and when.'

'Well, I can't tell you why but I can tell you where from and when,' Mrs. Waters replied.

'Of course, I interrupted' he said. 'Go ahead.'

'All right. I told her yes, indeed to tell me all about herself that I'd be delighted to hear it all.' She shivered and I persuaded her to first put on my heavy bath robe and slippers and made her lie down on the sofa before the fire. I was afraid she was going to sleep and forget to tell me her story when she spoke. Here is the story just as she told it to me, as nearly as I can remember.

'About eight months ago she said she awoke one morning just before sunrise to find herself riding in an automobile, something was holding her arms tightly under her and her

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### Announcement!

I take this occasion to announce to my many friends and former customers that I have leased the new Henry Yarborough Store on the corner of Main and Tarboro streets in South Louisburg and will open a new and complete stock of heavy and fancy groceries, notions, etc., therein on Monday morning, November 3rd, and most cordially invite you all to come in and see me and let me serve your needs.

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