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## ADVERTISEMENTS.

### LEVY & DAVIS,

Nos. 1, 3 and 5 E. Broad street,

Richmond, Va.

Our Summer stock is brimful of good values:

40-inch Irish Lawn at 7½c a yard. New styles Batiste at 10c a yard. Challie, good styles, at 4c a yard. Calicoes suitable for Shirt Waists, best make, at 5c a yard.

Good gingham, 5, 6, 8 and 10c. Dress style Gingham at 8½ and 10c. Oatting Cloth reduced 12½ to 8½c. Outing cloth reduced from 15 to 10c. Crepe cloth reduced 10 to 6½c. Solid black dotted lawn reduced from 25 to 6½c a yard.

Cord-du-Roi Dress goods reduced from 12½ to 5c a yard. Remnants Wash Dress Goods sold at one-half marked price.

#### WHITE GOODS.

India Lawn at 6½, 8, 10 and 12½c. Check Nainsook from 5c a yard up. Dotted Swiss Muslin from 25c up. French Organdy, 2 yards wide at 50c a yard.

#### LACES AND EDGINGS.

Cream and black Chantilly lace. Cream and black Bourdonne lace. Normandy and French Valenciennes. Point de Gène, Point d'Irlande. Cream Oriental lace. White and colored Hamburg. White Hamburg, with colored edge. It will pay to order your laces and Edgings from us, as our prices are far below what are usually asked.

#### PARASOLS.

Parasols in white and desirable colors, with pretty handles. 28-inch Gloria Umbrellas at 65c. 28-inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas at 97c. We are selling Parasols at about one-half price, as we are closing out a line of samples.

#### SILKS.

Silks for Shirt Waists, 50c a yard. Cream, White and Black Japanese Habutai Silk at 50 and 60c. China Silk, all colors, 50c a yard; regularly sold at 85c. Black Silk Grenadine at \$1 a yard; elegant quality.

#### SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests, 3 for 25c. Ladies' Ribbed Vests, 12, 15, 19 and 25c. Gents' Ganzee Shirts, 25, 35 and 50c. Misses' and Boys' Vests, all sizes. Gents' and Boys' Vests, all sizes. Gents' Negligee shirts, \$1, \$1.25, & \$1.50. Boys' Outing shirt, 50 and 75c.

#### COTTON.

Yard wide fine brown cotton 5c. Yard wide Bleached cotton 6½c. Good all-wool flannel 19c a yard.

#### TOWELS AND DAMASKS.

Cotton Honeycomb towels, 6 for 25c. Cotton Honeycomb towels, 4 for 25c. Linen Huckaback towels, 10c each. Linen Huckaback towels, 12½, 15, 16½ and 19c each. Cream Table Damask, 25, 35 and 50c. Bleached Table Damask, 50, 65 and 75c.

#### MATTINGS.

We can save you from 5 to 15c a yard on Matting, as we have just received a large importation. Croquet and Lawn Tennis, Hammocks and fixtures, Toys, Carriages, Hobby Horses, Dolls, Velocipedes, Tricycles, —at lowest prices. Send us your orders. 6-22-3m. LEVY & DAVIS.

## For Sale.

Thirty head of sheep - including 12 lambs. Native stock \$1.50 per head. Apply to

DR. R. A. PATTERSON,

6 29 2c Aurelian Springs, N. C.

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All the Comforts of Home with all the advantages of a first class school at very Reasonable rates. Physical Culture prominent. Special specialties in Music and Art.

Apply for catalogue.

F. P. HOBGOOD, President.

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## FROM THE GERMAN.

A Berlin judge the other day, when addressing a locksmith, who appeared as a witness, spoke as follows: "I should have thought you would dissuade your workmen from going to law for such a trifle."

Witness: That's what I did! I said: "Children," said I, "the clerk at the lawyer's will take your coat, and the lawyer will strip off your shirt, and as for the judge he'll skin you alive!" You see I talked sensibly to the folks like that, but it was all of no use.—Texas Sittings.

For shopping or traveling a hair line or invisible mixed chevion in shades of medium brown, gray or navy blue suitable.

A BATTLE FOR BLOOD.—Is what Hood's Sarsaparilla vigorously fights, and it is always victorious in expelling all the foul taints and giving the vital fluid the quality and quantity of perfect health. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, boils and all other troubles caused by impure blood.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 25c. Sent by mail on receipt of price by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by John R. Whitaker and his wife Nannie R. Whitaker, on the 14th day of March 1887, and duly recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Halifax county in book 75 B, at page 441, I will on MONDAY, the 7th day of AUGUST 1893, expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, in the town of Enfield, N. C., all of the lands situate and described in said deed of trust, and which lands at the request of the mortgagee, have been surveyed and divided into lots to wit: The lot known as the Pullen lot beginning at the corner of the Collins' lot on the Halifax road, thence along said road N. 48° 40' E. 70 feet, thence 39 W. 119 feet 9 inches to the W. & W. R. R. limits; thence along said limits 85 feet and 10 inches to the Collins lot thence his line 116 feet and six inches to the beginning containing 9145 square feet.

The lot known as the Whitaker store lot and Dr. Collins' residence, thence S. 48° 40' W. 64 feet to McDaniel street, thence along said street S. 41° E. 130 feet and 6 inches, thence N. 48° 40' E. 64 feet to the alley, thence along the N. 41 W. 120 feet and 6 inches to the beginning, containing 7712 square feet.

The lot known as the Geo. McDaniel shoe shop. Beginning at the corner of the Whitaker store lot on Whitaker street, thence along said street S. 41° E. 33 feet; thence N. 48° 40' E. 64 feet to the alley; thence along the alley N. 41 W. 33 feet; thence S. 48° 40' W. 64 feet, containing 2112 square feet.

Also that other lot, beginning at the corner of the above shoe shop lot on Whitaker street thence along Whitaker street S. 41° E. 97 feet to the centre of a ditch, thence along the ditch to a continuation of the alley, thence along the alley N. 41 W. to the said shoe shop lot, thence S. 48° 40' W. 64 feet to the beginning, containing 6308 square feet.

The lot known as the Couch shop lot, beginning at the intersection of Whitaker and McDaniel streets, thence N. 46° E. 132 feet, thence N. 41 W. 115 feet six inches to a ditch, thence along the ditch to McDaniel street, thence along McDaniel street 118 feet and six inches to the beginning, containing 15414 square feet.

Also that vacant lot adjoining said couch shop lot, beginning on McDaniel street, thence N. 46° E. 132 feet, thence N. 41 W. to church lot, thence to the corner of the Couch shop lot in the ditch, thence S. 41° E. 115 feet six inches to the beginning, containing 15015 square feet.

The vacant lot adjoining the W. & W. R. R. Co's. warehouse, beginning at a corner made by the intersection of the W. & W. R. R. limits with Whitaker street near the warehouse or depot, thence S. 41° E. along said street 82 feet to the Halifax road, thence along the Halifax road N. 48° 40' E. 129 feet to Mrs. M. T. Whitaker's lot, thence along the line of said lot to the W. & W. R. R. limits, thence along said limits to the beginning, containing 15398 square feet.

The vacant lot between Spier Whitaker's stores and the postoffice lot, beginning at the corner of the Spier Whitaker store on R. R. Street, thence S. 46 W. 56 feet along said street, thence S. 43 E. 356 feet and nine inches to a ditch, thence along said ditch N. 46 E 56 feet, thence N 43 W 356 feet and nine inches to the beginning, containing 19978 square feet.

The postoffice lot, beginning at a stone on R. R. street, about 16 feet north of the postoffice, thence along R. R. street S. 46 W. 98 feet and six inches, thence S. 43 E. 256 feet and nine inches to the beginning containing 35140 square feet.

The vacant lot adjoining E. T. Branch's lot, beginning at a stone on R. R. Street the corner of the Postoffice lot, thence along the R. R. Street S. 46 W 98 feet and six inches to Branch's corner; thence along his line and a ditch to the intersection of another ditch, thence along the said cross ditch N 46 E 88 feet and six inches to the corner of the postoffice lot, thence N 43 W 356 feet and nine inches to the beginning containing 33357 square feet.

All of said property is fully described in said deed in trust and to which reference is hereto made.

This 3rd day of July 1893.

H. S. HARRISON, Trustee.

## BOOTH'S FIGHT.

THE GREAT ACTOR'S STRONG AND LIFE-LONG STRUGGLE AGAINST THE LIQUOR APPETITE.

"Liquor had been his father's curse. It was his enticement and his martyrdom. His heroic struggle against the appetite endeared him more and more to those who knew him best. He would come to my table—he was the godfather of my child, you know—and men like Edwin Adams and myself would be there with our wine before us. We'd say, 'Ed, its too bad, old man, you can't join us.'"

"Oh, don't mind me," he'd reply. "I only regret I dare not, I dare not—I dare not!"

"I remember once a leading painter who lived in Brooklyn gave a grand fete champetre, which was romanesque in its prodigality. Booth went. Champagne flooded the place. He left the house and wandered in the garden. People who met him urged him to go back to the throng. He declined. Afterwards he said to me: "I suppose those people said, 'We met Ted Booth down in the grounds playing Hamlet.' But if I'd gone back I might have been the merriest of all for an hour—perhaps as bright as any. But when some of the guests left they would have stumbled over my prostrate figure in the gutter and said, 'The brute! Why can't he stay away?'"

"It was because of his martyrdom that he took to his strong pipe, his strong cigars and his strong coffee, and they undermined his system, shattered his nerves and drove him to a premature death."

"I remember when he was playing Lago to Salvini's Othello one night in New York, he had taken a drink or two before coming on the stage. With his nervous organization and stomachic troubles a glass of beer meant almost drunkenness."

"When in the play Salvini pushed him off, instead of staggering and recovering, he fell full length with his head right in the footlights. It was an awful thing, and you could hear the shivering 'ugh!' go through the theatre and across the stage."

"That 'ugh!' sobered him in an instant, and they had to watch him all that night to keep him from self-destruction. He felt that he had disgraced himself forever, and it was only by the most touching appeals that he could be persuaded to go on the next night. But at last he consented."

"The play was 'Hamlet,' and he had the title role. You know the entrance. When he appeared he couldn't face the immense audience. But men and women rose in their chairs and shouted:

"'Booth! Booth! Booth!' just to let him know that he was dear old Booth yet, no matter what might come."

"Don't you know, he just stood on that stage and sobbed aloud. He couldn't control his tears, and the people began to weep with him. But then he turned—and, ah, he played Hamlet that night as it was never played before."—From an interview in San Francisco Examiner.

## QUEER IF TRUE.

N. Y. Mercury.

You may try this as many times as you like and it will never fail. Ask a person whether they were born at night or in the daytime. If they do not know, bid them not to tell, but to clasp their hands together and that you will tell them. They must clasp the hands with the fingers interlacing. Now, some people will do this bringing the right thumb over the left thumb and they were born at night. The same person always does it the same way. Any but their own natural way seems queer and unnatural. You will find that the person who clasps the left thumb over is surprised to find that anyone can do it any other way. No one has ever been able to explain this matter.

Whatever may be the cause of blanching, the hair may be restored to its original color by the use of that potent remedy Hall's Vegetable Siccian Hair Renewer.

## NO PLACE FOR DOCTORS.

IF CROPS ARE EXTRA SHORT WE CAN CHAW ROSUM AND EAT FRIED LIGHT WOOD KNOTS.

"They tell me that everything is poor out there in Alabama—poor lands, poor stock, poor folks and poor ways," the Texas liar opened up after putting a new half sole on his wad of tobacco, leanin' back till he set down on his shoulders and hangin' his feet over three or four empty seats in front of us. "How in the thunderations do you fellers manage to dodge the poorhouse and the graveyard at the same time?"

"Well, sir," says I, after sizin' my man up as best I could, "you are about half right, and about half wrong. We don't have no graveyards in Alabama—they have gone clean and clear out of fashion. The land is powerful poor in spots—too poor to sprout cow peas or grow nettles, but if crops are extra short and times uncommon hard we can chaw rosum and eat fried light-wood knots and drink branch water and keep out of the poor house. And we have got a monstrous healthy country over there. People used to die in that country sometimes, but they don't do so now. They just live on and on and on till they turn to something good to eat or dry up and blow away."

Now and then and here and there you will run across a man who put too much salt in his dirt when he was a boy and has turned into what they call a petrified rock. But they don't get sick and lay down and die like they used to, and whenever a fellow citizen gets old and wrinkled and broke down and tired out and weary with life and takes up a fool notion to commit suicide, all he has got to do is to pack up and move his washin' out of Alabama. Generally speakin', in three days after he crosses the State line and strikes a country where they sell coffins and build graveyards he will keel over and go dead. We may be poor folks and have poor ways, stranger, but you can bet your chin whiskers that we have got a monstrous healthy country where I come from."—Montgomery Advertiser.

## LACK OF ENTERPRISE.

"Let me have three fingers of whiskey," he said to the clerk of a drug store in a Kansas town.

"I can't," replied the clerk, who did not know the customer. "This is a prohibition State."

"I can't get a drink of whiskey, eh?" "No, sir; not without a physician's prescription, when it is to be used as a medicine."

"Is there no emergency at all in which you would be permitted to dispense a small quantity of whiskey without that formality—a case of life and death, for instance?"

"Why yes," replied the clerk. "I suppose if a man were to be bitten by a rattlesnake, and it would require sometime to go to a doctor and get a prescription, in that case it might be allowable to give him whiskey."

"Do you know where I can find a snake?" was the next query.

"Why, no," replied the clerk, greatly surprised at the query.

"Well," commented the thirsty one, with a great deal of disgust in his tone, "it seems to me that if this drug store had any enterprise it would keep a rattlesnake on hand for use in cases of emergency."—Harper's Magazine.

## A GOOD LAW.

In Connecticut a law has just been passed which makes it the duty of doctors, upon request, to write out the prescriptions in plain English. There is no reason why a sick man should not know just what he is swallowing.

The cure of the Tobacco, Opium and Drink Habit, wrought by Hill's Chloride of Gold Tablets, is one of the marvels of modern therapeutics. All druggists sell them and you need no longer suffer.

## ENFIELD.

The game of base ball played here last Monday by the Tillery and Enfield clubs was enjoyed by a large number of our citizens. Almost all the pretty girls turned out to see the game and they enjoyed it very much. The Tillery boys went home the victors.

The store of W. H. Barnes, of Whitakers, was broken into last Friday night and meat, coffee and sugar carried off. The robbers also emptied the money drawer.

A young negro was arrested here on last Saturday night, and while he was being taken to the hall for trial, he got loose from the constable and jumped about 12 feet to the ground and ran about 600 yards before he was overtaken. Again he was carried up to the hall; this time the police had a good hold on him and succeeded in getting him into the hall. Everything was ready for trial, and when the mayor asked him a question, he turned and jumped through the window, carrying sash and all with him down about 14 feet into a lot of lumber. Everybody thought he was killed, but he got up and out ran anything ever seen here. In about an hour he returned to town as if nothing had happened. Again he was taken before the mayor, and bound over to appear for trial Wednesday. He is not hurt any, and the reason is, he struck the lumber with his forehead.

S. Meyer bought the stock of goods consisting of dry goods, shoes and hardware of S. H. Harrison, assignee, and will run a dry goods store at the Howloway stand.

The postmaster for this place has not yet been appointed. The Republican postmaster sent in his resignation on the day Cleveland was inaugurated, and why no appointment has yet been made is beyond anybody's conception. The applicants for the office are two most competent and worthy ladies. One of these has been and is now assistant in the office and is very popular. The sooner one of these ladies is appointed the better will the patrons of this office like it.

Miss Mary McGuire, of Oxford is here visiting Miss Marie Dennis.

Miss Lola Cappie, of Massachusetts, and Miss Mabel Francis, of Norfolk, are visiting Miss Mabel Curtis.

Miss Bessie Alsop has returned from Norfolk College, to spend vacation with her father, Mr. S. S. Alsop, to the delight of her many friends. M.

## PANACEA SPRINGS.

Mrs. Mary Alston died Tuesday morning last. She was the widow of the late C. I. P. Alston. She leaves four sons and many friends and relatives to mourn her departure. She was one of the best women I ever knew.

Mr. I. E. Rue planted a plum orchard of one acre three years ago. This season he will sell six or seven hundred baskets of the fruit which will net him at least \$125 for the acre.

Messrs. Miles and Allen moved into the Panacea hotel yesterday.

Some of young people had a picnic at Rich Neck Mills yesterday and reported a good time.

This is the glorious old fourth but I hear of no celebration this side of Chicago, except on a very small scale. The "diamond hustlers" of this place and the "black straps" of Airle, will play ball to-day near here and if they have all the good cheer they expect, it wouldn't surprise us if they got to batting each other's head before night.

The lice have appeared on the cotton and injured some fields very much.

"I never borrow trouble," said the impetuous man, who likes to discourse of his own affairs. "Well," replied the busy man, "I'm sorry, but I haven't anything else to lend to day."

The getting it down is bad enough, with the ordinary pill. But the having it down is worse. And, after all the disturbance, there's only a little temporary good.

From beginning to end, Dr. Pierce's Peppermint is better. They're the smallest and easiest to take—tiny, sugar-coated granules that any child is ready for. Then they do their work so easily and so naturally that it lasts. They absolutely and permanently cure Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bloating Headaches, and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. They're guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money is returned.

The makers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy says: "If we can't cure your Catarrh, no matter what your case is, we'll pay you \$500 in cash." Now you can see what is said of other remedies, and decide which is most likely to cure you. Costs only 50 cents.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### CONSTIPATION

Is called the "Father of Diseases." It is caused by a Torpid Liver, and is generally accompanied with

LOSS OF APPETITE,

SICK HEADACHE,

BAD BREATH, Etc.

To treat constipation successfully



It is a mild laxative and a tonic to the digestive organs. By taking Simmons' Liver Regulator you promote digestion, bring on a regular habit of body and prevent Biliousness and Indigestion.

"My wife was sorely distressed with Constipation and coughing, followed with Bleeding Piles. After four months use of Simmons' Liver Regulator she is almost entirely relieved, gaining strength and flesh."—W. B. LARSEN, Delaware, Ohio.

Take only the Genuine, Which has on the wrapper the red ZZ Trade-mark and Signature of J. H. ZEILIN & CO.

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I know Dr. J. A. McGill's ORANGE BLOSSOM to be a very great blessing to our sex. We have long needed something which we could use ourselves and which could conquer the stubborn forms of chronic inflammation and congestion which lie at the foundation of all female troubles. That Dr. McGill's treatment meets the demand of this long felt want is shown by the fact that many cases which have baffled the skill of our best physicians, are being cured by it. I have pledged myself to let my suffering sisters in the above Counties know of this simple, entirely safe, yet wonderful cure. To accomplish this I must have the help of some good Christian lady in each township. There are not less than one thousand ladies in each of the above Counties to whom this cure would be of inestimable value, many of them mothers who need strength that they may train their little ones; then there are so many young girls whose trouble is not considered serious, but nevertheless need attention, as only a little time will be required for it take the color from the cheeks and all the joy from their glad young lives as it has done in thousands of cases. Send a two-cent stamp for free Sample Box. I will also send Township's Agent's Terms to those who will assist me. MISS LIZZIE R. DAVIS, Arcola, Warren Co., N. C.

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