

FOUND DEAD IN A BRANCH.

Sad Death Occurred a Few Days Ago Near Trinity.

The Courier Correspondent on Trinity, R. F. D. No 1, reports the sad death of Miss Rosa Spencer, the twenty-year-old daughter of Mr. Joseph Spencer, which occurred last Saturday, but reached us too late for our last issue. Miss Spencer had strolled off a little way from the home toward a small stream. Later as the mother was walking in the same direction she was startled to see the prostrate form of her daughter lying in the stream, face downward.

Rushing forward she seized the body and brought it out just as life departed. She never spoke and the cause of the death will not be known. It is supposed that Miss Spencer fainted, falling into the water, face downward thus struggling to death.

The deceased leaves three brothers and five sisters to mourn their loss with the grief stricken parents. She was popular among a large circle of friends both old and young.

The funeral which occurred Sunday, the 13th, at Poplar Ridge cemetery, was attended by nearly 300 people.

Mrs. Jane Kindley and Mr. Ivy Owens of Trinity, were married one day last week.

Troy Briles has returned to Gailford College after spending Xmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briles.

Mrs. Geo. W. Crofts is the guest of her sister Mrs. Marvin Keerans this week.

Philip Copple an aged gentleman of this community is very a g.

Birthday Dinner.

We all enjoyed a pleasant day, on last Sabbath Jan. 13. Friends, neighbors and relatives, met at Mr. A. H. ... bringing baskets full of nice things to eat, in honor of his 59th birthday. We hope for Mr. ... many more just as pleasant days as that one, and while we should be thankful in the busy days which surround us we are apt to forget that there is always something left to thank God for. The pilgrims gave thanks for being alive after reaching their destination on that rocky, sterile coast.

What these people thought of life with their courage, honesty and fear of God, has leavened the best life of America. It is 285 years since the first Thanksgiving gathering, called by some feast of ingathering this band of serious men and women thoughtless of feasting and more of fasting, but they still found sufficient reason for gratitude to inaugurate a day when they should come together to show their appreciation for deliverance from many dangers and thanks for small mercies received. Those were barren days fraught with little joy, but they lived, therefore they rejoiced. We who are reaping the harvest sown by these sturdy ancestors, have the dearest and highest causes for thanksgiving. We have our homes, our guarded freedoms with the privilege of making it such a home that all who dwell in it can look back in the years to come with thoughts of its cheer and its elevating influence its love. The young man or woman going out into the world with the memory of such a home, takes with him the most precious memory that an earthly life can give.

A Fried.

Earthquake Destroys Kingston.

Kingston, the picturesque capital of the Island of Jamaica, has been devastated by a violent earthquake.

The first great shock was felt about 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon and, as in the San Francisco disaster, flames immediately sprang from the wreckage and carried out the work of destruction. Tuesday afternoon the fire was still burning. By Thursday the entire city was almost in ruins; four hundred met death by the disaster and famine reigns. The loss to property is estimated \$10,000,000.

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The Funniest Valentines by the Funniest People.

The Delineator.

There was a young fellow named Allen Tyne Who proposed to the lovely Miss Ballantyne; When the lady said "Yes," He said, "Well I guess! Miss Ballantyne's Allen Tyne's valentine.

"I'll send her a valentine," said he, "On the 14th of February!" And—but no; it is best; To leave out the rest, For that valentine came C. O. D!

A Scotchman whose name was Isabister Had a maiden giraffe he called "Sister"; When she said "Oh, be mine, Be my sweet valentine!" He just shinned up her long neck and kissed her.

"Dear Lady, I cannot," he said, "Make valentines out of my head So I've licked and stamped good On my rival who could; He's mail, and I send him, though dead"

Oh, you would I fondly purloin, That our hands and our hearts we might join; Oh, maiden of grace, Whose most beautiful face Smiles so tender and sweet on the coo.

Said a Celt to his colleen so fine, "Begorry, I'm your valentine." "But she said, "You're a liar " "You're Dayer McGuire, " "I've think, no dear sir, that I'm like?"

There once was a lovely Saint, Who answered each amorous plaint; And I thought, till today, When you smile came my way, The old fellow was dead—but he ain't!

A hip-po-po-ta-mus named Anos Was loved by a clover girl famous; All the other girls sighed, As they looked on, and cried, "Please take us a hip-po-po-ta-mus"

Nine Recipes For Delicious Pie Fillings

RICH PUMPKIN PIE. One quart of steamed pumpkin pressed through a coarse sieve; one quart of sweet milk; five eggs, the yolks and whites beaten separately; one teaspoonful of butter; four teaspoonfuls of sugar; one teaspoonful of pulverized ginger; one of grated nutmeg and half a teaspoonful of ground allspice. Bake in two deep pie tins lined with this pastry. When brown and done, sprinkle sugar over the tops. Serve cold.

CARAMEL PUMPKIN PIE. Brown sugar, one-half pound to one quart of pumpkin; two tablespoonfuls of butter; one pint of sweet milk and two teaspoonfuls of extract of vanilla; two well beaten eggs.

CREOLE PUMPKIN PIE. One quart of pumpkin; one pint of sugary molasses, boiled with one tablespoonful of butter; two well beaten eggs, and two teaspoonfuls of ground or pulverized ginger.

This pastry and the pumpkin one inch deep in the pan must be observed. Top pastry is not necessary. A very nice finish over the top of each pie is pastry cut into very narrow, thin strips, twisted and laced crisscross or latticewise; or cubes, stars, and diamonds in small sizes, laid over and baked.

CRANBERRY PIE. One quart of cranberries chopped fine, half cup molasses, two cups sugar, two large teaspoonfuls corn starch, dissolved in a bit of cold water; stir in two cups boiling water; add butter the size of an egg; this makes four nice pies.

BLACKBERRY PIE. Cover a deep pie plate with rich crust, then pick over and wash two boxes of blackberries, and put them in the dish, also about one dessert-spoonful of sugar sprinkled over them. Cover this with a thin crust, as you would an apple pie, and bake in a fairly hot oven. When ready to serve, take a sharp knife and go around the edge of the upper crust and take it off; then whip half a pint of sweet cream so it will not run, and pour over the berries; then lay your nice crust right back, and you have one of the daintiest desserts possible, and very easy to make. It may be served hot or cold.

CREAM PIE. Two eggs, three-quarters of a cup of sugar, one cup of flour (sift before measuring), quarter of a cup of cold water, one heaping teaspoonful of baking powder; beat the eggs light, add sugar, water, flour, and baking powder; bake in one tin; split and put in filling.

Love demands some sort of secrecy Otherwise it shrivels to the plane of a mere acquaintance.

Its the man who can't earn a living that argues on how to finance the government.



Yorktown Monument—Scene of Surrender of Cornwallis to Washington.

GREAT EXPOSITION

Nearly all the Union Will Participate in Jamestown Ter-Centennial.

By Mark O. Waters.

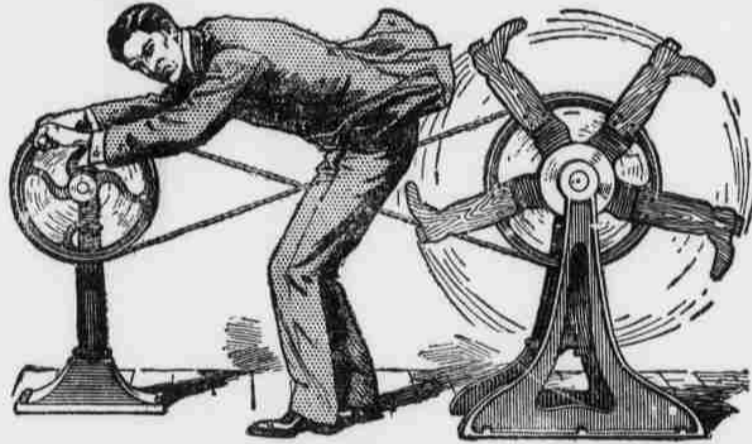
Norfolk, Va. Jan. 15.—The national and international character of the Jamestown Exposition was long since recognized by the majority of the States of the Union and the importance of participating therein realized. Nearly every State will be represented and the State buildings will be among the manifold interesting features of this magnificent Exposition. The historical surroundings, the accessibility of the location, the grand naval, military and industrial displays, insure the attendance of millions. The prevailing style of architecture of the State buildings will be colonial but some of the States will reproduce famous buildings of different types, the purpose being to present likenesses of famous homes or halls where great personages dwelt or great events occurred. The State buildings will be permanent and will be the best of their kind in the world. The States erecting them or will erect them in the future.

The man that would go with the majority only follows strength. It's a lesson—nothing more.

FORT FISHER SURVIVORS.

Reunion of the Blue and the Gray Soldiers at Wilmington Last Week.

Wilmington, N. C. Jan. 16.—A reunited country in spirit as well as in fact was the sentiment which inspired the various meetings of the veterans from the North and South in the first annual reunion of the survivors of the Blue and the Gray at Fort Fisher, N. C., which has just concluded here on the 42nd anniversary of the bombardment and capitulation of the last gateway of the South at the mouth of the Cape Fear river in 1865. The reunion was attended by more than 300 survivors on both sides, nearly half of whom came from Oneda county, N. Y., members of the 117th and 112th New York Volunteers. A visit to the historic ruins of the fort, a public reception at the opera house at which reminiscences were given by the old soldiers, and at which high school students sang Confederate and National airs, and the format on of a survivors' association composed of veterans on both sides during the Civil War, were the leading features of the reunion. Col. William Lamb, of Norfolk, Va., heading the Confederate forces, and General N. M. Curtis, of New York, leading the veterans in the reunion from the North.



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