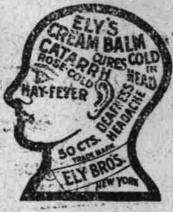


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In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.



LAST CALL FOR TAXES.

TO THE PAYERS OF CABARRUS COUNTY: Section 57 of the school law of North Carolina says that the sheriff shall settle the school tax for his county on or before December 31st, of each year and the law also says that the sheriff shall settle the State taxes by the first day of January in each year.

Now in order to do this I will have to collect about \$25,000 between this and the 31st of December. This is no idle talk but it is solid facts that are looking us squarely in the face. Some are coming in and settling up but if you haven't paid your tax this is to tell you that you must do so at once. If I have to visit you it will be at your expense, so please attend to it at once and save cost.

Very respectfully,
J. L. PECK, Sheriff.

COAL!

K. L. Craven Has Bought
800 TONS JELICO COAL.
200 TONS HARD COAL.
Also Virginia Split and Bird's Eye Cannel Coal. Best steam coal at mine prices.
Good Smith Coal. Call and get what you want. 'PHONE 74.

Winter is Coming.

I ALREADY HAVE ON
HAND THREE CARS OF
Jellico Coal
And have ten more car loads on the way. It is time for you to lay in a supply for the winter, isn't it? I also have on hand the best of anthracite coal.

J. A. C. Blackwelder,
West Depot St. at Store. 'PHONE 68.

Take It Up!

A mule something less than 75 years old. Owner can have same by proving property, paying for this notice and damages.

E. McNISH.

PHONE.....410
Notice to Tax-Payers.

The tax books for 1899 have been placed in my hands for collection and all tax-payers are requested to come forward and pay their taxes at once.

S. J. ERVIN,
City Tax Collector.

BRICK

I will be glad to have the patronage of Concord's people when in need of any kind of cement work, placing of grates and brick work in general.

Satisfaction guaranteed.
Wm. C. DEJOURNETTE.
I will be found at C B Waggoner's on West Depot street.

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LIVERY, FEED AND SALE STABLES.

Just in rear of St. Cloud Hotel. Omnibuses meet all passenger trains. Outfits of all kinds furnished promptly and at reasonable prices. Horses and mules always on hand for sale. Breeds of horses and ponies.

WANTED—To buy 100,000 pounds of old cast-iron scrap, delivered at the foundry at once, for which we will pay a fair price. No burnt iron wanted.
161st CONCORD FOUNDRY Co.

Headache stopped in 20 minutes by Dr. King's Pain Killer. One cent a dose.

Not in the Drinking Water.

Chemical and bacteriological examinations fail to locate the typhoid germs in the water supply at the State Normal College. The theory is that a defective sewer pipe is the cause. It is being torn up and refitted. The condition of most of the sick indicates progress. It is to be hoped that healthful conditions will be restored soon.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm Cures Others Why Not You?

My wife has been using Chamberlain's Pain Balm with good results, for a lame shoulder that has pained her continually for nine years. We have tried all kinds of medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit from any of them. One day we saw an advertisement of this medicine and thought of trying it, which we did with the best satisfaction. She has used only one bottle and her shoulder is almost well. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggist.

Used By British Soldiers in Africa.

Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as command of the force that captured the famous rebel Galishe. Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co.

In Honor of Illinois Soldiers.

One hundred and seven monuments were dedicated at Orchard Knob, on the 23rd, in honor of Illinois troops who fell in those terrible struggles around Chattanooga in the war between the States.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold at Fetzler's Drug Store.

Bismack's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at Fetzler's Drug store.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props.,
Toledo, Ohio.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly reliable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Wholesale Druggists,
Toledo, O.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

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We solicit your patronage with the assurance of honorable treatment and due appreciation of your patronage.

If we can serve you any time we will be glad to have you come and see us.

LIBERAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO CUSTOMERS.

Capital and Surplus \$70,000.

D. B. COLTRANE, Cashier,
J. M. ODELL, President.

Mr. Thorne Leaves Concord.

Concord will regret to lose Mr. S O Thorne, a young man who for some time has been working at the Odell mills. He has accepted a position with Messrs. Sexton & Robbins, dealers in mill supplies, of Charlotte. He will travel for his company.

Mr. Brown Sells the Lots.

Mr. Geo. W Brown has sold to Messrs. Mack, Mumford and Walter Ritchie the vacant lot on South Main street below the residence recently built by Mr. Brown. The property purchased extends from the road leading to Mr. Brown's home to Mr. G G Richmond's property.

Prohibition for Georgia.

The Georgia legislature is grappling with the Willingham liquor bill. It has passed the house by a two-third vote and it is expected to pass the senate. It is a very iron-clad prohibition law. Mr. Willingham, its author, says of it: "It means, just in plain, every day language, that there shall be no more whisky sold or given away in the State of Georgia, where the giving away shall be an inducement for trade or patronage. It will stop every whisky house in the State, will close every barroom, will shut down every brewery, will rob the sideboard of the clubroom of its wines and liquors, will make it illegal for whisky to be sold, exchanged or traded with. It means total and complete and absolute prohibition in the State of Georgia, if the bill passes, as amended relative to the physicians' prescriptions."

Two Dead from the Gas Jet

D W Pope and M Purdee, two men of Scott, Ga., were in attendance on the reunion of Sons of Confederate Veterans in Savannah, and occupied the same room Tuesday night in a boarding house. Though warned not to blow out the gas, they were found dead in bed next morning with the jet on.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured M. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottle free at Fetzler's Drug store.

Trouble at Ringold.

Dispatches say there was a pitched battle between the negro troops stationed at Fort Ringold, Rio Grande City, Texas, and citizens on the night of the 20th. The definite details are wanting. There seems no doubt that the negro troops played in bad role again. One report says they were attacked by the citizens, and the other says they attacked the citizens. Several thousand shots were fired. Casualties are not well known. Necessary troops to replace the negro soldiers and restore order have been sent. No further serious trouble is anticipated, and an investigation will follow. The trouble had its start, it seems, with negro soldiers in a bar room.

M. L. Marsh & Co. guarantee very bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to any one who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take and prevents any tendency of a cold to

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SCHEDULE.

N EFFECT JULY THE 16TH, 1899.

This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public:

Trains leave Concord N. C.—

5.52 A. M.—No 8, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Goldsboro; at Goldsboro for Norfolk, at Danville for Washington and points North, at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and points West.

7.19 A. M.—No. 33, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between New York and Augusta, New York and Tampa, Fla., and Norfolk to Charlotte.

8.49 A. M.—No. 37, daily, Washington and Southwestern limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans, and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis, Dining car, vestibuled coach, between Washington and Atlanta.

10:00 A. M.—No. 36, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman drawing room buffet sleeper, New Orleans to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco via New Orleans and Southern Pacific Sundays and Wednesdays.

11:23 A. M.—No. 11, daily for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta.

7:09 P. M.—No. 12, daily, for Richmond, Asheville, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Norfolk, and all points North.

8:51 P. M.—No 7, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro Knoxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.

8:51 P. M.—No. 35, daily, for Washington and Southwestern limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car, Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York. Also carries vestibuled coach and dining car. Close connection at Greensboro with sleeper for Norfolk.

9:20 P. M.—No. 35, daily, for Atlanta and New Orleans, carries Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans. New York to Jacksonville and Charlotte to Atlanta; dining car. Also Pullman tourist car Washington to San Francisco, via New Orleans Tuesday and Fridays.

9:45 P. M.—No. 34, daily, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between Augusta and New York, Tampa, Fla, and New York and Charlotte to Richmond. Carries sleepers Charlotte to Norfolk via Greensboro.

First sections of regular through or local freight trains carry passengers only to points where they stop according to schedule.

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Third Vice-Pres. and Gen'l. Man.
Washington, D. C.

John M. Culp, Traffic Manager,
Washington, D. C.

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Washington, D. C.

Gowan Dusenbery, Local Agent,
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