

Concord, N. C., SEPT. 191900 .

## mature a plan.

Quite a number of citizen seem moved with a desire to aid Prof. Ransom in his privations in Gal veston. It would seem eminent ly proper that he should receive some special aid from his native state. We would be glad to see those desiring to contribute fix upon some plan of procedure that the movement talke shape. We
are ready to do anything we can to promuigate plans adopted but can not take upon ourself a can vass, and collection. Our own enough $\qquad$
We note an Austin, Texas, dispatch of the 17 th in which Gov. Sayers complains that the sum of the contributions to the Gaiveston sufferers is over stated by far. He says nothing approaching eight or nine hundred theusand dollars has been received and that the exaggerated reports are calculated to with hold from the suffer be which would otherwise be be-
stowed on the needy. We are sorry that the governor does not see it best to state as nearly as pessible the real amount There's no danger that too much will be"givęn.
A Washington dispatth of the 17th says Minister $\cdot$ Wt has received* a dispatch from Prince Ching announcing that he with with authority to treat for peace and he desires that Minster Con

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TTe messages coming from foreign nations conneying condo lence for the Galveston sufferers from the Queer Regent of Spain. How calamity befalling even a
forifier entmy takes away al enthity, ahd brings us
our better selves. alt's like our betfer selves. alt's like the wound his antågonist and when he has succteeded almost weeps in pity.
A. Sermon on Woman.
"Woman," said the old Codger during one of his medatative spells, "is a perpetual paradox a chronic conundrum without an mswer, an unknown quantity bilities, a parennial prize package of peculiar potentialities, a conventicle of chrracteristic con
tradictions and an amaranthine tradictions and an amaranthin
aggregation of other attributes which are not alliterative.
"She is man's greatest earth ly blessing, and the cause of most of his misery. She is hi chief inspiration to the achieve ment of all that is good, grand and glorious in this world, and at the same time a labor-saving device to help him make a foo of himself. She soothes his tired nerves with the coo of her gentle voice, but she always has the last word in every controvers about 97 per cent of the preceding conversation. She brings him into the world, and a few years later talks him to death. "Most of man's. trouble is caused by woman, but so deftly
does she pile the load on him that whenever his burden o trouble is lifted he wanders unoasily about hunting for moreotherwise, there would be very
few second wives. She will cheerfully go to the stake for the truth's sake, and lie about her age without even being asked. She will grow weary of an in indulgent husband, will cleave anto death to the man who beats her regularly. She will break her heart because a man does
what she don't want him to do, and love him all the better for so doing.
"She scorns all advice in the election of a husband, but takes wo other women along to help her pick out a hat. The less acual comfort to be obtained from a thing, the more enjoyment woman gets out of its possession. 25, if still unmarried, she is a girl. She will face the grim spectre of death without a trem r, and swoon at the sight of ouse. The only time she eve does what you expect her to do is when you expect her to do what
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