

Will Decline to Take Any Mixtures. And although the medical world has long since exploded the superstitious Speaking for ourself, and we believe theory of the moon's influence on the mind, the name of lunatic still obtains for a large number of Democrats, now and is applied to all insane persons. and always earnest silver men, we de-D.F.CANNON, After South Carolina had seceded, a clare unhesitatingly that fusion with man asked Mr. Pettigrew which was the no party will be accepted. ' Let us have road to the lunatic asylum. "Any a straight Democratic ticket nominated road—all, the roads," he said, "the upon the Chicago platform without the

ful, prudent, conservative, cautious.

Prompt + Remittances + Guaranteed, during certain changes of the moon.

That is well enough. I was a good big

"A few faithful sons of North Caro-RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 27 .- The an- lina, ' living in Washington, who ought fares, ordered by the railroad commis sion, was filed to-day, and is quite nual report of the railway commission not for to have done it, sent to the New came on. There were many blood and bas been made public. Its most inter- York Sun-of all papers-a copy of the orous. It says: "The old rate is just thunder and spread-eagle speeches made esting figures are the following regard- letter of the State Superintendent of and reasonable, and does not yield the newspapers were busy thundering ing the lines in North Carolina: Atlan- Public Instruction to the school teachers more than a sufficient return on the in- Omee in former Postoffice Building on Main forth their views; but both the north tic Coast Line, gross earnings from of North Carolina, asking for a dissec- vestment, and barely pays the actual and the south of this Union bit off operation, \$2,568,477; operating ex- tion of its grammatical features. This cost of operation, with economy and a more than they could chew when Fort Sumter was fired on, for it was a long, \$1,543,862; income from operat-ing, \$1,024,615, and from other sources, for all that the language appears to suf-debt, and does not yield sufficient inbloody, fearful struggle to Appomattox. \$48,511. Southern Railway, gross fer at the hands of our State Superin- come to pay any dividend; that the re-I heard one fellow say today he was earnings from operation, \$4,382,908; tendent, that paper has to admit that duction will very probably result in an earnings from operation, \$4,382,908; tendent, that paper has to admit that operating expenses, \$2,928,171; income he got to the very spot he set out to store, stor there were a lot of idle men who could from operations, 1,454,736. Seaboard reach. If we had nothing worse than tially requires the carrying of passenget a job. There is many a fellow in Air Line, gross earnings from operation, bad grammar to suffer from at the hands gers without reward, under the pretence this country itching for a war with an-\$2,199,552: operating expenses, \$1,578,- of the present administration we could of regulation of fares and amounts to other country. But that class of men are not running the country, I am glad from other sources, \$92,796. Mis-very much concerned just now on the very much concerned just now on the cellaneous roads, gross earnings from subject of our State Superintedent of process of law; that the commission operation, \$2,101,421; operating ex- Public Instruction as a syntax architect. reached its determination without any penses, \$1,606,796: income from oper- They have far weightier matters to en- petition of complaint, and without any gage their attention, and the "few evidence to show that the old rates were faithful sons" in Washington might unreasonable or the new ones just, and A Populist was heard to remark a enlist the aid of the Sun in a more pro- in actual disregard of the evidence few days ago that if Old Man Cleveland fitable direction. Bad grammar is one offered and that if the order is enforced were in the White House the country of the leat, of our inflictions. We want business will be carried on at a continued loss."

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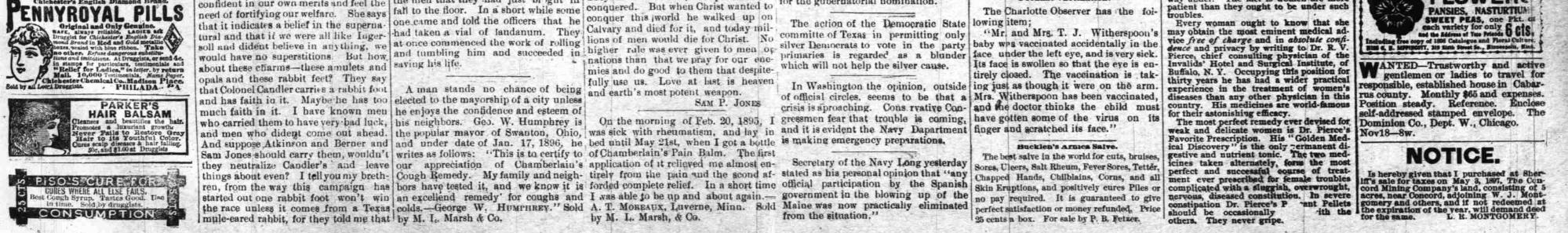
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whole State is one vast lunatic asylum," change of a word, and to the support of Almost everybody has some superstition this ticket let us invite all who desire to about the moon's influence on vegeta-tion. My good neighbor, Mrs. Fields, into our laws. But let us form no futold me last week that she had been sions, co-operations or combines with right busy all day planting her potatoes, any other party.

"for," said she, "you know it is the The editor of the Robesonian ha dark of the moon now." She is the never voted for other than a Democrat best gardener in the town and always and he does not recognize the right of succeeds, but she does herself injustice the party to ask or expect him to do when she gives the moon any credit for so. And if others than Democrats were her success. Many years ago I made a placed upon a ticket nominated by a fair test of the moon theory, for I convention calling itself Democratic he planted four rows in my garden in the does not hesitate to say that the ticket dark of the moon and then four more as a whole would not receive his supright beside them two weeks later and port. Democrats, and Democrats only, gave all the same culture, and I found will be voted for by us.

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Ewart on Butler.

In referring to Senator Butler, Judge

no difference in the yield. The best When a case is referred to a ground is ready, and it may be very

court of final appeal its decision unready if we wait for the dark of the is irrevocable. When you have moon. But I have found that good of being cured of Rheumatism or included in the dark of the moon. Some say one, some say two or three, and others say all the days of the moon's wane, which would be about thirteen.

But if there is anything in the moon theory, why confine it to Irish potatoes and peas and beans? Why not apply it to sweet potatoes and ground peas and corn and wheat?

But there are other superstitions that even the most sensible and welleducated people cannot shake off. The roasted chicken on our table to-day was garnished with parsley and we have none in our garden. I asked my wife where it came from. "From Mrs. Postell's,"

"No," said my wife, "you won't get it

night and steal it. She believes that it of the Wertern District Court the Sen is a gift that carries death with the giv- ator is holding up, says to the Hendering, and she wouldn't give you a plant sonville Hustler: for the world. Why, she declares that "Butler has about had his day, in

it always causes a death in the family, my opinion. His own party is disgusted ry out at sea. We do not want any- for is not stated. and only three years ago a neighbor with his courseand will oppose his re-

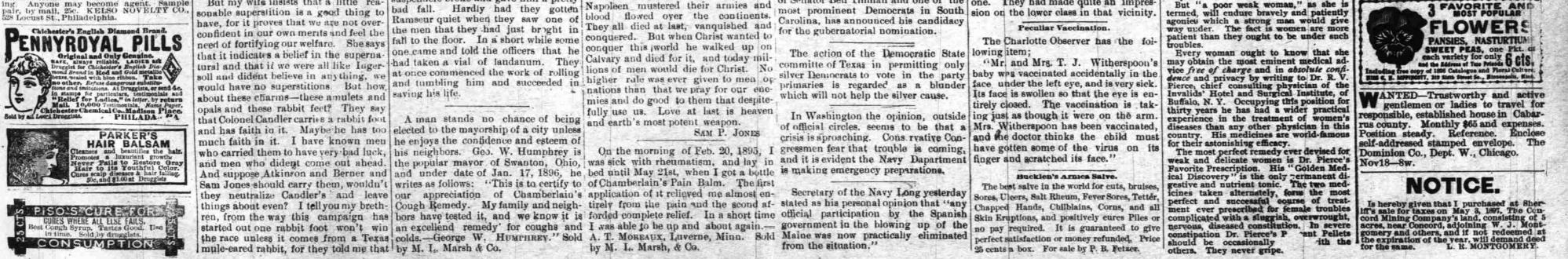
worth of hay extra.

and the woman died within a week." fear that my wife is showing symptoms again co-operate. This division means of the same malady. Certain it is she Butler's downfall. There can be only war and this uneasy feeling unsettles the roads. will not hear to my getting parsley plants two great parties in this country."

from anybody as a gift, and certain is it that I am not going out at night to steal From the Charlotte News we learn any. Well, maybe that if a person has

faith in such things what they believe will happen, for taith will remove mountains, and if there is a faith cure there

is stolen by night.



sure if we did get in a war with Spain

But I am candid when I say that this big country of ours has dickered and

dallied with the Cuban question too ation, \$494,625. long. Twelve months ago if congress

or the president of the United States had said to Spain, "You must conquer Cuba by humane warfare in three would be apt to know exactly what to the San for to understand that .- Charmonths or move your army off of that expect within a few minutes after the lotte Observer. island," there would have been no war

court of inquiry into the Maine disaster under those circumstancos; but we have waited and dickered and dallied until had made its report. We cannot im-

there is a probability of war with agine what the Old Man would be doing Sampson Democrat. oats, hay and pork, Mr. Fletcher, of Spain. It would be a calamity should under the circumstances that exist to-Marlboro', S. C. cleared last year it come to pass. Some Bible scholars day, if he were President, because we Chairman Butler have about arranged Powell suddenly flew to pieces and Mr. lost all hope, in your own case, farmers differ about how many days are \$1,738.60, or an average net profit \$25.- have pointed to the close of this century cannot imagine the circumstances. In for fusion of Democrats and Populists \$1,738.60, or an average net pront \$25.- nave pointed to the close of the data of the armageddon war. 56 per acre, not counting the proceeds as the period of the Armageddon war. from the dairy, poultry, garden, orchard War now means much more than it did from the dairy, poultry, garden, orchard war now means much more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry, garden, orchard war now means much more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry garden, orchard war now means much more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry garden, orchard war now means much more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry garden war now means much more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry garden or the figure the counter the more than it did the proceeds war. from the dairy poultry garden or the figure the counter the more than it did the proceeds the figure the counter the more than it did the proceeds the figure the counter the more than it did the proceeds the proceeds the figure the counter the more than it did the proceeds t and other minor sources. Each acre, in thirty years ago. It is possible for in Havana harbor, because he would rangement will be ratified by the States other words, yielded enough profit in one Spain to move her navy along the coasts never have sent the vessel there unless remains to be seen and will depend upon drenched with milk and the walls were season to buy outright from two to ten of the United States and destroy billions he meant business .- Charlotte Obacres like it. Thirty-en acres of cotton of property in a few days. The com-cleared \$472. Thirty-five acres of corn bined world couldn't whip us if we

Salter D. Worden, who was convicted man Butler's party fuses with the Re- an oil engine, but as there was no exand peas cleared \$692. Twenty acres of could move off twenty miles from the oats and grass cleared \$352. The net sea all around, but our greatest wealth of murder by derailing a train in Cali- publicans again on local issues in North profit on the cotton per acre was \$36.61; and centers of wealth are exposed to fornina and condemned to death, has Carolina, there is no sense in North on the corn and peas was \$19.77; on the the guns of the battleships of the ene- confessed the crime. He gives a de- Carolina Democrats having anything to making about 7,000 revolutions a minoats and hay was \$17.60. After cutting my. And really the moneyed and bus-tailed statement of the whole scheme do with the Populists. We need free ute, which was its usual speed, and Mr. \$320 worth of oats from a twenty-acre iness interests of the country will hard- and the names of persons engaged in silver in North Carolina, but we need Powell can only account for the accilot it was ploughed once and treated to \$26 worth of fertilizer and yielded \$200 down under the dollar now, and hu-in obedience to an order issued by a more just now, and should not let namanity has almost ceased to ask wheth- committee of strikers in sympathy with tional issues overshadow those at our

er a thing is right or wrong, but how the Pullman strikers in 1894. much will I make by this or lose by

The World says Mr. J. A. Pierce, of Salisbury, formerly of Statesville, has I would rejoice to see Cuba a free and WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-A member independent republic. I am not in fa- brought suit against the North Carolina of the cabinet, in speaking to-day of Railroad on account of the death of his the attitude of the President on the vor of the annexation of Cuba and Hayoung son, Frank Pierce, who was question of a war with Spain, said: waii. We have got more territory now than we rule or govern well. We do killed by a train in Salisbury some time

and only three years ago a neighbor pulled up some by the roots against her protest and took it home and planted it, and the woman died within a week." with his courseand will oppose his re-protest and took it home and planted it, and the woman died within a week." with his courseand will oppose his re-protest and took it home and planted it, and the woman died within a week." lessly divided on various questions. One a republic is a constant menace to ev- jury at Greensboro Monday, said that if izes what war means and will not go to Well, now Mrs. Postell is very smart class calls itself the 'straight-outs' and ery monarchy in the world. A mon- a newspaper man was ever convicted by this last direful extremity without the cultured and well-balanced woman, but the other 'middle of the road' Populists, archy hates a republic like a Democrat the jury and the case came before him approval of his conscience, and a firm she is a lunatic on that subject, and I and there seems little hope for then to hates a Pop. They will combine with he would see that the newspaper man conviction that such a course would be hard as any anything to lick him. But this talk of did at least one honest days work on right in the sight of God and of man.

business relations and business pros-The great cotton firm of Philadelphia total disbursements for public schools

that Monday was an unlucky day for is ordering their buyers to stop throug 1- during the year were \$831,380. The

occupants of the tombs, there having out the south because of prospects of assessed value of white property in the been three or four attempts at suicide. war. All stocks and bonds are going State is \$211,301,836; colored, \$7,350,-One named Ramseur, after getting hold down because of the Cuban scare. I 064.

are deep-rooted for they come down to of a rope, tried to hang himself in his don't think we are in a stampede like

us through the ages. There is a plant cell, but Officer Daniels succeeded in Texas cattle, but folks are like cattle-A. F. Page, of the Aberdeen and getting to him before the work was they are easily stampeded. But the Asheboro' Railway, has completed arcalled rue and another called rosemary, and both were in the days of witchcraft to drive away eil spirits. They were called "herbs of grace," and were im-bued with saving qualities, while parsley is of evilomen and dangerous, unless it tying them to the top of the cell and monarchies ever resorted to. It brings then jumping off of his bed. But the no good, but only evil.

pects.

that ?

But my wife insists that a little rea-sonable superstition is a good thing to bad fall. Hardly had they gotten Napoleen mustered their armies and

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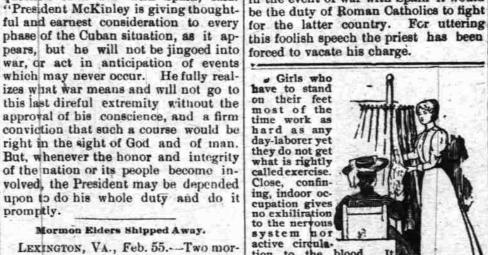
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ing, indoor occupation gives no exhiliratio to the nervou system nor active circula tion to the blood. It wears, tears and drags a woman's life away. The

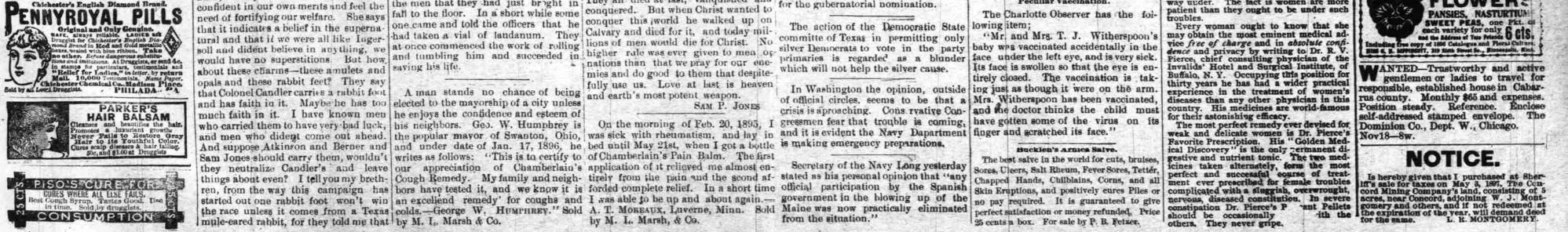
grows singgish and torpid under it. No wonder so many sales girls and factory girls and housewives suf-fer from indigestion and constipation and bilious troubles. No wonder they are sub-ject to the diseases of the delicate special organism of their sex. The wonder is rather that they can stand it as well as ther de K.L.Craven, Concord, N.C.

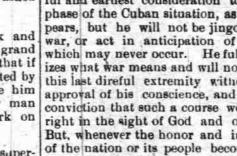
they do. "a poor weak woman," as she But termed, will endure bravely and patiently agonies which a strong man would give way under. The fact is women are more patient than they ought to be under such troubles.



woman's life away. The whole physical system grows sluggish and torpid

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But, whenever the honor and integrity

upon to do his whole duty and do it promptly.

Mormon Elders Shipped Away.

one of them fired a pistol at their pur-

Hon. George D. Tillman, a brother suere, but fortunately, did not bit anyof Senator Ben Tillman and one of the one. They had made quite an impresmost prominent Democrats in South sion on the lower class in that vicinity.

The annual report of the State super- of the nation or its people become in-

President McKinley's Attitude

intendent of public instruction says the volved, the President may be depended

LEXINGTON, VA., Feb. 55 .- Two mormon elders, who nave been preaching

and baptizing at Buena Vista, were put on a north bound train from that city

