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## Heart Trouble Quickly Cured.

A Convincing Testimonial.



For 10 years I suffered from heart trouble. During that time I was treated by five different physicians. All of them claimed that I could not be cured. I was greatly troubled with shortness of breath, palpitation and pain in the side. At times it seemed as though some one were about my neck, and I was unable to breathe. At times it seemed as though some one were about my neck, and I was unable to breathe. At times it seemed as though some one were about my neck, and I was unable to breathe.

DR. MILES' HEART CURE  
and since then I have improved steadily. I can now sleep on my left side, something I had never been able to do before. I can walk without being fatigued, and am in much better health than ever before. I would recommend all sufferers from heart trouble to try Dr. Miles' invaluable remedy without delay.

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## Recognition in Heaven.

One reason why I am disposed to accept the doctrine of future recognition is that so many in their last hour on earth have confirmed this theory. I speak not of persons who have become delirious in their last moments and knew not what they were about, but of persons who died in calmness and placidity, and who were not naturally superstitious. Often the glories of heaven have struck the dying pillow, and the departing man has said he saw and heard those who had gone away from him. How often it is in the dying moments parents see their departed children and children see their departed parents! I came down to the banks of the Mohawk River. It was evening, and I wanted to go over the river, and as I waded my hat and shawl and after a while I saw a man wading on the opposite bank, and I heard him shout, and the boat came across, and I got in and was transported. And so I suppose it will be in the evening of our life. We will come down to the river of death and give a signal to our friends on the other shore, and they will give a signal back to us, and the boat comes, and our departed kinsmen are the oarsmen, the fires of the setting day tinging the tops of the paddles.

Heaven is not a stately, formal place, as I sometimes hear it described, a very frigidly of splendor, where people stand on cold formalities and go around about with a heavy crown of gold on their heads. No, that is not my idea of heaven. My idea of heaven is more like this: You are seated in the evening tide by the fire-place, your whole family there, or nearly all of them there. While you are seated talking and enjoying the evening hour, there is a knock at the door, and the door opens, and there comes in a brother that has been long absent. He has been long absent, for years you have not seen him and no sooner do you make up your mind that it is certainly he than you leap up, and the question is who shall give him the first embrace? That is my idea of heaven—a great home circle where they are waiting for us. Oh, will you not know your mother's voice there? She who had always called you by your first name long after others had given you the formal "mister"? You were never any thing but James or John, or George or Thomas, or Mary or Florence to her. Will you not know your child's voice? She of the bright eyes and ruddy cheeks and the quiet step, who came in from play and hung herself in your lap, a very show of with and beauty in your soul. It cannot be your son. If that little one should stand on the other side of some heavenly hill and call to you, you would hear her voice above that burst of heaven's great orchestra. Know it! You could not help but know it.

Now I bring you a this glorious consolation of future recognition. If you could get this theory into your heart, it would lift a great many shadows that are stretching across it. When I was a lad I used to go to the railroad track and put my ear down on the track and I could hear the express train rambing miles away and coming on, and to my friends, if we only had faith enough, we could put our ear down to the grave of our dead and listen and hear in the distance the rumbling on of the chariots of the resurrection victory.

Oh, heaven! Sweet heaven! You do not spoil heaven as you used to spell it—heaven, heaven. But now, when you want to spell that word, you place side by side the faces of the loved ones who are gone and in that irradiation of light and love and beauty and joy you spell it out as never before, in songs and hallelujahs. Oh, ye whose hearts are down under the sod of the cemetery, cheer up at the thought of this reunion! Oh, how much will you have to tell them when once you meet them!—Christian Advocate.

At least one Republican Senator is getting his eyes open to the true condition of affairs. The dispatches tell us that Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, on yesterday, spoke for three hours upon his resolution, declaring it to be the sense of the Senate that the United States should not permanently acquire in the single gold standard. He attributed, and rightly so, the fall of value to the progressive steps in the demonization of silver. "To the system of timid alliance, from which we departed," he said, "we must return; and I trust that we are already on the road."

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FRIEND"  
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My wife used "MOTHERS' FRIEND" in her last hour, she did not suffer from PAINFUL CONTRACTIONS, she was quickly relieved of the critical hour suffering, but little she had to go through and her recovery was rapid.  
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## NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

STATE ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE GATHERED FROM OUR MANY WIDE-AWAKE EXCHANGES.

From January 12th to February 12th Governor Russell granted five pardons and two commutations and refused ten pardons.

This far 141 bills have been ratified at Raleigh and are laws. The number of bills introduced in the house thus far is 984.

Want: Thirty thousand politicians who do not want office, but do seek the good of the Common wealth—Biblical Recorder.

Mrs. Harriet Brinkley of Anantha gave birth to three baby girls on Friday of last week. There is but one living—Watauga Democrat.

The Concord Standard remarks that the voter should understand that the public office is a public trust. It is also important that the man who is being voted for shall hold like opinions.

The Lincolnton Robinsonian is for sale. Here is a good opportunity for a good newspaper man with some capital. We hope Mrs. McDiarmid will realize a satisfactory price for its sale. It is a valuable plant in an excellent part of the state.

There lives a woman in Robeson county, near the little town of Rowland, who pays poll tax every year. She says she has to take the place of a man on the farm. She ploughs, hauls, chops cotton and does other work on the farm and says that she feels it her duty to pay as a man.—Dann Union.

Friday night, about two miles southwest of Leaksville, the house of Dolly Hamlin, colored, was discovered to be on fire. When assistance arrived the woman was found to have burned to death. The body was recovered, but the house was burned to the ground. It is supposed the fire originated from a lamp.

Virgil Ford, the oldest living man in Rowan county, was in town today. "Uncle Virgil," as he is familiarly known was 101 years old last November and still retains possession of active mental faculties and his eyesight is good. He walked to town this morning, a distance of six miles, and back to his home this evening.—Salisbury World.

Down in Randolph county there is a road swam about a quarter of a mile long. At this season of the year the robins, which are plentiful, roost in the reeds. After dark the people down there go into the swamps with lights and bags and the birds are caught by the bagful. One man caught 500 robins in this way one day last week.—High Point Enterprise.

Already talk is heard of an extra session of the Legislature. Several members think it impossible to transact necessary business and out upon the bills that require attention during the remaining days. The Legislature is authorized to continue in session sixty days and the members draw pay for that length of time. The present term will expire March sixth. If the session is prolonged, and its dollars to cents that it will serve their State with out pay.

Some time ago Mr. R. L. McCrary purchased a lot of chickens. In removing them from one coop to another one got loose and was chased into the cellar by a crowd of boys. Last week while cleaning out the chicken coop in a barrel, where it had been just five weeks without water or food. It was very weak and partly blind, but after feeding it while it regained its strength and is now living and doing well.—Lexington Dispatch.

The total cost for pensions and the disbursement of the roof for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, was \$142,296,550, made up as follows: Payments to pensioners, \$138,215,176; loss to ex-convicts, \$3,081,374; maintaining pension bureau at Washington, \$2,733,740; cost of maintaining pension agencies, \$565,927. It is on this last item that the new order is intended to save between \$150,000 and \$160,000 per annum.—Washington Dispatch to Baltimore Sun.

It appears that Greece will get the island of Crete without any great amount of disturbance. While the great European Powers have taken up the line with threatening the Sultan; that eminent butcher has quietly continued to slice up the Armenians. But little Greece has Turkey a blow between the eyes and knocks it out on the first round.

Did You Ever  
Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? I got a bottle and got relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at Taylor & Banner's Drug Store.

## Murdered in Cold Blood.

A recent letter from Richard Harding Davis to a New York newspaper gives a thrilling account of the execution of a prisoner of war by the Spanish soldiers on a field at Santa Clara, near Havana. The prisoner was a boy nineteen or twenty years of age, the son of a Cuban farmer, who had joined the insurgents. He was a brave and handsome boy, who met death with the courage of a hero. With his hands tied behind him he was marched to the field, a half mile from his prison, and there in the early morning light, just before sunrise, a volley was fired into his back after the priests had offered a brief prayer, while the soldiers stood uncovered. Then the squad was marched off to the barracks, the body left lying where it had fallen in the wet grass, and later on a bullet cart brought a rough coffin and it was removed. This scene is repeated, according to Mr. Davis, over and over again. Every morning for a month thirty prisoners of war were shot at daybreak under the walls of Santa Clara. Probably

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is whether the railways own the people or the people own the railways; that members who vote against this bill will be politically damned.

Mr. Murphy said the bill vested the government with all power, so far as railways are concerned, than the czar of Russia has. He denied that the lease was either secret or fraudulent or with fraudulent intent. He considered the bill unconstitutional as violative of the obligation of a contract which binds the state and the private stockholders and said any law would be retrospective.

At 3:30 o'clock Mr. Cook called the previous question. The vote was first taken on the minority report.

In explaining his vote, Howe, colored, of New Hanover, caused a great sensation. He said: "This very day Governor Russell, the promoter of this bill, sent me to come to his office and there in his dictatorial and tyrannical manner, for I presume he is perhaps in employ of the Seaboard Air Line."

At this juncture Mr. Hancock shouted "Order," and others joined

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Mr. C. P. McLain, Acworth, Ga., says: "Several years ago my wife suffered from attacks of bilious colic and indigestion. She used several medicines and tried several doctors, but all without permanent benefit. She used Royal Germetuer some years ago, and it has given her more relief than all else, and she recommends it to the afflicted." Write to The Atlanta Chemical Co., Atlanta, Ga., for 48 page book giving full information, free. New package, large bottle, 108 doses, \$1. For sale by Taylor & Banner.

Recent statistics maintain the reputation of the Society of Friends for longevity. Of all the members of the society who died last year in Great Britain and Ireland, ranging in years from 1 to 101, the average age was 60 years 6 months and 19 days.

A family was recently discovered in Lebanon, Pa., which had subsisted on potatoes for six months. The discovery was made through the death of a little girl of the family, who died from convulsions caused by eating an apple.

The first carload of cabbage left Greenville, Fla., a few days ago, for New York. The car was loaded at McIntosh, 20 miles south of Greenville.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is known to be an honest medicine, and it actually cures when all others fail. Take it now.

Frank Pierce, a 13 year-old boy met a fearful death in Salisbury Wednesday night. He got on the steps of a railroad car which was running backward, a hundred yards South of the depot, and evidently fell off, for his body was found later, the head having been entirely severed from the body at the shoulders. The head itself had then been run over by the wheels, and severed into three or four pieces. The brains, in a solid mass, were found four yards away from the head. The piece of the head containing the face of the boy had not been mangled and the expression was perfect as in life. This fragment of the head looked like a mask.

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