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Sir Thomas Lipton's latest attempt to raise the American Cup cost him more than \$700,000.

Judge George H. Brown in his charge to the Guilford County Grand Jury said: "Dealing in futures, where the commodity is not purchased outright, is as much a crime as shooting craps or playing poker, and it is equally as demoralizing to bet on the rise or fall of cotton, stocks or bonds, as upon the color of a card or on the strength of a hand."

We have heard a great many people make remarks about "The Enterprise" not saying anything about the Warehouses and some of them seem to think we should have something in every issue about them.

We would like to state right here that "The Enterprise" tries to give the NEWS of the town and county; it is for this purpose that we publish the paper; we do not publish the paper to advertise the business of any man or firm gratis. We depend on the sale of our advertising space and our subscriptions for our living and it we give them away, we give away our living.

Our job printing department is an entirely independent department and, as yet, we have not had had to offer FREE advertising as a bonus on our job work.

We say these things so those that those who have been criticizing may know how things happen.

In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

"Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamlett, of Eagle Pass, Texas. "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief, when my friend, Mr. C. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

By CHAS. A. EDWARDS August 31st, 1903

Prominent publican and democratic senators and representatives, and well-informed students of financial subjects agree that the prospects of important and beneficial financial legislation at the next session of Congress, view from the present outlook, is extremely doubtful. It is freely predicted that the republican majority cannot be made so small as to force the Aldrich bill again, as they were at the close of last session of Congress, when the bill was defeated merely because there was a tie vote and time to allow a few of the republican senators to give their views. Not only is there less unanimity of republican sentiment for what was known

as the Aldrich ideas but the democrats promise to oppose these ideas, although declaring that they will welcome financial legislation that will be of real benefit to the country.

The democrats will not propose any legislation of a financial nature for which there is a noted demand by the business interests of the country, but they realize that there is a wide difference of opinion as to the Aldrich bill and they will attack that measure or its principles embodied in any other measure.

A principal feature of the Aldrich bill was the provision that state, municipal and railroad bonds of approved classes might be accepted by the Secretary of the Treasury as security for the deposit of public moneys. The democrats are attacking this feature on a veritable ground. Their first objection to it is that it encourages the continuation of a surplus in the Treasury, when the tariff laws ought to be amended so as to prevent such a surplus; second and if the people were relieved of tariff burdens to the extent of \$30,000,000 or \$40,000,000 a year that amount would not have to be placed in the hands of national banks for their benefit; third, that in making such deposits the banks are being allowed to use the government money without interest.

The leading feature of the democratic position, however, is that the government is every day accumulating money every day that it cannot use, and that to prevent a financial crash by reason of the accumulation of this sum outside of trade channels, the Treasury Department is compelled to do something with it; that one of the ways of putting the money back into circulation is to deposit it into national banks. Another contention is that the placing of this money in banks encourages over speculation and the putting out of endless stocks of all kinds. It will be claimed by democrats that if the banks were not burdened with money they will not make loans on anything except legitimate business, but that if they have a plethora of funds, including those of the government, they will lend on stocks that are not gilt edged, and thereby encourage over speculation and dangers that might menace the business of the country.

To sum it up briefly, the democrats will say that to get rid of this state of affairs instead of providing easier methods of putting out government money, the reformation of the tariff and the reduction of the government income would be the best and safest plan, the position being that there is plenty of money in the country.

The republicans are all tangled up on this money business and the democrats will take advantage of their demoralized condition. It gives the democracy the best possible opportunity of giving the country an object lesson on the tariff reduction as a means of keeping all this surplus in the pockets of the people, instead of fighting over plans for getting it back to the people after taking it away from them for the behoof of the trusts and monopolies of the country.

Since Mr. Roosevelt became President of the United States and has been in the limelight, the people of the country who want to keep up with the times and keep themselves posted on all the things that can be said for and against a man in public life, have been reading the many books that have been written by the fountain pen of a man who now occupies the highest office in the nation. Some of the students of this city have found that a peculiarity of Roosevelt's writings is that he has very few kind words to say of any man who ever occupied a high place in this country; that on the contrary he has lambasted the life out of most of them. Take, for instance, his opinion of Thomas Jefferson, expressed in his "Civil War of 1812." In volume XI, page 138 of that work from the pen of Theodore Roosevelt, he is intemperate enough to say that Mr. Jefferson "was perhaps the most incapable executive that ever filled the presidential chair" that seems to be pretty tough on the author of the Declaration of Independence, the man who acquired the western territory, who was twice President of the United States, both times elected by ballot and not by bullets, who was the founder of the University of Virginia, and whose baggage have been made the bulwark of popular government in this country as against the rule of the

classes. Mr. Roosevelt seems not to try to be an iconoclast, but late years he seems to have become a painfully pragmatic preacher. He defends and prays for the axiomatic at the slightest provocation. He is showing a reprehensible tendency to the public on self evident propositions and to do it with a suspicion of a national purpose, as, notably, in his warning against suicide and his recent sermon on decent living. The people of this country, if I am a judge of every day human nature, do not like to be lectured. They think they know what they want and how to get it when they want it. This is one of the reasons why Grover Cleveland lost popularity while in the White House. If Mr. Roosevelt will continue in his present course he will very aptly illustrate the point of Tom Reed's sarcastic saying: "What I like about Roosevelt is his enthusiasm over his own discovery of the tea commandments."

There is some rather severe criticism of the President here in political circles in the national capital on account of the recent naval review. The review ordered by the President to be held practically in his back yard in Oyster Bay, partook very much of the autocratic methods of the Czar or the Kaiser. No previous President ever ordered the ships of the American Navy to come to his home in order to review them and make a war like speech to the officers and men of the Navy. That review, for which there was no need or warrant except to make a hoodlum holiday for the inhabitants of Oyster Bay and vicinity, cost the taxpayers of the country not less than fifty thousand dollars for powder burned in salutes to the Commander-in-Chief of the American Navy. He may next take a notion that he wants to review the American Army. If he does it will cost the people not less than a half million dollars to concentrate the troops for the review. The people need not be surprised at anything.

The Post Office Department investigations seems to have petered out completely. If anything is doing at the big pile on Pennsylvania Avenue no man can find it out since the state of limitations let out so many who ought to be wearing stripes; it seems to have paralyzed the energies of the investigators. Although the Grand Jury in Brocklyn indicted George W. Peavers for complicity in the frauds and speculations in the Post Office Department, no attempt has ever been made to apprehend him and bring him to the bar of justice. It is believed here that the reason for this apathy on the part of the government officials is that Peavers is another one of those "Temple pulpers" and the powers that be are not hunting for that kind of game. It is a safe wager that the last few years have heard of sensational developments in the Post Office investigation. It looks as though the Interior Department would now become the center of activity in the scalawag hunting line, but nothing will ever be done there until there is a change of administration and a change of the brand of politics.

Emergency Medicals

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in case of accident and for slight injuries ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite is not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

Table with 2 columns: Weight and Price. Dixie Warehouse, Williamston, N. C. sold for W. D. Weaver 430 lbs @ \$6.00, 525 " " 4.80, 60 " " 7.75, 145 " " 7.00, 30 " " 12.00. Average on this sale, 6 cts.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Brocco-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

JAMESVILLE.

September 1st, 1903 George Ward has returned home to stay.

Miss M. E. Mizell left for Virginia Beach last Friday.

This town was visited by a very heavy storm hail Sunday.

We are sorry our friend Mr. Collins is sick this week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Dr. U. S. Hassell left for Baltimore Monday to purchase his fall stock of merchandise.

Mr. Jim Rolison and Miss York of Williamston were the guests of Miss Nooncy Sunday.

We are glad to see our Board of Commissioners improving our side walks, they need it very much.

Miss Eva Williams a very beautiful and attractive young lady, of Sumter, S. C., is visiting Miss Dare Hassell.

Miss Lizzie Pugh, a very handsome and charming young lady, of Monticello, is visiting Miss Dare Hassell.

Fearful Odds Against Him

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by the name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors or medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order, and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

DARDENS.

Mrs. J. S. Chesson is in Greenville visiting her daughter.

Clarence and Raymond Coburn were visitors in Dardens Monday.

H. W. Davis, of near Jamesville, was a visitor in Dardens Saturday evening.

Willie Moore took his best girl to church to Mount Olive Monday evening.

Elder George Vause is holding a series of meetings at Long Ridge Church.

Preston Swinson and Miss Susie Smith attended church at Mount Olive Sunday.

Mrs. S. D. Jones and child, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives at the "White House."

Misses Ersel Beasley and Ruth Barden, of Plymouth, were guests of Mrs. G. T. Borden last week.

Messes. E. S. Marrow, F. R. Smith and S. R. Coburn were visitors in Dardens Monday evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Woodhouse and child of Williamston, are guests of Mrs. J. C. Smith on the corner of Smith "street."

There was singing school at the Disciple church Sunday night and quite a number of our young people attended.

J. S. Chesson and daughters, Misses Sadie and Lillian and Mrs. S. D. Jones, of Baltimore, were in Dardens Monday evening.

Miss Minnie Riddick, who has been visiting in Pinetown, returned home Sunday afternoon to the delight of her many friends.

Mrs. Inez Fagan, Miss Effie Davenport, Mrs. Lizzie Woodhouse, Miss Susie Smith and several others, attended church at Mount Olive night.

B. F. Hassell, Sr., passed through here Sunday afternoon on his way home in Tyrrell county. He had been visiting his son, Dr. Stake Hassell, in Scotland Neck.

Has Sold A Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it lightly—JOSEPH McILHINNEY, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

College Courses High Standard Catalogue FREE. PEACE BAZAAR N. C. Address: Annapolis, Md.

What Is Life?

In the last analysis a melody known, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 2c at all drug stores.

MILITIA TRAINING.

Its Value Will Be Recognized in the Wars of the Future.

Since the Spanish-American war much thought has been given by those directly interested to the training of our citizens in the militia. This awakening of interest on the part of the public as well as of the military authorities has probably been greater on account of the war in South Africa, which demonstrated clearly that citizen troops, with the right sort of training, and on the defensive, could hold their own against a vastly superior attacking force for a long time.

It proved also that the war of the future is likely to bear a much stronger resemblance to guerrilla or frontier conflict than to the great wars of the past. True, nobody can tell what the erratic course of history may be, but this much seems certain, that if the United States should at any future time become involved in war, the training of the militia will be an important factor in the outcome. The cowboys, trappers and scouts of the West could without much trouble be mobilized into an effective fighting force, though their discipline from a military point of view might be defective. But the conditions which produced this race of fighting men are already of the past, and in another generation there will be only heredity to count on in making up Western troops.

These will no longer consist of veterans in frontier warfare, men who are accustomed to find their lives depending on their skill with the rifle. The Westerners of the future will be only the sons and grandsons of such men. It follows, therefore, that to be effective the militia of the future must be taught to shoot.

They must, so far as possible, be sharpshooters, active, practical, resourceful. Drill and discipline come second. The spirit of discipline is essential, but not its form. If the men are the right sort, and are trained to shoot, our citizen soldiery ought to stand even against a drilled and disciplined army.—N. Y. News.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE USED THE



WASHER

and testify that it will do all the Company claims for it: Mrs. G. L. Whitley, Williamston, N. C. King Cowing, " " " " J. L. Woodford, " " " " Elder John Rodgers, " " " " J. H. D. Peal, " " " " John Ayers, " " " " Easton Clark, " " " " Mrs. W. R. Boyd, " " " " Mrs. M. Whitehurst, " " " " Mrs. John Smallwood, Washington, N.C.

J. A. WHITLEY AGENT

Williamston, - North Carolina

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at all druggists.

Legal Advertisements.

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Elizabeth Gilbert, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 14th day of August, 1904, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This 14th day of August, 1903. Dr. J. R. H. Knight, Administrator. Geo. W. Newell, 46-4 Attorney.

LAND SALE!

By virtue of power in us vested in a certain deed executed by William Powell and Annie G. Powell, his wife, on the 11th day of July, 1902, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Martin county, Book J. J. Page 21, to which reference is hereby made, we will sell for cash on the 24th day of September, 1903, at the Court House door in Martin County, the following described land to wit: That store house situate in the town of Parmele, (Coke) in the Harper store, and beginning at corner near the store, running north-south two feet to back corner of store, thence west to back corner of store, thence north to corner, thence along said store forty-two feet to right of way of the Kentucky branch of the Atlantic Coast Line (railroad), thence twenty-four feet to the beginning, being the place of business of William Powell.

This 24th day of August, 1903. BRYAN & WHITLEY.

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE One of the most prosperous schools in the south, with a high standard of scholarship, located at a very popular Summer Resort, and with a large patronage from five states, extending from New Jersey to Florida—an institution that is doing a great work. We will take a limited number of pupils, including Board and Full Literary Tuition For \$59.90 per term on conditions made known on application to REV. J. M. RHODES, A. M.; Pres., Littleton, N. C.

100 PAIR Mens' Ladies' Children's Slippers below cost for the next thirty days to make room for Fall and Winter Goods The Everetts' Mercantile Co. Everetts, - North Carolina

EVERYTHING REDUCED! Mercerized Gingham 20c., reduced to 13c. Ladies' and Gents' Belts 60c., reduced to 39c. Ladies' and Gents' Belts 30c., reduced to 19c. Ladies' White Elbow Gloves 60c., reduced to 39c. All-Over Laces 60c., reduced to 40c. All-Over Laces 40c., reduced to 25c. Embroidery 75c., reduced to 50c. Embroidery \$1.00, reduced to 75c. All kinds of Lace and Hamburg at cost. Neckties at cost. Mattings reduced to a very low price. Ladies' Slippers at cost. Men's Low Cut Shoes at cost. Everything in the summer line reduced. Call and get some of these Great Bargains.

N. S. PEEL & COMPANY

To Our Friends and Patrons Owing to the destruction by fire Sunday morning of our place of business, we desire to inform you that

You will find us at the store recently occupied by S. R. Clary & Co., next to N.S. Peel & Co.'s, also at the Warehouse in rear of Burned Store.

where we will be glad to have you call and continue your purchases. We have bought out the stock of Groceries of A. D. Mizell, Jr., and with goods arriving daily we can fill your orders as before the fire.

ANDERSON, HASSELL & CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Thad P. Harrison has returned from the North where he purchased a full and complete line of FALL and Winter Goods

Thanking you all for Past Patronage and soliciting your future orders, We are yours truly,

Harrison Bros. & Co.

Watch This Space Next Week.

T. G. COOK, GENERAL BLACKSMITHING AND REPAIRING

HORSE SHOENING When your horse is shod at my shop you KNOW that it is done RIGHT. Don't neglect your horses' feet.

GET OUT YOUR WHEEL AND HAVE IT PUT IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION. Perhaps you may need only new tires, handle bars, pedal new spokes, a new rim or new bearings. We can supply you with any want in the business, so don't fail to call on me.

Main Street T. C. COOK

OUR RETURN!

We Have Just Returned from the Northern Markets and our Goods are arriving daily.

Our line of Dress Goods the most complete ever brought to this market.

We have secured one of the best milliners in Baltimore who is now making her Fall Selections, and we will have the swiftest lines imaginable.

Our stock of FURNITURE and HOUSE FURNISHINGS is complete and consists of all staple and fancy lines. Call and see our White Enamel Bedsteads, something new.

J. L. & C. B. Hassell