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The Southern Gentleman

There is no truer type of manhood on earth than can be found in this South land of ours. The term "Southern gentleman" has a unique significance that is recognized the country over. It is synonymous with every thing that is true, noble and honorable. Indeed the manhood of the South is so deeply rooted in honor that it can not even tolerate to see one whom it does not consider as a friend treated disrespectfully. A happy exemplification of this occurred a short time ago when Governor Vardaman of Mississippi sent a telegram to President Francis, of the St. Louis Exposition, which was infamous and disgraceful relative to President Roosevelt. Now the South has very recently shown that it does not entertain very friendly feelings for the President, yet, when this unwarranted insult was hurled at him, even by a Southern Governor the whole South was very quick to rally to the President's relief. The South has its likes and its dislikes, but it sets the price of gentlemanliness higher than any ties or affiliations. A man to be respected in the South must above all things else be a gentleman.

The senate committee is again at work on the Smoot case.

Judge Swayne, of the Northern district of Florida, is to be impeached so says the House of Representatives.

The daily Concord Tribune announced some time ago that it would be discontinued on the first of December, but it did not stop. The people of the town in the meantime had got together in such a way as to show the publisher they did not want the daily paper to stop. Doubtless if they had been showing that kind of interest beforehand there would have been no suggestion of stopping. A paper must have support to get along.

THE CHRISTIAN churches at Constantinople, Turkey and Yokohama, Japan, have long used the Longman & Matinez Paints for painting their churches.

Liberal contributions of L. & M. Paint will be given for such purpose wherever a church is located.

F. M. Scofield, Harris Springs, S. C. writes, "I painted our old homestead with L. & M. twenty-six years ago. Not painted since; looks better than houses painted in the last four years."

W. B. Barr Charleston, W. Va., writes "Painted Frankenburg Block with L. & M. shows better than any building here we ever done; stands out as the varnished and actual cost of paint was less than \$1.20 per gallon. Wears and covers like gold."

These Celebrated Paints are sold by S. R. Biggs.

F. E. KNOX DEAD

News reached here Tuesday that Mr. Fred E. Knox, formerly of this town, died in Laurens, S. C. Monday night. Mr. Knox lived here a number of years and until the Martin and Biggs furniture factory was burned had charge of the finishing department. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was about 55 years old. Leaves a wife and three grown children, Messrs. George and Rolland Knox, and Mrs. Willie Shearer. The friends of Mrs. Knox extend their sympathies in her hour of trouble.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally, life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at S. R. Biggs Drug Store.

Preparing for Xmas

The negroes of this town, some of them at least, too lazy to work are making raid on chicken houses. A few nights ago Dr. Knight's poultry house was visited and two turkeys and several chickens were missing the next day. There should be a vagrancy law for Williamston. One can find a dozen or two negroes loafing nearly all the time, and still you cannot hire one to cut even a few sticks of wood. These loafers are either stealing for a living, or they have a woman who is cooking for some family that is stealing for them. They should be made to work.

Newarkers to Attend Marriage

A number of Newarkers will go to Williamston, N. C., the last of the month to attend the wedding of Clinton E. Mundy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Munday, of 93 Lincoln Park, this city, to Miss Mary S. Whitley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitley, of Williamston, which will take place at the home of bride's parents, "Oakhurst," Wednesday night, December 28. Miss Josephine Mundy, of this city, will be one of the bridesmaids, and the other will be Miss Laura Whitley, of Williamston, a sister of the bride. The maid of honor will be Miss Marina Whitley, another sister. The ushers will be George Whitley and Jesse Whitley, brothers of the bride. The bride and groom will make their home with the groom's parents in this city. The groom's mother will give a large reception in February in honor of the bride, and both women will be at home after February 15. — Newark (N. J.) News.

The health and fragrance and strength of the great pine forests are condensed in Pineules, a new discovery put up in a new way. A cure for all Kidney, Blood and Bladder diseases, Backache, Lumbago and every form of Rheumatism. Pineules rid the system of impurities. Sold by S. H. Ellison.

Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is an improvement over all Cough, Lung and bronchial remedies. It acts on the bowels, drives the cold out of the system, cures Croup, Whooping Cough, wards off Pneumonia and strengthens the lungs. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the best Cough Syrup for children. Tastes good. Sold by S. H. Ellison & Co.

Another Wreck

Engineer Horne and fireman instantly killed in a wreck at Warsaw. Mail Clerk Hollingsworth badly hurt, no passengers hurt. The wreck occurred one mile north of Warsaw Wednesday and was passenger train No. 41, southbound.

Christmas Holiday Excursions Over Norfolk & Western Railway

Reduced rate round-trip tickets will be sold December 23, 24, 25, 26 and 31 and January 1 and 2, to all points on line of the Norfolk & Western Railway, good for return passage on or before January 4, 1904. Further information can be obtained by application to Ticket Agents. W. B. BEVILL, G. P. A. Roanoke, Va.

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Mc. D. Lilly, 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 15th day of December, 1904, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This 13th day of December, 1904. KADER LILLY, Adm'r.

When You Have Chills or Other Ills In Any Way Malarious, Don't Load Yourself with Quinine Pills, Or Other Drugs Nefarious SOMETHING SAFE AND SURE Wintersmith's Chill Cure GUARANTEED To cure Chills and Fever, Dengue, LaGrippe and Biliousness 50c. per box.

HARVARD PIANOS are preferred by teachers on account of wonderful tone quality, and remarkable durability. WE HAVE AN ATTRACTIVE PROPOSITION TO MAKE YOU If you intend to purchase a piano at any time in the near future. It will cost you nothing to learn what we have to offer. THE HARVARD PIANO CO., Manufacturers, CINCINNATI, OHIO.

LARGEST COMMERCIAL SCHOOLS IN THE CAROLINAS King's Business College. Incorporated—Capital Stock \$30,000.00 RALEIGH, N. C. CHARLOTTE, N. C. These Schools give the world's best in modern Business Education. Oldest Business College in North Carolina. Established and guaranteed, backed by a written contract. No vacation. Individual Instruction. We also teach Book-keeping, shorthand, Penmanship, by mail. Send for Home Study Rates. Write to-day for our catalogue, offers and high inducements. They are free. Address, KING'S BUSINESS COLLEGE, Raleigh, N. C. or Charlotte, N. C.

The President's "big stick" comes in handy in preserving order around the pie counter.

S. R. BIGGS SUCCESSFUL Induced Dr. Howard Company to Make Special Price

After a great deal of effort and correspondence, S. R. Biggs the popular druggist has succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to make a special half-price introductory offer on the regular fifty cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia. This medicine is a recent discovery for the cure of all diseases of the stomach and bowels. It not only gives quick relief, but it makes permanent cures. Dr. Howard's specific has been so remarkably successful in curing constipation, dyspepsia and all liver troubles, that S. R. Biggs is willing to return the price paid in every case where it does not give relief. The old-fashioned idea of dosing with mineral waters, cathartic pills or harsh purgatives will soon be a thing of the past. The best physicians are prescribing Dr. Howard's specific because it really gives the desired results and on account of the small and pleasant dose that is needed. Headaches, coated tongue, dizziness, gas on the stomach, specks before the eyes, constipation, and all forms of liver and stomach trouble are soon cured by this scientific medicine. So great is the demand for this specific, that S. R. Biggs has been able to secure only a limited supply, and every one who is troubled with dyspepsia, constipation or liver trouble should call upon him at once, or send 25 cents, and get sixty doses of the best medicine ever made, on this special half-price offer, with his personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

Prince Fushimi stayed in this country just long enough to learn from the "400" how to lose his jewels "mysteriously" for a few days.

"TEETHINA" as its name implies, is used by every mother wise. To stay convulsions that come on when teething time begins to dawn. For Nausea, Vomiting and the weak, irritable Stomach of children; nothing equals Dr. Moffett's "TEETHINA" (Teething Powders). It Aids Digestion and Regulates the Bowels.

A California bandit held up a Pullman palace car and was worsted by the porter. He meets his match when he gets hold of a Pullman porter.

PLEASE YOUR FAMILY and preserve your house by painting with L. & M. Paint. Wears and covers like gold. Its lead with zinc. Non-chalkable. Money saver. Fullest measure. Takes least. Bought from S. R. Biggs.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE Under Mortgage

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by H. I. Clark and wife, A. B. Clark, to Mary R. Daughy which is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of the County of Martin, in Book R E E, page 269, the following property will be sold at auction, viz: One tract of land situated on Front street, in the town of Hamilton, and known as the "Clark residence" and lot, same as conveyed by Edmondson and wife to Elizabeth A. Gardner and Jean Gardner, running through from Front to South street. Also one other tract of land lying on South street, and known as the "Baker Wood lot." The two lots forming one and containing 1 1/4 acres land, more or less, as more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust. Place of sale, On the premises, Hamilton, N. C. Time of Sale, Monday, January 2nd, 1905, at 12 o'clock, m. Terms of sale, Cash. December 1st, 1904. T. B. SLADE, Trustee

Executor's Notice

Having qualified as executor upon the estate of Manis Johnson, 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 10th day of November, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This 10th day of November, 1904. F. S. JOHNSON, Executor

Sale of a Valuable Tract of Land

By virtue of an order of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin county, N. C., made on the 29th day of November, 1904, in the special proceeding entitled Plenny Peel and Alexander Peele, petitioners, vs Sarah Rogerson and Nicholas Rogerson, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in Williamston, N. C., on the first Monday in January, 1905, it being the 2nd day of the month, the following tract of land, situated in Griffin's Township, Martin county, and described as follows: Adjoining the lands of Ephraim Peel, Sylvester Peel, Joshua Corey and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a marked gum in Harris Branch; thence South 36 1/2° East, 24 40-100 chains to a line to "the lightwood stump," thence North West along a line of marked trees to the washing hole in the great island; thence along James R. Hodges' line to the Williamston and Washington road; thence E. Peel's line to the beginning, containing 100 acres more or less. This sale will include all of said tract of land except interest conveyed in the timber on said land in the deeds by Alonzo Rogerson to Dennis Simmons Lumber Co., and by King Rogerson to the Greenleaf, Johnson Lumber Co. 9-4 BURROUS CRITCHER, Commissioner.

Notice of Administrator

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of William A. Casper, 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 15th day of November, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This 7th day of November, 1904. S. W. CASPER, Administrator.

For cracked hands, chapped lips, and rough skin, Pinesolve is the nicest, quickest, best cure. One application in one night proves it. Sold by S. H. Ellison & Co.

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of R. M. Brown, 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 18th day of November, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This 18 day of November, 1904. S. S. BROWN, Administrator.

Sale of Valuable Personal Property

The following property of the late C. K. White will be sold on Tuesday, December 27, 1904 at the Steven Outerbridge Place, near Hamilton at 10 o'clock, a. m.: One black Mare Mule, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Implements, also one half-interest in Corn, Fodder, Meat, (park on rack) Hogs, Cotton Seed etc. Terms of sale—CASH W. A. WHITE, Executor.

The Triadic

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J. B. SPELLER Buyer of Turkeys Geese Poultry and all kinds of Furs AND COUNTRY PRODUCE Washington St., Williamston

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Early Thoughts for Christmas

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We beg to announce to the citizens of Williamston and Martin County that we have opened up a clean, fresh new stock of goods in Jno. R. Mobley's new building next to Biggs' drug store, and we will be glad to see you visit us and examine our stock of

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We buy our goods for cash and we are in a position to quote you low prices on everything. We ask for a portion of your patronage and will try and serve you faithfully and give you the benefit of our cash discounts. We extend a cordial welcome to all of our citizens, and ask especially that you drop in and look over our large and well selected stock. SANTA CLAUS has been to our store and left everything for the children and grown folks, too! Come and see for yourselves.

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Christmas Holiday Rates ATLANTIC COAST LINE announce rate of ONE AND ONE-THIRD FIRST CLASS FARES (Minimum rate 50 cents) Tickets will be placed on sale December 23, 2, 31 and January 1st, 1905. Final limit returning to January 4. To teachers and students of colleges, on presentation and surrender of certificates signed by Superintendents, Presidents or Principals, tickets may be sold at the above rate December 17th to 24th inclusive, with final limit returning to January 8th. For full information call on ticket agents, or address H. M. Emerson Traffic Manager W. J. raig G. P. A.