

Published Every Thursday.

A Joke of Sydney Smith's.

On the occasion of a dinner Sydney Smith was the guest, and when the evening was over the host thanked the wit heartily for the entertainment he had afforded.

"I hope sir I know how to behave myself in church," "Well," said Smith good temperedly, "if I catch you smiling I will call you by name."

On the ensuing morning Smith read the prayers reverently, as he always did, then ascended the pulpit, looked around the church and rested his eye on the visitor, whose name is Kershaw.

News and Observer: Atlanta is strutting around like a little boy in red shoes because a negro who once lived in that city struck Czolgosz just as he shot the President.

Troubles of a Minister.

To benefit others Rev. J. T. W. Vernon, of Hartland, Ga., writes: For a long time I had a running sore on my leg.

The believer casts all his care upon the Lord. He reclines his head on the soft bosom of Providence, and falls to sleep.

Girls, if you don't want a husband who will growl at your cooking, select a man who can afford to hire a cook.

Love may be blind but it frequently manages to find its way around to her house seven nights in the week.

In this life there is but one happiness—to live for others.—Tolstoi.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Bird's Nest on a Car.

Philadelphia Record. Passenger coach No. 4219 of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad has a regular rider every day in a robbin that is so deeply engrossed in material affairs that she doesn't in the least mind the roar and rattle of the train.

The car remains at West Chester every night, comes to Philadelphia in the morning, makes a trip to Morristown, returns to Broad St. station and makes its last run of the day to West Chester.

The nest was discovered several days ago by a railroad man at West Chester. He saw the robbin fly from beneath the car and made an investigation, the result of which rather astonished him.

Have you a sense of fullness in the region of your stomach after eating? If so, you will be benefited by using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

A Gaffney, S. C., dispatch of the 10th says that the directors of Limestone college, located at Gaffney, decided at a recent meeting to begin at once the construction of the Winnie Davis Hall of History.

P. T. Thomas Sumpterville, Alabama, "I was suffering from dyspepsia when I began to take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I took several bottles and can digest anything."

Power, unless managed with gentleness and discretion, does but make a man the more hated. No intervals of good humor, will atone for tyranny and oppression.—Jeremy Collier.

In cases of cough or croup give the little one One Minute Cough Cure. Then rest easy and have no fear.

A National bank will be established at Newton.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

It Often Happens

That conditions make men cruel when only kindness is meant.

That women seeking the ideal overlook the practical, and finally accept the common place.

That journeys projected for pleasure are turned into enervating toil.

That erroneous conclusions are created through the hasty reading of a letter.

The first impressions become ridiculous in the light of close acquaintance.

That a man with a faded eventually produces something which makes him famous.

That men accept notoriety for fame and thus become bores.

That a woman will say 'no' when she plainly shows 'yes' is meant.

The men underestimate the capacity of a woman for doing her own thinking.

When you want a pleasant physic try the new remedy, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

'Tis only when they spring to heaven that angels reveal themselves to you.—R. Browning.

"You never can tell what a woman will do next." "I can." "Well, what?" "Talk."

Hope is the sauce of the cup of joy.

NERVOUSNESS, An American Disease. Dr. S. W. MITCHELL is authority for the statement that nervousness is the characteristic malady of the American nation...

NOTICE. By virtue of an execution directed to me from the Superior Court of Watauga county, N. C., in which yatt Hayes is plaintiff and J. L. Tugman and H. A. Davis are defendants...

CASTORETS CANDY CATHARTIC. REGULATE THE LIVER. Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sickens, Weakens, Or Grips, No. 50. CURE CONSTIPATION.

Politics in Billville.

Atlanta Constitution. Zeke Thompson was about to run for governor, but on second thought he decided to enter the race for superintendent of the poor house.

We never sold a vote in our life; but whenever we found a mysterious ten dollar bill on our door step, we said nothing, but knew how to vote.

There has not been a lynching in our midst for 6 weeks. Fact is, the voters are after bigger game now.

There are sixteen vacant stumps in the old corn field, and we stand ready to let them to candidates at ten cents an hour, or three hours for a quarter.

We have been tendered the nomination for the legislature, but unfortunately, we quit drinkin' the first of the year.

It's a hard thing to keep from running for office when it's hereditary in the family.

A Poor Millionaire

Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pile would have saved him.

There are more thorns than roses in the path that leads to a woman's heart.

Some dogs can be taught to stand on two legs and beg just like a man.

Notice to Wheelmen

There's positively no need to endure discomfort by reason of chafing, sunburn, insect stings, sore and perspiring feet or accidental bruises.

James White, Bryantville, Ind. says DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve healed running sores on both his legs. He had suffered six years. Doctors failed to help him.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat. It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs.

HEADACHE. "Both my wife and myself have been using CASTORETS and they are the best medicine we have ever had in the house. Last week my wife was frantic with headache for two days, she tried some of your CASTORETS, and they relieved the pain in her head almost immediately."

Boot & Shoe Shop. —BLOWING ROCK, N. C.—

G. H. DUNCAN, PROPRIETOR. Best grade of laced boots, shoes, and leggins always on hand. Prompt and careful attention given to repairs at all times.

100 DROPS. Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN. Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest.

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Vacant hearts like vacant houses need a tenant.

Eruptions, cuts, burns, scalds, sores of all kinds quickly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

Young Women. The entry into womanhood is a critical time for a girl. Little menstrual disorders started at that time soon grow into fatal complications.

Miss Della M. Strayer, Tully, Kan. "I have suffered untold pain at menstrual periods for a long time, was nervous, had no appetite, and lost interest in everything."

WINE OF CARDUI. Fine Nursery Fruit. I have on hand a fine lot of fruit trees, such as apples, peaches, pears, plums etc. etc.

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Some one who has evidently been there says: "After a young man has had a quarrel with his best girl, and made up, his heart is as tender as a boiled turnip."

Mrs. S. H. Allport, Johnstown, Pa., says: "Our little girl almost strangled to death with croup. The doctors said she could not live but she was instantly relieved by One Minute Cough Cure."

It is given out that the valuation of property in Charlotte increased by nearly one million dollars in the new assessment.

If the action of your bowels is not easy and regular serious complications must be the result. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will move this danger.

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