CHAPTER I. "I was taken sick a year ago With bilious fever.

"My doctor pronounced me cured, but I got sick again, with terrible pains n my back and sides, and I got so bad I Could not move! I shrunk!

From 228 lbs to 120! I had been doc toring for my liver, but it did me no go d. I did not expect to live more than three months. I began to use Hop Bitters. Directly my appetite returned. my pains left me, my entire system seemed renewed as if by magic, and after using several bottles I am not only as sound as a sovereign but weigh more than I did before. To Hop Bitters I R. FITZPATRICK.

Dublin, June 6, '81. How to GET SICK -Expose yourself lay and night; eat too much without xerci-e; work too hard without rest; befor all the time; take all the vile nostrums advertised, and then you will want to know how to get well, which is answered in three words-Take Hop Bitters!

New Advertisements.



This answer mover varies. A marvel of purity in the relinary - nds, and cannot be sold in another relinary - nds, and cannot be sold in another relinary to the multitude of low test, short is a reliable powders. Sold only in Wheele are by SPRINGS & BURWELT Charlotte

with fever and ague, or bilious remittent, the system may yet be freed from the malignant virus with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Protect the system against it with this beneficent antispasmodic, which is furthermore a supreme remedy for liver complaint, constipation, dyspepsia, debility, rheuma-tism, kidney troubles and other ailments. For sale by all Dreggists and lealers generally.

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P-D-P-K

Parry Davis's Pain Killer

Contain D. S. Goodell, Jr., of Searsport,

An accident may happen to-merrow. Buy Princy Tave ': Pain Killer ted yelf my Proggict

A SURE RECIPE For Fine Complexions.

Positive relief and immunity from complexional blemishes may be found in Hagan's Magnolia Balm. A delicate and harmless article. Sold

by druggists everywhere.

It imparts the most brilliant and life-like tints, and the closest scrutiny cannot detect its use. All unsightly Discolorations, Eruptions, Ring Marks under the eyes, Sallowness, Redness, Roughness, and the flush of fatigue and excitement are at once dispelled by the Magnolia Balm.

It is the one incomparable Cosmetic.

FOR SALE. Aff st class 7-horse power Steam E gine and Boiler, chable of running a filty s we aton gin, or any other light muchin ry. A pargain. Cash CHA4. R. JONE4.

I take pleasure in announcing that my I unch

Room, Lext door to Andrews' surniture store is now open for the coming season, and that Fish, Oysters and all the delicacies of the inner man an be had on the

PAY-YOR-WHAT-YOU EAT-PLAN. W. B. TAY. OR. Respectivity,

Fair for the benefit of St. Peters Catholic Church will open in the Hall over Mayer & Ross's store, Tuesday, November 27th, and continue for four nights. Season tickets 30 cents. Single admission 10 cents.

Arrival and Departure of Trains, Richmond and Danville and Air-Line. No. 50--Arrives at Charlotte from Richmond at 1:58 a m. Leaves for At-

lanta at 2:08 a m. No. 51-Arrives at Charlotte from Atlanta at 3.28 a m. Leaves for Richmond at 3:30 a m. No 52-Arrives at Charlotte from Richmond at 12:53 p.m. Leaves for At-

lanta at 1:12 p m. No. 53-Arrives at Charlette from At lanta at 7.43 p m. Leaves for Richmond

Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta, Arrives from Columbia at 7:30 p m. Leaves for Columbia at 1:05 p m. C., C. & A.--A. T. & O. Division. Arrives from Statesville at 10.30 a m. Leaves for Statesville at 8 p m.

Leaves for Wilmington at 8:15 p m. and for Laurinburg at 7:40 a. m. Arrives from Wilmington at 7:50 a m. and from Laurinburg at 4:40 p m.

Carolina Central.

C. C., Shelby Division. Leaves for Shelby at 8:15 a m. Arrives from Shelby at 5:40 p m. Mails.

General Delivery opens at 8:00 a m.; loses at 6:00 p. m Money Order Department opens at 9 a.m.; closes at 5 p. m.

Index to New Advertisements.

J. M. Miller-Last notice. Butt's Panorama at Calvary church November 28.

Indications.

South Atlantic States, local rains, followed by partly cloudy weather, colder weather, northeast to northwest winds higher barometer.

LOCAL RIPPLES.

-There were eight coffee drummers on the town yesterday. -A large party of preachers passed through the city yesterday on their way to Statesviile, where Conference meets

-The next court is the Federal, and it will be convened on the third Monday in December by Judge Dick. There are

some big cases to come up before it. -The absence of our telegraphic stock report this morning is due to the fact that yesterday was holiday in New

-Mr. C. E. Gray requests us to state that all who desire to join his guitar class will meet him to-night at So'clock n the band room -Christmas cakes are going to be rare

delicacies in this community unless there's a drop in the price of hen fruit. Eggs now seil at 35 cents per dozen. -Hon. D. B. Eaton, the civil service

commissioner, who has been holding the examinations in Raleigh. spent Sunday in the city at the Central Hotel. He has gone to Columbia. -Only two days to Thanksgiving, and

yet no movement has been made towards securing a suspension of business in the city The dollar is a thundering oig thing in Charlotte. -Lawyers W. M. Smith and H. S.

Puryear of Concord, passed through yesterday for Texas. They go out there for a little "bar" hunting and duck shooting. They will be gone for a -The next time we venture a weather prediction, people will believe us. Three weeks ago we told our readers that this wet spell was due from Nov.

-Col. A. M. Waddell arrived in the city yesterday and will remain a few days. He worked faithfully and well in the campaign recently closed in Skinner's district and the Eastern papers have many kind words to say about

-Miss Maggie L. Garrison, daughter of Mr. David B. Garrison, died at her father's residence on 6th street Sunday night, of consumption. She was 2 years of age. Her remains will be interred to-day at noon, at Mallard Creek

-Mrs. A. J. Ury, an esteemed lady of Concord, died at her home in that town Sunday night of consumption. Her husband died about two years ago of pneumonia, and an interesting circle of

-The exodus for the West still continues. Yesterday a party of about 28 emigrants from Mecklenburg and Iredell counties took the train in this city for Kansas. Since November 1st, about 80 families have gone West from this

-Joe Caldwell, the darkey who was arrested Saturday for stealing a barrel of pickled hog's feet from Ben Barnett, was sent up to the Inferior Court by the mayor yesterday morning. H. W. Howard was fined \$5 for drunkenness, and another case was continued to this morning for trial.

-Bishop Northrop preached in the Catholic church at Laurinburg Sunday and at the close of the service confirmed three persons. The confirmation services were witnessed by a large congregation, among whom were many Protestants. Bishop Northrop came up with Capt. Jim Trimble yesterday and will be in the city several days.

Opera House Last Night. "The World" was presented for the second time before a Charlotte audience at the opera house last night, and was received possibly more enthusiastically than on the first night. The scenery was enjoyed with the same delight manifested on the first occasion, when some of the audience rose to their feet to watch the ship going down. The acting is secondary, but for a real first-class spectacular show "The World" carries off the palm. We believe it would get another good house

in Charlotte. The Nick Man Found.

The item in Sunday's paper relative to the inquiry of Mr. J. C. Saxon, of Gainesville, Ga., for his brother James Saxon, who was supposed to be dangerously ill in Charlotte, but who could not be found by the police, had the desired effect, and information was yes-terday given to chief Harrison of the sick man. He married and lives in Charlotte and is lying at his home dangerously sick with hemmorhage of the lungs. His wife saw the paragraph in the OB-SERVER and was thus put in communication with his brother.

Off for Conference.

Revs. J. T. Bagwell and W. S. Haltom will leave this evening for the Conference at Statesville. Mr. Bagwell last Sunday finished his three years service as pastor of Tryon street Methodist church in this city, and on Sunday night preached his last sermon before Conference to a large congregation. Mr. Bagwell has served his charge faithfully and has given satisfaction to all. As the Conference limit will allow him one more year in Charlotte, his congregat on entertain the hope that he will be re-

turned to them. Bishop Keener will preside over the Conference and will convene the body to-morrow. It promises to be very largely attended, and its daily sessions will be fraught with interest to the Church throughout the State.

Why suffer with Malaria? Emery's Standard Cure Pills are infallible, never fail to; cure the most obstinate cases; purely vegetable. 25 cents.

ers --- Two Prisoners for the Peniten-

The fall term of the Inferior court for Mecklenburg was adjourned yesterday afternoon after seven full days of hard work, during which a large amount of business was transacted, and stern jusof erring ones. The solicitor and judges of this court have gained a reputation for hard workers, and their manner of dispatching business has always been admired by the people. Yesterday was sentencing day in the was cleared of the following cases: State vs. Allen Phifer, larceny of

tery. Guilty.

n jail. All the above were colored.

The following additional sentences were passed: Ed Sparkling, retailing on Sunday, fined \$50 and bound over to next court; Will Brawley, carrying concealed weapons, fined \$10 and costs; Minnie Beil, keeping bawdy house, fined \$5 and costs. After the sentences were passed,

tions is enough to make the human heart bleed in sympathy for him. Truly there can be but one comforter for the bereaved husband and father, and that is Him who chasteneth whom

Missed the Birds but Brought Down his

Two young men, Pink and Joe King, who are of the same name but no rela-tion, were out hunting near the city last Saturday evening, when Pink accidentally filled Joe's head and shoulders with shot. Pink had just shot a rabbit and Joe ran forward to pick it up. As he

20 to 26, and the prediction has scored a King. This is the same affair that was reported in Sunday's OBSERVER, being a little more correct than the report given by the frightened messenger who lost his wits on his way to the city Saturday night to summon young King's father and got Clarke Hall's son mixed up in

> Shooting at a Burglar --- The Outrage at Mrs. Gifford's.

Residents on Eighth street, near the corner of C., were startled by a pistol children are left orphans.

—A young colored boy named Fayette
Wilson, was yesterday committed to jail
by Esq. H. C. Severs, on charge of corn
stealing. It will take the Inferior court
about tifteen minutes to pass on his case
and check him to Raleigh.

—The exodus for the West still conhis aim, or failed to bring down the

shot had been fired by Mr. A. L. Walsch,
whose slumbers had been disturbed by
a burglar. The burglar had raised a
window to Mr. Walsch's house, but
while trying to climb into it, slipped and
falling back made a noise that alarmed
friend Carlisle or some one else whose
views would more perfectly accord
with my own upon that question.

"I would be glad, however, to see his aim, or failed to bring down the man. He was not disturbed during

for a time her condition was critical. The police are in possession of full descriptions of the parties and are on the

of the jurors is duly appreciated by them. Capt Belk has always proven himself accommodating to a fault, and in general efficiency, no county in the State possesses a treasurer who can sur-

fair ever held in Charlotte. The fair will continue through Friday night, but all should attend the opening this even-

---Death of Rev. W. B. Pressley.

yesterday from Statesville annoucing the death in that place of Rev. W. B.
Pressley, of the Associate Reformed 'For these reasons, having church. The telegram gave no particulars but Mr. Pressley's death must have been unexpected, as none of his friends here knew that he was seriously ill. The deceased is widely known throughout this section of the country and has many intimate friends in Charlotte, by whom the news of his death will be received with genuine sorrow.

We have since learned that Mr Press ley's death was caused by heart discase.

Clara Louise Kellogg is to receive \$12.000 for singing twenty nights in Paris,—\$600 a night! No wonder she is in love with Dr. Bull's cough syrup, the great remedy, for coughs and colds, for what would she do without it, if she should be attacked suddenly by hoarseness?

For eign Honors to a Friend of America. Sidney, New South Wales,-At the

New Zealand International Exhibition, the highest prize was awarded St. Jacobs Oil, the Great Remedy for paincuring and healing.

CENTRAL HOTEL-J H Doering, Dover, N J; P P Wiseman, Philadelphia; E A Hinton, Baltimore; A G Gower, Rich-O Chiles Jr, Baltimore; Jno G Williams, L J Cornwell, Baltimore; F Stone, Cin-Carolina; T B Wyatt, Wadesboro, N C J C Sehorn, G W Pledsoe, Tennessee; JJ Ransom, Atlanta; J H Hudson, J A Crews, Washington: G W Sheffer, Elmira, N Y; M J Nolan, G W Nolan E Nolan, New York; C F Marshall, Atlanta, Ga; W N Moss W T Moony, Atlanta, Ga; G R Walter, Baltimore; G W Harrison, Washington; A W Bacon, T S Rankin, C.F. Preston, J. H. Culbreth, S. N Boyce, North Carolina; C A Withers, Pineville, N C; C Buff. Lowell, N C Geo E Reab, Augusta; Dr H P Gatchell, King's Mountain; Millard Wood, Wash-Wm J Orr. Richmond, Va; Jno R Hall, terree, Rock Hill; N Dumont, Lowell, N C; G W Stephenson, H L Fletcher, W R McLeod, Monroe; Jas M Grier, N Carolina; Turner Barber, Lancaster, S C; Wm Smith, Concord, N C; W E Younts, Pineville, N C; J J Vann Monroe; T L Kelly Mocksville, N.C. V. Q. Johnston, Lincolnton; S N McGuire, Harrison, N C; W P Kendall, Jonesboro, N C; E F Small, Durham, N C; Miss Fannie Armfield, Rev J C Cunninghim, Rockinghim; W P Williams. Miss Cora Withers. Davidson College, C W Graham, Concord, N C; Jno F Maloney, J M Wilson. Baltimore; J W Marshall and wife. Fort Mill, S C; Aaron Aarons, Buffalo; Jno A Dodson, Greensboro; J Z Little, E H Andrews, W J Holton, Thos Coleman. H A Smith, J W McConnell, W C Cob. N E Keenan, Misses Jennie Jackson, Annie Hamilton, Ha tie Coleman, Geo O Morris, The World Company; Wm B

North, Smithville, N C; J T Kendall, Mrs T W Kendall, Monroe, N C; F Wadsworth, A W Boudman, Boston; W S Chaffin, N Carolina. BUFORD HOUSE.-R A Williams, Memphis, Tenn; W V Walsh, Philadelphia, Pa; J C Sanders New York City; Alfred Baker, Raleish, N C; Jno A Gee, Richmond. Va; J D Arrington, New York City; Chas B Walker, Atlanta. Ga; J H McCammon, N C; F M Welsh, Chesterfield, SC; Hon A M Waddell, Wilmington, N C; S D Harris, Atlanta, Ga; S N Dykeman, Atlanta, Ga; C C Horton, N C; W H Childress, Montgomery, Ala; W S Taylor, N C; J H Wentworth, New York City; E H Lea, Richmond, Va; H H Orr, NC; G W Sheffer, Elmira, N Y; RE Miller, Richmond, Va; ER Christain, W H Justice, New York City; D'Henning, N C; B D Springs, York | ing: Fort Mill. SC; A E Rankin, N C; Meyer, New York; LeRoy Davidson, N C; Chas G Willwent, Augusta, Ga; R F Grier, N C; L H Long, King's Mountain, N C; Miss Fannie Watts, King's N C Mrs J B Hackney, Louisville, Ky: D P

Chandler, Atlanta, Ga; S B Meacham. Chester, S C; W T Bates & wife, New York City: J Lovell, Manchester, Va: Z De F Ely, Philadelphia. Pa: J N Craigh, Montgomery, Ala; J T Miller. H M Robinson, Atlanta, Ga: E.H Hinton Jr, Baltimore, Md; R P Davis, Statesville, N C; W S Mallory, Norfolk, Va; P M Snider, Richmond, Va; W H Yeandle, Atlanta, Ga; A Anderson, R G Johnson, Washington, D C; L H Hayman. NC; D J M Stoney, Miss M Stoney Mecklenburg county. N C; W C Yeadle. Philadelphia, P; R J Herndon, York ville, S C; R S Reinhardt, L T Smith. Dr. J M Stevenson, T S Morris, Iron Station N C; R S Alston, Atlanta, Ga; Rt Re-Bishop Northrop, Charleston, S.C. R. A.

Lee, N C; T B Abel; New York, Dr. P. Myers, Baltimore. Md; Geo P Gennings, L P Hills, S C Stovall, Atlanta. Ga; E M Lowe, Denver, N C.

GORDON FOR RANDALL. He Believes That the Election of Randall will be the Best I bing for the Democratic Party.

Hon Fanuel J. Kandoll, Washington, D. C. "MY DEAR MR. RANDALL: I should have answered your first letter before now for the great pressure on my time. I only spent a few hours in Washington, every moment of which was occupied in railroad mat ters. I should be very glad to be in Washington during the first days of shot followed by the sounds of fleeing feet, at a late hour Siturday night. It was afterwards ascertained that the shot had been fired by Mr. A. L. Walsch, tariff, and on that account would, in the session. As stated to Judge Har-

"I would be glad, however, to se you elected Speaker on the sole ground that I believe it best for the future of the Democratic party.
"I cannot discuss the reasons which

force me to this conclusion in the space of a short letter. "I must, therefore, content myself with saying that I do not believe the Democratic party can win a victory in the next Presidential contest unless it can hold the confidence and command the support of the business public. Right or wrong the impression prevails throughout business circles, in my opinion, that any radical change in the tariff at present would be detrimental to our National pro-

gress and prosperity. "The question of a tariff for revenue or for protection or of free trade is not one which requires immediate or even speedy solution. It is a ques tion which may safely be deferred until after the next Presidential contest. Indeed the policy of a govern ment upon the great question is one which all men, whatever may be their opinion upon this subject, ought to be ready to weigh with great deliberation, and settle finally on conserv- troubles.

ative lines. "While I am theoretically a tariff nan for revenue only, I would not, if had the entire power in my own hands, make radical and sudden changes. A few vears are as nothing in the lifetime of the government and do not see the necessity for endan- J. H. Allen, 315 First Ave., New York gering the success of our party in a City. great contest only one year hence in order to inaugurate a change of policy in one House while we have no power to enforce the decrees of that House in the Senate or with the Executive. Especially do I consider it unwise at this time to make such an attempt in view of what I have cians. It is one of the best remedies already said in reference to the opin- ever offered to the public, and as it is ions of that very strong class whom prepared with the greatest care, as a Cigars, Paper, Paper Bags, Brooms,

"For these reasons, others which I wish I had time to de velope, I hope to see you elected Speaker. You are at liberty, if you see proper, to show this to any of my friends, if, in your judgment, my opinions would be worth anything Yours truly, with them. "J. B. GORDON."

MOTHERS DON'T KNOW .- How many

children are punished for being un-

couth, willful and indifferent to instruc-

tions or rewards, simply because they

the little ones moderate doses of Hop-Bitters for two or three weeks the children would be all a parent could desire. Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 31, 1879. Gentlemen—Having been afflicted for a number of years with indigestion and general debility, by the advice of my doctor I used Hop Bitters, and must say I am glad to be able to testify in their icine. Every invalid should give it a behalf.

THOS. G. KNOX. trial.

Son hern Florida.

New Orleans Times-Pemcerot. The letter of Capt. Blakeney, from Kissimmee City, Fla., published in mond, Va; W T Linton, Baltimore; Jno | our issue of yesterday, will act as a sort of introduction to the story the Richmond; C H McCulloch, West Va; Times Democrat's Everglades expedition will tell, should it escape the cinnati; R A Dunn, J T Alderman. N | dangers of the great Florida swamp and reach civilization again. This E B Smith, Newark; J H Lattimore, letter gives a most graphic account of the wonders and dangers of Southern Florida, and vividly pictures to the reader that unknown region, where guavas, cocoanuts, mangoes, citrons and grape fruit grow, and where immense nests of dangerous vipers, moccasins and cottonmouths abound contains a number of wild and dat-

This country is wholly uninhabit ed, difficult to traverse, because it is nothing but mud and water, and still gerous Indians; but, at the same time ington; J D Stoney, Charleston, S C: W | as our correspondent shows, it is rich W J Whaling, L N Wilcox, Chicago; and fertile and well adapted for every variety of tropical fruit. It is indeed Pailadelphia; Jno H Craig. Gastonia; a region to attract settlers, when it B Bronnald, New York; SP Coney, Agt shall have been drained and reclaim-Maud Oranger; R T Fewell, Hyder Rate ed. The scenery is as fine as any in the country, a series of lakes and streams and woodlands, with silver springs bubbling up everywhere; the and is fertile, while the woods are so full of game, and the rivers of fish, that the finest and fattest wild turkeys go a-begging and the best trout are given away.

But wild and uninhabited as is this region now, it will not long be so. In the very heart of this wilderness, our correspondent found the dredgeboats of the company engaged in draining briskly at work. Their work so far has been wonderfully successful, and the land is rapidly being drained and rendered suitable for agricultural purposes. It is attracting the attention of the world, as a possible field for many agricultural enterprises, for the production of tropical fruits. of winter vegetables, and of sugar cane

BEST BAKING POWDER. Interesting Tests Made by the

Government Chemist. Dr. Edward G. Love, the present Analytical Chemist for the government, has recently made some interesting experiments as to the comparative value of baking powders. Dr. Love's tests were made to determine what brands are the most economical to use, and as their capacity lies in their leavening power, tests were directed solely to ascertain the available gas of each powder. Dr. Love's report gives the follow-

Name of the Cubic Inches Gas Baking Powders. per ounce of Powder. "Royal" (cream tartar powder) ... 127.4 'Patapsco'' (alum powder)..... ..125.2* "Rumford's" (phosphate) fresh...122 57 "Rumford's" (phosphate) old..... 32 77 "Hanford's None Such." fresh...121.6 "Hanford's None Such." old..... 84.35 Redhead's' .. 'Charm'' (alum powder)116.9 'Amazon'' (alum powder)111.9* Cleveland's" (short w ght \$ oz)110 8 Hecker's

*In his report the Government Chemist says: "I regard all alum powders as very unwholesome. Phosphete and tartaric acid powders liberate their gas too freely in process of baking, or under varying climate changes suffer de-

terioration. Dr. H. A. Mott, the former government chemist, after a careful and elabo rate examination of the various baking powders of commerce, reported to the government in favor of the Royal brand.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

In Seasickness. S. S. Parker, Wellington, O., says: While crossing Lake Erie I gave it to some passengers who were seasick, and ic gave immediate relief."

They say "a word to the wise is sufficient," but we think it takes about five,

"Use Dr. Bull's cough syrup." You

can get this article in any drug store for twenty-five cents. Physicians re-Rosadalis for Rheumatism. Messrs. H. Peck & Son, of Streetsboro, O., write us, June 5, 1882: "Why do you not advertise Rosadalis for inflammatory rheumatism? It is doing won ders here in curing the disease." Well we do advertise it to cure rheumatism. as any one can see by reading our circular. It is a splendid blood medicine,

and it reaches the very root and seat of disease by being conveyed through the blood. Druggists, leading physicians and citizens of the highest standing unite in commendation of Rosadalis. Cravens & Co., druggists, at Gordonsville, Va., say Rosadalis never has failed

Samuel G. McFadden. Murfreesboro, Tennessee, says Rosadalis cured him of rheumatism when all else failed. My Wife's Nervous Affection.

"We had ceased to hope that my wife's nervous affection could be cured,'
writes Rev. J. A. Edie, of Beaver, Pa.
'Many physicians failed to do her good, but Samaritan Nervine has cured her. At druggists. A Fair Offer. The Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich. offer to send Dr. Dye's Voltaic Belt and

Appliances on trial for thirty days, to men. young or old, afflicted with ner-vous debility, lost vitality, and kindred The glory of man is his strength. If you are weakened down through excessive study, or by early indiscretions, Allen's Brain Food will permanently

restore all lost vigor, and strengthen all

the muscles of brain and body. \$1; 6 for \$5 At druggists, or by mail from

Lost Faith in Physicians. There are innumerable instances where cures have been effected by Scovill's Sarsaparilla, or Blood and Liver Syrup for all diseases of the blood, when the patient had been given up by physispecific for certain diseases, it is no

than hastily written and carelessly pre-

Blood and Liver Syrup for all disorders

arising from impure blood. It is en-

dorsed by all leading professional men.

The Sea of Odlivion would long since have swallowed up Sozodont in common with so many forgotton tooth pastes and dentifrices, did not the experience of a whole nation prove that it possesses signal advantages. It thoroughly cleans the teeth dissolving and removing their impuriare out of health! An intelligent lady ties; it revives their fading whiteness said of a child of this kind: "Mothers | and strengthens their relaxing hold should know that if they would give upon their sockets; it renders colorless, ulcerated gums hard and healthy; and besides neutralizing an unsavory breath

invests it with its own fragrance. Ayer's Sarsaparilla works directly and promptly, to purify and enrich the blood, improve the appetite, strengthen the nerves, and brace up the system. It they afforded me almost instant relief. is in the truest sense an alterative med

Closing in on Khartoum.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—A Khartoum despatch to the Times says the Arabs report a large force of Rebels close to Khartoum. El Mahdi has issued orders to all the tribes not to send corn to Khartoum. The despatch says: We only have food for a month There are only 2,000 men here to defend nearly four miles of communication. It is perfectly useless to at tempt to hold Khartoum where the population is hostile. The land line of retreat is closed and the river line may be stopped to morrow. The relaels are holding the cliffs overhanging the river below us.

Nothers! Wothers!! Nothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the exeruciating pain of cutting teeth? It so, go at once and get a bottle of Mas WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it: there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will require the house. who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

New Advertisements LAST NOTICE.

All persons indebted to A. J. Beall & Co., and J. M. Miller, either by account, note or mortgage, must call at once and settle or the papers will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection J. M. MILLER. nov27d1t

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25 Bars capital Soap 11 Bars Frank Sidall Soap 15 lbs Best Buckwheat Flour 6 lbs Lewis' Snowflake Crackers 6 lbs London Layer Raisins 8 Cans Boston Baked Beans 5 lbs Vanilla and Cocoanut Cakes 1.00 12 boxes Sardines 1.00 12 boxes Sardines 7 2 lb cans Sugar corn 5 lbs Lion Baking Powder 8 2 lbs cans Fresh Mackerel

1 dozen large Mess Mackerel 12 boxes Concentrated Lye 1 sack Choice Family Flour 1 sack best Patent Flour In addition to the above list I keep Bacon, Lard, Molasses, Tobacco, Snuff, Buckets, Baskets. Soda, Starch, Butter, wender that it should be more effectual than hastily written and carelessly prepared prescriptions Take Scovill's the same greatly reduced prices, and re-

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spectfully inuite all to come and see me.

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ity. These wagons are fully warranted for twelve months, and you will do well to see us before buying. We have also a full stock of general Hardware, embracing Axes, Nails, Plows, Guns, Pistols, Locks, etc., etc. Come and see us before buying. Brown, Weddington & Co.

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THE INFERIOR COURT AD- Hotel Arrivals. JOURNED.

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tentiary and Nine for the Jail. court, but in the meantime the docket

policeman Hunter's cotton. Guilty. State vs. James King, assault and bat-State vs. Allen Roan, assault and battery. Guilty.

The judges passed sentence upon convicted parties as follows: For larceny -Robert Hasty, two years in the county jail; John Morris, six years in the penitentiary; Pleasant Davis, one year in jail; Perry Kennedy, three months in jail; Nathan Martin, four months in jail; Harry Haines, four months in jail; Jim Banks, for stealing the celebrated game chicken, "Ethan Allen," four nonths in jail: Alex Phifer, two years

court was declared adjourned. A Fever Stricken Household.

Mr. D. P. McKinnon, one of Robeson county's wealthiest men, as well as one of her best citizens, has recently passed under the rod of affliction, losing his wife and two oldest children within a short time by typhoid fever. Mr. Mc-Kinnon's wife died some weeks ago, and on last Monday his oldest daughter, Miss Cattie, a charming young lady entering her 21st year was called to meet her sainted mother. The next day (Tuesday) Mr. McKinnon's son, aged seven years, followed his sister to the grave. The two children had been sick for a number of weeks, and we understand the disease is still raging in Mr. McKinnon's family. He has several children left, all of young and tender yers. Mr. McKinnon lives at Plain View, Robeson county, and is well known throughout this section of the State. He is a brother of Rev. L. Mc-Kinnon, late of Concord, but now of Columbia. The story of his deep afflic-

did so a covey of birds flew up between himself and Pink, and Pink fired at the birds, missing every feather, but bringing down Joe. The full charge of shot struck the unfortunate fellow on head and shoulders and wounded him grievously though not fatally. The wounds on his head are the most serious, and it is feared that one eye is shot out. The affair was accidental, but mainly resulted through carelessness. Pink is a son of Constable

the remainder of the night. Nothing has since been heard of the two men who as aulted Mrs. Gifford Saturday night, as mentioned in Sun-day's OBSERVER. Mrs. Gifford suffered terribly from nervous prostration and

lookout for them. A Good Treasurer. Yesterday Capt. S. E. Belk, our couny treasurer, was busy in his office payng off the jurors as fast as they could present their tickets to him. Saturlay and yesterday together he paid off seventeen grand jurors and their officer, even regular jurors and fifty-two talis jurors. This promptness on the part of the treasurer in attending to the wants

The Catholic Church Fair. All day yesterday the ladies of the Catholic church were busily engaged decorating the interior of Oates Hall and arranging it for the fair which is to commence to-night. Two bands of music, the brass band and the Italian barpers, will be on hand to enliven the occasion with music. The ladies have received a quantity of goods from friends in the large cities and it will be the biggest thing in the way of a church

A telegram was received in this city