



Prefer the same beer—that is true. They are guided by taste; and tastes differ, as beers do.

But taste can be cultivated. And absolute purity is much more important.

Judged by likes, the few best beers may not differ enough to matter.

Judged by purity, there is a vast difference in beers. And purity means healthfulness, cleanliness, freedom from germs. It means a beer that cannot cause biliousness.

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Schlitz The Beer That Made Milwaukee Famous. It is purity, above all, that makes Schlitz so important.

All orders sent to Whitlow and Perrow, Old Phone, 366, Middlesboro, Kentucky, will receive prompt attention.



Color Combinations are included in by many careful dressers, and the effect is most pleasing.

SUITS—OVERCOATS TAILORED TO TASTE \$30.00 to \$50.00 Cabaniss & Co., Inc. TAILORS 8 S. Tryon St.

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HAD SHOT PLAYMATE. Gerney Jackson in Forsyth Jail Following William Mayberry—Claims It Was an Accident. Winston-Salem, Dec. 29.—Gerney Jackson, a young white boy about 17 years old, of Southside, is in the county jail awaiting a preliminary hearing on the charge of shooting William Mayberry, aged 13 years.

TO RENOVATE HOTEL. With Extensive Improvements Winston-Salem Will Re-Open Soon Under New Management. Winston-Salem, Dec. 29.—Extensive and much needed improvements are being made on the Winston Hotel building, on the corner of Third and Chestnut streets.

PERSONALS Mr. L. N. Scalf returned to the city last Monday. He had been at Charleston, S. C., to organize a new council. Thirty-three members received the medicine at his hands.

OUR FACE TOO SWIFT. Toledo, Ohio. The desire to possess wealth, honestly, if possible, but at any cost, if necessary, is the bane of Cleveland that city, who urges the pressing importance of a return to the simple life.

CODDYS TO BE RECONCILED. "Buffalo Bill" Will Probably Re-Married by His Divorced Wife, Denver Dispatch, 26th. A reconciliation between Col. William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) and Mrs. Cody will probably take place within the next few days.

BADLY MIXED UP. Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors don't badly mix up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison; the fifth, rheumatism and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did it. I don't care what the doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach troubles. They complain, by all druggists.

LANDING A BIG ORDER. How a Salesman, by Refusing to Sell an Unsatisfactory Article Was Given an Order For a Big Bill. J. W. R. in Saturday Evening Post. I had just started on the road for a machinery concern and had been after the buyer for a large amount, who was buying a complete plant for their new building, so I had a great deal of competition from older and more experienced salesmen; and as I was only 19 years old I did not have a great deal of confidence in myself.

THE TRAVELER. John S. Eagle, Savannah. Did you ever think of the traveler, The fellow without a home. He seems free from care, with no load to bear. But he's often blue and lone. He thinks of his wife and baby While over the land he roams. And the broad grin he carries with him Is only a cloak of gloom.

FINNISH PROVE FINCH. A commercial traveler was making his first trip to Northern Michigan and had gained the idea that the majority of people spoke nothing but the Finnish language. As a result the man bought a copy of an English-Finnish dictionary and busied himself in a conscientious perusal of the same.

SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE. Our Tariff Stands in Way of Its Development. Mexican Herald. "How to win South American trade" is the theme of many American journals since the return from the lower continent of Prof. Shepherd, of Columbia University.

AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC. Charlotte's favorite repertoire company the Osman Stock Company, offering the local engagement, offering the local engagement, offering a grand repertoire of popular plays.

Back to the Road. We are quite sure this year has been a most prosperous one among the traveling men. They have had their ups and downs, (for these go in all business) but with all this they have made their rounds, sold their goods, pleased their many customers, passed many kind words and gave cheer to the other fellows, brightened their own homes at this joyous Christmas time, and must now pack their grip, look out into the future and prepare for another year's struggle.

Make a Friend of Salesman. Said an experienced man of business recently: "It is so foolish for a merchant to make an ass of himself because a traveling man calls upon him. Their business is just as legitimate as his—and nine times out of ten, the traveling man is a gentleman, and will treat the merchant in a gentlemanly manner, and besides, a merchant who has not the gentlemanly force of character and ability to meet and hold his own with a traveling man without trying to scare him to death or out of the store, had better never left the protecting care of his mother's knee."

Next Monday night at the Academy of Music the Willis Musical Comedy Company will open a three-night engagement, presenting the "Two Old Cronies" for its opening bill. The Atlanta Constitution made the following account of the Willis Company when it appeared in Atlanta at the Grand.

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