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school.

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been running about three months.

It will not be resumed this year.

new house for next winter's

Has Stood the Test 25 Years.

A Scotch Proposal.

Martin J. Littleton, of Brooklyn,

who won national fame as an

orator in the Democratic National

Convention of 1902, was considered

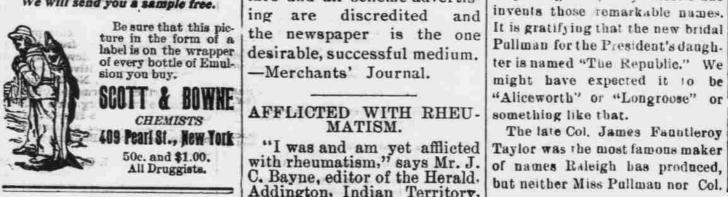
Mayor McClellan,

Minerva school house in Hicklast Friday morning. About nine | Lenoir Topic, Feb. 21st. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hall left

Other Caldwell Items,

tories at this place if he can.

interior of one is all white and output of at least two more fac-Other McDowell Items. Mariou Democrat, Feb. 23rd.



might have expected it to be "Aliceworth" or "Longroose" or something like that.

If the Pullman company should need assistants to help name the cars it would do well to employ the The late Col. James Fauntleroy young men who name the college annuals. It would be a guarantee

of unique and unusual names.

is able to be out.

The water was turned into the mains Thursday and Engineer Cassidy and the foreman went

NORIH-WESTERN RY SCHEDULE Effective July 10, 1904.

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E.F. Rain, G. P. A., Chester, S. C.

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called out that the house was on Thursday for Richmond, where fire, and rode on. The teacher, Mrs. Hall will take a course of Mr. Baxter Baker, and the schol- | treatment in the hospital. ars did all they could to stop the

Messrs. Robert and William fire, but was unsuccessful. It Farthing, of Gamewell, left Tuescaught between the seiling and day on their way to Garfield, roof from a spark from a stove-Wash., where they will make flue, and was well under way their future home. when discovered The school has

Rev. Geo. Church received by express Thursday from Valle Crucis farm three fine white srict from the apportionment Wyandotte chickens. He inwill be used in the building of a tends to make a specialty of this kind of chicken.

The Piedmont Grocery Co. will One day last week some one wind up their affairs here by the discovered a skeleton of a man last of the month and discontinue in a box in the basement of a this branch. The stock will be house in the northern part of moved to the home concern at town. The house has lately

Hickory, from which place this been vacant, and nobody knows territory will be worked. how the skeleton got there. It

The "linemen" who are to put appears to be that of a grown up the lines for the electric light man. We have heard no susplant, arrived in the city Tuesday picion of murder or foul play in and will begin immediately to connection with it. People are string wire. The men are also rather inclined to the opinion busy setting up the boiler and that some doctor or medical stuengine for the plant, and all dent had been using the basework is progressing rapidly.

> Capt. Jones, of Alabama, sonin-law of our countryman, Mr. Joe Hayes, is at Rhodiss now and will rebuild the bridge at that place.

The old, original GROVE'S Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is ron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

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as a fusion candidate for Mayor of 'l've just learned a new charm New York last year, but he refused to tell whether or not a man loves to allow his name to go before the convention as an opponent of you," says the girl with the bulg-

ing pompadour. "The situation reminds me of the "What is it?" asks the girl with manner in which a Scotch beadle be new diamond ring. proposed marriage," explained Mr. "Why, you take four or five apple seeds and name each of them Littleton to a friend. "He led the after a particular man, and place maiden of his choice to a church yard and, pointing to the various them-the apple seeds, I meanon the stove, and the first one that

"My folks are all buried there, pops is the one that loves you." Jennie. Wad ye like to be buried "Hump!" mused the girl with the new diamond ring, absent-mindedly twisting that piece of jewelry

about her finger. "I know a surer COMMON COLDS ARE THE way than that." CAUSE OF MANY SERIOUS "You do?"

DISEASES. "Yes, indeed. You take one Physicians who have gained particular man and place him on a national reputation as anthe sofa in the parlor, and sit close nalysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that if catching to him with the light a little low, cold could be avoided a long and look up to him very attentivelist of dangerous ailments ly, and if he doesn't pop you know n, between ages would never be heard of. it's time to put another man on

around to try all the hydrants. It looked interesting to see the water pouring forth from the

hydrants. All the hydrants were tested to get the air out before making the hose tests for pressure.

Edwin Guy, of the First National Bank returned Wednesday from Spruce Pine, where he had been to put the new bank there in operation. Mr. Guy reports the outlook as exceedingly favorable to a good business and says whistle cord to perfection. We the new bank's quarters are are reminded of this by an incident

cozy and well furnished. The fittings for the bank were made here by Mr. Hassler.

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Fireman Grabbed Flying Eagle. The fireman and engineer who took the Rocky Mountain Limited out of here last Sunday morning

caputred an immense American eagle as it was flying in the air. The experience is probably unique in railroading.

and when he had the scheme com-The unfortunate king of birds pleted he gave the young woman will spend the remainder of his a copy of the code and she lost no days in satiating the wondering gaze of the crowds at City Park. The eagle measures 7 feet and 4

inches from tip to tip. It was about 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon when nearing Limon that the engine crew noticed the bird flying low and straight ahead

of the train. The train was then traveling at from sixty to sixty-five miles an hour, and if it did not

change it course it was evident that the eagle would be overtaken The bird was on the left side and as the engine flashed by the fireman reached out and grabbed the bird by the leg and pulled it into the cab. With the aid of the engineer the big fellow was downed

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia. under the care of two doctors,

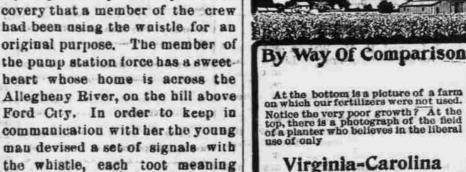
Lovers' Signals. Charlotte Chronicle,

Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the Sometime ago a young fellow of best of liniments." If troubled Concord was married to a fine with rheumatism give Pain young woman of that town, He Balm a trial and you are cer-

was engineer of a freight train on tain to be more than pleased the Southern road and every night with the prompt relief which it affords. One application re-lieves the pain. For sa'e by W.A. Leslie. that he passed through Concord he would let the people of the town know that he loved his wife. His signal was the whipporwill's call,

An expert announces that the and he could play it with the differences beeween the Agricultural Department's cotton reports and the real statistics, in a little towo in Pennsylvania. does not amount to a drop in the The residents for some time past, it is said, had been alarmed by the bucket. Possibly not; but it has apparent erratic tooting of the big amounted to a good many drops whistle at the water-works station, in the "bucket shop." which is used to signify the hours

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> Richmond, Va. Norfolk, Va. Durham, N. C. Charleston, S. C. Montgomery, Ala Memphis, Tenn.

We love incidents of this sort. The Concord's "whip-por-will" at first a source of annovance to sleepy people, became a love note, when they understood it, and they would remain awake at night to hear it. The lovers, God bless them! And may there be always

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a clear atmosphere for their sig-

some particular word or sentence

time in committing it to memory.

When the young man is at work

and wants to give the maid some

message, such as "I'll be around

that controls the whistle, gives it

the number of toots required by the

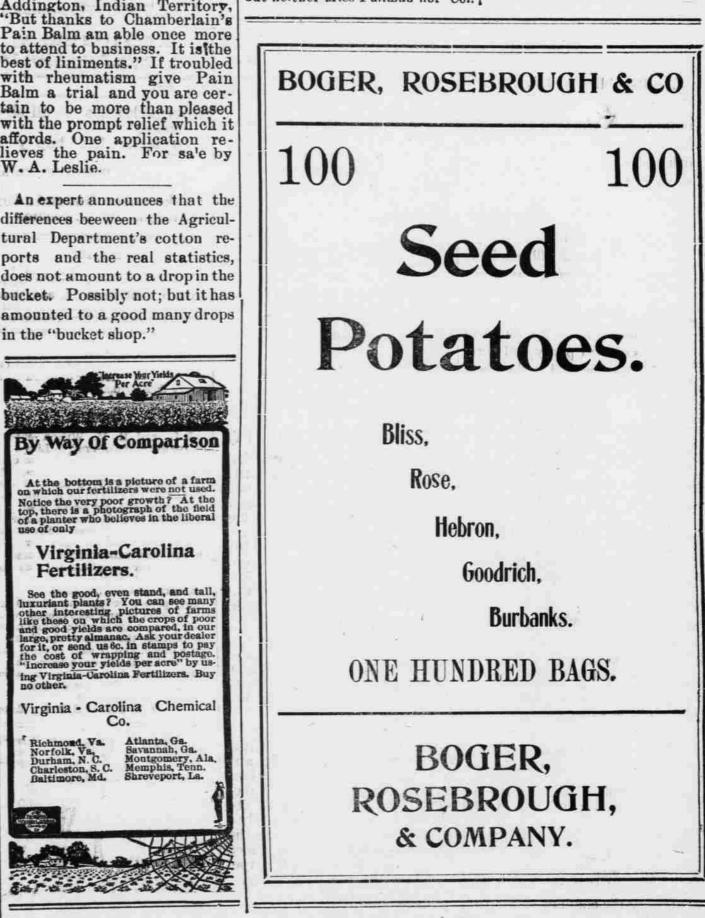
code and away goes the message

sailing across the river in a mo-

ment's time.

nals.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "1 was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose which cured me. I consider



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