

FORTUNES IN SAND DUNES

Deposits Contain Unrevealed Wealth In Precious Metals and Valuable Ores, Working Plant At Jamestown Exposition To Make Analytical Tests.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 20.—A distinctive and unique feature of the Mines and Metallurgy exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition, to be held on the shores of Hampton Roads, near the cities of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News next year, is to be the concentrating plant operated by the United States Geological Survey. It will consist of various concentrating tables, magnetic separator, crusher and classifier which will permit treating ores so that their mineral contents can be accurately determined.

During the period of the Exposition persons may forward any specimen of sand or gravel which will be tested and analyzed with a report on the value of their constituents for commercial and industrial purposes.

The School Teacher's Creed.

"I believe in boys and girls, the men and women of a great tomorrow, and whatsoever the boy sows the man shall reap. I believe in the curse of ignorance, in the efficacy of schools, in the dignity of teaching, and in the joy of serving others. I believe in wisdom as revealed in human lives as well as in the pages of a printed book, in lessons taught, not so much by precept as by example, in ability to work with the hands as well as to think with the head, in everything that makes life large and lovely. I believe in beauty in the schoolroom, in the home, in daily life, and in out of doors. I believe in laughter, in love, in faith, in all ideals and distant hopes that lure us on. I believe that every hour of every day we receive a just reward for all we are and all we do. I believe in the present and its opportunities, in the future and its promises, and in the divine joy of living. Amen.—Edwin Osgood Grover.

To The Lady Readers of the Courier.

The Leonard-Beavans-Stamey Co., has opened a modern ladies store in High Point, next to postoffice, where they will be pleased to serve the out-of-town trade, a full line of ladies' furnishings, dry goods, notions, and ladies' ready-to-wear garments. Any and everything found in a modern ladies store is in stock and the price and quality prices the most exacting. Here you can trade on an equal footing with Greensboro and save both time and money. Mail orders given prompt attention. Express paid on purchases amounting to \$5.00 and over, and satisfaction guaranteed. Read their advertisement from week to week in the Courier. Write or call.

LEONARD-BEAVANS-STAMEY Co., High Point, N. C.

A few months ago Marion Butler and Spencer Blackburn each were claiming to be the real thing among the Republicans of North Carolina; now neither of them appears to be claiming anything pertaining to leadership. They do not seem to want to share in the glory the Republicans won in the recent election. But, then as, nature is subject to surprising freaks, so is the human mind.—The Montgomerian.

ABSOLUTELY A CHANGE.

About seven years ago my health began to fail. I was completely "run down," and my blood got in a bad condition. I suffered with severe pains in different parts of my body, so severe that I could not lie in any position long at a time, and in consequence of this I did not know what it was to get a good night's rest. I had been taking different medicines for the trouble for three years, but got no relief. Then I thought I would try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. I had no faith in it, or anything else for my case, but I thought it would be a change. The third night after I started on it I got the first good night's sleep I had had in many months. I became hopeful. The Remedy relieved the terrible pains I had been suffering from so long, and being able to sleep well at night, I soon began to feel like a new man. My appetite began to improve, I began to build up in every respect. I continued its use until I took about three dozen bottles, when I knew I was a well man. I have been cured four years, have never felt those pains since, and am now a perfectly healthy man, nor have I ever needed any of the Remedy since.

W. E. GRIFFIN, Fort Mill, S. C., Sept. 26, 1903.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Randolph County in the special proceeding entitled W. S. Skene, Adm'r of T. A. Skene, deceased, vs. Zoraida Russell, I will on the 10th day of December, 1903, at 12 o'clock M. at the courthouse door in Asheboro, N. C., sell in the highest bidder for cash the merchantable timber on the following described tract of land to wit: A tract situated in New Hope township, Randolph County, North Carolina, bounded on the north by Columbia Lottin, on the east by Alex. Surratt and J. A. Crummett, and on the west by W. M. Russell and Columbia Lottin, containing about 120 acres more or less, it being the 10-00 place where Alex. Russell died.

W. S. SKENE, Adm'r. This on the 10th day of November 1903.

WHERE PERJURY SEEMED RAMPANT AND DEFIANT.

The last term of Superior court in Durham has revealed a sad state of affairs in the matter of perjury. Judge Moore and Solicitor Brooks stated publicly that never in their experience had they seen so many willing perjurers on the stand.

So shocking was the apparent disregard for sacred oaths that Judge Moore went after the perjurers and some of them were sentenced to five years at hard labor on the roads for swearing falsely. Others were sentenced to shorter terms—but no fine sufficed. It seemed that both whites and blacks indulged in the pleasant pastime of swearing to lies, and the county will be at the expense of boarding more peerless prevaricators than ever before in her history.

And it is well. When the law has been violated and when witnesses are sworn and take the stand and with no regard for their sacred oaths utter falsehoods—palpable lies with unblushing countenance, it is gratifying to know that we have judges and solicitors who are brave enough and interested enough to enforce the law. A light fine would be of no avail, but when a man is brought to his senses by a term on the roads at hard labor for swearing falsely, the result of such punishment on others who are themselves ready to follow suit in the lying business must certainly be for the good.

It has been so here of late that a man charged with crime, and especially the crime of violating the law in the matter of whiskey selling, had no scruples about going on the witness stand and swearing to any sort of statement that met his purpose. And it was for this reason that Judge Moore and Solicitor Brooks took the bull by the horns and lauded about a half dozen of them on the roads for five years at hard labor.

When a community gets so that it is willing to bear false witness—when it becomes so depraved and so hardened that men in it will willingly go on the witness stand and swear to most any kind of a lie—things are getting to be serious. It is a near approach to a reign of lawlessness that must prove most disastrous. When a child finally forgets the teaching of the mother and will lie to its parents, you can put it down that the child is going to make a most unsatisfactory citizen. And when a citizen finally becomes imbued with the belief that his oath means nothing; that he can, with impunity, take the witness stand and swear to anything that suits his purpose, you may look out for what we might term galloping degeneracy. And when that stage of degeneracy comes look out for your lives, look out for your property—look out for anything you set value upon.

There can be no doubt of the effect of this term of court in Durham. It means that when the special term is called in November and followed by the regular term in December, those who last week might with cheerfulness have committed perjury will have a care. They will see that their friends are on the roads and in stripes and must do time for five years for recklessness in their statements, and no doubt all other criminals will have a more thoughtful care.

Judge Moore and Solicitor Brooks are both to be congratulated on the work. Some may think that five years on the public roads for a misstatement of facts, under oath, is a little severe, and we will grant that it must be quite a jar to the perjurer receiving the tidings—but the way to break up crime is sometimes severity as well as certainty of punishment. If a man can swear to a lie to save himself, and feel that he can do so with impunity, he is going to utter the falsehood. Not all men—but most all men. But if he knows that to be detected in a falsehood means five years of stripes and toil and loss of freedom, he is perhaps not going to commit a crime where it will be necessary to swear a lie.—Everything.

Yadkin News in Brief.

From The Ripple.

While in Statesville last week the Editor of The Ripple was assured by those who have the matter in control, that work will begin on the Statesville Air Line Railroad by April 1st.

The New Baptist church at Yadkinville is nearing completion.

Mrs. Margaret Royall, aged 79 years, died at the home of her son, W. A. Royall, Nov. 14th. She had been a member of the Methodist church, for 60 years; and was a highly esteemed Christian woman.

Mr. Richard M. Wells, son of Mr. J. W. Wells, and Miss Iris May Taylor, daughter of Mr. J. J. Taylor, were married on Sunday, Nov. 11th. Thos. Williams Esq. officiating.

Our Big Clubbing Offer.

By special arrangement with the Southern Agriculturist, the popular semi-monthly farm paper of Nashville Tenn, we are able to give our readers the advantage of a clubbing offer which we believe is the most liberal ever made by any newspaper in the South.

In the first place, we will send the Southern Agriculturist a whole year free to any new or old subscriber who pays us for a year's subscription to our own paper.

This great semi-monthly farm paper goes twice every month into 50,000 southern homes, and the regular price is 50 cents per year. It is edited by southern men and women to suit southern conditions, and is just what our farmers need. It answers free of charge any question a subscriber may ask, and its advice is given in a plain practical way which any farmer can understand. All departments of farm life are covered, including delightful home and children's pages. Sample copies free at our office.

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\$16,052,431 FOR ENGINEER WORK.

This Amount Will be Necessary for Fortifications Projected Under President's Order of Jan. 31, 1904.

Washington, November 12.—General Alexander Mackenzie, chief of engineers, has reported to the Secretary of War that \$16,052,431 will be required to complete the engineer work upon the fortifications projected by the board convened under the President's order of January 31, 1904.

In stating the amounts which he says can be profitably expended during the next fiscal year in river and harbor improvements he includes the following items: James river, Va., \$200,000; Cape Fear river, above Wilmington, N. C., locks and dams \$200,000; \$250,000; Savannah river, Georgia, \$110,000; harbor at Pensacola, Fla., \$100,000; Alabama river, Alabama, \$100,000; Mobile harbor, Alabama, \$372,000; Black Warrior, Warrior and Tombigbee rivers, Alabama, \$753,000; Pascagoula river, Mississippi, \$200,000.

Thank-Offerings to Our Orphanages.

The work of the orphan's homes of North Carolina is regarded highly by our people, and these institutions are worthy of our heartiest support. We can see something of the good they are accomplishing, but the far-reaching, ever-widening influence of their work we are not now able to fully know and measure. They are being greatly used of God in the betterment of lives, in the salvation of souls.

Thanksgiving Day has been adopted by our people as a time of special effort for and gifts to the orphanages of the State. Can we in a better, more fitting way express our gratitude to the Giver of all good than by helping in the care and equipment for life of these homeless children? Such a method of expressing thanks to God appeals to us, and, surely it is pleasing to God.

The aid received by the orphan's homes of North Carolina at Thanksgiving is a factor in the maintenance and improvement of their work.

May the observance of Thanksgiving Day this year be even a greater means of honoring God and blessing mankind.

Mr. J. M. Morgan, of the Cape Fear Power Company, was here last week and secured a franchise from the Board of Aldermen to furnish lights and power for the town. Under this franchise the Cape Fear Company is to furnish lights by December 20th, and power for manufacturing plants by July 1st, 1907.—Sanford Express.

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