

GLIMPSES OF LIFE IN THE OLD NORTH STATE

Floating Items That Show the Trend of Industrial and Social Progress.

EVENTS OF INTEREST IN THE LAND OF THE SKY

Gleanings From the Columns of Local Papers in Various Towns of State.

Rev. J. B. Carpenter, pastor of the Methodist church in Bakersville, was in town Wednesday. He said the people of Bakersville had received about \$1,000 relief fund.

News was received here this morning that the safe in the office of the Mayodon Cotton mills was blown open last night, but the burglars failed to get a dollar as there was no money in the safe.

The curfew bell has been re-instated here and the stores and business houses will close again during the summer months as they did last year.

It is understood that the next move in the gold brick cases will be an effort to get them into the Federal court.

Mr. E. B. Leonard arrived in the city last night from Ramseur to make arrangements for hotel accommodations for his brother and latter's wife.

Yardmaster Haynes, of the Southern passenger yard, has found a new friend—a dog, who "took up" with him several days ago, and who superintends all the shifting done in the yard.

The 10-year-old son of Dr. J. R. Anderson, who was operated upon last week by Dr. H. F. Long, of Statesville, for appendicitis, is said to be now getting along nicely and on the road to recovery.

Cures Cancer, Blood Poison, Eating Sores, Ulcers, Costs Nothing to Try.

Blood poison and deadly cancer are the worst and most deep-seated blood diseases on earth, yet the easiest to cure when Botanic Blood Balm is used.

The reported offer of an opal for the English regatta by the commonwealth of Australia is looked upon with disfavor by the superstitious, as the stone is said to be unlucky except to those born in the month of October.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics.

When a woman is very positive she is never certain.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS



EAT 'EM LIKE CANDY KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

ROYAL NAMES A HOODOO.

One of the Strongest Superstitions of the English Navy.

One of the very strongest and most ineffaceable of all superstitions in the royal navy, a superstition that is almost as strong today as ever it was, is that vessels bearing the names of royal personages are doomed to ill luck, and, strange as it may seem, there is an undeniable historic basis for this feeling.

Some of the most terrible disasters ever known in connection with our navy have concerned war vessels with royal names. Two vessels called the Royal James came to disastrous ends.

When there is the forever memorable disaster to the Royal George, an unlucky ship previously, that turned over and sank in sight of crowds at Spithead, over 1,000 souls, among whom were 300 women, being sacrificed.

When in 1893 the Victoria, a new vessel and the very triumph of modern invention so far as naval architecture went, was rammed and sank at once in sight of the whole fleet and when hundreds of lives were lost, there was not a sailor, however matter of fact he might be, who did not remember the dire fate of the royally named craft.

Paid For His Joke.

The editor is fond of a joke and has the good sense to appreciate one at his own expense.

"Watch me surprise this old fellow," said he to his friend. "Look right into his face and see if it won't be a study."

A second later they were abreast of the son of Erin, and the editor pulled out a silver coin and said as he thrust it into the man's hand: "Here's that half a crown I owe you. Now, don't go round any more telling people that I don't pay my debts."

The friend roared: "Oh, pay the man in full! Don't try to beat him out of a paltry half crown." The Irishman got his crown, but the editor no longer pays his debts at sight now.—London Telegraph.

A Very Good Reason.

A Bradford costermonger was brought before the magistrates for cruelty to his donkey.

When the case had been gone into, the magistrates, seeing it was his first appearance, wishful to let him off, asked him if he could get any one to say anything in his favor.

Looking round the court and pointing to the chief constable, he said: "That man can."

"I know nothing of him," "Will that do?" said the accused. "If he had known anything bad of me, he would have said it."

He was allowed to go.—London Answers.

Double Deceit.

"Mrs. Brown—Does my husband ever deceive me? Of course he does. But then I get square with him."

"Mrs. Brown—That's just what I do. I deceive him by pretending to believe the fairy stories he tells me.—Boston Transcript.

A Foolish.

"See here," wrathfully cried the golf beginner, "I'm tired of you laughing at my game! If I hear any more impudence from you, I'll crack you over the head."

The strenuous weed. Jones—You don't mean to say you have already got away with all the cigars your wife gave you for Christmas?

Called Down. Mrs. Jason—What is that you are trying to sing, for the land's sake?

Moth and the Flame. [Revised version.] The candle glows and sputters, Its death flame gleaming white;

For Use in the Future. Mrs. Henpeck—If you marry Dick, you need never expect me to come to see you.

Same Ring. Tess—Jack proposed last night, and I accepted him.

The Catastrophe. Fidgety Bridget E. Anna MacSwidgery went for a row with her beau named Will.

Takes Meals Whole. "Is there any danger of the boa constrictor's biting me?" asked a lady visitor at the zoological gardens.

SEVEN YEARS IN BED. "Will wonders never cease?" inquired the friends of Mrs. S. Pease, of Lawrence, Kan.

The longer a man lives the more he has to live for and the more he has to live without.

"A few months ago, food which I ate for breakfast would not remain on my stomach for half an hour."

The average man would rather have his wife act like the devil and look like an angel than to act like an angel and look like the devil.

A SPRAINED ANKLE QUICKLY CURED.

"At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va.

It always seems like a miracle to a man the way a woman will manage a big hat, a long skirt, a bundle, and her religion in a high wind.

During the summer season cramps come upon us unexpectedly; you should be prepared for an emergency of this kind, as otherwise you will suffer agony for hours.

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NOTICE OF SALE. By virtue of the power of sale vested in the undersigned trustee, by certain Deed of Trust, bearing date May 12th, 1898, executed by J. B. Wilkerson and his wife Annie E. Wilkerson, which Deed of Trust is registered in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, in Book of Mortgages, and Deeds of Trust, No. 48 on page 31, to which reference is hereby made, and by reason of default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, said undersigned trustee will sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in the city of Asheville, County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina, on Monday 12th day of July, 1901, the lands conveyed in said Deed of Trust, being bounded and described as follows: Being in Buncombe county, North Carolina, and being a part of Lookout Mountain, as follows: Beginning at a Rock on Holland's south line, Dr. W. F. Nelson's north-east corner, and runs thence with Holland's line north 89 degrees thirty minutes east 208.65 feet to a stake; thence south 11 degrees 22 minutes east 599 feet, crossing the Mountain to a stake on the north edge of the road; thence with said road south 54 degrees 50 minutes west 218 feet to a rock, W. A. Nelson's corner; thence with this east line north 11 degrees 22 minutes west 725 feet to the place of beginning, Containing 8.04 acres more or less. This the 30th day of May, 1901. T. L. DUREHAM, Trustee.

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