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Land Sale. I OFFER FOR IMMEDIATE SALE, for cash or on easy terms, a tract of land in St. Paul's Township, Robeson County, known as the "McNair" land, belonging to the University of North Carolina, containing 600 acres, more or less.

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No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol cures indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy cures all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Kodol Digests What You Eat. Bottles only \$1.00. Six bottles 25¢ times the trial size which is 5¢ for 20 cents.

The fanatical temperance advocate seems to have water on the brain. There is no reason why a minor should prefer music in a minor key. The butcher isn't a dude because he has on a killing costume.

The needed policeman must be a square man, he is so seldom around. It does seem a pity that so many of our best people run to waste. Don't condemn a first class circus, for it is a thing of good intent. There seems to be very few band organ men who turn out well.

A Curious happening. The Church of St. Nicolas, in the city of Rheims, is surrounded with pillars. When a certain bell in the tower is rung the top of one pillar sways to the extent of seven inches on each side, although the base is immovable, and the stones are so firmly cemented as to seem like a solid piece of masonry. Notwithstanding that each of the four bells is about the same distance from the trembling pillar, none of the others has the slightest effect on it.

Bilious Colic Prevented. Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off.

Fast Traveling. A lad with a touch of malaria, Enlisted to fight in Bulgaria, But before he could shoot A Turk yelled "Shoot!" And they found him next day in Bavaria.

Emperor Francis Joseph, whose favorite sport is champagne hunting, recently shot his two thousandth champagne.

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

"I had a severe bilious attack and felt like my head was about to burst when I got hold of a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took a dose of them after supper and the next day felt like a new man and have been feeling happy ever since," says Mr. J. W. Smith, of Jullif, Texas.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by Dr. H. T. Pope & Co., and Dr. R. G. Rozier.

The place to save money, on trunks—W. O. Thompson.

A Negro College.

The Lutheran Synodical Board of St. Louis of the Lutheran denomination of white people decided this afternoon to locate a college in Greensboro for the education of colored boys and purchased fifteen acres of land adjacent to the city for a site. The college and necessary residence buildings will cost fifty thousand dollars and work will begin in the Spring to be ready for the opening in September. Facilities for the accommodation of three hundred students will be provided.

This will make the third college in Greensboro for educating colored people—The State Agricultural and Mechanical College for boys and Bennett College for boys and girls being already established, crowded and eminently successful. Several Southern cities had been efforts to secure the location of the college, Salisbury having been next to Greensboro in the estimation of the committee.

Parcel Post

The principal features of the annual report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, made public today, is a recommendation for a new rate of postage on rural free delivery routes. Its purpose is to increase the revenues and add to the efficiency of the rural service. With the establishment of rural mail delivery and the increasing extension of the rural telephone service by private interests there has grown up a demand by patrons of the rural routes for the delivery of small packages of merchandise on order to the local merchant by postal card, telephone or otherwise. The value of merchandise is usually small, and the present rates for postage of one cent per ounce is practically prohibitive.

My wife was all run down, and I feared a long illness; but one bottle of King's Sarsaparilla made a new woman of her. It is a wonderful medicine. **F. J. REBMAN,** Seversville, N. C. Sold by Dr. H. T. Pope & Co.

Senator Penrose declares that he finds the present tariff system perfect. So does representative Daljel, except that he believes most of the schedules are too low.

Senator Stone has a new plan for reorganizing the Democratic party. We suggest that he try it in Missouri before asking that it be made general.

Starling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Benning, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by all Druggists.—Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c, and \$1.00.

The Richest People.

The richest people of earth are the Indians of the United States, and the wealth of these people should rapidly increase, for their moneys are well invested, while their growth is very slow. There are now about 270,000 Indians. It is believed by men of observation that the Indian population in Columbus' day was not larger than now. The Indians were divided into scores of tribes, speaking languages unknown to each other, though by means of their picture language each tribe could communicate with all others. The Government has regarded the Indians as savages and dealt with them as such, but late white men in their places, it is doubtful if they had displayed a less savage spirit. Had the Indians long ago been treated as the Indians are now being treated, and as white men in our land ever have been, few signs of ferocity would have been seen in them. Now schools are everywhere found among them, as among other people of our island, and lands have been allotted to nearly all of them as families, and moneys have been paid them for their rights, until today no other class of our population is so well-to-do. Each Indian family-head owns in his own right a full section of land, a total, with reservations, of 119,000 square miles, an area as large as New England with New York and Delaware added. This land, in chief part, is the best of the best. For the education of Indian children the government has expended a total of \$58,000,000. In Indian schools 29,000,000 are now enrolled. The Indians also have invested in government bonds, on which they receive four per cent, \$36,000,000, or \$144 for each person—man, woman and child—a snug little sum of ready cash.—S. S. Herald.

Worst of All Experiences. Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50¢. It's guaranteed by all Druggists.

Wool High.

Wool is up to high figures, and there is not enough to meet the demands of home manufacturers. New woolen factories are being erected in the South, and the demand should be met by sheep grown at home. Look after the sheep and do not permit a lamb to be snowed under. Shoot every dog that is found on your premises.

Neither Be Careful

of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by Dr. H. T. Pope & Co.

The New York Sun suggests less frequent elections "in behalf of financial quietude." Well, why not quit having elections, and instead of inaugurating Mr. Roosevelt next March crown him Teddy the first as Emperor. That sort of "financial quietude" would probably suit the Sun's crowd.—News and Observer.

New line Mens' Shirts just opened, 25c up. See them. W. O. Thompson.

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