Lumberton Tobacco Market Sold Last Week
585,566 lbs. for $80,783.04
Average For Everything $13.79
A Number of Piles Sold for Fifty Cents a Pound
Double Sales Daily This Week. Two Sets Hungry buyers

In Confidence by Flo

Readers desiring a personal reply can address Miss Flo, in care of this newspaper

TIME COMES FOR WIFE TO PLAY WITH HUBBY

Dear Miss Flo:—

I have been married twenty years. My husband was a poor man when I married him. By working hard, struggling and saving, we finally got a start. After that, it was easy. My husband made money quickly. He made many business friends. He met their wives and families. He was invited out often to dinners, theatres, etc. I did not care for that sort of thing. I thought it was wasteful to squander the money we had worked hard for on extravagant pleasures. I wanted him to save money. In the end, I have gained nothing. I am very unhappy. struggling in order that we might have enough to eat, we were happy. My husband adored me. Now he is totally indifferent. He is out every evening. He never asks me to go with him. I believe he is in love with another woman. Do you think I should give him his freedom?

Francine

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Give him his freedom, Francine? Of course NO. In the first place, you are not sure that there is another woman—or that he wants his freedom, so why should you give up everything that you have worked and slaved for all these years? Another thing to consider, unless you are independent financially, is that you might find it rather difficult to support yourself. If you doubt this, all you have to do is look around you, and see the countless number of women, past their youth, trying to support themselves in a world that has no use for their services. At your time of life physical comforts and an assured income are more important than romantic love.

My advice to you, Francine, is to stop worrying about losing your husband's love and try to hold it. From what you have written, I believe that it has been a long time since you were really a companion to your husband. I believe that you have saved so long that it became a habit with you, and you still consider it a crime to spend a dollar for pleasure.

Your story is an old one. Recently the papers were full of a story of a woman, who, outraged and infuriated because her husband seemed to be giving more attention to other women than he was giving her, attempted to get a divorce. The husband told his story. It was something like this. He made money. He wanted "to dress his wife up like a million dollars", to use his expression, but she refused to be dressed up. He invited her out to dinners, theatres, and other places, but she refused to go.

Well, to make a long story short he stopped asking her to go out, and went out alone—for a while.

There are many foolish wives making the same mistake—not realizing that the easiest way to get farther away from a husband is to let other people have the good times with him while she remains his saving bank. It is a wise wife who is her husband's best "good fellow."

If I were you, the first thing I should do is purchase some new clothes, and make myself as attractive as I possibly could. You were attractive to him at one time. No reason in the world why you cannot make yourself just as attractive again. Surprise him some day by casually suggesting that it has been a long time since you have seen a show together.

It may be that your husband is giving his time to another woman, —again, your suspicions may be entirely unwarranted. But if there is another woman, the chances are that he was driven into an infatuation by loneliness and a longing for companionship. If it is merely infatuation, it won't be hard to win him away from it.

After all, the years you struggled together mean something to him, and when he sees that you are really trying to make things more pleasant, he will soon tire of the other woman, and return to the love of his youth.

Cynic Wants to Know

Dibble:—"I see some college professor has perfected a machine that will register the heat of a maiden's blush."

Dabble:—That'll do to tell—but where in this day and age will they find any blushes to try it on?"

MOTHER:— Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Genuine directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

ANYBODY IN ROBESON CAN WIN FREE TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Any girl or boy, woman or man, in Robeson county can win a free trip to Washington, D. C., by devoting a few hours to pleasant work during a short period. There is not a town or community in Robeson county where some energetic person cannot easily win this trip, with all expenses paid. Write THE ROBESONIAN for particulars, or 'phone or call at the office. Now is a good time to begin work.

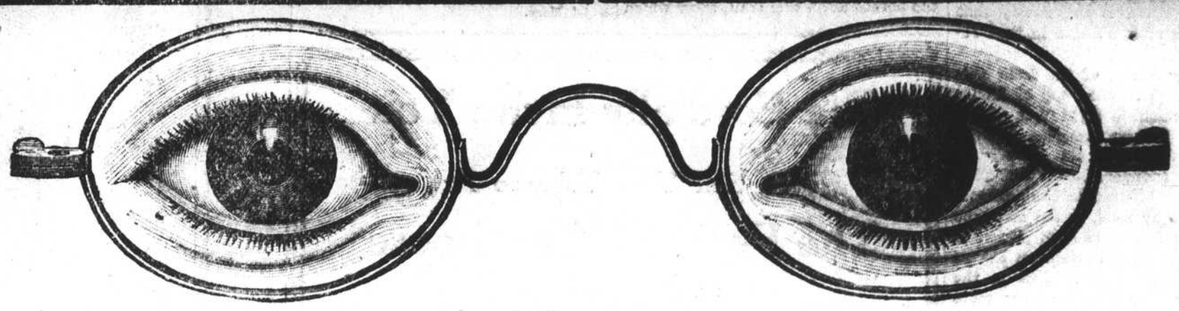
This free trip is open to any person, without restrictions, and those who qualify will be given the trip with all expenses paid, regardless of how many or how few may enter. Those who do the necessary work will join a party from a central point in the State and will visit the Capital city of the Nation under experienced guides, spending three days and nights in Washington and visiting all the places of interest in the most beautiful city in the world. Everybody should visit the Nation's Capital and this is a chance to take this trip without cost and under the most favorable circumstances. Don't let this opportunity slip. Send for particulars today. No matter where you live in Robeson county, you stand as good a chance to win as anybody There is still time, more than a month, to win this trip. Start today.

Messrs. P. K. Avant and H. H. Hammonds of Whiteville were Lumberton visitors Friday.

DR. RUSSELL S. BEAM

Announces the Removal

of his offices from the McMillan Building to The Planters Bank & Trust Co. Building. Practice limited to eye, ear, nose and throat.



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If so, communicate with us at once. If you want to buy something we have some vacant lots and residences for sale in Lumberton that can be had at reasonable prices. We also have some farm land propositions that are well worth investigating.

If you have some town property or farm lands that you want cut up and sold at auction, we are the folks you are looking for. See us at once.

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