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## Far Seeing People Visit First The Cash Racket Stores.

This news ought to interest everybody. I told you last week how we managed to get these goods. Now I quote a few prices. We haven't space to quote many, but the stock all through is about the same ratio. See what good your dollar can do.

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### A Young Man's Wild Oats.

So far as a young man "sowing his wild oats" is concerned, writes Edward W. Bok in some editorials for young men in the March Ladies' Journal, it has always seemed a pity to me that the man who framed that sentence didn't die before he constructed it. From the way some people talk one would imagine that every man had instilled into him at his birth a certain amount of devilry which he must get rid of before he can become a man of honor.

Now what is said about "sowing wild oats" is nothing more nor less than self-degradation to any young man. It doesn't make a man one particle more of a man because he passed through a siege of riotous living and indiscretion when he was nineteen or twenty; it makes him just so much less of a man.

It dwells his views of life far more than it broadens them. And he realizes this afterward. And he doesn't care one iota more of "life," except a certain phase of it, which, if it has glittered for him in youth, becomes a repellent remembrance to him when he is matured. There is no such thing as an investigating period in a man's life; at one period it is as important to him to be honorable and true to the teachings of his mother as at another.

No young man need seek the "darker side of life." The Lord knows that it forces itself upon our attention soon enough. It does not wait to be sought. A young man need not be afraid that he will fail to see it. He will see plenty of it and without any seeking on his part, either.

And even if he does fail he is the gainer. There are a great many things which we can accept by inference as existing in the world. It is not a liberal education to see them. Too many young men have a burning itch to see wickedness—not to indulge in it, they are quick to explain, but simply to see it. But the thousands of men who have never seen it have never felt themselves the losers. If anything they are glad of it.

It does not raise a man's ideal to come into contact with certain types of manhood or womanhood which are only removed from the lowest types of the animal kingdom by virtue of the fact that the Creator chose to have them get through the world on two legs instead of four. The loftiest ideal of womanhood that a young man can form in his impressive days will prove none too high for him in his years of maturity. To be true to the best that is within a man means, above all, to be an earnest believer in the best qualities of womanhood.—Statesville Landmark.

### Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and will. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by all Druggists.

### Pleasing Their Vanity.

He had been the leading dealer in ladies' shoes for years and had retired with a fortune.

"How were you so successful?" asked a less fortunate rival.

"Easiest thing in the world," he replied. "The first thing I did when I began was to mark down every pair of shoes in the place and keep the stock that way."

"Mark down?"

"Yes."

"In price, do you mean?"

The wise dealer laughed softly.

"Oh, no!" he said. "In size."—Detroit Free Press.

There are Sarsaparillas and Sarsaparillas; but if you are not careful in your purchase, the disease you wish to cure will only be intensified. Be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla and no other. It is compounded from the Honduras root and other highly concentrated alteratives.

If you are melancholy or down with the blues you need Simmons Liver Regulator.

Boots at \$1.50 for men at Young's.

### An Early Triumph.

Vance's vigor, determination, wit and power of repartee soon won him friends and clients. "Nick" Woodfin was then the leader of the Buncombe bar, if not of the bar of all western North Carolina at that day. He was an exceedingly able man, and jealous of his pre-eminence and leadership. The young legal fledglings generally stood in awe of him. But young Vance, with an audacity that appalled all onlookers, won a victory over him one day.

Vance was engaged as counsel in a case on the opposite side from Woodfin. The latter got up to address the jury. He was a tall, spare man, of a most nervous temperament, high-pitched voice, wild gesticulation, sarcastic and sardonic. He worked himself into a furor in this instance. The wild waves of his oratorical anger followed fast and furious after each other, and it seemed as if the cause of Vance's clients would be drowned in judicial depths a thousand fathoms down. Col. Woodfin fairly sawed the air in the violence of his gestures. After a protracted speech he left his righteous cause to the jury.

Then the doomed young lawyer got up to reply. All eyes were turned upon him, and he was the object of great chunks of pity.

Walking boldly up to the jury, he struck a Woodfinian attitude and retained it. He turned himself into a kind of Nick Woodfin kaleidoscope. He never opened his mouth, nor spoke a word, but continued to reproduce all of Col. Woodfin's distorted gestures. He sawed the air, he writhed, twisted, contorted, and made grimaces, for the space of five minutes or so, and then sat down, with a cool confidence that seemed to say "I have fully answered all my opponents' arguments."

Court and court house were convulsed with laughter, and whether he gained a victory for his client or no, he gained a great one for himself.—Charlotte Observer.

### Bright Spring Days.

The spring should be pre-eminently a season of contentment, happiness, and hope. In these bright and pleasant months the country should enjoy its highest degree of tranquillity and prosperity. But spring, it is well known, is often a period of discomfort and disturbance in the physical system. Important organs of the body become torpid or irregular in their action, and the fact is instantly reflected in the mental condition of the individual. A disordered liver means disordered nerves and a dull and unsteady brain. Anything which will bring the physical system into harmony with budding nature confers an enormous benefit upon the nation, besides the mere allaying of physical comfort. Hood's Sarsaparilla does this, as thousands of grateful and happy men and women can testify, and increased use of this standard spring medicine is of more real practical importance in promoting health and quiet in the business world than reams of abstract theorizing.

For wakefulness, weakness or lack of energy take Simmons Liver Regulator.

—Winston Sentinel: A serious if not fatal accident befell Mr. Frank Tise, driver for Mr. John Peddycord, about three o'clock Saturday afternoon. He was driving a two-horse team about four miles north-west of Winston. The wagon was heavily loaded, having on one cord of wood. The accident occurred in the woods. Tise was walking on the lower side of the wagon on a "slant." One wheel on the upper side struck a stump, throwing the wagon and entire load on the driver. Men at work in the woods went to the rescue of Tise. It required several minutes to remove the wood off of him. It was at once discovered that his injuries were serious. Dr. Summers, the attending physician, says that three ribs on the left side are broken. He is also badly bruised on his face and body.

### Hood's and Only Hood's.

Are you weak and weary, overworked and tired? Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine you need to purify and quicken your blood and give you appetite and strength. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other. Any effort to substitute another remedy is proof of the merit of Hood's.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner Pills, assist digestion, cure headache. Try a box.

### Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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### STATE NEWS.

—Warrenton Gazette: Western papers say that there is such a glut of eggs at some of the shipping points that thousands of crates will spoil. A political campaign in sight.

—Goldboro Caucasian: A correspondent from Haywood county says that a few years ago the sheriff did not return a single insolvent man in the county, while this year the sheriff's return's show 200 men insolvent, who had always paid their taxes before.

—Lonsburg Times: Mr. Geo. Teasley, of this county, is entitled to rank among the best farmers. He has just sold the last of his tobacco crop, made on five acres, and he says it brought him \$1,100, clear check. He pays personal attention to his crop, and is well pleased with the prices he received.

—Southport Leader: Capt. John Watts, of the Cape Fear Life Saving Station, reports having seen a piece of wreckage about a mile and a half off Cape Fear on the 2nd inst. and went to it on the 5th. The wreckage was the keelson, with small portion of bottom attached, of some vessel, and from the looks of the timbers, had been in the water a long time.

—Southport Leader: The Leader is indebted to Jesse Weeks for a curiosity in the shape of a clam which firmly held by its shell one of the claws of a fish hawk. The curiosity was picked up at low water, and the situation points to the fact of the fish hawk having been walking about at low water seeking food, stepped in the open shell of the clam which was quickly closed, holding the bird until the rising tide drowned it.

—Madison Dispatch: T. McWoodburn comes to the front with a curio in the shape of an egg. He showed us last Saturday an egg on the small end of which was an "E" as perfect as it a human hand had put it there. The letter was raised and the part forming the letter was of a clearer white than the shell of the egg. Superstitious people may think strange things of this freak of nature but we assure them it is only the beginning of "Eternity," the end of "Time" and "Space" and "Name" and "Place."

—Henderson Gold Leaf: Is it true that Senator Ransom does not represent the views of the laboring class in North Carolina, or is not in sympathy with it? This is the opinion expressed by the Mecklenburg County Farmers' Alliance. At a recent meeting that organization adopted resolutions requesting Senator Vance, Congressman Alexander, and others to use their influence to prevent any further issue of bonds, in which these words were used: "We ask no assistance from Senator Ransom, as we do not feel that he represents the views of the laboring class in North Carolina, or is in sympathy with it."

—Statesville Landmark: The wild mule which has been "using" in the north Iredell for several weeks past, and which many futile attempts had been made to capture, was roped in last Thursday by Mr. S. R. Morrison, of Bethany township. Mr. Morrison has spent some time in the West, returning home last winter, and had while there become an expert with the lasso. Mounted on a western horse he succeeded, after a long chase, in lassoing the mule. The animal was gentle enough after its capture. It has been roaming over the country for several weeks and has been chased by dogs and shot at, but always managed to escape. Where it came from or who its owner is is not known. It will remain Mr. Morrison's property unless the owner turns up.

### The Evolution.

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts, and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists.

Sugar 5 cents. Young Bros.

### PRESS OPINIONS.

Senator Hill wants pairs counted in the bluff game called the Senate. David is working in his own interest. He knows that New York has a pair of Jacks that can be depended on to open the pot.—Durham Sun.

African slavery was abolished in 1865 and a financial system established in its stead, which, if not changed, will enslave both the European and African in 1895, not in chattel slavery but in Russian serfdom; which is even worse in some respects.—Oxford Reform.

Panics have causes, and the causes are purely commercial. The panic of 1837 arose from land speculation and the failure of wild-cat State banks; the railway mania of 1845 caused a panic in England, and the panic of 1873 was from speculative causes, especially investments in railway bonds. Nearly all panics are precipitated by over-confidence and over-credit.—Winston Sentinel.

Ex-Gov. Thos. M. Holt sends us a card in which he repudiates the idea that Congress ought to adjourn right now, and takes the same ground that the North Carolinian has always taken. He stands flat-footed on the Democratic platform and wants Congress to pass the Wilson bill quick and adjourn. We never supposed that the ex-Governor wrote the article criticised by us, but the people will be glad to hear from him on this matter as upon all other questions.—Raleigh North Carolinian.

Those who are disappointed with Mr. Cleveland's personal legislation, if his actions as president could be so termed, should not allow themselves to be too severe upon the party. Mr. Cleveland is only a man after all and his individual mistakes should not damage the party at large. The Chicago platform has not changed one iota, nor has the bulk of the great party that formulated it. On this platform the party has won, and mark our prediction, it will win again.—Tarboro Southerner.

The Mecklenburg Times submits that it is not fair to judge the Democratic party by the acts of Cleveland, Ransom, or any other one man. The House is the best index of Democratic sentiment. It is to the House we look for a determined effort to fulfill the promises made in the Chicago platform. We do not expect that it will do all that was promised. There are enough traitors in it to prevent that. But it is the best exponent of Democracy in existence, and if Speaker Crisp would apply the thumb-screw to Thos. Reed's gang, and their Democratic allies, and compel them to vote. Democratic legislation would be expedited and the will of the people obeyed.—Oxford Ledger.

There is one thing always to be said of President Cleveland, and that is, he does not discriminate against any section in the making of appointments. Few realize how much he has already recognized southern ability. Three cabinet officers are from the South. Two ambassadors and ten envoys extraordinary are from Southern States. Five ministers resident are southern gentlemen; and at Washington the South has the chief clerk of the treasury, the director of the mint, the chief of the bureau of engraving, the chief of the consular bureau, the chief of the state department bureau of statistics, the first, second, third and fifth auditors of the treasury, the register of the treasury, the commissioner of internal revenue, the superintendent of immigration, the chief clerk of the navy department, the register of the navy, the commissioner of railroads, three of the six attorney-generals, the solicitor and chief clerk of the department of justice, one of the three civil service commissioners, and scores of other executive officers and their chief aids. This is a great advancement towards fairness since the day when hardly a southern man was to be seen in a prominent government position.—Asheville Citizen.

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Wanted, 10,000 bushels cotton seed. Young Bros.

A big line of rubber goods just received at Young Bros.

Bed sheets and mattresses at Young's.

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Persons are broken from excess of household care. Try Dr. King's New Discovery. It cures Coughs, Colds, and all troubles with the Throat, Chest, or Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at all Drug Stores. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

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### Hard Times and the Farmer.

To a small unsuccessful, haphazard farmer the times are always hard, no matter what kind of a season, or what financial depression the country may be undergoing, but the intelligent thrifty farmer, one who diversifies his crops, raises his meat and bread first, does he know anything comparatively of the hard times that have caused so much distress throughout the country during the past year? Thousands and tens of thousands of honest, skillful mechanics are out of work and are suffering for want of the necessities of life.

Is there an intelligent farmer in all North Carolina that is out of work or suffering for bread? Every farmer who is not indolent gets a living during these hard times. It may be a pretty poor one for some, but he gets it all the same, at any rate he is not begging, nor is he enlisted in a mob fighting for bread. Everybody is dependent on the farmer for enough to eat, drink and to wear. They are the producers of bread and meat, and serve themselves first, and the residue goes to feed the residue of humanity. A farmer who complains these hard times, when so much suffering exists among the unemployed throughout the land, should look about himself and compare his condition with that of others. He may not have any money, but he has meat and bread and regular employment. He should not exhibit ingratitude when such superior advantages and better opportunities have fallen to his lot in these trying times than to the rest of humanity.—North Carolina Bulletin

### Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with the Throat, Chest, or Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at all Drug Stores. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

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