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LIBERTY in Russia works just about as it would on an Indian reservation.

At the next election, Mr. Jerome will probably have no difficulty in getting on "any ticket" he chooses.

PREMIER HALFOUR predicts the peace of the world, and when the poor women of London get after him he doubtless wishes that it may begin at home.

THIRTEEN women are serving as cashiers in Iowa banks, and prison records fall to show one serving a sentence for defaulting.

THERE is a movement to have Oklahoma and Indian Territory admitted as one State, and named "Minoera." Why not "Mande"?

"SOME good Southern men" like Senator Potts, should introduce a "farce bill" for the sake of the honest voter in New York and Philadelphia.

Now that the smoke of elections has cleared away, it is worth remembering that David Bennett Hill did keep his promise to remain out of politics.

COL. HENRY WATKINSON calls President Roosevelt "a messiah of brotherhood." T. B. can regard this as a conquest of the "last of the Mohicans."

A Washington paper asks Elihu Root to stand up and tell the people what he thinks about railroad rate legislation. That's so, "Elihu" hasn't recited yet.

THE cotton growers have shown the Wall Streeters that they can do something despite the money they have there. The South is getting to be fine on "showing."

BERNARD SHAW promises to write a worse play than the one that was excluded from New York. If he does it will have to be mailed to subscribers in a plain envelope.

SARAH BERNHARDT is carrying 250 trunks on this season's "farewell" tour. Evidently the divine Sarah means to make the millinery and dress making display worth the price of admission to her female auditors.

It is really none of our business, but love of peace forces the suggestion that the House of Representatives authorities should move Mr. Bourke Cockran's seat over a few notches farther from the one occupied by Mr. Hearst.

A person has two parents, four grand parents, eight great-grand parents, 16 great-great-grandparents, 32 ancestors of the 5th generation back, 64 of the 6th, 128 of the 7th, 256 of the 8th, 512 of the 9th, 1024 of the 10th, 2048 of the 11th, 4096 of the 12th, 8192 of the 13th, 16,384 of the 14th, 32,768 of the 15th, 65,536 of the 16th, 131,072 of the 17th, 1,048, 376 of the 20th, and so on. Did you know you had so many fathers and mothers living seven hundred years ago?

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The celebrated case of *Garth vs. Kilgus and Duke*, which has been in the courts a long time, has been ended in the Supreme court, Justice Brown and Conner voting to sustain Judge Moore and Justice Hoke and Walker voting to reverse the lower court. Chief Justice Clark did not sit in the case. Mr. Garth is denied trial by jury and is taxed with the costs.

The News and Observer in summing the matter up, says:

"Twice has a jury awarded damages to the plaintiff. Twice has the Supreme court set aside the verdict by such construction of the law as ought not to stand. And now by a vote of two to two, the case falls down. Two justices say that Kilgus and Duke were guilty, and should pay damages. The Supreme Court's doubtful decision merely says there was not sufficient evidence of malice to go to a jury. The prepondering opinion of thoughtful men in North Carolina will be that the two justices who declare there is sufficient evidence are right, and regret that the other two justices did not concur with them.

Here is the way it stands:

Justice and jury, first trial,	13
Justice on appeal,	4
Justice and jury, second trial,	13
Two justices in third appeal,	2
Total,	32

The four justices on first and second appeal evidently thought the evidence was not sufficient for the verdict rendered and set it aside but they did not say there was no evidence.

Holding There Was No Evidence.
 Judge at third trial, 1
 Two judges on appeal, 2
 Total, 3

TRAINING CITIZENS.

WHO can be DEPENDED ON TO "STAND UP FOR JESUS" AT THE BALLOT BOX, AS WELL AS ON THE STREET.

THE most serious problem which confronts Sunday-school workers is, in my judgment, to keep boys from twelve to twenty under their influence. "Helps," scholarly and picturesque, have been multiplied; the brightest minds have elaborated the most perfect "methods"; but the fact remains, we do not hold the boys. What is the remedy? Plainly such a linking of the Sunday-school to vital questions of civic duty, as shall open to our boys and young men new vistas of usefulness to society, and every-day possibilities of heroism in fighting the very real evils entrenched by hind greed and law, who menace the home and state. The International Sunday school convention that met in Denver, had a glimmering notion of the fact, and therefore suggested that World's Temperance Sunday be made also a Christian citizenship day, when special emphasis shall be laid upon God-like ideals of civic responsibility, such as can be understood by the youngest child. Dear Sabbath school teachers, let us have some phase of that thought, not only on temperance Sunday, but every Sunday; boys are eager to be "doers;" they positively tingle for an outlet for their energies. Passive goodness is not attractive to them, and Judge Lindsay has demonstrated that they can be made to feel they are an important part of the city's moral force. From its inception the sublimest purpose of the great white ribbon has been to unite that mighty trinity of forces, the home, the school, and the church, under the banner of the cross, and to bring them to bear upon the young citizen, that, divinely-inspired and God-impelled, he will use every civic function as a lever to lift up his fellow man to that high plane where "it is easy to do right and hard to do wrong;" and the Sunday school is preeminently the place for such teaching.

We of the W. C. T. U. covet these boys and girls today, because they are the future incarnated, and it is ours, we believe, to lead them up to a heroic manhood and womanhood that will stand festively for every effort to redeem the race from the world-wide slavery of evil appetites. Then, too, from 12 to 16, boys are in a transition period, which they do not understand, and which is rarely taken account of by parents and teachers. Wise and tender, indeed, should be the words to the boy, on the verge of manhood, that he may see clearly and purely his own relation to his race before the stony serpent of impurity has wrapped him in its deadly embrace. The boy whose purity is fortified by knowledge; the boy who sees in politics something nobler than a fight for spoils; the boy who has been taught to apply the ethics of the Sunday school to all questions of public policy, such a boy will not be afraid to stand up and be counted on the side of civic righteousness.

Let every white ribbon woman do her part to make the Sabbath school of which she is a member the West Point of the church militant, that shall graduate year after year trained "soldiers of the cross," who can be depended on to "stand up for Jesus" at the ballot box, as well as on the street or amid the temptations of business and society.—A. A. Hawley, W. C. T. U. Messenger.

Supt. Press Work, W. C. T. U., Weldon, N. C.

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State Callings.

AN OATHED FROM OUR STATE EX CHAMBERS.

The banks of Charlotte now have over \$5,000,000.

Excluding all suburbs Salisbury is claiming a population of 12,000 or more.

Fire has again visited the Oxford Female Seminary, doing considerable damage.

A new bank has been opened in Warrenton and starts off with a good prospect of success.

The South and Western Railway has been completed to Tar river and work is being pushed to Marion.

Rev. J. G. Garth, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., has been called to the pastorate of the New Bern Presbyterian church.

Rev. George R. Stuart, of Tennessee, has closed his revival at New Bern. The number of converts will reach 300 or more.

While out rabbit hunting in Anson county, Maj. Ingram, 14 years old, accidentally shot and killed his brother Sam, aged 12.

James O. Linchford, cashier of the Raleigh Savings bank, died last week of injuries received in attempting to stop a runaway horse on the street.

George Pegens, a real estate and insurance broker of Waynesville, has mysteriously disappeared and great uneasiness is felt by his friends.

On Tuesday last week, two men who admit they took \$30,000 belonging to a bank are allowed to go scot free in the Superior court of Cumberland county.

The new steel bridge spanning the Neuse river two miles from Kinston, on the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad is one of the best steel bridges in the South.

Work on the extension of the Raleigh and Southport Railway from Lillington is progressing so rapidly that the grading force is now in seven miles of Fayetteville.

R. E. Wooten & Bro., doing a general merchandise business at Mount Olive, have made an assignment. Liabilities \$37,000, and the firm had been in business only one year.

While in a room engaged in stringing tobacco, Miss Sarah Crisp, aged 15, of Edgecombe county, was fatally shot by the accidental discharge of a rifle, which a young boy, a cousin of hers, was handling.

Mr. John Perry, a Franklin county man, was in his buggy leading a mule by a rope. The rope was wrapped around Mr. Perry's thumb. The mule fell down and pulled off the thumb and part of the hand.

At Haw River two young men were "playing with a gun." One held up his hand and told the other to shoot it. Thinking the gun was not loaded the other man pulled the trigger, bang went the gun and off went the unpluffed hand.

The Standard Oil company has bought 200,000 acres of timber lands in the vicinity of New Bern and Kinston, including two lumber companies, the purchase price being about \$2,750,000. The company will manufacture its own crates and boxes.

At an oyster supper near Merry Oaks Chatham county, Ernest Womack, accidentally shot and killed Miss Connie Marks, killing her instantly toasting. Womack has been arrested and placed under bond for his appearance at court.

Mrs. Laura J. Clarke, a white woman of good appearance, aged possibly about 46, of Winston, arrested in Norfolk, on a bench warrant, for failing to appear for trial, and indicted for effort to obtain Federal pension money by fraud has been taken to Raleigh and placed in the county jail by Deputy United States Marshal H. W. Miller. She is held in lieu of a bond of \$250.

A true bill has been found against her, and she is to be tried on the charge of changing the date of her marriage certificate as given in affidavits by the clerk of the court and register of deeds in Hertford county, in order that she might obtain a pension from the United States government as the widow of George W. Clarke, who served in the Federal army during the Civil war, as a member of an Ohio company.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of power vested in me by that deed of trust made to me on the 5th day of March, 1905, by W. A. Dunn and Mrs. D. M. Dunn, which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax county in book 133 at page 75, I shall sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at the court house door in Halifax, N. C., at 11:30 a. m., on the 4th day of December, 1905, the following described tract or parcel of land described in said deed of trust as follows: That real estate lying, being and situate in the county of Halifax and State of North Carolina, which was devised to said D. M. Dunn for life with remainder to her children by Wells Drayton by his last will and testament of record in the county of Edgecombe and bounded by the lands of B. C. Dunn's heirs, the main run of Beech Swamp, by the lands of Mrs. W. T. Askew, John Whitaker, Penny King and J. L. Fleming and containing from eight hundred to one thousand acres, more or less.

All timber trees of every description, together with rights of way over said land, and ample time for removing said timber will be sold first.

Then the reversionary interest in said land will be sold. The timber will be sold in fee, the land will be sold subject to the life estate of Mrs. D. M. Dunn.

This the 7th day of October, 1905.

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NOTICE.

State of North Carolina,
 Halifax County,
 In the Superior Court.

JESSIE T. PHILLIPS, Plaintiff,
 against
 G. P. PHILLIPS, Defendant.

To G. P. Phillips, Notice:
 An action for divorce having been commenced by the plaintiff Jessie T. Phillips, against you in the Superior court of Halifax county, North Carolina, you are hereby commanded to appear before the judge of Superior court, at court to be held for the county of Halifax at the Court House in Halifax on 12th Monday after the first Monday in September, 1905, and answer the complaint which has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior court of said county, and take notice that if you fail to answer the said complaint within that time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of said county this 24th day of October, 1905.
 (Seal) STERLING M. GARY,
 Clerk Halifax Superior court.
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