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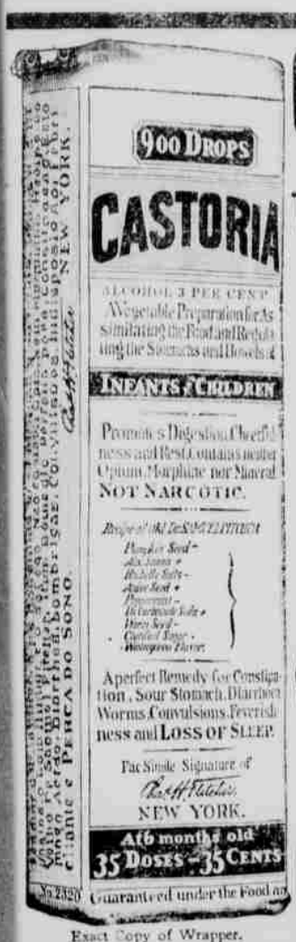

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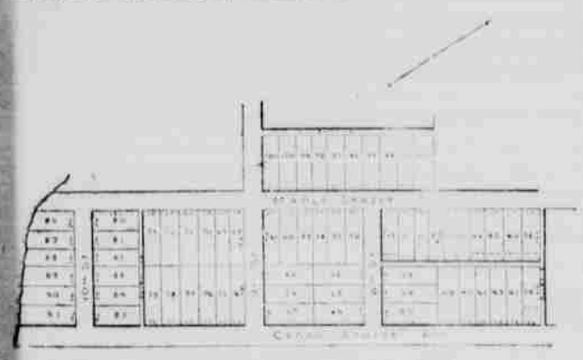

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For more than 18 years this institution has provided banking facilities for this section. Its stockholders and directors have been identified with the business interests of Halifax and Northampton counties for many years. Money is loaned upon approved security at the legal rate of interest—six per centum. Accounts of all are solicited.

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FOR JESUS SAKE.

The Noted Lecturer Dared Any Man to Answer Him.

At a well known hall in London an infidel club held its regular meeting. Mr. Bradlaugh, a noted lecturer, delivered a scathing attack on Christianity, and dared any one to answer him. The chairman said: "No one here is likely to try, Mr. Bradlaugh. We are all your way of thinking." But a gas fitter arose and said: "I have been a member of this club for five years. You all know me. Some of you have been in my home. Six months ago I lost my work, and I was ill, and to make things worse, my wife was ill too. Not one of you came near me, though my illness was known here. But some one came, and that man and his wife nursed us and provided for us, otherwise neither my wife nor I would have been alive today. That man was a city missionary whom I had driven from my home with threats. When I was well enough to think I asked myself why he had been so kind to me, and I could not tell. So I asked him, and he told me he had done it for the love of Christ. Now that is my answer to Mr. Bradlaugh. I say that a religion which will bring a man to the bedside of one who has hated and cursed him, and returns good for evil, love for hate, is a good thing for this troubled life, and I take it for myself. I have seen it in operation and I know it is good."—Christian Herald.

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SLIPS.

Smith has a lovely baby girl.
The stork left her with a flutter;
Smith named her Oleomargarine,
For he hasn't any but her.

Parson's Poem a Gem.

From Rev. H. Stalnecoff, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills: "They're such a health necessity. In every home these pills should be. If other kinds you've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S and be well again. Only 25c at all druggists.

FORTUNATE.

"She's the most fortunate girl I know of."

"That so?"

"Yes; she's been married three times, and each time successfully."

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FORMATIVE.

Teacher—What is it that binds us together and makes us better than we are by nature?

"Corsets, sir," piped a little girl of 8.—Chicago Socialist.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. R. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C., "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positively guaranteed for coughs, colds, and all bronchial affections. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

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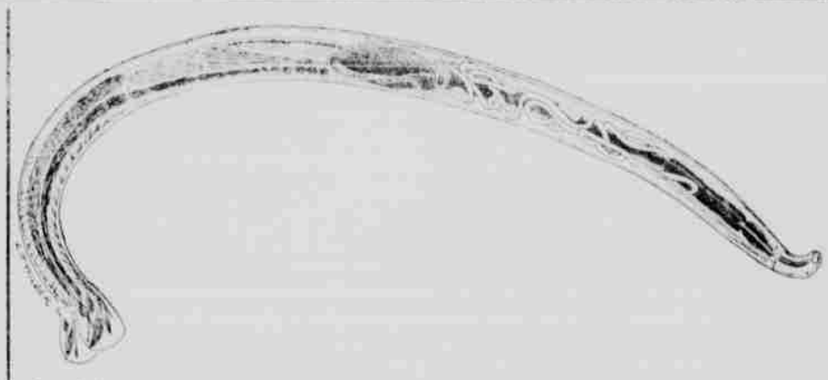
A GREAT MANY PEOPLE IN HALIFAX COUNTY SUFFERING FROM THE HOOKWORM DISEASE.

A Campaign Soon to be Inaugurated in This county with the Ultimate Object of Curing Every Man, Woman and Child, who Has This Disease, and Other Diseases Resulting From Intestinal Parasites.

Examination, Medicine and Advice All Given Absolutely Free by State Specialist.

Everybody should come? Take advantage of this opportunity, while it lasts, and see if you have any of these diseases. If you have, medicines will be given you that will bring about a wonderful change in both your feeling and your health. Instead of being a tired, indolent and despondent kind of man you will be changed into one with a bright and active body and mind, who goes about his work with a rush and a vim, always finding pleasure in everything. FREE! Remember these Medical Dispensaries will be in Halifax county but four weeks. Each one only open one day in the week. Below you will find both the dates and the places at which these free Medical Dispensaries will be open. Dr. Platt W. Covington, of the North Carolina Board of Health, assisted by Mr. Connor, State Microscopist, will be in attendance at each Dispensary.

This shows a slice of skin as seen under a microscope. Notice how the young hookworms are crawling through the skin. This is the way "Ground-Itch" or "Dew-Itch" looks.



A male hookworm (known as the American murderer—because it kills so many people), very much magnified under an instrument known as a microscope. See how its head is turned backward, and how its tail is broadened into an umbrella-like organ.

This shows the head of a hookworm as the parasite is feeding, attached to the wall of the bowels.

THE HOOKWORM DISEASE.

WHAT IT IS.

HISTORY. This disease is one of the most ancient in medical history. Moses, no doubt, knew of this disease, for while the Israelites were encamped in the wilderness, he enforced certain sanitary laws that, were they enforced today, they would absolutely prevent the spread of not only the Hookworm disease but Typhoid and Cholera as well. In fact, there has been discovered in Thebes, Egypt, a medical book, the oldest on record, written one hundred years before the birth of Moses, and in this book the hookworm disease is described.

It has not been but a few years since it was first discovered and found to be so prevalent in America. Before this it was thought that that large body of weak, delicate and pale people were so because of conditions inherited at birth and could not be cured. Now, however, this is known not to be the case, that most of these people are so owing to the Hookworm disease and can be cured.

PREVALENCE. About one-third of the people, all classes, old and young, have this disease.

DISTRIBUTION. Found chiefly in warm climates where the heat, sunlight and oxygen produces a condition that rapidly hatches the eggs of this worm as they are deposited in the soil by those suffering with the disease. Cold kills them.

MODE OF ENTRANCE INTO THE BODY. About 90 per cent. of the cases begin as ground itch, dew itch or toe itch as it is variously called. The worms burrow through the skin on the foot and, in doing so, produce an inflammation that gives rise to this condition. After penetrating the skin they get into the blood stream and are carried around to the upper part of the intestines, just below the stomach, which is their feeding grounds. Here they attach themselves to the lining of the intestines and begin to suck the life blood of the individual away. About 10 per cent. of the cases get into the body through contaminated drinking water, or by eating lettuce, strawberries and water cress that has been improperly washed.

SYMPTOMS. The majority of the cases, who have had the disease but a short while, have no noticeable symptoms. They constantly feel tired. Get up each morning feeling about as tired as on retiring the night before. Get out of breath easily and often suffer from stomach troubles. Others, more severe cases, have a pale complexion, hair and skin dry, palpitation of the heart and sometimes swelling of the feet and eyelids. Of course all degrees in modification of these symptoms may be seen.

METHODS OF DIAGNOSING THE DISEASE. Three methods; first, by the symptoms; 2nd, by a microscopical examination of the excreta in order to determine the presence of the eggs of the worms, and 3rd, by the benefit received from the treatment.

TREATMENT. This will absolutely cure every case. Is simply and in no way injurious or dangerous.

Boy, 18 years of age, suffering from severe case of Hookworm infection. Growth greatly retarded, suffered from palpitation of heart and stomach trouble; gets out of breath easily.

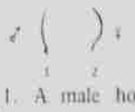


Figure 1. A male hookworm, natural size.

Figure 2. A female hookworm, natural size.

REMEMBER

To come. Everybody should come to these Dispensaries. Have the doctor in charge to show you the worms and the eggs under the microscope.

The satisfaction in knowing positively that you haven't this disease will fully repay you for a visit.

IT IS ABSOLUTELY FREE!

Will cost you not one cent. The dates and places that these Dispensaries will be open they will not run under any circumstances but for four weeks. Each one open but one day in the week.

That nearly one-half of the people of all ages have this disease. You are probably among the half that have it. Come and find out anyway.

Both the county of Halifax and the State of North Carolina have appropriated funds for the carrying on of this work in this county.

A VICTIM OF HOOKWORM DISEASE DESCRIBES HIS FEELINGS.

"HIS FEELINGS."

"I feel tired all the time, almost, and get very tired easily, and have little or no energy. My spirits are low almost all of the time. I feel full after eating. My memory is poor.

"I feel that I am getting weaker. I have a disgust for fatty foods. I prefer being alone rather than to be in the company of others. I have no desire even to converse tete-a-tete with the ladies. After taking a walk, I feel broken down and tired all over, feel more like lying down than anything else. It tires me very much to stand any length of time. In the morning when getting up I feel tired and broken down also. Under these conditions I am not able to do justice to my work."

(The patient describing his symptoms above is a male, age 19, and weighed 145 pounds. He was raised on a farm, had a ravenous appetite, was restless at night and oftened dreamed. He had had three or four attacks of ground-itch, one of them lasting eight months.—W. S. R.)

PLACES AND DATES FOR DISPENSARIES:

Enfield, Town Hall, July 21, 28, Aug. 4, 11.

Roanoke Rapids, Graded School building, July 22, 29, August 5, 12.

Weldon, Graded School building, July 25, August 1, 8, 15.

Littleton, Academy building, July 26, August 2, 9, 16.

Scotland Neck, Opera House, July 27, August 3, 10, 18.