

BY F. O. TICKNOR, COLUMBUS, GA.

A deeper azure than the clouds are flying above the upper sky...

The blue-bird fits, and coos the ring-dove tender Amid the young green leaves...

The shy wood spider weaves; Swiftness the swallow to his old home under The unforgetten eaves.

Its bridal wreaths with starry gems of yellow. The jasmine-stores unfold...

And in the tresses of the twining willow Drooping its head of gold...

When I've flung its dreams are told. A thousand forms, like frolic children...

And in the laughing showers, Watching the flight of pearly clouds and shifting...

And the faded forms of untold beauty, budding Amid the unborn flowers.

A thousand forms, and not in nature, nature only The warm spring showers unfold...

And in the mission of a calm and holy, The voice of Spring has come...

Some hope in hearts long cold. Some light from sunlight may our sadness borrow...

Some strength from bright young wings; Some hope from brightened seasons, when each morrow...

Some softened shadow of remembered sorrow From the calm depths of Spring.

Blend thy best wishes with the sleep that cumbers The dull, cold earth so long...

Bring bloom and fragrance to the floweret's slumbers. And bid our hearts be strong...

Breathe thou on music through our spirit's numbers, Season of light and song...

April 30, 1890. An Old Husband Killed for Living Too Long.

[Cincinnati Enquirer special.] LYNCHBURG, Va., April 29.

A sensational tragedy was enacted in Carroll county, Va., last Saturday night.

It has just come to light, and the particulars that have reached here are somewhat conflicting.

Last December Maud Harris was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Captain Lucius D. Travers.

She was twenty-one; he was upwards of three score and ten. It was understood that at the time she married the old man...

he was in feeble health and was likely to drop off at any hour, leaving young Maud \$100,000 in Government securities.

Months rolled on, and instead of dying the Captain grew younger and stronger every day.

In fact, he was heard to remark a few days ago that he was good for twenty years yet.

It is supposed the husband's returning youth so disappointed the young bride that she took his life.

At any rate, be that the case or not, the cruel woman cut his throat from ear to ear with a butcher knife while he slept soundly by her side on the night of the 27th.

She afterward dragged the corpse (she was of powerful muscle) and just before daylight threw it in a creek, one hundred yards from the house.

The body floated down the stream two miles, and was discovered Sunday afternoon by three fishermen.

This morning an inquest was held. The blood was discovered in the chamber of Capt. Travers, and circumstantial evidence was strong against the young bride, and to-day, before the coroner's jury, that lady burst into a paroxysm of weeping and confessed the crime.

It is supposed that Mrs. Travers is in love with a young lawyer of Baltimore, to whom she hoped some day to be united. She is now in jail. I understand the Baltimore man is in this city, and he attempted to-night to commit suicide.

About Governors. There are but four States in the Union where the Chief Magistrate is elected annually.

They are as follows, with the amount of salary appended: Maine, salary, \$2,500; Massachusetts, \$5,000; New Hampshire, \$1,000; Rhode Island, \$1,000.

The following States have terms of two years: Alabama, salary, \$3,000; Connecticut, \$2,000; Iowa, \$5,000; Kansas, \$3,000; Minnesota, \$3,000; Nebraska, \$2,500; Nevada, \$6,000; New York, \$10,000; Ohio, \$4,000; South Carolina, \$3,500; Tennessee, \$4,000; Texas, \$5,000; Vermont, \$1,000.

The following have terms of three years: New Jersey, salary \$5,000; Pennsylvania, \$10,000. The following have four-year terms: Arkansas, salary, \$3,000; California, \$6,000; Colorado, \$3,000; Delaware, \$2,000; Florida, \$3,500; Georgia, \$4,000; Illinois, \$6,000; Indiana, \$3,000; Louisiana, \$8,000; Kentucky, \$5,000; Maryland, \$4,500; Michigan, \$1,000; Mississippi and Missouri, \$5,000; North Carolina, \$5,000; Oregon, \$1,500; Virginia, \$5,000; West Virginia, \$2,700.

(The salary of the Governor of North Carolina is \$4,000.)

MISCELLANEOUS.

VEGETINE

For Dropsy. CENTRAL FALLS, R. I., Oct. 18, 1877. DR. H. H. STEVENS: It is a pleasure to give my testimony for your valuable medicine...

VEGETINE

For Kidney Complaint and Nervous Debility. I have used your Vegetine for Sick Headache, and have benefited thereby...

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Doctor's Report. DR. CHAS. M. DUDENHAUSEN, Apothecary, Evansville, Ind. The doctor writes: I have a large number of good customers who take Vegetine...

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Doctor's Report. H. H. STEVENS, Esq. Dear Sir, - We have been selling your valuable Vegetine for three years, and we find that it gives perfect satisfaction...

VEGETINE

Vegetine is sold by all Druggists. My 7 D&W

New Butter.

As Usual the FIRST of the SEASON. Only a small lot received to-day. PERFECTLY ELEGANT, SWEET AND NICE. TRY IT. TRY IT.

New Canned Goods.

SUCCOFATS. LIMA BEANS. GREEN PEAS. We always succeed in getting the FIRST FRESH and NEW GOODS of the season.

THE IMAGE OF HER MOTHER.

A Novel. By Ruth Rustic. IN THE SAVANNAH WEEKLY NEWS of Saturday, 30th April, will be commenced a new serial story, with the above title, written by a lady of Savannah.

Constantly Receiving

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, FANCY ARTICLES, TOBACCO AND CIGARS, BURBANK'S PHARMACY, Corner Front and Princess Streets.

Something

You Should Come at Once and Get. A FINE LOT OF FLOWER AND FRUIT BASKETS. Bought Fifty Per Cent under cost, and sold at a small margin.

Glue and Spirit Barrels.

250 Bbls Prime HIDE GLUE. 1000 SPIRIT BARRELS. For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

Cider! Cider!

PURE APPLE VINIQUAR. Dried Apples and Peaches, Beans and White Peas. Western and N. C. Meats.

Shingles of all Kinds.

CONTRACT AND COMMON. HERTZ AND SONS. CHEAP FOR CASH. O. G. FARNSLEY, Jr.

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Is Equal to the Best!

Every Machine Guaranteed! A Perfect Self-Feeder and Condenser. THESE MACHINES HAVE BEEN BEFORE the public long and have met with such favorable reception...

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REDUCED PRICE LIST OF COTTON GINS.

Table with columns for Size (10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80), Price of Ginn, Price with Self-Feeder, Price with Attachments and Condensers.

BROWN COTTON GIN CO.

my 2-5m NEW LONDON, CONN. NOTICE - Having qualified as the Executors of N. H. G. Hasbagen, deceased, notice is hereby given...

Case Goods.

PICKLES, JELLY, CREAM, Tomatoes, Peaches, Milk, etc., ADRIAN & VOLLERS, S. E. cor. Dock and Front streets.

Corn, Hay and Meal.

2000 Bushels CORN, 400 Bales HAY, 500 Bushels VIRGINIA MEAL. ADRIAN & VOLLERS.

Coffee, Sugar and Molasses.

200 BAGS COFFEE, 250 Bbls SUGARS, all grades, 300 Bbls N. O. MOLASSES, 100 Hbls CUBA MOLASSES.

Meats.

200 Boxes B. and Smoked SIDES, 200 Bbls Standard MESS PORK. For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

Corn and Hay.

15,000 Bush. Prime WHITE CORN, 500 Bales Prime HAY. For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

The Observer for 1878.

THE OBSERVER A DAILY AND WEEKLY North Carolina Democratic newspaper, printed at the State Capital, and with a circulation beyond question of rivalry...

Forest and Stream.

THE AMERICAN SPORTSMAN'S JOURNAL A WEEKLY PAPER DEVOTED TO FIELD SPORTS, PRACTICAL NATURAL HISTORY, FISH CULTURE, PROTECTION OF GAME, PRESERVATION OF FORESTS, YACHTING AND BOATING, RIFLE SHOOTING, AND ALL OUT-DOOR RECREATIONS AND STUDY.

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GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP.



A SURELY REMEDY FOR DISEASES AND INFERIORITY OF THE SKIN; A HEALTHFUL HAUTIFIER OF THE COMPLEXION; A RELIABLE MEANS OF PREVENTING AND RELIEVING RHEUMATISM AND GOUT, AND AN UNEQUALLED DISINFECTANT, DEODORIZER AND COUNTER-IRRITANT.

Always!

I have always on hand a fine lot of CHEWING TOBACCO, such as the 'Heires of Virginia,' 'Eldorado,' 'Gravelly' and others...

Wide World.

THE BEST GOODS MANUFACTURED IN THE WORLD FOR BOYS' WEAR. Is our celebrated Salem, N. C. Cassimere, No. 2, two colors, at \$1 per yard.

Parasols.

A CHEAP AND HANDSOME STOCK OF PARASOLS Will be opened on MONDAY. Also, 50 LADIES' 34-inch SUN UMBRELLAS, \$10. at \$2.63.

Bargains.

SOME VERY GREAT BARGAINS IN VARIOUS KINDS OF GOODS. THE CHEAPEST LOT EVER OFFERED IN WILMINGTON.

The Lincoln Progress.

Published Saturdays at Lincoln, N. C. IS THE ONLY PAPER published in Lincoln county and has an extensive circulation among the Merchants, Farmers and all classes of business men in the State.

The Landmark.

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Molasses.

50 Hbls Cuba MOLASSES, 100 Bbls Sugar House MOLASSES, 50 Bbls N. O. MOLASS S.

Corn, Meal and Hay.

2000 Bush CORN, 500 Bbls WATER GRIND MEAL, 200 Bbls N. O. MOLASS S.

Coffee.

250 Bags COFFEE. For sale by KEROHNER & CALDER BROS.

Glue, Spirit Casks, Hoop Iron.

100 Bbls GLUE, 500 SPIRIT CASKS, 10 Tons HOOP IRON.

Corn, Bacon, Molasses.

5000 Bush WHITE CORN, Boxes Dry Salt C. B. SIDES, 300 Bbls d. Hbls New Orleans, and Cuba MOLASSES, 100 New and Second Hand Bbls Distillers' GLUE, 200 Tons HOOP IRON.

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I have always on hand a fine lot of CHEWING TOBACCO, such as the 'Heires of Virginia,' 'Eldorado,' 'Gravelly' and others...

Dukehart's Pure Extract Malt and Hops.

FRESH BIRD SEED, CRACKER SEED, SUGAR CORN, Beans, Cabbage Seed, Radish Seed, Turnip Seed, etc.

Lemons. 100 Lemons.

ONE HUNDRED BOXES MESSINA LEMONS! BOUGHT Before the recent advance. For sale, either by the Dozen, Hundred or Box, at Low Figures.

Boatwright & McKay.

5, 7 and 8 NORTH FRONT ST. my 5 D&W

Light Summer Wines!

EXPECTED DAILY TO ARRIVE, A SHIPMENT CLARET, RHINE, DRY AND SWEET CATAWBA WINES, IN WOOD.

Boatwright & McKay.

Nos. 5, 7 & 9 N. Front St. my 5 D&W

At Low Prices we Offer

600 Bbls FLOUR, all kinds, 300 Bbls MOLASSES, all kinds, 100 BAGS COFFEE, 100 BOXES BACON, 100 Bbls SUGAR, Candles, Snuff, Tobacco, Rice, Buckets, Brooms, Crackers, Candy, etc.

50 Tubs 50

Good Table & Cooking BUTTER. RETAILERS SHOULD EXAMINE THIS LOT. IT MUST BE SOLD.

CHARLES D. MYERS,

my 5 D&W 38 and 40 North Water street.

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Wilmington & Weldon RAILROAD CO.

OFFICE OF GEN'L SUPERINTENDENT, Wilmington, N. C., March 5, 1878. Change of schedule. ON AND AFTER THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1878, at 12:35 P. M. Passenger Trains on the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad will run as follows:

Change of Schedule.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, the following Schedules will be run on this Road: Day Express and Mail Train (Daily except Sunday).

General Sup'ts Office.

WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA & ANCON R. R. COMPANY. KILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 10 '77. Change of Schedule. ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, the following Schedules will be run on this Road:

Change of Schedule.

ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, 5TH INSTANT, Trains will run over this Road as follows: PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN: Leave Wilmington at 5:55 A. M. Arrive at Charlotte at 8:00 P. M. Leave Charlotte at 8:45 P. M. Arrive at Wilmington at 7:45 P. M.

CAROLINA CENTRAL RAILWAY CO.

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 4, 1877. Change of Schedule. ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, 5TH INSTANT, Trains will run over this Road as follows: PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN: Leave Wilmington at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Charlotte at 11:45 P. M. Leave Charlotte at 7:45 P. M. Arrive at Wilmington at 11:45 P. M.

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BANK OF NEW HANOVER BUILDING, WILMINGTON, N. C. FIRE. Queen Insurance Company of England, North British & Mercantile Ins. Co. of England, Hartford Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Continental Insurance Company of New York, Phoenix Insurance Company of New York, Springfield Insurance Co. of Springfield, Mass., Royal Canadian Insurance Company of Canada.

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of Richmond, Virginia. Over 22,300 Policies Issued. Annual Income Over \$1,500,000. Progressive! Prosperous! Prudent! SMALL EXPENSES, SMALL LOSSES, STRONG INVESTMENTS, AMPLIFIED PROFITS, AND GOOD SURPLUS.

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