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was reckless.

the announcement.

for me, I am ruined.'

Not Responsible.

"'Five dollars,' I said.



not extend to the alteration of a public compartment distinctly. We could house sign by a licensed victualer. hear the distant tinkling of a mandolin. This was proved at the South Hants The planter leaped up as from a cata-Brewster court, where a brewer asked lepsy: 'Seven-black, senores. I will leave to alter the name of an inn from take all any of you or all of you. will The Duke of York to The Panther. bet.' Well, I had been winning strong Admiral Field, M. P., who acted as and was so much to the good that I chairman, asked the reason of the proposed transformation, and was informed that the applicant owned another " 'Good, senor,' he replied. Duke of York, some distance off, a fact "Heplaced his entire fortune in difwhich was liable to cause confusion in ferent wagers. There were a number business. The admiral, however, conof strangers present, and they all sidered it discourteous to the brave seemed big flush. Then slowly, as a old Duke of York to put a panther in priest officiating at some solemn, barhis place. Eventually the application

baric ceremony, the banker removed the top. We all stood for a moment, was refused. A similar fate attended the request and the tension was such that a carto change the name of a house from ringe wheel on the cobblestones out-The Royal Oak to The Radstock, Adside made us all start. 'Red,' came miral Field urging that Lord Radstock, as an eminent philanthropist "The Bolivian was white as snow, and Christian man, might justifiably object to his name being thus taken in but his voice was unshaken as he said: Gentlemen, you shall all be paid. As vain, and the justices, perhaps out of regard for French susceptibilities, also "That night he shot himself, and his rejected an application to change the will, which had been written just besign of The Alma tavern to that of fore his death, arranged for the pay-The Fashoda.-London Telegraph. ment of all his debts. I was to re-

The Food We Need.

ceive the service for my share, though it is worth much more. But what I Dr. Pavy, one of the most eminent uthorities upon diet, says that the average man in a state of absolute rest note in which he expressed his attachcan live on 16 ounces of food a day, a ment for me and asked me to accept man doing ordinary light work can live "He left also a curious manuscript, on 23 ounces and a man doing laboriwritten some time before, which seemous work needs from 26 to 30 ounces. ed to be a sort of private journal. He This is food absolutely free from water, and it must be remembered that stated in this that his ears were so accurate that he could detect the difeverything we eat contains / more or ference between the fall of a pin and a less water, so that from 48 to 60 ounces needle. One night, so he says, he heard of ordinary food are necessary according to the work in which a man is enthe ball fall into the compartment with gaged.

A Lively Game.

Get a large sheet or tablecloth and a mall feather. Have the company take hold of the edges of the sheet and form a ring. Then some one blows the feather into the air and all must do their part to keep it in the air and not let it touch any one, and so it is blown from one side to another, while the efforts made to keep it floating are very funny. Sometimes, in the excitement of keeping the feather up, some one will forget all about holding the sheet up, and then more excitement and fun follow.

Strong Proof. Hettie-So you really think that George is in love with you? Edith-Oh. I am sure of it! You should hear some of the mean things he says about you and the rest of the girls in our set.-Boston Transcript.

One would better be trustful of 99 the fellows that are elected."-Indiapfriends who are false than doubtful of one who is true. Suspicion and supersensitiveness are at once the badges and the bane of a little coul. Coronach is a name formerly used for the funeral dirge among the Irish and Scottish highlanders. The dirge, SEASONABLE GOODS. disused in Scotland, is in Ireland com-The Best at the Boftom. Speaking of poison murders, a native MULLETS, new catch.

> Best Cream Cheese, Martin's Gilt Edge Butter, Bagging and Ties.

Hooks and Eyes at 1c. Spool Cotton at 1 and 2c. Chadwick six cord best Spool Cotton at 3c a spool, worth 5c. Best Writing Paper at 10c a pound. Fine Bond Linen Paper at 15c a pound. Good Ink at 3c a bottle. Pen Staffs at 1c each.

Children's Hose at 3c; full size at 5c; my best 10c Ladies' Hose at Sic each

One hundred and fifty rolls of Matting at cost by the roll. Mat-

ting I sold at 18c now 124c.

Three hundred Trunks to close out. Fifty rolls of Carpet at cost. Good Brussels Carpet for 36c per yard. My 65c Carpet 52c. My \$1.25 fine Moquet Carpet at 80c. In-grain Carpet, 22, 24, 29, 33, 38c; sold from 25 to 50c.

MEN'S CLOTHING.

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I have a big stock. I will sell you a Man's Suit at \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00. Good Wool Boy's Suit for 69c; sold at \$1.00. My \$1.50 Suits for \$1.19.

My Millinery Department is full of good things that I want to sell. will sell extra nice 25c Sailors for 15c. One hundred fine new Shapes I sold at 25, 39 and 50c; now to close your choice at 15c each. Baby Caps at 9, 121, 15, 18 and 25c.

We have a big stock of all classes of goods to sell, and we want to sell them.

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A desirable farm at Burgaw. The residence and about one-third of the farm within the cor-porate limits of the town. About twenty acres cleared; six acres in strawberries; one acre in fruit trees and grape vines. All necessary out-buildings. A nice desirable six-room residence. Farm contains 100 acres.

Tobacco and Truck Farm

A Nice Farm.

A. M. P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M. Daily except Sunday. Bennettsville Branch-Train leaves Bennetts ville 8.05 A. M. Maxton 9.10 A. M., Bed Springs 9.40 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayette-ville 10.55 A. M. Beturning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Bed Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettz-ville 7.15 P. M. Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Marton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bow-more Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Ballway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad. Train between Rocky Mount and Bichmond leaves Bocky Mount,7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Bichmond 11.10 A. M. Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 5.55 P. M., Beturning, leaves Kin-ston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kin-ston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 5.24 A. M., arrives Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday. Trains on Washington Branch leave Washing-ton 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Washing-ton 11.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M. jarrive Sunday. Train 100 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday. Train leaves Tarboico, N. C., daily except Sunday.

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mele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washing-ton 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sun-day. Train leaves Tarboio, N. C., daily except Sun-day. 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Ply-mouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 750 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.; arrives Bmithfield, N. O., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield, N. O., 6.40 A. M. Beturning leaves Smithfield, N. O., 6.40 A. M. Beturning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M. Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 5.40 P. M.; arrives Nash ville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Bocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday. Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Olinton, daily, except Sunday. 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

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Trains leave Sunter 3.55 P. M.; arrive Doardiman 12.25 P. M.; Dally except Sunday.
Trains leave Sunter 3.55 P. M.; Manning 6.04 P. M.; Bartive Boardiman 12.25 P. M. Dally except Sunday.
Trains leave Sunter 3.55 P. M.; Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; Bartive Boardiman 12.25 P. M. Dally except Sunday.
Trains leave Sunter 3.55 P. M.; Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; Bartive Georgetown 12.00 M. 9.00 P. M.; Heave Georgetown 7.00 A. M.; 30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.25 A. M.; Dally except Sunday.
Trains leave Florence dally except Sunday at 6.50 A M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsvine 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A M., Wadesboro 12.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.30 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.30 P. M.; Leave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; Beave Florence Gally except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Easve Darlington 8.20 P. M.; Beave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M.; arrive Darlington 1.55 P. M. Hartsville 7.00 A. M.; Darrive Darlington 8.50 P. M.; Beave Florence 9.55 A. M. Easwe Florence 9.55 A. M. Easwe Florence 9.55 A. M. Easwe Florence 9.55 P. M. Hartsville 7.00 A. M.; Darrive Darlington 8.50 P. M.; Bartive Florence 9.55 P. M. Hartsville 7.00 A. M.; Beave Darlington 8.50 P. M.; Bartive Flor

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