

# THE RACE

finish. It's staying power which carries many a runner to victory. It's like that in business. Many a man starts off in the race for business success with a burst of speed which seems to assure victory. Presently be begins to falter and at last he falls and fails. The cause? Generally "stomach trouble." No man is stronger than his stomach. Business haste leads to careless and irregular eating. The stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition become diseased. The body is inadequately nourished and

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### AT THE BAINK.

BY FRANK L. STANTON:

The river is dark, but the lights O soull on the beautiful other side: The lights that shine o'ver the river's

From the beautiful shore where the bells ring "Rest!" Rest for the weary over the tide On the beautiful shore on the other

It is only a hand clasp—a sad "good A stop in the darkness—then dreams,

and light!

A fading away of the world's bright Then the light of heaven on the dreaming eyes, Rest for the weary over the tide

On the shore that shines from the other

Why should we shiver, why should we shrink ard look from the river's Did the red, sharp thorns make earth

We never sighed for the dreams, Longed for the bells o'er the river's

Sweet from the shores on the other Oh, the river is dark, but the lights

If only in dreams, on the other side! We yield the crosses—we cast the Loveless longings, unanswered pray-

For the dark or the light o'er the We pass to peace on the other side?

## SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

- When Sir James Simpson, the well known discoverer of chloroform was once questioned as to the greatest discovery he thought he had ever made, he replied, "That I have a Sa-

- Put a seal upon your lips and forget what you have done. After you have been kind, after love has stolen forth into the world and done its beautiful work, go back into the shade again and say nothing about it. Love hides even from itself.—Prof.

- Not till we are ready to throw our very life's love into the troublesome little things can we be really faithful in that which is least and faithful also in much. Every day that dawns brings something to do, which can never be done as well again.—

- The Christian steward realizes that he is in partnership with the Father and with His Son, Jesus Christ, and his business is carried on in relation to that partnership. He feels free to ask God's guidance and blessings upon his business trans-actions, and rejoices in the consciousness of his H avenly Father's presence in everything he does, or that takes place in connection with his business. -Rev. C A. Cook.

- Finish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities, no doubt, crept in; forget them as soon as you can. To morrow is a new day; begin it well and serenely, and with too high a spirit to be cumbered with your old nonsense. This day is all that is good and fair. It is too dear, with its hopes and invitations, to waste a moment on the yesterdays.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

- Sometimes I compare the troubles we have to undergo in the course of year to a great bundle of fag ots, far too large for us to lift. But God does not require us to carry the whole at once; He mercifully unties the handle and the bundle and gives us, first, one stick, which we are to carry to-day; and then another, which we are to carry to-morrow, and so on. This we might easily manage if we would only take the burden appointed for each day; but we choose to increase our trouble by carrying yesterday's stick over again to day, and adding to morrow's burden to our load before we are required, to bear it.—John Newton.

## ENGINEER KILLED.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 8 .- A Summerville, S.C., special says, a passenger train on the Southern Railway crashed into an Atlantic Coast Line switch engine on a siding, five miles from here, this morning. Engineer Peter Coburne, of the Southern, jumped but was caught between the loco-motive and the tender and falling beneath the engine wheels, was crushed

- An Urgent Case: When the doctor's telephone rang late one night he went to the instrument himself, and received an urgent appear from two fellow-practioners to come down to the club for a quiet meal. Emily, dear, he said turning to his wife, I am called out again, and it appears to be a very serious case, for there are two doctors already in attendance.—Tit-Bits. and received an urgent appeal from

# MOB VIOLENCE IN CITY OF NORFOLK.

Demonstration by Strike Sympathizers Last Night Continuing for Three Hours.

SEVERAL PEOPLE INJURED. The Mob Bombarded Cars and Beat Non-Union Employes-Strike Settled at Midnight So Far as Arbitration

Committee is Concerned.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., March 8 .- After perhaps the most violent demonstration of the strike sympathizers since the strike began, lasting for three hours, at the corner of Main and Church streets, in which a mob of one or two thousand men bombarded cars. beat non-union employes, and in a hundred other ways showed their vehemence against the Norfolk Railway and Light Company, the com-mittee of the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, having in charge the arbitration of the strike, made its report shortly after midnight to-night, having been in session for fifty-six hours. During the time before the settlement by the committee was reached, people were hurt by the thrown through the car win dows by the mob, non-union motor-men and conductors were beaten and badly used, windows and electric lights in the cars that were run after dark were demolished, and several men now rest behind the bars in the police sta tion, having been arrested by the police and other officers.

Corporal Walker Truxton, a grand-son of Commodore Truxton, fought a hand-to-hand conflict with a strike sympathizer on the rear platform of a car in the view of a thousand people, and held his man, whose name was Lee Curtis. It was necessary to bring revolver into play to do it. At midnight the strike was settled, so far as the arbitration committee is

Their report stipulates that the employes shall be bonded as prescribed, that eighty-five per cent, of the old employes shall be taken back to work, and that twenty-four of the non-union workmen shall be retained, whether they become members of the union or

NORFOLK, Va., March 9.—It has been impossible to ascertain up to an early hour this morning how the strikers as a body regard the report of the arbitration committee; but Mr. Hugh Gordon Miller, counsel for the strikers, expressed it as his opinion that they will abide by the decision and return to work.

held to-day (Sunday) at which the whole matter will be laid before them. The militia will remain until a decis-

### A Cup of Boiled Coffee.

Below is a recipe for coffee made in an ordinary coffeepot, which is one given by Miss Nellie Dot Ranche in her cooking lectures. This is for old fashioned boiled coffee, and if followed exactly as to proportions will give results which will bring joy to the most fastidious connoisseur in coffee. Have your coffee ground fairly coarse; use one tablespoonful to each cup of coffee to be made and one for the pot. Add one eggshell broken into pieces. This does exactly as well as the egg itself, as its only purpose is to settle the grounds, and the egg does not, as many believe, make the coffee taste any the richer. Place the coffee in a bowl over night, adding one cup of cold water. Stir carefully until the mixture resembles paste. In the morning add the proper number of cups of water, allow the coffee to come to a boil and remain boiling about two minutes. Add a tablespoonful of cold water when you remove the coffee from

Origin of Vegetables. Celery, it is said, originated in Germany.

The onion in Egypt. The parsnip in Arabia.

Spinach was also first cultivated

The cucumber hails from the East Indies. The radish is a native of China

The potato is a native of Peru. Cabbage grew wild in Siberia. Parsley was first known in Sar-

The garden cress is from Egypt and the east.

## TWINKLINGS.

- A Lucky Fellow: Cholly-"Been shooting for a week, old chap! Had great good luck!" Agly-"What did you bring back?" Cholly (proudly)-"The dogs."-Judge.

- Not Up to Date: Mrs. Richmond-What is your objection to your new pasior? Mrs. Bronxborough-Oh he's such an old fogy. Why, he's never once been tried for heresy.—

- Aunt Mandy - Hain't yew ashamed ter kum around here beggin's Onniz Way—Well dis ain't a werry 'ristokratic neighborhood, fer a fact, but we mustn't be too pertikler, mum. -Chicago News. - "Your Honor," said the clerk,

"I have to report that the jury is hung," "It's queer," much the court, "how chance will sometimes execute a just sentence. Have the bodies cut down and removed, Mr. Clerk."—Den-

Switch Engine and Passenger Train Collided Near Summerville, S. C.

By Thiegraph to the Morning Star.

— "I tell you," cried the jingo, "the United States could lick any power in the world." "Well," replied the man who had been swearing at the climate, "we can never be weather. beaten by any other country.—Phil. Record.

- Placing Him: "He doesn't amount to shucks," said the girl from the Kansas corn belt." "Pardon me," said the girl from Boston, "but it seems to me that he really isn't on an equality with a hill of beans."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

- Foreigner-What do you mean when you speak of oleomargarine statesman? Native—That's a term we apply to the imitation article, in the raw. When a play-out old goat goes into politics we call him renovated butter.—Chicago Tribune.

— Clara—Half the time he says he doesn't know whether I love him

+0-4-4-0-0-4-4-0-0-0 HAROLD CAUGHEN ...AND THE ... TRAINED NURSE By John H. Rafferty

...................... Mrs. Caughen was one of those eminently proper young matrons who put their fingers to their ears when papa says "Gosh!" She was so nice that her husband was afraid to tell her anything about himself, and so a sort of tacit reserve grew up between them which was not conducive to that old fashioned style of domestic felicity which is born of absolute confidence and nurtured by a broad and kindly charity

for human frailty. Mrs. Caughen had no frailties and no children. Mr. Caughen had many frailties, but he assiduously concealed them from his wife, not because he was a natural hypocrite, but because he couldn't bear to shock her high ideals. He was fat and liked colored shirts. She was thin and insisted on buying for him black clothes and linen of immaculate whiteness. She opined that "patterns were undignified for a married man," and he said: "All right, Jane. If you can stand it I

She had been to college, and sometimes she asked him whether he never "yearned for the higher opportunities of a professional life?" Being only a moderately successful broker of grain and hay, he did not exactly appreciate her aspirations, but he never gave himself away by arguing the point.

She loathed gambling of all kinds and "belonged" to a lot of societies for the prevention of games of hazard and for the promotion of sure thing enterprises among the young. She regarded it as "vulgar" to show any tense interest in the commercial affairs of her husband, and so, instead of getting "nearer" to him in the old, commonplace way, she gradually trained him into the subconscious belief that his home was a sort of compulsory training school where he ate two meals a day and slept eight or nine hours every night under penalty of being "up-lifted" toward the same intellectual plane with Mrs. Caughen.

Of course there had been times during the first two years of his married life when he began to "talk shop" over the dinner table, but his . wife showed so little interest in the doings "on the street" and displayed such a frigid hauteur when he talked of his associates "in trade" that the good natured man, who was far from dull, gravitated into a condition of habitual silence which convinced his wife that he was becoming "thoughtful."

She never went near his business office, except once, and that's what this story is about. She had been out buying a cloak, and her choice fell upon one of those "sample"

"The only one in town of that olor and fabric," said the saleslady, and you'd better take it." Mrs. Caughen being "shy" about \$7 pocketed her pride and high

sense of propriety and went to her husband's office to get it. "He's at the telephone just now," said the office boy, pushing out a

She sat down and in the silence of the closed room heard her husband discourse to some unknown friend

"-all right? Sure she's all right! I'm going down there with her. What? The trained nurse, yes. Got that? Well, you can do as you please, but I'm going to risk a few hundred on her. Yes, Sunday night; want to be on the same train, you know. Got to look after her. And sayhello! Hello! Say, old man, keep this dark, will you? It's a dead secret; nobody on but you. Good-

When he came out of the telephone box, his wife was gone. "A lady called while you were in there," said the office boy, "but she said she couldn't wait."

"Who was it?" "Don't know, sir; never seen her before. Kinda tall, skinny lookin' woman wit' specs. Looked kinda nervous, but dressed swell."

"You weren't down at the office today, were you, Jane?" "I? The idea!"

That's the was the dinner conversation started that evening. You see, Mrs. Caughen was one of those women who just can't tell a lie. "I may have to go to St. Louis next Sunday night," said he after a

tea pouring pause. "So?" She watched him as she handed his cup. "Yes. I hate to go, but it's a case of must. I"-

"Slang again! Harold, dear, why will you interlard your conversation with slang?" "I expect to make a killing, er-

that is to say, I have a deal on"-Here he got red, coughed, reached out his hand and added: "Another lump of sugar, please.

expect to make a neat sum in St. Louis if I get there in time Monday morning. Oats, you know. I got a line on twenty carloads of"-Here the doorbell rang and Mrs.

Caughen, with unusual fervor, waved aside the maid and went to the door. "A new cloak I bought today," she explained when she returned to

the table. But it wasn't. It was a note for Caughen, which she signed for and ters, who have lived in the United States since 1889, when Sir Julian was appointed to represent Great Britain at Washington, declare they would rather reside in the capital of the United States than anywhere else, London not excepted. Their long residence in Washington, during which they have seen three presidents in the White House, has made them so much a part of the capital that it is doubtful if any other family would be missed as much as they. The series of dinners given at the British embassy are, next to the dinners of the president, vice president and chief cabinet officers, the most important social events of the seapoked into her deep pocket. When Harold was asleep, she got it out

and read: Dear Old Chunks-I'm off tonight with Made Nurse, send some other good fellow with a bunch Nurse, send some other good fellow with a bunch of money and plenty of nerve. I seen the Nurse today. She's as plump as an August quail and prettier than ever. She'll like the game better when she sees Madeline is here too. They're used to each other, and if we don't make them St. Louis worst lead side Vill set Louis sports look sick I'll est your winter under-wear. Keep the spiel dark, Chunks, or we'll never land. Yours, GAPPERY.

If Mrs. Caughen had been like other women she would have made a scene when she read this disgrace-

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ful letter, but Jane was above the ordinary weaknesses of woman and scorned scenes. Therefore she said AGONIES OF RHEUMATISM. nothing and waited for develop-ments. On Sunday night Harold, as he had threatened, left home for

St. Louis. He had hardly gone

when she began to pack her trunk

and burn the old love letters that

Harold (nobody else) had written

to her in the old days when she be-

This is part of the profits of my venture. I want you to buy something for yourself. Don't stint yourself. I hope to make three times as much before I'm through. Fill be home as soon

He got home Friday morning.

Mr. Caughen—or Chunks, if you prefer it—I have left you permanently. The day I called at your office for the first time I was an unwilling

auditor of your self conviction. I know all about

your escapade with your "trained nurse" and Madeline. I have tried to overlook your natural

and evidently unconquerable vulgarity, but your

latest adventure merits nothing but the shackles of a felon. I received the \$500 which you sent

me—as a peace offering, I suppose. As soon as am settled I shall get a divorce. I despise—

Harold read no further. He

grabbed a pen, and with his heart

Dear Jane—For God's sake, pause! Trained Nurse is a horse—that is, a mare. So is Madeline— atable companions, you know. I went to St. Louis to make a killing on her. She was entered

in the Mound City Stakes and trained to the hour

getting the injunction against slang.

Gaffney put me next, and I went down there to

But why pry into the private cor-

He Wanted a Bear.

the woods," said an Adirondack

guide near North creek, "was a law-

yer who came in from Buffalo last

fall to kill a bear. He said he was

going to kill one if it took all sea-

son. He wanted a rug of his own

killing for his office. He stayed in

the woods three weeks and wouldn't

look at deer or small game. Finally

he had to go home. He sent his

stuff out to the railroad by team

and walked out himself, saying that

would be his last chance at a bear.

big rock and met a bear face to face

in the trail. He forgot what he was

after, forgot he had been hunting

forgot that he wanted a rug for his

office and even forgot that he had a

gun. He turned and sprinted in

the direction from which he came

till it all came over him that that

bear was just what he wanted. Then

he stopped, went back and saw from

the tracks that the bear had gone

a good deal faster than he did, and

JAPANESE WOMEN.

They Are Taught When Young to Be

Thorough Housekeepers.

cook and attend to the homes, for even

the women of the highest class have

Japanese ladies never go to market; the

market comes to them-that is, the deal-

ers bring round their wares for sale at

their customers' houses. The fishmonger

brings his stock, and whatever is bought

Most Japanese women make their own

clothes, and even the wealthiest embroid-

er their own garments. They are thrifty

little dressmakers and do much careful

planning and cutting as well as painstak-

ing renovation of worn clothing, says

The dinner hour all the year round is a

little before dusk. A miniature table

about a foot square and eight inches high

is placed before each person. On this is

placed a lacquered tray with space for

four or five dishes, each measuring four

or five inches across. Each little bowl

and dish has its special place, the soup

always being in the middle and the rice to

the left. The appetite is reckoned by the number of bowls of rice eaten. A maid is

at hand with a large bowl of rice to re-

Directly one empties a bowl she replen-

shes it, but should one leave even a few

grains she will understand that one has

employed in preparing dinner. The viands

are always served in the daintiest fash-

ion, and when guests are present the meal becomes quite a ceremonious affair. The skill shown by the cook is quite re-

markable. For instance, an omelet will

be served in the form of a chrysanthe-

mum, while fish is shredded to look like

snow, and chicken is done up in all sorts

Poorly Paid Rugmakers.

Few people realize that a square foot of

the average Persian rug is worth about

\$10 and it takes a single weaver twenty-

three days to complete this portion. This

allows the weaver about 44 cents per day

for her wool and her labor, but threefourths of this amount goes to pay for

the wool, and only 11 cents per day is left

for the weaver. The wages of the producer of the inferior rug are a little bet-

ter. A square foot is sold for about 60

cents, and the time required for weaving

it is but two days, thus allowing the

weaver 30 cents per day for her wool and

labor. She uses inferior wool, wanting

but little of it, and pays only a nominal sum for a cheap dye. The framework of

her loom costs comparatively little, as the rug it produces is from twenty to thirty

times the size of the superior rug. Thus it appears that in the long run the infe-

rior weaver is better paid than the one

who fatigues her brain with her efforts to

produce a rug of the best quality.—Chicago Record-Herald.

British Embassador's Family.

Lady Pauncefote and her four daugh-

ters, who have lived in the United States

most important social events of the sea-

son. Lady Pauncefote is extremely fond

of outdoor exercise and is seen regularly driving or walking on the avenues of the

The Baroness de Rouques denies re-ports that her daughter, Mrs. Florence Maybrick, will be included in the coro-

In Japan girls are brought up to sew,

in the opposite direction."

household duties to perform.

be prepares for cooking.

plenish the small ones.

had sufficient.

Home Notes.

three weeks for this very animal

"Sure enough, he went around a

"The sickest man I ever took into

Harold in his excitement was for-

in his fingers wrote:

Record-Herald.

lieved in him.

as I can break away.

writing:

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> A VERY RECENT LETTER FROM A VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR

salutatory ring of the bell brought If you are a sufferer from rheumano answer, and he let himself in with his latchkey. The house had tism in any of its terrible forms-musa musty smell as if it had been cular, inflammatory, or sciatic, be asclosed for weeks. The maid was sured of the glorious truth that gone. The cockroaches zigzagged Paine's Celery Compound will work cross the kitchen floor and the for you a permanent and happy cure. lowered shades gave the rooms a The thousands of letters received from gloomy, almost a sepulchral look. people who have thrown off their He wandered from room to room, burdens and agonies, .prove conclu wondering at the clatter of his own sively that Paine's Celery Compound footfalls. Pinned to his pillow he is the one great specific for this awful found a letter in his wife's handdisease.

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ferers with new hope of a better and happier life. Mr. Edwin Bailiss says:— "I have suffered with rheumatism for five years and have been treated by several physicians, amongst them one specialist. I found no relief until l began using Paine's Celery Compound. After using three bottles of the marvel ous medicine, I am entirely cured. I take great pleasure in recommending Paine's Celery Compound as a medicine which will cure all kinds of rheumatism and kidney disease. I really

get the post odds on a good thing. I know you don't like gambling, but this wasn't gambling. It was a sure thing. I cashed for \$2,000 on the race. The Nurse won galloping, and the first thing I done [Jane winced when she read that] was to send you five hundred. For God's sake find Paine's Celery Compound worth its weight in gold, and most cheerfully recommend it to my friends and the respondence of a model married public. I am a veteran of the Civil couple like the Caughens? She War and sixty years of age. Again I came back when she got ready, but say, I am fully restored to health by she "kept the change."-Chicago Paine's Celery Compound."

Diamond Dies Original and only reliable Beware of poor imitations

FALL RIVER MILLS.

Magufacturers Refuse to Purther Increase Wages of Operatives. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FALL BIVER, MASS., March 8.-The Manufacturers' Association of this city increase wages above the rate previously set, namely a fraction above 6 per cent. The operatives have de manded an increase of 10 per cent. The manufacturers contend that they have done all that present business will require. M. C. B. Borden caused notices to be posted to-day announcing that weavers' wages in the Iron Works mills hereafter would be reckoned on 46 yards of cloth to a cut. This is a concession to the demands of the vari ous textile unions for a standard of 46 yards. Hitherto cuts have been 50 yards at the Iron Works mills, for which 201 cents was paid. The new rate will be 21 78 cents for 46 yards.

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MANY WERE MADE PRISONERS

It is Hoped in Government Circles Tha Town of David Was Not Captured, Is Strongly Intreached and Re-Inforcements On the Way.

Special to Richmond Dispatch. PANAMA, COLOMBIA, March 8.-For the last two days it has been persistently rumored here that the government forces have sustained a severe defeat. It is said that when the Colombian

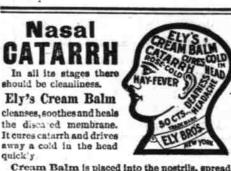
gunboat Boyaca landed reinforce ments at Chiriqui, the civil and military chief of the province, R Lastra, prepared to attack the revolutionists at San Pablo, about five miles from David, and sent Col. Luque forward with 200 recruits. The latter, not knowing the country well, are said to have been surprised by 500 of the enemy, between two embankments, from which position the revolutionists were able to shoot down the government soldiers. Many of the latter are understood to have been made prisoners.

It is hoped in government circles that David was not captured by the revolutionists, as the town was strongy intrenched. Lastra may be able to hold out until reinforcements sent by General Castro reach him.

The British steamer Taboga, due here March 10th from Pedgral, will probably bring more details of the ngagement.

Mme. Melba and the Old Woman.

Mme. Melba, never tired of relating the strange experiences which have fallen to her lot, says the most pathetic incident occurred when she was singing at Philadelphia. "When I left the Academy," she says, "my arms were full of roses. A white haired women stepped forward and said: 'God bless your beautiful heart. I have been waiting in the snow for you to come out. Your voice is the most beautiful thing in the world. Will you give me a rose to keep in memory of it?' There she stood, white haired, in the driving snow, poorly clad in black and with lines of grief and age seamed on her face, waiting to tell me that I had made her happy. I gave her every flower I had. I kissed her on both cheeks, and we cried



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cale, 5c per yard.
Dress Goods—Our Dress Goods Department we claim is equally or better filled than any store in the city. We handle all the new desirable goods in all shades. We have about 25 pieces fancy Worsted that we are trying hard to sell. We sell them all the way from 10c to 25c—some of them less than now for \$4.98 In the Men and Boy's half price. One lot of double fold Plaids for children's dresses that we sold for 10c, now 5c.

A lot of plaid black goods for Ladies' skirts-40 inches wide in all colors, special, at 12c a yard. Just received 300 pieces of white goods. We have the bookfold India Linen as low as 4%c. 5c, 8c and 10c.

Persian Lawn at 10c, 121/2c, 15c and 25c New Pique from 10c to 25c per vard We have a full line of Dress Suitings, 54 inches wide, in all colors, that we are selling for 98c per yard. Broad cloths and Pan cloths. Light weight Albatros for the Spring at 25c per yard.

A few words about Men's and Boys' Pants. In this department we have a better stock than ever before. We have just received 150 pairs of men's Northern markets picking out some high grade worsted Pants that are worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a pair, we will sell this week for \$1.39.

Cash on hand and in

RESOURCES.

select from. In Boys' Pants, we have just received a new shipment from the fac tory. We have them at 20, 25 and 50c a pair.

Boys' Easter Suits In this depart ment we are well fitted up for the Spring trade. We have Boys' Suits as

man, we have lots of new and pretty things for our customers. We have about thirty-five Worsted suits that sold for \$5, we will sell now for \$3 50 clothing trade we work very hard to please, and guarantee everything we sell to be as represented.

Ladies ready-to-wear suits. We employ four professional seamstresses who make up our suits in the latest style, and we sell our suits for \$3 50. \$5, \$6 50, \$7 and \$9. A beaunful broadcloth suit, handsomely made up with the newest style coat, seven gored flare skirt, made to measure and made to fit, for \$9 50 special or \$9 out of stock. Ladies Skirts. We have the sein all styles and at all prices, from \$1 up to \$7.50. Our skirts are well made and well lined and sold chesp. If you are thinking of buying a skirt of any kind we can sell it to you cheaper than you can make it. Our head milliner Miss Alma Brown, is now in the good things for the Millinery D. part ment. We have just received hifty pieces new Ribbon, No. 40, all silk, all

We are still punching cards with cash purchases and giving away nice presents free.

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Wilmington, N. C., February 25, 1902. Loans..... \$1,000,791 42 | Capital..... \$ 125,000 00 U. S. Bonds..... Real Estate.....

33,000 00 | Circulation ..... Deposits.... 1,414,069 26 \$1,756,119 92 \$1,756,119 92 Extra dividend of 50 per cent. paid January 15, 1902.

ANDREW MORELAND, Cashier. Statement of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co. At close of business, February 25th, 1902, condensed from report to Corporation Commission

Furniture and Fixtures
Burglar Proof Safety Deposit Boxes..
Real \*state... J W. NOR WOOD, President. H WILTERS, Vice President C. B. TAYLAM, Jr., Castier

DIRECTORS. H. WALTERS, J. W. NORWOOD, DONALD MACRAF, N. B. RANKIN, GEO. R. FRENCH D O'CONNOR, H. L. VOLLERS. Comparative Statement.

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