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Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness
And ALL DISEASES arising from a
Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion
The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegant sugar coated and easy to swallow.
Take No Substitute.

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So diligent have been our efforts to have The Hub Grocery Co. supplied with the finest, freshest, and completest line of Groceries to be found in Tarboro or elsewhere that we are becoming egotistical enough to believe that we are so doing.

Mad'm Housewife, come down and tell us if we are mistaken. Your visit will be appreciated whether you purchase or not, you can tell us our deficiencies, which we always try to remedy.

Yours to serve,

The Hub Grocery Co.

P. A. Lewis, Proprietor.
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W. T. Deans.
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We Protect Your Crop Against Destruction or Damage by Hail. Risks Taken Only in Edgecombe County. Every Year Money is Paid out to Farmers to Cover Damage from Hail. The Prudent Farmer will Not Neglect this Opportunity. The Following Annual Statement Gives our Financial Standing:

ANNUAL STATEMENT EDGE-COMBE MUTUAL HAIL INSURANCE CO. OF TARBORO, N. C., March 1, 1909.
Mar. 2, '08, Bal on hand, \$2,210.15
By premiums received in '08, 634.25
By net acct, 60.00
\$2,904.40
Sept. 8, '08, To cash paid for dividends, 7.50
Apr. 1, '08, To taxes, etc., 25.50
Commission on premiums, 126.85
Interest, 90
Bal on hand, 2,773.61
\$2,934.40
J. F. Shackelford, Sec'y and Treas.
F. H. Pender, Agent.

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Pure Milk and Cream.
Patrons will please their orders to phone No. 243.

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RUSSIA HAS SOIL BUT LACKS DEEP SEA MUD HAS RAINBOW THINGS TO CULTIVATE.

Wooden Plows and Most Primitive Form of Agriculture Prevails; Keeps Country Behind; Administration Faculty.

Russia's principal industry at present is agriculture. But, though she has a very fruitful soil, a large agricultural population and excellent natural means of transport in her rivers and lakes, poverty and ignorance among the masses, lack of enterprise and of capital on the part of her business men and short-sightedness and neglect on the part of the administration have hitherto impeded the development of her agriculture. The soil is merely scratched by light wooden plows, the most primitive form of agriculture known, manufacturing it practically unknown to nine-tenths of her peasants, and there are hardly any roads for transporting agricultural produce to the rivers and railways.

Though Russia has much coal and iron, her industries are quite undeveloped. Her industrial backwaters may be gauged from the fact that with a territory and a population twice as large as those of the United States, Russia produces one-tenth the quantity of iron produced in the United States, and she raises only one-twentieth of the quantity of coal raised in the American republic. In other words America raises per head of population 20 times more iron and 40 times more coal than Russia. Agriculturally and industrially Russia is a medieval country.

Many Russians in high official position assert that the latent wealth of Russia is greater than that of the United States and if they are right the first task of the Russian government should be to develop Russia's potential wealth. Wishing to reserve the whole discouraged and stifled for her own people, Russia has so far on the whole discouraged and stifled foreign enterprise, though she has tried to introduce foreign capital. Russia has as yet neither opened up the country rapidly, therefore she will be wise if she calls foreign experience and foreign capital to her assistance. If Russia throws the country wide open to foreign enterprise and to foreign capital, and if she treats liberally and even generously those who wish to help themselves, will most vigorously promote Russia's prosperity, the poverty and dissatisfaction of the masses and the penalty of the Russian exchequer will soon come to an end.

THIS CYPRESS TREE 6,250 YEARS OLD.
It is in Mexico and is the Oldest "Living" Things Known.

The most ancient living thing on earth is a tree. Exactly where that tree stands is a mooted question, for many localities lay claim to it; but there have been scientific investigations enough to investigate the various claims and we can probably arrive at a pretty exact result by a few comparisons.

Recently somebody has put forth the claim of the so-called "Old Green Tree" of the Mississippi Valley, which claims to be the river in Le Clair, Iowa. Its trunk is more than 10 feet in circumference, and its branches shade a circle of more than 30 feet. It was an ancient tree when the first white man stood under its branches, and has a place in the traditions of the Indian tribes of the Mississippi valley, dating back long before the first white face was seen on the shores of the western world.

DEEP SEA MUD HAS RAINBOW COLORS.

Ooze on Bottom of Ocean is Tinted With Beautiful Colors.

The mud on the bottom of the deep sea instead of being black or brown, is all the colors of the rainbow. Marine deposits in either deep or shallow water at a distance of from 100 to 200 miles from the coasts of the United States and Europe are whitish, being largely composed of minute shells reduced to powder, and mingled with volcanic dust and tiny mineral fragments torn away from shore by the action of the waves and currents in Arctic and Antarctic waters continental rock fragments are mixed with the other deposits. In great depths far from land under the northeast Pacific the ocean floor is carpeted with clay ranging from a brick red to a reddish chocolate. This clay is soft, plastic and greasy to the touch while wet but when dried it takes on a hard compact mass which can only be broken by a smart blow from a hammer. When rubbed with the fingers or any hard substance the fragments become glazed and shining like earthenware, though far less brittle. In this red clay minute red worms are found, but whether the worms are colored by the ooze they inhabit or the ooze owes its ruddy hue to them is a question yet undecided by marine scientists.

Another kind of mud is straw colored, becoming cream white when dried. When it is soft and light as ashes to the touch, and sticks to the fingers like fine flour, which it closely resembles.

In tropical seas at considerable distances from land mud is found of a deep rose color, shading to milky white. Nearer land this mud becomes gray or bluish gray. Blue mud is only found on the bottom of some tributary or arm of the sea. The blue color is caused by organic matter and sulphide of iron. The unpleasant odor of this mud is due to sulphuretted hydrogen. Green mud and sand are developed along bold and exposed coasts, as for instance the Atlantic coast of the Southern United States, and on the Agulhas bank. The green colored sand which sparkles in the sand like pulverized emeralds, is usually found in shallow water, but the mud—that is in about 40 fathoms or 513 for the mud. Neither is discovered at less than 100 or more than 900 fathoms.

Sudan Arab Duels.
The country to the southeast of Tekar is the home of the Hassas; the Hadendosa occupy the khors to the south and the plateau to the southwest. Both of these are black Arabs, speaking different languages.

The Hassas live almost entirely upon raw milk, while the Hadendosa are agricultural as well as pastoral. Their dikh and durra, milletlike grain, were imported in February and being protected from countless swarms of small birds by men who stood on elevated platforms, from which they directed loudly large whips with palm leaf lashes twenty feet long.

The dress of these Arabs is a cotton sheet held in by a belt in which they carry crooked knives. For their weapons they use sticks, spears and swords. Plumes are prohibited, judging by the many scars borne by the men the pastoral life is by no means so peaceful as the poets would lead us to think. Many of the scars come from duels, in which the men stand face to face and cut each other alternately in the back till one cries "Enough."—Cairo Correspondent, San Francisco Chronicle.

PUT A BAN ON COCAINE.

Easiest Drug to Use and Most Dangerous in Effects.

Of all the vicious, habit-forming, character and health-wrecking drugs, cocaine is the easiest drug of all to use. It is bought as a solid, white substance. It is then crushed, through a pencil usually, then taken upon the thumb and snuffed into the nose, precisely like snuff. It is one of the most exhilarating of all drugs, until the "fiend" has to use the drug constantly to be even decently comfortable. Finally, there are complications and he dies.

Statistics concerning the results of cocaine are lacking. But it has been in every city as it has been in Philadelphia, where it was proved in open court that scores of boys and girls in this city are addicted to the cocaine habit; that purveyors of the drug have even approached the pupils of the public schools, and that the opiate can be obtained in almost any part of the Tenderloin.

Police officials have had good cause to learn that one result of the drug is to breed in the "fiend" the desire to make converts to its use. And in most cases the choice falls upon children of tender years. The schools for thieves, the colleges of crime of the modern Fagin that exist in every large city, find cocaine the most potent of the corrupting influences necessary for the education of the juvenile pickpocket and sneak thief.

For the sake of that whole race, for the sake of the children forced daily into contact with evil in congested city districts, for the sake of the humanitarianism that is causing the whole world to help lift the curse of opium from China, let us look at home and force Congress to take the first step toward abolishing the devil of cocaine.—Philadelphia North American.

The Imprisoned Voice.
(Ada Foster Murray.)
Tender and clear as a flute,
Held in this circular shell,
Slumbers a voice that is gentle;
Science has guarded it well.
Science—what can she not do?
Here is the tender and true
Sonic that the swift camera caught
This, too, alas, is in vain.
Yet not the eye, but the ear
Drags its sharp message of pain
To the hurt spirit more near.

Milady's Footwear.
Shoe styles are changing, somewhat fashionable women are wearing fewer and fewer shoes for the street. Instead, there is marked preference for black.
The brogue shoe, for street wear, has no equal in the great vogue that was predicted for and true.
Here, too, in the house, color in footwear is running riot.
Shoes and stockings are to be had to match almost every gown.
The newest slippers have straps that cross on the instep and button high up on the side.
Pumps also have straps, so-called ankle straps, which are a great comfort to persons without much instep.
Although these ankle straps have been seen all along on low shoes for children, it is not until lately that they have come into general use for grown ups.—St. Louis Republic.

LIVERPOOL WON FIGHT ON DREAD TUBERCULOSIS.

City Spent \$45,000 Razing Unsanitary Hovel and Built New Homes.

The greatest fight that has been made on tuberculosis in any community in the world has been waged, no doubt, in Liverpool, covering a long series of years," said Dr. James Browne, of London, England.

"Some years ago old Liverpool was the most unsanitary in the United Kingdom. Every condition was favorable to the dissemination and spread of consumption. People by the thousand dwelt in habitations unfit for human occupancy. At one time 40,000 dwelt in cellars in the midst of a squalor and filth that were appalling. Then came the party of active war on the disease. It took millions of money and uttering war on evil conditions, but the fight has been won. The municipality forced no less than 8,000 unsanitary hovels at a cost of \$450,000 and in this area there have been built thousands of small but comfortable homes for working people. The mortality in the district, once the site of so many and terrible deaths, is now less than in the city taken as a whole, the consumption rate having declined to 1.35 per 1,000."

Cost of Electrification Plant.
ing to the corporation and imposed that duty upon the State penitentiary, the authorities of that institution appropriated \$1,000 to pay for the electrification outfit and called for bids. The lowest bid was \$2,500. Since then the bill has been scaled down to \$1,400. This will now be referred to the Governor and council.

Militant Masonry.
Secretary John C. Drewry says he has never seen more interested mauls in Masonry in this State.

First Candidate For the Chair.
The first person to be legally electrocuted, instead of hung, in this State will probably be Walter Morrison, colored of Robeson county. He stands Polly Rogers that her husband was dead in the road, and when she went to see the supposed body, he assaulted her, for which he has been convicted and sentenced to be electrocuted in the penitentiary at Raleigh when this punishment will be inflicted instead of in the counties where the crimes are committed.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.
There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. It is kidney disease. Many deaths are caused by heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure, etc. Many of these are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, brick-dust or sediment in the urine, head ache, back ache, lame back, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, and the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.
Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and better health in that organ is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. Swamp-Root corrects inability to void urine and scaling pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest because of its remarkable health restoring properties. A trial will convince anyone. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this general notice, and don't let a dealer sell you something in place of Swamp-Root. If you do you will be disappointed.

Qualified As Marksman.

During the encampment of the Second Regiment at Morehead 48 of these and men qualified as marksmen at target practice.

Only one man in the Edgecombe Guards was able to shoot well enough to be placed in this class, Sergeant W. L. Speight. Two men from the Goldsboro companies qualified as expert marksmen.

Man at Various Stages.
At twenty-three he thought fate was making a special effort to keep him down.
At thirty-five he thought he might have done great things if his wife had not been such a handmaid.
As forty he believed he had been a great man if his children had not made it necessary for him to cling to these things.
At fifty he was positive that there was a conspiracy against him on the part of his fellowmen.
At sixty he felt that if he could have been thirty-five again nothing could have stopped him.
At seventy he began to believe of courage and inability to make the most of his opportunities.
At eighty he was almost sure of it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Dr. Dick Lewis Retires.
The bulletin of the State board of Health for June, just issued, contains the farewell of Dr. Richard H. Lewis, its editor for almost seventeen years. He retires also as secretary-treasurer of the State board of Health, having filled these offices admirably during the same long period. During that time his long advancement has been made in sanitation in North Carolina, and a strong public sentiment for public health, a completely equipped and ably maintained laboratory of hygiene established which is doing efficient work.

A Lafayette Carriage.
Mrs. S. G. Ayer, of Fayetteville, makes a loan to the hall of history of the carriage, or coach as it is called, in which General Lafayette made his famous tour through North Carolina during 1825. It will be carried from Fayetteville, having all these years been kept by a family in the country near that historic town. It will be placed on a base in the museum and will form a very novel attraction.

Enduring Love.
I sing of a Love, that is Life—
A passion that knoweth no strife;
A Love that the robin must feel—
Canst thou and sweet blossoms reveal;
By Love it is not molded in clay—
It is a parallel to life in day;
'Tis the Love that maketh us true—
'Tis the Love that hath shown me the way.
By Love is the Light all divine;
A beacon for all men that shine.
This Love's from omnipotent God—
'Tis evergreen no vengeance—no rod;
'Tis ever-present Father of all—
'Tis ever the sign the truest of all.
—By Edgar Clifton Brown, in New Annual Magazine.

Taking Out the Glare.
Chairman Wilson is having granite slabs laid on the front and side of the court yard, but these will not have the glare the distinguishes those previously laid. Coloring matter has been put in the cement so that it will present a dark blue color.
—South American woods were formerly used exclusively in the making of fishing rods, but the material is now being largely supplied by Queens land.

MORE EFFECTIVE DRAINAGE.

Ballahack Canal to be Resurveyed and Fall Improved.

The Ballahack Canal Company composed of those whose lands are drained by the Canal held their annual meeting at the farm of C. B. Ketch Friday. There were thirty present. In the morning a special committee went to the head of the Canal and made an examination of certain gates that have been broken recently by the heavy rains.

The result of this meeting will be of great benefit to all whose land is drained by the canal and it is the intention of the company to place this canal in a first-class condition. J. T. Howard was re-elected president and F. J. Dozier secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year.

Notice to Creditors.
Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Cyrus Edwards late of this Edgecombe county, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against my testatrix to present them to me duly proven or before June 10, 1910 or this notice will be good in bar of recovery. Those indebted to the estate must make immediate payment.
A. M. WOOTEN, Executor.
Maconfield, N. C.

MORE PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.
Camden, N. J.—"It is with pleasure that I testify to the fact that I have already long used Pinkham's Compound, and I have recommended it to my friends and family. I have used it for many years, and it has cured me of many ailments, such as headache, pain in my back and right side, was tired and nervous, and so weak I could hardly stand. Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound restored me to health and made me feel like a new person, and I shall always have my gratitude to her for what she has done for me."
—Mrs. W. P. VALENTINE, 605 Lincoln Avenue, Camden, N. J.

Publication of Summons.
North Carolina, Edgecombe County in the Superior Court. Joe Cherry and wife, George Cherry; A. R. Savage and wife, Jesse Savage; A. L. Savage and wife, Jennie White; W. A. Savage and wife, Gattie Savage; Lillian P. Savage and Opheba Savage vs. R. B. Savage and wife, Lucy Savage; and Austin Savage.
To R. B. Savage and wife, Lucy Savage.
You will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Edgecombe County to make partition of the lands of the late W. B. Savage, lying in No. 3 Township, said County and State, among his heirs at law; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for the County of Edgecombe on the 26th day of July, 1909, and answer or demur to the petition of the plaintiffs in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said petition.
This June 19th, 1909.
A. T. WALSTON, C. S. C.

A Night Rider's Raid.

The worst night riders are catmen, crook off on alone still. They raid you bed to rob you of rest. Not so with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They never distress or inconvenience, cure Colds, Headache, Constipation, Malaria, etc. at W. H. Macneair.

Notice.
By virtue of the powers contained in two deeds of trust, executed by John W. B. Battle and his wife, Cornelia P. Battle to B. H. Dunn, the first executed June 7th, 1904, and recorded in Book 118, at page 555 Edgecombe County Registry, and the second recorded in Book 114, page 512 Edgecombe County Registry, this second deed having been duly executed July 25th, 1904, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, August 9th, 1909, at ten o'clock a. m. at the Court House Door in Tarboro, N. C., a tract of land, described in said trust deeds, as lying in the County of Edgecombe, State of North Carolina, on Tarboro Branch Railroad adjoining the lands of Spencer L. Hart, and the late J. M. Pittman and others, containing six hundred acres more or less, and known as the Bourne place.
This July 22, 1909.
J. P. HUNN, Ex. H. B. Dunn.

Notice of Sale.
Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Edgecombe County made in the Special Proceeding, entitled Howell King vs. Lawrence King and others, the same being No. upon the Special Proceeding Docket of said Court, the undersigned Commissioner will, on Monday 22nd day of Aug, 1909, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in Tarboro, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in No. 1 township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Turner Whitehead and others, and more particularly as follows: One house and lot in the Town of Princeton, known as the Home place situated on the South side of the public road, adjoining Tarboro to Old Spire, adjoining the lands of Harry Smith, the A. C. L. and others, also one lot situated as follows: Commencing at Whitehead's corner on lane and running in a northerly direction 10 yards more or less to a ditch, thence up said ditch 50 yards more or less to a stake on said ditch, Wooten's Corner, thence in a northerly direction along Wooten's line to a stake on said lane at Emily Jones' Corner, thence in a northerly direction along Jones and Whitehead's to a stake on said alley, Whitehead's Corner to the beginning, containing one acre more or less.
This June 20, 1909.
PAUL JONES, Commissioner.

Notice.
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Drew Daugherty deceased, late of Edgecombe County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Battleground, N. C., on or before the 2nd day of June, 1910, or this notice will be good in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
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M. C. BRASWELL, Administrator of Drew Daugherty, wt.

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