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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30.

MARRYING a man short in stature is much less dangerous than marrying one short in pocket.

RUSSIA is having a few Spring strike riots. In one at Moscow there were fifty casualties.

THE jig is up with you on voting, if you do not pay your poll tax within the next twenty-four hours.

OHIO puts in a new claim for greatness. It is the greatest onion-producing State in the Union.

At any rate, the public won't be asked to buy stock in the Government's system of wireless telegraphy.

SENATOR Carmack wishes it understood that no Senator has a monopoly of sarcasm and vituperation.

THE death of Sol Smith Russell removes an actor who was not only an ornament but a prop to the American stage.

PHILADELPHIA claims to have fighting muskrats. Is this another attempt to prove that the old town isn't so slow?

J. PIERPONT MORGAN is too much accustomed to newspaper abuse at home to mind what European editors say about him.

WE are getting so accustomed to big things that the formation of a \$50,000,000 copper-mine trust excited no particular notice.

If Brigadier Funston could have slipped his official gag he would doubtless have yelled, "you're another" at Senator Carmack.

GEN. JACOB SMITH'S confession that he did order the killing of all Filipinos over ten years proved him unfit to be an officer in any army.

CAPTAIN CLARK, of the Oregon, appears to be about the only Spanish-American war hero who has managed to keep his halo on straight.

THE country hopes that Mr. William A. Day, who will have charge of the prosecution of the Beef Trust, will prove to be a bad Day for the price-kickers.

THE beef trust begins to talk about modification of prices as investigation draws near. But such talk won't do; it has been caught with the goods.

THE Kaiser has been making another speech, declaring the army to be all-important. He is dead right, too. Without his army he would soon have no empire.

PRESIDENT Palma has killed one looting scheme already by declaring that Cuba could not pay the \$80,000,000 claimed by those who served in the Cuban revolutionary army.

THAT Illinois amateur hypnotist who put a whole family to sleep and couldn't wake them might find it safer and more profitable to confine his power to the victims of insomnia.

It looks as though the ownership of the raw sugar in Cuba, which a Senate committee is trying to ascertain, might be the determining factor in the question of Cuban reciprocity.

Now, that the dusky ex-Queen has been invited to be the guest of the Charleston Exposition on Hawaiian day, it seems in order to ask, if the Exposition is to have a Booker Washington day?

An exchange fears that handwriting will become a lost art on account of the general use of the type writer. If the handwriting of some men could be lost it would lessen profanity, especially in printing offices.

A MARYLAND woman has applied for a divorce on the ground that she was compelled to marry at the point of a revolver. The revolver as a marriage-maker has usually been used on the groom.

THE British government ought not to have any difficulty in understanding why the number of Irish emigrants to America is so rapidly increasing. The increase is likely to continue so long as Irish editors are sent to prison for expressing their opinions.

THIS seems to be a good year for female dentists. A Baltimore Dental College having turned out one, the Atlanta Dental College sees this and goes the former one better. Atlanta turns out two. These two doctors are Miss Cara C. Collins, of Alabama, and Miss Lillian McCormick, of Mississippi.

RECENTLY two candidates for the ministry were refused licenses to preach because they thought the story about Adam and Eve to be a myth. Now the elders who have charge of the licensing of the candidates have voted to let them preach. If this thing keeps on, we will have to take a prehensile grip on the Darwinian theory to keep from falling backward into chaos.

THE Durham public building bill is jogging along. It has passed the house, we understand, with an appropriation of \$70,000, fifteen percent of which will be for a site. It will now go over to the Senate. The passage of this bill may be in sight, but we cannot cite you to a site for the building in Durham for \$10,500. Congress must remember that real estate in Durham is worth something and is up in gilt frames.

THE submarine boat Fulton, with two convoys, and the yacht Mindora, the storm king, were put into Delaware breakwater, at Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. The Fulton is making an ocean trip from New York to Norfolk.

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JUST THE OUTLINES.

Items of News that Can Be Taken in at a Glance.

Resolutions are introduced in congress for information as to whether General Smith's famous order originated in the war department.

Probably Commissioner of Pensions Evans will be offered the consul generalship at London to succeed Wm. McKinley Osborne.

A tornado passed over Glenrose, Tex., Monday night, killing five persons, injuring forty more and demolishing much property.

Two hundred head of horses were shipped Monday from Norfolk to New Orleans where they will be transported to South Africa for service in the British army.

Wm. Osborne, consul general of the United States, died at his residence at Willbedone Tuesday morning, after a lengthy illness. Death was due to Bright's disease.

An oyster combine, including all of the leading dealers of Norfolk, Va., was formed there Monday. The organization is capitalized at not less than \$25,000, nor more than \$100,000.

Minister Wu Ting Fang has declined an invitation to deliver an address at a school commencement at Milledgeville, Ga., on account of the recent criticisms of himself in the Senate.

The Senate Committee on Military Affairs Tuesday authorized an adverse report on the bill creating a national park at Appomattox, Va., where General Lee surrendered to General Grant.

The annual report of the Meteorological Bureau shows that Chicago continues to lead all other cities of the United States as a wind producer. That city blew 145,193 miles of wind in 1901.

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BAD BLOOD TELLS



You have the most convincing evidence of this fact every day. Otherwise beautiful faces marred with black heads, blotches and pimples, muddy or sallow complexions, and red, rough or oily skins are some of the most common and conspicuous symptoms of bad blood.

You can hide these ugly and humiliating blemishes by glazing them over with face powders and rouge, and the rough and discolored skin is made white and smooth by a lavish use of cosmetics, but these artificial complexions and false skins only last for a day, when the eruptions and spots stand out as bare and brazen as ever. The natural beauty and smoothness of the skin cannot be permanently restored by the use of external applications, for the reason that these skin diseases are due to some poison or humor in the blood that must be antioded and eliminated before the skin can or will return to a healthy state.

Under the purifying and tonic effects of S. S. S. all impurities are expelled from the blood, the general health is invigorated, and all disfiguring and annoying eruptions promptly and permanently disappear from the skin, and it becomes as soft and smooth as ever.

Bad blood tells in many other ways. Itching and burning eruptions, rashes and sores, boils and carbuncles show the presence of some irritating poison or unhealthy matter in the blood, and these aggravating troubles will continue until the weak and slow circulation has been quickened and the deteriorated blood made rich and strong again. Some are born with bad blood, and it begins to tell in infancy; scrofulous affections, sore eyes, scalp diseases, nasal catarrh, stunted growth, brittle bones and soft, flabby muscles are some of the early manifestations of bad blood by inheritance. These symptoms, if neglected, may develop into some deep-seated and serious blood trouble later on in life, but the timely use of S. S. S. will check the disease in its incipency, remove all taint from the circulation, and the little sufferers grow into healthy manhood and womanhood.

When the blood is healthy and pure it tells a different story, a smooth and flawless skin glowing with health, a sound body and active brain, well nourished system, good appetite and digestion, and restful and refreshing sleep. S. S. S., combining both purifying and tonic properties, contains all that you need in the way of a blood builder and skin beautifier.

S. S. S. is Nature's Remedy. It contains no Arsenic, Potash, or other mineral, but is strictly a vegetable blood purifier and tonic that can be taken without fear of any hurtful effects, and with perfect assurance of a speedy and lasting cure. Our illustrated book on the Skin and its Diseases contains much plain and practical information about eruptive diseases, their cause and cure, how to take care of the skin, etc., that will be of inestimable value to all sufferers. We will mail you a copy free.

Write us about your case and our physicians will gladly furnish any information or advice desired without charge.

Father—Can you give me any assurance that you are able to support my daughter? Suitor—Certainly, here are seventeen medals I got for rescuing persons from drowning last summer.—The Chelsea Gazette.

The officers and crew of the cruiser Chicago arrested in Venice for disorderly conduct have been sentenced to imprisonment for terms of three and four months.

"A neighbor ran in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when my son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician, who stands high in his profession. After administering three doses of it, my son regained consciousness and recovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va. This Remedy is for sale by W. M. Yearby.

IN FRIGHT AND FLIGHT from the flames. The danger from fire is ever present—can't get away from it. Need less to say, therefore, that it's the part of wisdom to have your house and property insured in a reliable company. We will furnish you with a policy that insures liberal and honorable methods.

James Southgate & Son's, Insurance Agency. Phone 46. Office over Morehead Banking Co. —sept17—

EGGS FOR HATCHING. STANDARD BRED White Leghorn and Barred Plymouth Rock. Every egg guaranteed to be strictly fresh and fertile. For sale by F. G. BATTLE, Durham, N. C. Large stock of Poultry Foods on hand for sale at reasonable prices. mar12-d&w

HER BEAUTY RESTORED. When my daughter was three months old Eczema broke out on her head and continued to spread until her head was entirely covered. She was treated by several good doctors, but grew worse, and the dreadful disease spread to her face. She was taken to two celebrated health springs, but received no benefit. Many patent medicines were taken, but without result, until we decided to try S. S. S., and by the time the first bottle was finished, her head began to heal. A dozen bottles cured her completely and left her skin perfectly smooth. She is now twenty years old, and has a magnificent growth of hair. Not a sign of the dreadful disease has ever returned. H. T. SHOBE. 2914 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.



ALL HAVANA FILLER. Cubanola cigars cost one-third more to manufacture than other 5 cent cigars. Why Should you not have this benefit? SAVE THE BANDS FOR PRESENTS

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers of the Town of Durham. I am compelled to settle with the Finance Committee the first of May. Please call at my office at once and settle your taxes and save cost. No further indulgence can be given. If you would qualify yourself to vote at the next election you must pay your taxes before the first day of May. J. R. PATTON, City Tax Collector. April 12-till may 1

Bishop Kelley's attack on President Roosevelt, made in an address in Savannah on last Saturday, creates great interest among Catholic authorities in Washington.

An experiment is to be made in Mississippi of picking cotton by machinery. The device was invented by a Pittsburg man.

A VALUABLE MEDICINE For Coughs and Colds in Children. "I have not the slightest hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all who are suffering from coughs or colds," says Chas. M. Cramer, Esq., a well known watch maker, of Colombo, Ceylon. "It has been some two years since the City Dispensary first called my attention to this valuable medicine and I have repeatedly used it and it has always been beneficial. It has cured me quickly of all chest colds. It is especially effective for children and seldom takes more than one bottle to cure them of hoarseness. I have persuaded many to try this valuable medicine, and they are all as well pleased as myself over the results." For sale by W. M. Yearby.

B. N. DUKE, President. JOHN F. WILY, Cashier. THE FIDELITY BANK DURHAM, N. C. Capital \$100,000.00 Surplus \$85,000.00 Deposits \$700,000.00. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. This branch of our business has gradually grown until we have issued 1,675 SAVINGS BOOKS. In order to encourage thrift and economy among our people we receive from \$1.00 up and allow interest thereon. Safety Deposit Boxes for rent. This Bank is authorized by its charter to act as Guardian, Executor, Administrator, Trustee, Agent, etc. jan26-3m

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Lloyd's Hardware Store, Durham, N. C. Examination of Applicants. An examination of applicants for certificate to teach in the Durham Graded Schools will be held on Saturday, May 17th, at Morehead School. By order of School Board. a24-td. Administrators' Notice. Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Malinda Weaver, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against her estate to present the same to me on or before the 30th day of March, 1902, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will please make immediate payment. T. J. MITCHENER, Adm'r of Malinda Weaver. This March 26th, 1902. THE WEEKLY SUN, \$1 per year.