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Parties leaving town should not fail to let the News follow them daily with the news of Washington fresh and crisp.

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BETTER ROADS IN BEAUFORT COUNTY. With better and smoother roads a person could put on double the load which he now brings to town and trot his team with less exertion than the same team now pulls one-half the load.

With better and smoother roads a person hauling vegetables, Irish potatoes and other produce could transfer it from his farm to the depot in much better order than it can possibly be gotten there with the roads full of holes, violently shaking the product as is now the case.

With better and smoother roads a cart or wagon would last twice as long as it is now possible to make it last, and during the life of the cart and wagon there would not be one-third as many breakdowns nor repair bills.

With better and smoother roads the ease and comfort with which the travel would ride, one would far more than be repaid for the little extra efforts to make the roads better and smoother.

With better and smoother roads you would be relieved of this jerking, jumping and tossing from side to side in your efforts to hold your seat as is now the case.

PAVE MAIN STREET. The business interests of Washington necessarily demand that Main street be paved to the Norfolk Southern station.

The News is of opinion that if the improvement committee will pave to McNair street that the Norfolk Southern would complete the work to their station.

We do not think this would be asking too much of them inasmuch as the Coast Line paid for the work on Gladden street.

It would be far better to do this and leave off any work on Harvey or VanNorden streets.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM. Does Washington need a fire alarm system? Everyone says yes as soon as the fire bell rings and they are unable to locate the blaze.

It is all forgotten—not to be remembered again until the next alarm is sounded. The Board of Aldermen could not invest the same amount of money in anything which would be worth half so much to the city as would a complete and up-to-date fire alarm system.

WINNING OF BRIDGET MALONEY. "Thank you, Bridget," said Mrs. Williams as the new girl slammed the tray on the table before her.

A faint glimmer of surprise came into the aulien face. "Huh?" she interrogated.

"I said, 'Thank you,' it was kind of you to climb those long stairs," responded Mrs. Williams, pleasantly.

"It's a new broom that sweeps clean," but it won't last," muttered Bridget, in her own domain.

But when day after day passed and she never failed to receive the same perfect politeness from her employer her wonder increased.

Bridget was used to commands, but not to requests. She was accustomed to curt, supercilious, "That will do," but not to a kindly, "Thank you, Bridget," and she insensibly softened at the change.

Mrs. Williams treated her servants like human beings, not like machines. And while she ever maintained that nice reserve which forbade familiarity, yet she scrupulously respected the rights of others.

"Sure, one would be a haythen to be easy to Mrs. Williams," said Bridget, after a month's stay in her new home. "She has a way of making ye feel so polite and pleased with yerself that ye want to please her, and I'll stay with her as long as my name is Bridget Maloney."—E. M. C. in Mother's Magazine.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. Chicago, June 4.—There was a bulge of 7-4 to 2-8 cents on opening wheat, but market soon broke sharply.

Results Yesterday

National League. Cincinnati-New York game postponed; rain. Pittsburgh-Brooklyn game postponed; wet grounds. St. Louis-Philadelphia game postponed; rain.

American League. Philadelphia 1, Detroit 6. Washington 2, Cleveland 7. New York 3, Chicago 2. Boston-St. Louis game postponed; rain.

Virginia League. Norfolk 6, Richmond 0. (Twelve innings; darkness.) Portsmouth-Danville game postponed; cold weather.

Carolina League. Winston-Salem 6, Greensboro 2. Charlotte 3, Spartanburg 2. Anderson 5, Greenville 1.

Eastern Carolina League. Raleigh 7, Wilmington 8. Goldsboro 0, Rocky Mount 2. Fayetteville 2, Wilson 1.

HAND BLOWN OFF

After Lighting Fuse to Explosive Man Found It Impossible to Drop it Before Explosion.

Wadesboro, June 2.—The strangest accident ever reported in this section happened at Hunt's construction camp of the Winston-Salem South-bound railway, six miles north of Wadesboro.

Christopher Leard, a blacksmith, is dangerously injured as the result of the explosion of a stick of dynamite in his hand.

His right hand was blown off and the stick was blown into small splinters, many of them entering the right thigh, cutting great holes in the flesh.

After the accident Mr. Leard walked a mile to the camp and approached Mr. Hunt and held out the bleeding stump, where his hand had been and remarked: "Just look here what I have done to my hand."

Mr. Leard, who is 60 years old and an Irishman, is totally unable to explain the condition of mind which made it impossible for him to drop the dynamite before the explosion.

He had from a half to a full minute in which to do this, and one person called upon him to throw the explosive away.

He says that he lit the fuse which was about a foot long, while holding the stick in his hand and that he was horrified to discover that as the burning fuse got nearer and nearer he could not even to save his life throw it from him.

Physicians are in attendance and every effort is being made to save his life. Mr. Leard has been with the Hunt Company for many years and his home is in Peoria, Ill.

COTTON. New York, June 4.—Cotton opened steady in spite of the fact that cables were disappointing and weather conditions favorable.

STOCKS. New York, June 4.—The stock market showed pronounced strength at the opening, and early trading with many issues showing gains of a point or more.

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