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MIGHTY FINE.
It's mighty fine—this weather—for many a bending tree
In shaking down its blossoms in a shower over me;
And I know the girls are going where the honeysuckles grow,
And the stream's in music flowing, and I'm far away from snow!
It's mighty fine—this weather—if the winds are rather free
And rumple up the blossoms, still they blow 'em over me!
And I see the daisies foaming in the meadows where I go,
And I'm mighty fond of roaming when I'm far away from snow!
—F. L. Stanton.

MARRIED THEM UP A TREE.
Minister and Bridal Couple Driven Aloft by a Bull.

Miss Lizzie Swanger and Harry Bangler, her accepted suitor, quarreled at a party held at a neighbor's house, near Montrose, Pa. Shortly before midnight they returned to their homes. They were accompanied by the Rev. W. Hunter. The party had occasion to pass through a field. Here they were pursued by a furious bull and all three took to a tree. Miss Swanger climbed one tree and Bangler and the minister the adjoining two. The infuriated bull ran around and around the tree, bellowing and throwing the earth in the air. The trio remained up the trees nearly an hour and no relief came. The bull still stood guard.
Thinking this an excellent time to reconcile the couple the minister began. His work was done, however, almost before he had begun. The couple desired to be married then and there, thinking they were about to meet a tragic death, and the minister married them. Bangler had had a license in his pocket for several weeks. The lovers could just join hands when where they clung, and when they got a grip they held it, while Mr. Hunter performed the ceremony.
When the good man had concluded Farmer Stone and his two boys drove up with a load of ice. An explanation was hastily spoken and the bull was driven away, the preacher kissed the bride and received his fee, and the party were driven to the residence of Mr. Bangler.

Something to Think About.
Misers live in hovels.
Rich men have lived in dug-outs.
Poor men have lived in mansions.
Men of shoddy have lived in palaces.
By the house we live in so may we not be judged, but so will we must always be reckoned.
Men of genius may wear frayed pantaloons and go with unkempt hair, but worn out trousers and scraggy hair are not marks of genius, for those things the tramps have also.
Many a clerk on his littl' pay is dressed better than his employer, but he is no less a valuable clerk for that.
There are branches from even the straightest beaten track of safety, but the law of averages accepted by the majority to follow than even the successful rules of exception.
The well dressed man is more likely to be a prosperous man than the man of shabby overcoat, and the poorly-dressed man is more likely to be an unsuccessful man than the man with tailor-made clothes.
The beautiful office may be a den of swindlers, but it more likely to be the business home of a profitable business.

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NO. 7 FULTON MARKET, New York.
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On account of our intimate acquaintance and frequent transaction with the Grocery trade of the West and South we are able to handle N. C. Fish to the best possible advantage, and we are known everywhere as the largest distributors in this market.

WORK OF FIRE-BUGS.
A \$200,000 Blaze in Portsmouth.
FINE CHURCH BURNED
The Splendid Catholic House of worship Destroyed.

A series of incendiary attempts to burn the city of Portsmouth, Va., which have been made for several nights for the past ten days, culminated early Sunday morning in a destructive conflagration, which wiped out several blocks, entailing damage of \$200,000. It started in Whiteshurst Hall, a large two-story building on Glasgow street. The flames spread under the influence of a stiff breeze with remarkable rapidity, and quickly communicated with the buildings adjacent to the hall. Everything in that block being burned, the flames crossed over to London, into the block bounded by Queen, Green and Washington streets, and also spread on down Glasgow, across Greenstreet.
In less than twenty minutes after the hall had been discovered ablaze the sparks had been carried across three blocks to St. Paul's Catholic church, sacred edifice was soon wrapped in flames.
The entire Portsmouth department was out fighting bravely, but proved absolutely unable to cope with the flames. The Norfolk department was called upon, and sent over the engine, reel and truck, and two companies.
About the same time the church caught another fire was discovered in South Portsmouth. The navy yard engine went to the scene and succeeded in getting the flame under control after several houses had been destroyed. It then came on up to the church, where the wildest confusion prevailed. The fire had crossed High street and one by one destroyed the row of two-story buildings between Dinwiddie and Washington streets, then ate its way around on Dinwiddie and destroyed St. Joseph's Hall. The beautiful church was a mass of ruins, with its great roof fallen in, and the flames eating its very heart out. The other side of the street was a sheet of flames. The unprotected condition of the city, and the wholesale robbery of the furniture and other valuable articles piled in the street, made it necessary to call out the city battalion of militia, consisting of the Old Dominion Guards and the Rifles.
The fire burned for six hours before it was under control.

Each successive advertisement gains an impetus and influence from the previous one.—*Francis' Ink.*

Will Walk on Water.
Captain Robert Cook, of Americus, Ga., who is in Boston, Mass., has announced that he is making arrangements to walk on the water of the Ohio river from Pittsburg to Cincinnati.
"Captain" Cook is only 23 years old, and weighs 120 pounds. He will attempt to make the journey in fifteen days on a waver of \$1,000. The total distance is between 450 and 500 miles.

How Girls Should Consider Proposals.
"My dear girl, when a man asks you to become his wife you ought to put some questions to yourself," writes Ruth Ashmore to girls on "The Profession of Marriage," in the April Ladies' Home Journal. "Satisfy yourself that you love this man well enough, not only to be happy with him, but, if need be, to suffer with him. Decide for yourself if this be the man of all others in whom you will find your ideal companion, for companionship means as much in marriage as in friendship. Then, you must think of the future. Ask yourself, too, whether this man brings out in you all that is best, whether he provokes that which is little and mean in you, or whether he piques you into making light of that which is good. Decide whether this man is the one with whom you would, without hesitancy, submit questions that trouble your conscience. Then, too, you must ask yourself what seems, perhaps like a trivial question, whether this man is one whose name you will feel honored in bearing, not because of any material wealth he may possess, but because of his being an honest gentleman. Think out all these things, ask yourself question upon question, not only as to his fitness, but as to yours, and then, if you give him the loving answer that he wishes, try to become thoroughly acquainted with him."

See that it is there!
This is the trade-mark which is on the wrapper (salmon-colored) of every bottle of the genuine SCOTT'S EMULSION. Be sure this is on the package, and that nothing else is palmed off on you when you ask for it.
Nothing has been made that equals it to give strength and solid flesh to those who are run down or emaciated.
Your doctor will tell you that it is the one food for all those whose weight is below the standard of health.
Put up in 50 cts. and \$1.00 sizes, and sold by all druggists.
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HORDE OF OFFICE SEEKERS.
Eighty Thousand Postoffice Applications Received.

Since the change of administration at Washington City, over 80,000 applications for post-offices have been filed at the Postoffice Department. The number is said to be somewhat smaller than that of four years ago. All the papers have been recorded and classified and the cases made up to date.
Up to the close of business Saturday the appointment division of the Interior Department has recorded 1,000 applications for Presidential positions under the Interior Department.

Found it in the Bible.
(New York Times.)
When John McNulty was arraigned in Jefferson Market Court the other day for having been found drunk in the hallway of 113 Christopher street the previous night Magistrate Crane asked him what he had to say for himself.
"I but obeyed the teachings of the Bible," he pleaded.
"I don't think you did," replied the Court. "The policeman says you were drunk."
Taking the Bible used for administering oaths to witnesses, McNulty turned the pages rapidly and read from Proverbs xxxi, 6-7: "Give strong drink unto him that is ready to perish, and wine unto those that be heavy of heart. Let him drink and forget his poverty and remember his misery no more."
"Discharged!" was the brief comment of the Court.

New Jersey raising cotton.
Joseph Vance, a farmer living near Cape May, N. J., who last year raised several samples of rice and cotton which turned out satisfactory will this season enter more largely on the plan by planting a large amount of ground in the two staples. Owing to the mildness of the climate due to the peculiar insular position of Cape May, the southern products it is claimed will prosper there.
A big New York firm, it is said is paying for the experiments.

Wreath sent by McKinley.
A beautiful floral wreath from the White House conservatories, and a touching letter of condolence from President McKinley, were received this week by the family of Brakeman William Painter, who died at Pittsburg, Pa., on Tuesday from injuries received at the Union Depot, Pittsburg, when the inaugural train pulled in. Painter was fatally injured through being crushed against a post by the crowd that was thronging McKinley's train.

The Kind of Public Officers we Are Getting.
(Statesville Landmark.)
One of the "new issue" magistrates of Chambersburg township gave a gentleman a receipt a few days ago, which read as follows: "Received of— Three Dollars in full of all payment from the Birth of Christ to the death of the Devil."

No Gripe
When you take Hood's Pills. The big, old-fashioned, sugar-coated pills, which tear you all to pieces, are not in it with Hood's. Easy to take and easy to operate, is true of Hood's Pills, which are up to date in every respect. Safe, certain and sure. All druggists. 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE.
Charles Bobo Convicted for the Killing of James Washington.
WILL HANG MAY 14TH.
The Murder Occurred at the New Berne Fair.

The trial of Charles Bobo, at New Berne, charged with the murder of James Washington, both colored, resulted in a verdict of guilty. The jury was out all night, and after rendering their verdict, Judge Ewart sentenced Bobo to be hanged on the 14th of May.
The parties were rival Jockeys at the New Berne Fair, and the trouble between the men arose over the merits of their respective horses.
MADE FIFTEEN KNOTS.
The Gunboat Wilmington Earned \$15,000 Premium.
After waiting in harbor at New London, Conn., nearly a week and making three unsuccessful attempts for an official speed trial, the gunboat Wilmington went over the course of twenty-seven miles; straight away and return, in the total elapsed time of 3 hours, 35 minutes and 54 seconds, making an average of fifty and a fraction knots per hour, unofficial time and subject to correction.
The Wilmington's contract called for thirteen knots, and her work won for the builders a premium of at least \$40,000.
Four More Saved.
It is believed that Captain Paul Jagueneau, Second Mate M. Nicalal, one of the engineers and one of the firemen of the French line steamer Ville de St. Nazaire, which was wrecked off Cape Hatteras on the 7th inst., an account of which was given in the FISHERMAN & FARMER last week, have been saved.
The British steamer Maroa, from Norfolk for Hamburg, while passing the Lizard Saturday made signals which were understood to mean "We have rescued the captain, second mate, engineer and fireman of the Ville de St. Nazaire."

Hunting Fight News at Sea.
An amusing incident occurred on the last passage from Boston to Savannah on the steamer Nacoochee, Captain Smith. While the steamer was under full steam a rowboat was sighted off Cape Hatteras. The men in the boat signalled for the Nacoochee to stop, and, thinking that they might be shipwrecked sailors. The captain caused the steamer to slow down. When within hailing distance of the boat he was informed that it belonged to a fishing schooner which was seen in the distance. The men in the boat simply wanted to know who won the fight at Carson.

Heir to a Fortune in Austria.
Mark M. Dintonfass, a white barber living at Charlotte, N. C., has received notice from the Austrian Consul at Philadelphia that he is part heir to a fortune of three hundred thousand florins left him by his grandmother, who recently died in the little town of Torwad, Austria. A letter from Austria states that a portion of the legacy will be sent to him at once.

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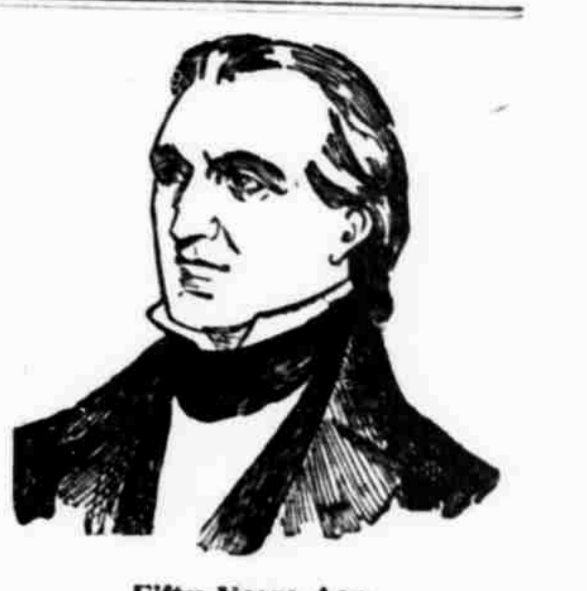
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