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**Wrecked on Hatteras.**  
The dreaded outer Diamond Shoals off Cape Hatteras have claimed as their victim another ship and her cargo. The big tramp steamer Hesperides, loaded with a cargo of iron pyrites and bound from Santiago de Cuba to Baltimore, stranded there Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock, but was not discovered until Monday evening. She is now pounding on the sands, and, together with her cargo, will prove a total loss. An almost impenetrable fog prevailed at the time the Hesperides went ashore and it was impossible to avoid the shoals.

**SEÑORITA CISNEROS.**  
The Beautiful Cuban Girl Now in New York.  
STORY OF HER ESCAPE.  
How the Spanish Detectives Were Skillfully Eluded.  
SHE CAME ON THE STEAMER SENECA.  
A Youth, Juan Sola, Boarded the Steamer at Havana, But Later This Youth Proved to be None Other Than Señorita Cisneros.

Juana Sola, alias Cosío Cisneros, and dressed in a becoming red gown. Capt. Stevens, commander of the Seneca, was angry when he discussed the Cisneros incident with the reporters. He said: "Since the commencement of the present insurrection it has been the custom of the Spanish authorities to post a couple of detectives at the head of the gang way of ships lying at Havana. We arrived at 6 a. m. on Saturday and left at 8 p. m., during which time the detectives did not leave the head of the gang plank. Just before the Seneca sailed, the chief of police, his deputy and his secretary came aboard. Señorita Cisneros had escaped two days previously and yet they asked no questions and made no search for her, although upon three former occasions, they had searched the Seneca from stem to stern and kept to promenade deck while looking for suspects."

**THE PARK FAIR.**  
The 2:35 pace and trot and 2:20 trot on the last day of the Fair, will draw a large crowd. The horses entered in the races are making it at the Norfolk fair this week in 2:15 1/4. Exhibitors are requested to state plainly to the secretary of the fair, when making entries, whether competing for special or regular premiums. Be sure and do this so as to avoid confusion. Steamer Nellie will commence her regular trips to and from the Fair as follows: Tuesday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 9 a. m.; Thursday, 9 a. m.; Friday, 9 a. m. Leave the Pettit wharf, foot of Fearing street, and make 20 minute trips. Fare, five cents.

**MOYOCK, Currituck Co.**  
Mr. Watts Jordan has a very sick child.  
Miss Aggie Davis, who has been quite ill, is improving.  
Mr. J. J. Morse, Jr., of Camden, was in the village Sunday.  
J. L. DeComis, of Shawboro, was here on business Monday.  
Mrs. Jordan Lee went to Norfolk Tuesday, visiting and shopping.  
Miss Gertrude Allen, of Greensboro, is teaching school at Snowden.  
Quite a number of our people visited the Norfolk fair last week.  
Mr. E. F. Humphries, of Tullis, is quite ill in the hospital at Norfolk.  
Mrs. W. H. West went to Norfolk Monday and returned Tuesday.  
Mr. J. J. Morse, Jr., and H. L. Davis, went to Norfolk on business Monday.  
Mrs. R. E. Flora, of Shawboro, was the guest of Mrs. W. L. Wilson, Tuesday.  
Miss Gertrude Allen, of Snowden, was the guest of Mrs. W. L. Wilson, Saturday.  
Miss Rena Nichols, of North-west, was the guest of the Misses Barnard, Sunday.  
Mrs. Wm. Sandford, of Norfolk, is visiting her brother, Mr. T. B. Jones here this week.  
Mrs. Patsy Flora, of Tullis, left Tuesday for Norfolk, to visit her sister, Mrs. Susan Harris.  
Mr. W. P. Creekmore left Wednesday for New Bern on business, and returned Friday.  
Mr. Edgar West left Tuesday for quite an extended pleasure trip through this State and Virginia.

**WATSON'S RASH DEED**  
DRINK LED HIM TO MURDER HIS WIFE AND TAKE HIS OWN LIFE  
She Threatened to Leave Him On Account of His Drinking and Bad Treatment.  
A terrible double crime was committed in the northern part of Raleigh at 6:45 Monday morning. Al Watson, son of Engineer Gib. Watson (who lost his life in the railway collision near Rockingham last year), shot his wife and then blew out his own brains. He was a machinist at the Seaboard Air Line repair shops and was married July 16 last. He was drinking Sunday and was very quarrelsome. He became angry with her because she reproached him for drinking. Her little sister, Katie Pierce, was in the house Sunday night when Watson threw his wife violently to the floor. He then left, but returned and it seemed there was a reconciliation. But early Monday morning the little girl heard her sister crying. She said she was going to leave and that she would kill herself. He said: "I will kill you before you go." "Do so," she replied, "and then you will be hanged." He said: "I will kill you and myself." The girl ran to call help. As she re-entered the room, Watson threw his wife on the bed and shot her in the side, then stood up and blew out his brains. As he fell the dying woman dragged herself from the bed and crawled to his side. He died at 9:20.

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**Card of Thanks.**  
On behalf of myself and crew, I wish to return heartfelt and sincere thanks to all who assisted us in our hour of misfortune. I shall ever remember the kindness and hospitality shown us by all whom we met. I have written, on behalf of all, an account of our wreck, with our thanks, to the New York Herald, with request that they publish same. I especially desire to return thanks to Capt. Lev. Quiddle and his excellent mate, Henry Ballance, for their many acts of courtesy and kindness to us during our trip with them, and beg to assure them that we will ever hold them in fond remembrance and gratitude.  
S. O. WILLIAM,  
Late Master S. Ship Hesperides,  
Oct. 14, 1897.  
Ayer's Hair Vigor, which has outlived and superseded hundreds of similar preparations, is undoubtedly the most fashionable as well as economical hair-dressing in the market. By its use, the poorest head of hair soon becomes luxuriant and beautiful.

She was an iron screw steamer of 2,290 tons gross and 1,394 tons net, built at Liverpool by R. & J. Evans in 1884, and owned in England by O. Williams. She was 286 feet in length. Her master was Captain S. O. Williams.  
The crew, twenty three in number, arrived in Elizabeth City Wednesday afternoon and left yesterday for Norfolk, Va.

Miss Cisneros was given some articles of feminine wearing apparel by the stewardess of the Seneca.  
A. C. Stewart, an Englishman, who embarked at Tampico, and who speaks Spanish, said that he sat opposite Miss Cisneros at the table during the voyage and that when she saw the Cape Hatteras light she fell upon her knees upon the deck and prayed devoutly. Mr. Stewart says he found the rescued Cuban a most pleasant companion. She had her hair pinned up in a coil, worn under a sombrero, when she embarked, disguised as a ranchman.  
New York, Oct. 13.—The Cuban Junta issued an invitation to the people of Greater New York and vicinity interested in Señorita Cosío Cisneros and the cause of Cuba to attend a reception to be tendered to the rescued young woman at Delmonico's on Fifth Avenue Saturday night. The reception will really be a demonstration of sympathy with the struggling republic, and speakers of national reputation will address the gathering.

**Always Be Honest With the People.**  
In business, in politics and in all things, it is best to be square, honest, truthful and sincere. The demagogue and the trickster, the political jockey and the Janus faced pie-hunter, can only stay on top a short time. The end of all such men is worse than the beginning. The truth is mighty and will prevail. In the end right will come out on top. Every deceiver will be known and every jackass will have his ears exposed.

**A GOOD PRAYER.**  
An exchange tells the following: "An old railroad man who had drifted into church where a revival was going on was asked to lead in prayer, and this is the way he did it: 'O Lord, now that I have flagged Thee, lit up my feet off the rough and plant them safely on the platform of the train of salvation. Let me use the safety lamp known as prudence, make all the couplings of the train the strong link of Thy Love, and let my hand lamp be the Bible. And Heavenly Father, keep all the switches closed that lead off onto the siding, especially those with the blind end. O Lord, if it be Thy pleasure, have every semaphore along the line show the white light of hope, that I may make the run of life without stopping. And Lord, give us the Ten Commandments for schedule, and when I have finished the run on schedule time, pulled into the great dark station of Death, may Thou the Superior tendent of the Universe, say, Well done thou good and faithful servant; come and sign the pay roll and receive a check for eternal happiness.'"

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In modish dress goods—in popular fads and fancies—in fall of '97 weaves and colorings—at prices so reasonable that it will further herald our store as the dress goods store. New English curls—latest novelty chevrons—newest mixtures—fashionable and exclusive ideas for autumn. Many of these—bought under the new tariff rates—would be increased in price fully 25 per cent. An especially handsome line of autumn novelties—in the proper colorings—ideal fabrics for stylish costumes—values, 35 cents. A dret goods stock that meets any requirement, at prices the most reasonable.

Miss Cisneros' escape and safe arrival on the Seneca, was one of the most daring feats ever attempted and successfully carried out. While she was still in prison her friends secured a passport for one, Juan Sola, and stateroom No. 3 on the Seneca was held in the same name. This was three days before the boat sailed. On the Saturday when the Seneca was to leave Havana, detectives watched her gangways with extra precaution. All day long they remained at their post, examining the passports which all passengers have to show before leaving Havana. Their vigilance would probably have prevented the departure of Miss Cisneros from Cuba, had it not been for a little refreshment which was served to them by friends of Miss Cisneros who were aboard the Seneca. The refreshment included wine. The chief of police of Havana came aboard while the refreshment part of the plot was in progress, and it is alleged that he too fell a victim to the wiles of the Cisneros faction.

A few minutes before the Seneca was ready to pull out from her dock, a slim young fellow came running across the wharf. He had no baggage and was fashionably dressed. He walked up the gang plank. The detectives stopped him "My name is Juan Sola," he said, and he showed his passport. Everything was satisfactory, so the Senator was allowed to go on board. It is said that if it had not been for the wine, the strange tremble and rather curious figure of Señor Sola might have excited the suspicions of the Spanish detectives. But the scheme worked successfully. Miss Cisneros' friends, when they saw that everything was satisfied, disembarked and watched the ship pull slowly out under the stars and stripes.

**AUTUMN IDEAS.**  
An early showing of newest autumn ribbons—the new, beautiful Roman Stripes—French and basket plaids—the novelty stripes, checks and brocades—fashionable shades—at careful prices. Autumn Kid Gloves—prices not affected by tariff changes—in black and correct colorings—a leader in our glove stock—special at \$1.00 per pair. Clever ideas and reasonable prices in new silks, velvets and braids. Dainty silks in the roman stripes—taffeta fancies—moire velvets—plain taffetas—sourah—values beginning at 5 cents and up to 25 cents. Excellent value in trilling lengths—in waist lengths—in skirt lengths.  
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Miss Cisneros did not court danger any more than was necessary, and at once went to her cabin. The next day, however, when Morro Castle was left far behind, she appeared on deck transformed into Señorita

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Reports coming in from all sections, are of the most gratifying character to the managers of the Fair. We know of one family who have so far completed seventeen exhibits for the Fair, so you can judge the magnitude of the display. It is not confined to the elder class, but the juveniles are exercising their genius in developing something to bring to it. Even the little children have directed their minds to invent something to take to it. Keep the ball in motion, and success will crown your efforts. Some of the articles we have had the pleasure of seeing and they are perfectly exquisite. Let the fruits of home industry be unveiled at the New Feature Fair.  
A dose that is always seasonable is a dose of Simmonds Liver Regulator, the "King of Liver Medicines." It keeps the liver active; the bowels regular; prevents biliousness; and promotes digestion. In fact helps "keep you well." I have watched its effects in families where I have practiced, and find it admirable; both alterative and tonic in its action.—Dr. T. W. Mason, Macon, Ga.

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