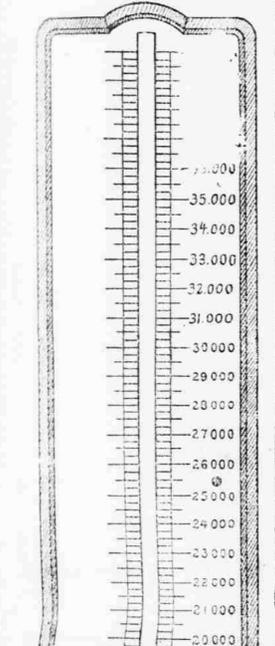


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Committees Convassing For The New Building Do a Magnificent Day's Work—Women Confident of Winning Out.

The most enthusiastic meeting of the Y. W. C. A. in the big financial campaign for the new Young Women's Christian Association building was held here today at the Selwyn ball room.



Methodist Laymen Meet. Dallas, Texas, March 21.—Laymen of the North Texas Conference of the M. E. Church, South, assembled here in considerable number today and began a two days' conference.

EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS. Concord, N. C., March 21.—R. A. Brown's Sons are today erecting a new machine for the manufacture of brick, and it is one of the latest models of the labor-saving pieces of mechanism.

May Establish Hatchery. Washington, N. C., March 21.—Mr. S. G. Worth, of the National Bureau of Fish and Game, is here for the purpose of ascertaining the advantages afforded and the possibility of establishing a fish hatchery in the vicinity of this city.

Portuguese Mourn for Crown Prince. Lisbon, March 21.—Had Crown Prince Luiz Philippe, who met death at the hands of the regicides last month, lived until today he would have been twenty-one years old.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL? Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy, Inflammation of the Bladder, Bad Blood and Nervous Troubles caused by Sick Kidneys.

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AMERICAN OFFICERS OF HIGH RANK AND OTHERS ENDORSE PE-RU-NA.

Prominent People Recommend the Remedy Pe-ru-na.

Dr. Hartman's World Renowned Catarrh Medicine.

A Remedy for the Grip. Gen. W. H. Parsons, 925 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "Upon the recommendation of personal friends and many strong testimonials to the efficacy of Peruna in the treatment of the numerous symptoms of the grip with which I have been affected for four months past, I have been induced to undergo a treatment of this justly celebrated formula."

"I feel a decided change for the better by its use for one week only, especially in toning up the stomach, and a consequent decided effect upon my appetite. "I therefore feel much encouraged that I am on the road to complete restoration."

Pe-ru-na a Good Tonic. Gen. M. C. Butler, of South Carolina, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble."

"I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved."

"It is indeed a wonderful medicine, and besides a good tonic."

Colds in the Head and Throat. Chas. W. Bowman, 1st Lieut. and Adjt. 4th M. S. M. Cav. Vols., writes from Lanham, Md., as follows: "Though somewhat averse to patent medicines, and still more averse to becoming a professional affidavit man, it seems only a plain duty in the present instance to add my experience to the columns already written concerning the curative powers of Peruna."

"I have been particularly benefited by its use for colds in the head and throat. "I have been able to fully cure myself of a most severe attack in forty-eight hours by its use according to directions."

"I use it as a preventive whenever threatened with an attack."

"Members of my family also use it for like ailments."

"We are recommending it to our friends."

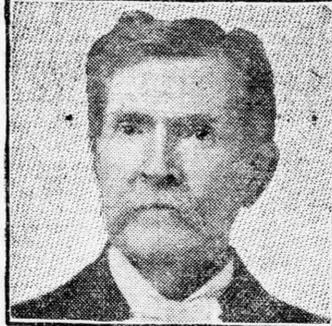
Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Total amount secured today: 2,000.00. Total amount secured to date: 4,545.00. Amount yet to be secured: 31,455.00.

Wilmington, N. C., Mar. 28.—From all reports from Washington and from the personal words of Wilmingtonians who have been looking into the matter it would seem that the next Congress will appropriate money to deepen the channel of the Cape Fear River to thirty feet. This has been the main project of the North Carolina Waterways Association, formed in this city some months ago, and President James H. Chadborn, of the association returned here last night and reports that he thinks the appropriation will be made, as the various Senators and Congressmen with whom he discussed the project, saw at once the great need of the river for a thirty-foot channel.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of the project comes from Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, large cotton exporters of this city. Aside from citing the fact that a deeper channel will increase their cotton exporting business, which already this year has amounted to upward of 500,000 bales, this helping this entire section, that in all probability they will arrange for a steamer line for passengers from here to Europe if the channel is deepened to thirty feet. The interior points of the State are vitally interested in the latter, on account of getting goods shipped in such manner and also getting competing low rates from the railroads on account of the water facilities offered.

Special to The News. Raleigh, N. C., March 20.—Appeals from the eighth judicial district, composed of Chatham, Moore, Scotland, Anson, Union and Richmond counties, will be called in the supreme court for argument next week, beginning Tuesday morning in the following order: Gullette vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway; Cuprie vs. Gilechrist; Phillips vs. Little; Owens vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad; Shaw vs. McKnight; Burns vs. Tomkinson (two appeals); Thompson vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway; Sash & Blind Co. vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.; Biggers vs. Matthews.

Special to The News. March 21.—The factory of the Newberry Brothers & Cowell Furniture Company, in the southern part of town, was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday night, entailing a loss of something over \$50,000, which is only partially covered by insurance. Fortunately no adjoining property caught and the local fire department made a splendid fight, though losing one of its reels, which was cut off by the flames, the men making a narrow escape. With the factory was burned about \$10,000 worth of valuable lumber on the yards upon which there was no insurance.



Recommends Pe-ru-na to the Afflicted.

Brig. Gen. D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C., writes concerning Peruna, as follows: "Friends of mine having used your Peruna catarrh cure with good results, I am impressed with its curative qualities, and can recommend it to those who are afflicted."

Pe-ru-na in Tablet Form.

Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

For Catarrh of the Stomach.

Gen. W. W. Dunfield, Washington, D. C., writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of prompt efficacy."

DEAFNESS CAUSED BY CATARRH—RELIEVED BY PE-RU-NA.

Gen. A. M. Legg, writes from the Savings Bank Building, Washington, D. C., as follows: "I take pleasure in endorsing the many recommendations I have heard and read of Peruna, because of having had knowledge of the truth of so many of them."

"We always tell our sick and ailing friends of the remedies that we have learned, from experience, were good for us when ailing in the same way, and we do it as a duty we feel that we owe them."

"Why is it any the less our duty to advise all the people we can when we know of a good and comparatively inexpensive remedy that makes many cures, and benefits in almost all cases?"

"My own little personal experience of being relieved of deafness, caused by a siege of catarrh, warrants me in advising all the afflicted to just try Peruna."



Used Pe-ru-na—Satisfied As to Its Merits—Recommends It to All Sufferers.

Gen. S. S. Yoder, 203 Md. Ave., N. E., Washington, D. C., writes: "I desire to say that I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits. I shall gladly recommend it to all sufferers."

For Kidney Trouble, Coughs, Colds and Catarrh.

Gen. A. T. Hawley, 1336 25th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble, and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrh trouble."

Convicted of Pe-ru-na's Merit.

Brig. Gen. J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C., writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine which will effect all that is claimed for its use."

These desirous of obtaining special directions with regard to the use of Peruna should write to Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

STRONG CHANGES FOR THE 30-FOOT CHANNEL TO SEA

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NEW BOOKS ADDED TO THE ATKINSON COLLECTION

The following list of books has just been added to the Atkinson Memorial missionary collection at the Carnegie library:

- Missions. Dawn on the Hills of T'Ange. Beach. Princes Men in the Heavens. Kingdom. Holding the Ropes. Brain Evolutions of New China. Brewster. Foreign Missionary. Brown. Latin America. Brown. Things As They Are. Carmichael. Overweights of Joy. Carmichael. Among the Burmans. Cochrane. Heroes of Missionary Enterprise. Field. Mission Problems and Mission Methods in South China. Gibson. Incoming Millions. Grose. Indian and Spanish Neighbors. Johnston. India's Problems, Krishna or Christ. Jones. Romance of Missionary Heroism. Lambert. Women of the Middle Kingdom. McNabb. Great Religions of India. Mitchell. Pastor and Modern Missions. Moit. Breaking Down Chinese Walls. Osgood. Pacific Islanders. Pierson. Twelve Little Pilgrims Who Stayed at Home. Scott. A Typical Mission in China. Southhill. Conquest of the Cross in China. Speicher. Missions and Modern History. Speer. Our Moslem Sisters. Sommer. Islam & Christianity in India. Wherry. Mohammedan World of To-day. Zwemer. Sociology. America's Awakening. Allen. Waifs of the Slums. Benedict. China in Legend and Story. Brown. Pattle With the Slum. Rhis. China and America Today. Smith. On the Trail of the Immigrant. Steiner. Christianity's Storm Centre. Stelke. Challenge of the City. Strong. History and Travel. Korea and Her Neighbors. Bishop. Child Life in China. Bryson. New Forces in Old China. Brown. Continent of Opportunity. Clark. Today in Syria and Palestine. Curtis. Dr. Grenfell's Parish. Duncan. Harvest of the Sea. Grenfell. Off the Rocks. Grenfell. The Egyptian Sudan. Giffen. Japanese Nation in Evolution. Griffis.

Evolution of the Japanese... Gulek. The Real Chinese Question. Holcombe. Red Rubber. Morel. Chinese Characteristics. Smith. Village Life in China. Smith. Fifteen Years Among the Top-Knots. Underwood. Lure of the Labrador Wild. Palestine. Wad. E. Ward. China's Only Hope. Woodbridge. Topsy Turvy Land. Zwemer. Biography. Life and Work of Rev. E. J. Peck. Lewis. John Mackenzie. Mackenzie. Fiction. Doctor Luke of the Labrador. Duncan. Chinese Quaker. Eyster. Little Green God. Mason. The Vanguard. Gale. Heart of the World. Sheldon.

Hardware Concern Bankrupt.

Salisbury, N. C., Mar. 21.—The hardware concern of C. Froneberger & Co., has gone into bankruptcy and a meeting of the creditors will be held in the office of John L. Rendleman at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 20th. Inst. Mr. Froneberger succeeded to the stand and business so successfully conducted for many years by Mr. D. A. Atwell. Poor business was the cause of the concern's embarrassment.

Furniture Factory Burned.

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