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Beeswax..... 20
Butter..... 10 to 15
Chickens..... 10 to 20
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Eggs..... 15
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A SPECIALTY Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 30 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fares and hotel bills, and discharge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide, potash, and still have aches and pains, itching patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Eruptions, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, or this Secondary BLOOD POISON, we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. \$500,000 capital behind our unconditional guarantee. Absolute proof sent sealed on application. Address **COOK REMEDY CO.** 301 Massena Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

How a Letter May Be Recalled.

Many times people would like to recall a letter after it has been mailed. This can be done, even if the letter has reached the post office at its destination. At every post-office there are what is called "withdrawal blanks." On application they will be furnished and when a deposit is made to cover the expense, the postmaster will telegraph to the postmaster at the letter's destination asking that it be promptly returned. The applicant first signs this agreement: "It is hereby agreed that, if the letter is returned to me, I will protect you from any and all claims made against you for such return and will fully indemnify you for any loss you may sustain by reason of such action. And I hereby deposit \$— to cover all expenses incurred and will deliver to you the envelope of the letter returned." In many cases persons have made remittances to fraudulent parties or irresponsible firms, not learning their true character until after the letter had gone, and have succeeded in recalling them. There is an instance where a Kansas City merchant had remitted a dishonest traveling man a draft for \$175 and by means of a withdrawal rescued the draft just in time.—Globe Democrat.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A Christmas Fruit Cake.

A delicious Christmas cake may be made by creaming together one pound of sugar and three-quarters of a pound of butter; add nine well beaten eggs and two tablespoonfuls of molasses, in which a teaspoonful of soda has been dissolved; a wine-glass of milk, one pound of flour, one pound each of currants and raisins, two ounces of citron, one grated nutmeg, and one teaspoonful each of cloves and cinnamon. This quantity will make two loaves.—December Ladies' Home Journal.

Christmas Holiday Rates.

The Southern Railway announces Christmas and New Year holiday rates 1896-7 at a very great reduction. Tickets to be sold between all stations of that company, within radius of 800 miles of actual selling point on December 22 to 25 inclusive and Dec 30, 1896 to January 1st, 1897 inclusive, good to return January 4th.

For the accommodation of students attending schools and colleges tickets will be sold to those presenting certificates from the Principals or Presidents of such institutions on Dec. 16 to Dec 28th, inclusive, with final limit of January 4th, '97. Call on any agent of the Southern Railway for detailed information as to rates, schedules, baggage checks.

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OFFICE: ST. CLOUD ANNEX

PHARR-YATES.

A Popular Society Couple Married in Charlotte.

The Charlotte Observer gives the following account of the marriage last night, of Mr. Henry Neal Pharr, to Miss Bertie Yates:

"The ceremony was solemnized at 9 o'clock in the Second Presbyterian church, by the pastor, Rev. John W. Stagg, in the presence of an assemblage of friends that completely filled the large building. The only decorations in the church were the masses of ferns and palms most tastefully arranged about the chancel. The doors had been opened half an hour previous to the time set for the ceremony, and when 9 o'clock arrived the church was filled to such an extent that the ushers had difficulty in keeping a passage way cleared for the bridal party. Then the lights flashed up, flooding the scene with brilliancy, and as Miss Nan Dowd, who presided at the organ, began the wedding march, the ribbon girls, Misses Adelaide Clarkson and Lizzie Faison, attired in white organdie, walked down the aisles and took their places at the altar. They were followed by the bridesmaid, Miss Berta Oates, who wore a gown of white silk and carried la France roses. The bride was dressed in white brocaded moire, and her veil was caught back with a spray of pearls and diamonds. She carried bridal roses in her hands as she entered the church with her brother, Mr. Will J. Yates. The groom entered with his brother, Mr. John Pharr, joining the bride at the altar. Around them were arranged the ushers, Messrs. Will K. Yates, W. H. Twitty, James Bell and David Yates, of Charlotte; Dr. H. M. Stuckey, of Sumter, S. C., and Mr. George L. Patterson, of Concord. The groom is a prominent and popular member of the Charlotte bar. The bride is a daughter of the late William J. Yates, who was editor of the Democrat, and is a great favorite in Charlotte social circles. Among the many handsome wedding gifts was a trunk filled with silverware, from the members of the Charlotte bar. The county commissioners gave testimony to their good wishes in a silver tea set.

There is no joy in this world equal to the happiness of motherhood. A woman's health is her dearest possession. Good looks, good times, happiness, love and its continuance, depend on her health. Almost all of the sickness of women is traceable directly or indirectly to some derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Troubles of this kind are often neglected because a very natural and proper modesty keeps women away from physicians, whose insistence upon examination and local treatment is generally as useless as it is common. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will do more for them than 90 doctors in 100. It will do more than the hundredth doctor can unless he prescribes it. It is a prescription of Dr. R. V. Pierce, who for 30 years has been chief consulting physician of the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y.

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A Complex Case.

A tall western girl named Short, long loved a certain big Mr. Little, while Little, little thinking of Short, loved a lass named Long. To make a long story short, Little proposed to Long, and short longed to be even with Little's shortcomings. So Short, meeting Long, which caused Little in a short time to marry Long. Did tall Short love big Little less because Little loved Long?—San Antonio Owl.

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Schedule effective Nov. 15, 1896.

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RICHMOND TO CHARLOTTE.

Eastern Time.	No. 11 Daily.	No. 35 Daily.		No. 9 Daily.
Lv Richmond	2 00 am			12 m
Amelia Court House				1 19 pm
Burkeville	3 24 am		No. 37 Daily.	1 15 pm
Keysville	3 59 am			2 35 pm
South Boston				3 49 pm
Danville	6 15 am	6 30 pm	5 50 am	No. 15 Daily.
Reidsville			6 25 am	5 05 am
Greensboro	8 10 am	7 37 pm	7 05 am	5 53 pm
High Point	8 37 am		7 27 am	6 55 pm
Salisbury	9 45 am	8 50 pm	8 17 am	7 21 pm
Concord	10 40 am	9 27 pm	8 48 am	8 25 pm
Ar Charlotte	11 30 am	10 00 pm	9 25 am	9 02 pm
Ar Spartanburg	3 15 pm	12 26 am	11 37 am	9 45 pm
Greenville	4 20 pm	1 20 am	12 28 pm	
Ar Atlanta (cen. time)	9 30 pm	5 10 am	3 55 pm	

CHARLOTTE TO RICHMOND.

Eastern Time.	No. 12 Daily.	No. 36 Daily.	No. 38 Daily.	No. 14 Daily.	
Lv Atlanta (cen. time)	7 50 am	11 50 pm	12 00 m		
Greenville	2 31 pm	5 40 am	5 30 pm		
Lv Spartanburg	3 47 pm	6 42 am	6 18 pm		
Lv Charlotte	6 40 pm	9 30 am	8 30 pm	5 40 am	No. 16 Daily.
Concord	7 22 pm	10 07 am	9 02 pm	6 17 am	
Salisbury	8 10 pm	10 47 am	9 36 pm	7 10 am	7 10 am
High Point	9 16 pm			8 18 am	8 10 am
Greensboro	9 52 pm	12 10 pm	01 44 pm	8 50 am	8 58 am
Reidsville	10 39 pm			9 30 am	
Danville	12 30 am	1 50 pm	12 00 Nt	1 50 pm	
South Boston	1 43 am			2 53 pm	
Keysville	3 06 am			4 06 pm	
Burkeville	3 55 am			4 47 pm	
Amelia Court House	4 36 am			5 24 pm	
Ar Richmond	6 00 am			6 40 pm	

SLEEPING-CAR SERVICE.

Nos. 37 and 38, Washington and Southwestern Limited. Solid Vestibuled Train between New York and Atlanta. Composed of Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars (minimum Pullman rate \$2.00; no extra fare). First-class Vestibuled day coach between Washington and Atlanta. Through sleeping cars between New York and New Orleans, New York and Memphis, New York, Asheville and Hot Springs, New York and Tampa, and Richmond and Augusta. Southern railway dining car between Greensboro and Montgomery.

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