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A Thorough Cleansing.

It will be remembered that THE STANDARD has time and again contended that the filthiest place in the county was the court room at the county's court house, and at the last term of court Judge Greene ordered that the room be cleansed. The order was read to the new board of commissioners at their recent meeting and as a consequence fifteen or more bushels of dirt, dust, tobacco quids, ambler, peanut hulls and other filth that contains microbes and disease germs, have been removed from the floor. The court house will be thoroughly cleansed, and arrangements will be made to keep it in appearance as neat as possible with the services of a janitor. For this one step the new board of Commissioners deserve special praise, and will doubtless receive the blessings of a grateful people.

A Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on the kidneys, liver and bowels; cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Dangerous Shooting.

Thursday night about 10 o'clock some hilarious son of Adam, either drunk or crazy, while going out Academy street, indulged in the promiscuous firing of a pistol. He began shooting on leaving Main street at Fisher's lane, and when reaching the grove at the graded school he turned and fired two shots in the direction of the Baptist church. Mr. W. W. Deaton, who was attracted to the back yard at his home by the successive firing, came near being shot, having seen the flashes and heard the balls sizzling by him. He thinks that whoever did the shooting took him for a post and thought that he would make a good target.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

Speaker Hileman.

The Charlotte News in its round up of the legislature says: If Senator Ambrose Hileman extends the precedent set by his predecessor, Mr. Walser, he may rise from his seat some day and cast the following votes: 1, Hileman; 2, Ambrose Hileman; 3, A. F. Hileman; 4, the gentleman from Cabarrus; 5, Mr. Speaker. It will be remembered that Mr. Zeb Vance Walser left the chair, voted as the member from Davidson, causing a tie on a resolution; then proceeded to break the tie by voting as Speaker of the House.

The Travelling Men's Banquet.

That phenomenal town of Southern Pines is always in the van for some nice entertainment. On next Tuesday evening, the 12th, there will be a grand banquet at Piney Woods Inn, complimentary to the commercial travelers of the Southern States. We regret very much our inability to avail ourselves of the courteous invitation to join the "boys."

We will live in hope of some more convenient time to visit that city in the woods.

Baptists Free from Mortgage.

Rev. J. J. Payson, pastor of the Baptist church, has succeeded in raising funds enough to take up a mortgage held against the church property to the amount of \$924.60, which was paid on Thursday. The church is now free from mortgage debt and in the spring will enlarge its house of worship, the present church being too small. The church is also figuring on building a parsonage on its property in the beautiful grove in rear of the church. The church has two building lots and will sell the lower lot at the highest cash price, and retain the upper one for their minister a home.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. m14

The New Firm.

Messrs. S. J. Erviah and O. L. Smith, who comprise the firm of Erviah & Smith, are destined to success. Their motto is to please everybody, and with the elegant assortment of plain and fancy groceries they have in store, they will hardly miss their aim. It actually makes one hungry to inspect their goods—they are so fresh and nice and of such great variety. The members of this firm are courteous and are well known to everybody. They will promptly deliver goods to any part of the city, when an order is left with them. We wish them well.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her recovery, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery saved her life. Mr. Thomas Eggers, 139 Florida St. Saa Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful it is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Fetzer's Drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

Hannan the Hoster.

Several weeks ago Daye Hannan bought a horse from Henry Steele and was to pay Steele \$10 for the horse Thursday. When the bill fell due, Steele called upon Hannan for the money, but not having money in hand, pointed to a stall and remarked to Steele: "There's your horse." Steele left the horse in the stable and proceeded to find a purchaser, but while gone Hannan took the horse and swapped it to one McCarty, who was to get boot to the amount of \$5. In stead of giving McCarty the \$5, Hannan took his horse and sailed off, leaving both Steele and McCarty in the soup. A warrant was taken out for his arrest and before another trade was made Hanna was in the clutches of the law. His trial was set for 10 o'clock this (Friday) morning, but the matter was adjourned between the three men before that time arrived. Hannan is a shrewd trader.

Last Notice—Town Taxes.

I must have your taxes by the 1st of January. I will have to settle with the town on that date. I hope all persons owing the same will call and settle at once. I will be compelled to advertise if not paid by that time. I hope you will settle and save costs. J. L. BOGER, Town Tax Collector.

Oct. 15, 1897

ALTGELD'S TENDER HEART.

He Pardons Some of the Worst Prisoners in the Illinois Penitentiary, and Commutes Sentences of Others.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Governor Altgeld capped the climax of an unusual pardon record yesterday by granting freedom to nineteen convicts, one of whom is John McGrath, for a decade the leader of the Henry street gang, and an arch enemy of the police.

Five other Cook county criminals were turned loose by the retiring Governor, but not all of them will be received in the city with so much fear and horror as the noted McGrath. Of much interest to the police also is the commutation of the sentence of Mamie Starr, a life prisoner at Joliet, sentenced from Chicago in 1890 for poisoning her employer. The sentence in her case was commuted to 12 years, and, allowing for percentage, she will soon be free.

Governor Altgeld also commuted the sentences of Charles J. and Frank R. Meadowcroft, convicted of receiving deposits up to the time their bank in Chicago was placed in the hands of a receiver, from one year in the prison to 60 days in jail.

Altgeld is the man who never tires of saying mean things about the man who Hon. Josiah Patterson, of Memphis, Tenn., says is the greatest American of his time, Grover Cleveland. Doctors will differ. It is safest to adhere to those of whom as much evil cannot be said as they desire to say of others.

Notice of Seizure.

Seized near Albemarle, on the 6th of January, 1897, the following property supposed to belong to John Brown, for violation of the Internal Revenue Laws of the United States, to wit:

1 horse, 1 mule, 1 two horse wagon and harness, 1 banjo, 2 buckets, 1 skillet and 2 empty kegs. Notice is hereby given to any one claiming said property to make claim for same to the undersigned at his office in Asheville N. C., in the manner and form prescribed by law, within 30 days of date herein mentioned, or the same will be declared forfeited to the government of the United States.

By SAM'L L. ROGERS, Collector 5th Dist of N. C. R. S. HARRIS, D. C. January 8th, 1897 w'4.

Why Attempt to Cure

catarrh by the use of so-called blood remedies? That catarrh is not caused by blood troubles is self-evident when you reflect that attacks are always due to sudden climatic changes or exposure, and occur most frequently during the winter and spring and, though the blood is as pure then as in the summer or fall. A remedy which quickly relieves and cures the catarrhal attacks has been found in Ely's Cream Balm.

A Missing Man.

Mr. John W. Sherman, a well known newspaper man of Lynchburg, Va., disappeared on the 17th of December. It is thought that he was suffering from temporary mental aberration. Any information concerning his whereabouts will be thankfully received at the Bonitz Hotel, Wilmington, N. C., or by Mrs. J. W. Sherman, Lynchburg, Va. State papers will please copy, as Mr. Sherman is believed to be in North Carolina.

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