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SUCH CRIMINAL FOLLY.

It is altogether astounding to note how some newspapers of the yellow kind and some individuals that like to read just that kind will jump to the wildest conclusions and will stand forth and proclaim to the people of this great nation that they have elected to the Presidency a man with no courage, no stability, no sense of honor, no sagacity and no individuality. They would have us believe that he is the blind instrument of corporate greed, moulded in the hands of Mark Hanna as mud marbles, and biscuits are moulded in juvenile hands.

Many an unwary citizen is swept off his feet by the flood of this frothy, turbid stream.

For intelligent personages, able to conduct a popular newspaper or wield influence in the community this evil is positive crime if there is crime in treason and anarchy. For those less responsible, it is as a foul miasma that robs one of that health-giving loyalty and patriotism that makes citizens and not vassals to discontent, distrust, evil surmising, pessimism and misanthropy.

President McKinley is not a focal centre, probably, of acumen, courage and statesmanship, but how strange that he should be so deficient in all that makes a President and yet have the solid support of his cabinet, should send away Congressmen with quiet tempers who were almost rebellious before an interview with him, and most of all how strange that perfect harmony seems to exist between him and Gen. Lee, our very own Southern Democratic Lee, the brave, the wise, the diplomatic Lee, now almost idolized North and South! Yes, Lee, who knows more of the Cuban situation and of Spanish temper probably than any other American, the man who would not stoop to hold a consulship under a government of base servility. Who will dare to say that Lee is moulded by Hanna? or that he would serve at this most difficult diplomatic post under an administration that he keeps informed on these vital questions, if that administration were merely trifling, temporizing, and conforming to motives so at variance with his high ideals of honor, courage and statesmanship?

Ours is a land of freedom of speech, but it were fortunate for some if they could not so readily advertise their own folly and shame, their constitution of all conceptions of that which is noble in others, by their foul and poisonous breath blown on every flower of beauty and order.

NOT AN ORDINARY DAY.

To the juvenile this is the day of all the year for pretty colors and stories of rabbit eggs, etc. For the more serious and the truly devout it is the celebration of the only full day in which the Saviour's body lay in the grave. For the mind that has a kind of patriotic chivalry apart from the weightier spiritual considerations it is memorable chiefly as the 33rd anniversary of the death of the Confederate cause in the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomattox.

But, with all that crowds into many a thoughtful mind, it is to many merely a day of pretty sunshine, some opening flowers, some singing birds, some verdant lawns and a general sense of idle holiday of rest from application and a vent to the passions and the appetites. To all it is a day not just as any common day.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

Richmond, April 8.—The Boston club beat the Richmonds in a close game today by the following score:

Richmond 0 2 0 8 0 0 0 2 0—7
Boston 0 0 3 0 0 3 0 1 0 1—8

Base-hits—Richmond, 11; Boston 12. Errors—Richmond 4; Boston 4.

Newport News, Va., April 8.—The Yale University baseball team today defeated the Hampton aggregation by a score of 12 to 0.

At Columbia, S. C.—Lafayette 21; South Carolina College 5.

At Atlanta—Wake Forest College, N. C., 11; Atlanta 7.

At Lynchburg, Va.—Johns' Hopkins 14; Beleyue High School 6.

Discovered By a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and was so much relieved on taking the first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs Luther Lutz. Thus writes W C Hannick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottle free at P. B. Fetzer's drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

It is now said that Gen. Lee is in possession of the missing link in the chain of evidence that the blowing up of the Maine was from Spanish design and accomplishment.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky." Sold by P B Fetzer's Drug Store.

Idea of a Mill Man.

William G Clark, in the "American Miller," pleads strongly for our mill men to maintain their enviable reputation of making the best and the purest flour in the world. He insists, too, that mill men urge their Congressmen to secure a law requiring flour to be branded correctly.

The blended flours, containing corn flour, corn starch or flourine, he says, is not unfair or dishonorable if understood as such, but he says it does not make as much or as good bread as pure wheat flour bread and will not be bought in the market at the same price if known.

He feels that the high repute in which the American mills are held will be hurt eventually by the yielding of some to take advantage of the cheaper blending way of making an article that is deceptive.

He argues well that blended flour should be branded, showing the proportion of the different ingredients, to be bought by those who will take the goods at that price.

In the meantime he claims that the flour blenders should be prosecuted and could be convicted under the act against obtaining money under false pretense.

He closes his rather lengthy article addressed to mill men and not absolutely vital to many others in the following strong paragraph: "Let us all put Our Shoulders to the Wheel and strive to uphold the reputation that we have as a class. By so doing we can prove that we are worthy of the confidence and esteem of our employers and their customers."

THE PUBLIC DEBATE

Of the Lyceum Held in Their Hall Friday Night—A Lively Discussion—An Excellent Critic's Report.

As announced, the public debate of the Lyceum was held Friday night in their hall. Attorney Luther Hartsell presided.

Attorney Morrison Caldwell read an essay, entitled, "How We Should Pronounce English," which was both interesting and instructive, and furnished valuable information for any critic.

In the absence of Dr. Fetzer, Mr. Caldwell was appointed as a debater to fill the vacancy. The question, Resolved, "That Heredity Has More Influence in Shaping the Character Than Environment," was discussed by Messrs. Duval and Hurley on the affirmative and Messrs. Shinn and Caldwell on the negative.

The debate was quite interesting and towards the last "waxed warm." Every one in the audience was unable to decide whether these persons inherited such good debating qualities or whether their environment had been so advantageous to them.

By the president's appointment, Mrs. A S Day vault, Mrs. Robt. Duval, Prof. Crittenden, Lawyer Stickley and John Cook acted as judges and rendered their decision four to one in favor of the negative.

Next on the program came the critic's report by Prof. Lewis, which was pointed, witty and forcible. We will not, without the use of a dictionary, attempt to repeat it. After Prof. Lewis had finished his excellent report, a motion was made that two gentlemen escort the critic home and put him to bed. No one would volunteer as escort, so the matter was dropped.

There being no other interesting business adjournment followed.

GRAND SALES prove the great merit of Boggs' Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because it accomplishes the GREAT CURE.

THE RACKET STORE.

New goods arriving daily.

While in New York we picked up some excellent bargains.

We place them on sale as they arrive. Many lots will be sold before all of our entire trade hears of them. It will be impossible to quote you all the bargains we secured, as some of the lines have not arrived,

Below we give you a few that have arrived:

PIECE GOODS.

Printed Lappette worth 15c. at 7 1/2c. per yard
8 1/2c. Percal at 25c. per lb.
Good Calico at 3 1/2 to 5c. worth 5 to 6 1/2 cents
Solid Black and Navy Ducking at 9c.
Crash Suiting at 8 1/2c.
Laws have not arrived.

GLOVES.

N. N. N. Kid Gloves, assorted shades in black at 89c., fully guaranteed.

HOSIERY.

Ladies seamless hose at 7 1/2 to 42c.

Big job in cents' suspenders at 10 cents, worth 15 to 20c.

SPECIAL.

Ladies Embroidered handkerchiefs at 10c, worth 15 to 20c. Also plain linen at 10c.

STATIONARY.

550 page pencil tablets for 5c. Rubber tipped pencils at 5c per dozen up.

Job lot of loose note paper put up in 1 lb. packages, including fine linen stock, at 10c. per lb. which is not 2c per quire for some of the 10c. quality.

Square linen envelopes at 5c.

Easter eggs at 5c.

aster cards 3c.

Infants summer caps at 10c. to fine silk ones at 98c.

Infants long cloaks at \$1.00 to \$1.68.

New lot of white and colored Hamburg and Laces.

Our silk fans are very pretty and cheap.

Everything as advertised.

Very Respectfully,

D. J. BOSTIAN.

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—IS—
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We are better prepared this season than ever to please the public with BARGAINS

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in the country, and can give you some startling prices. We will buy your

Cotton, Eggs, Corn, PEAS, FLOUR, ETC.

We are also agents for the

"Spach" Wagon.

Will sell a factory prices.

G. W. Patterson.

Wholesale and Retail Grocer.

Concord, N. C.

PHONE NO. 27.

M L Yocum, Cameron, Pa., says: "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me. I used one box. It has affected a permanent cure for piles. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal." Gibson's Drug Store.

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Largest stock of Bicycle Sundries in town.

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Needs No Explanation.

Madison, N. C., Aug. 4, 1897. Goose Grease Liniment Co., Greensboro, N. C.

Dear Sirs—Please ship us at once one gross Goose Grease Liniment. We are entirely out. Don't fail to ship once. Please give us jobbers price. It is the best thing we have ever used. W C JONES & Co.

REDEMPTION OF LAND SOLD FOR TAXES.

To all those who wish to redeem real estate sold for Taxes, 1896, you will please to meet me at Concord, at the office of Jas. C Gibson, C. S. C., Saturday, April 23rd, as I hope to be at home on that day.

Please attend to this matter at that time; as deeds will be made to purchasers on the first Monday of May.

JOHN A SIMS.

Ex-Sheriff.

WANTED AGENTS to sell our Printing Presses, Vulcanizers, Baggage and Luggage, Steel and Rubber Stamps, Seal Presses, Etc. J. F. W. DORMAN Co., 121 E. Fayette St., Baltimore, Md. Catalogue free.