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J. W. LEE'S TERRIBLE LIFE.

One J. W. Lee who once figured here and in Mt. Pleasant and was known as the Irish evangelist was charged with immorality some time ago and tried by a committee in Greensboro. This committee evidently gave him full benefit of the doubt and found him guilty of "inveracity." Evidence was not sufficiently strong to convict him of criminal intimacy with a pretty young woman whom he introduced as his daughter. It was this way of representing his relations with this woman that constituted the "inveracity" we believe. No one needs be told that if innocent, the so-called Rev. Mr. Lee would have ceased to lay himself liable to suspicion by parting company with the woman.

It was noted in the newspapers that Mr. Lee was going to Washington to get a commission as chaplain to the Philippines. It has leaked out through the Washington correspondent to the Asheville Gazette that Lee rented a room in Washington and had the same pretty young woman to share the room with him, even calling her his wife when speaking to the proprietor.

Lee, it seems, not only knows how to rant like a religious maniac in clerical robes, while woefully foul within, but knows how to work his power to gather money, for the correspondent says he was getting about \$75 per month.

This he must have spent in sensual revelry with his mistress for we learn from the Greensboro papers that his poor, but respectable, wife and children in that city get no aid from him.

The story of his fall in public estimation seems to come straight and is corroborated by a letter of Feb. 16 from him to Dr. Rowe, as stated by the Greensboro Telegram, asking for privilege of withdrawal from the church and the ministry.

It is not known yet what course will be pursued by the church. It will hardly let him down so easily as to have the semblance of condoning the foul imposition on the church and the disgrace to the Christian ministry.

Charity to the erring penitent is a virtue but it is hard to conceive of adequate retribution short of very predication itself for a man wearing the sacerdotal robes, while deserting his own family and living in continued, voluntary and designed relations so flagrantly in violation of the sacred word he pretends to preach to others and so in con-

flict with the laws of civilized lands. Every sense of decency must be shocked at this moral monstrosity.

1732-1799.

"First in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen." One thing the writer and the gentle reader are fully able to do that the subject could not. Do you catch?

The Lott's Mills is the name of a late \$1,000,000 corporation for Gastonia. This will have the largest capacity of all the mills of the State until Statesville goes up her \$3,000,000 mill by the Coolidge company. It seems that we are having a wave of the colossal.

This everlasting tinkering with the natural laws of trade and this damming up the channels of commerce to turn the currents on to some pet wheels is now cramping Porto Rico till merchants are crying out that it is worse than under the vilest Spanish regime. But Ephraim is joined to his idols. The Republican party would hardly know itself if it were to get to giving all an equal chance.

Deserves the Marble Heart.

It has been stated that Senator Allen, of Nebraska, who is advertised to speak at the Populist State convention in April, would not touch on the amendment, as he has no desire to meddle in State affairs. This may be true but all the same Mr. Allen has, at the request of Senator Butler, written a letter in which he asserts with more positiveness that the 5th section or "grandfather clause of the constitutional amendment is in plain violation of the 15th amendment to the constitution of the United States; and he asserts his belief, with equal positiveness, that if the Supreme Court of the United States declares this 5th section of the amendment unconstitutional that the remainder of the amendment, which he regards as constitutional, will stand, thus disfranchising all unlettered voters. In short Senator Allen writes just what Mr. Butler wanted and expected him to write, and his letter is now being published in the anti-amendment papers in this State as a campaign document. Mr. Allen may not say anything against the amendment in his speech at the Populist State convention; that is not necessary. He has already done it all the harm he can. Democrats in North Carolina and those who have any regard for North Carolina Democrats and the peace and welfare of this State, will hereafter give Mr. Allen the marble heart.—Statesville Landmark.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Women's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again.—For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co.

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Macrum's Efforts Futile.

Consul Macrum, who applied to the administration to be relieved of his duties at Pretoria when the war broke out, and, failing to get the desired consent, picked himself up and left without consent, is now in America and trying to picture his side in bright colors by besmirching the administration. He claims that there is a secret alliance between America and Great Britain, and that his mail was opened and censored by the British at Durban. This led to inquiry by Congress.

The following reply by Secretary Hay seems decidedly pointed and not very flattering to those who all the time seem to sniff the odor of secrecy and scheming:

"At no time while at his post did Macrum report to the department any instance of violation of his official mail by the British censor at Durban, or by any persons whatsoever, there or elsewhere.

"Answering the second part of the resolution, the undersigned Secretary of State has the honor to say that there is no truth in the charge that a secret alliance exists between the republic of the United States and the empire of Great Britain; that no form of secret alliance is possible under the constitution of the United States, inasmuch as treaties require the advice and consent of the Senate; and, finally, no secret alliance, convention, arrangement or understanding exists between the United States and any other nation. JOHN HAY."

The Way to Boil Eggs.

If you want soft boiled eggs cooked to perfection, don't boil them. An egg that is actually boiled, be it two minutes, three minutes, or any other brief "syllable of recorded time," may indeed have a soft yolk; but the white will be leathery and indigestible. Here is the perfect method: Let the water—sufficient in depth to cover the eggs—be brought to a hard boil. Then drop in the eggs, and immediately remove the vessel from the fire. It should not boil an instant after the eggs are in. Let the eggs remain in the hot water 12 or 15 minutes—a little time, more or less, will make no difference. When opened, the whites will be found deliciously soft, as well as the yolks, and equally digestible.—Ex.

Spain has called the attention of our government to the fact that the islands of Caygayan, Sulu and Cibus, seized by our naval forces, are not within the boundary lines specified in the treaty of Paris. The point, after investigation, is acceded, and our forces will be withdrawn. That seems to rid us of that questionable treaty with the sultan with his multiplicity of love in a cottage and his ownership of more human beings than he can marry and beget.

Beat Out of an Increase of His Pension.

A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48 I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for on every renewal a dose of it restored me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take.—For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., druggist.

THE RACKET.

Per Yard is a very low figure to quote on Hamburg Edgings but we still have it at that price and up. You will see but little difference in the price of Hamburg here as we have bought these goods under the market for spot cash. We have Hemstitched Tucking, 21 inches wide, at 40c. per yard. All-over Embroidery at 90c.

- White Checked Nainsooks 5c. yard up.
- Dimities 7c. yard up.
- India Linens 5c. yard up.
- A Nice Line of Fancy Seam Braid at 5c.
- Good Course Bleached Muslin at 6c.
- 9-4 Blached Shooting at 24c. Worth 27c. yard.
- Lace Curtains 48c to \$2.50 per pair.
- White curtain goods 5 to 12c. yard.
- Sterling Silver Friendship Hearts at 10 c.
- Sterling Silver Beauty Pins at 8c.

The price quoted on Box Paper and Tablets were not for last week only but will continue until the entire \$200 worth is sold. When you pay full price for box paper or tablets you are simply throwing money away, for our prices on the goods average below the wholesale price.

Sealing Wax, 3 sticks in a box for 12c.

Very respectfully, D. J. Bostian.

Insurance!
No, I am not out of the insurance business. You will now find my office with the Concord Drug Co. I am writing LIFE, FIRE and ACCIDENT Insurance. Call and see me.
Jno. A. Sims, Agent.
Feb. 10, 1900.

CONCORD MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET.
Corrected by Cannon & Fetzer Company.

Good middling.....	8 40
Middling.....	8 30
Low middling.....	7 90
Stains.....	7 80

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Bacon.....	8 1/2
Sugar-cured hams.....	12 1/2-13 1/2
Bulk meat sides.....	7 1/2
Beeswax.....	20
Butter.....	10 to 15
Chickens.....	10 to 25
Corn.....	65
Eggs.....	12 1/2
Lard.....	10
Flour (N. C.).....	\$2 10
Meal.....	65
Oats.....	50
Tallow.....	67

Nasal CATARRH
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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 59 Warren Street, New York.

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