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ST. LOUIS' SHAME.

Grand Jury Finds Gross Corruption in Municipal Officers—They Sell Votes at From \$100 to \$100,000.

St. Louis, Mo., comes to the front now as one of the most corrupt municipalities as to city officials in this or any other country. The grand jury has presented a number of officials as follows: Bribery, Robert N. Synder; attempted bribery, Edward Butler and John H. Becker; perjury, George Kebush.

The jury unearthed the darkest kind of fraudulent scheming that has been going on for at least ten years in which a combination for corruption has existed. Official votes have been paid for, ranging in price \$100 to \$100,000. One of the officials that could have drawn \$300 a year legitimately got bold enough to boast that he had made \$25,000 a year out of his office.

The statute of limitation protects most of those found to have been engaged in the dark and villainous breaches of official integrity.

Ransom Took Chloral.

Asheville, N. C., April 5—James Ransom, a nephew of Senator Ransom, committed suicide this afternoon at his home by taking chloral. Mr. Ransom had been in ill health for some time. He was employed at the Southern freight depot in the capacity of expense bill clerk. On account of continued illness, he had not been at his desk for about a week. Ransom was about 38 years old. He leaves a wife and five children.

Saved Many a Time.

Don't neglect coughs and colds even if it is spring. Such cases often result seriously at this season just because people are careless. A dose of One Minute Cough Cure will remove all danger. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Sure cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, and other throat and lung troubles. "I have used One Minute Cough Cure several years," says Postmaster C. O. Dawson, Barr, Ill. "It is the very best cough medicine on the market. It has saved me many a severe spell of sickness and I warmly recommend it." The children's favorite.—Gibson Drug Store.

I. O. H.

The Improved Order Heptasophs meet Monday night at 8 o'clock. They are happiest and wisest who attend.

South Carolina has 30,000 operatives in cotton mills.—Ex.

Not a Candidate for Diplomatic Position.

Charlottesville, Va., April 5.—General Fitzhugh Lee tells the Associated Press that he is not a candidate for the position of minister or consul general to Cuba. He seeks no diplomatic position whatsoever.

The Judges Have Decided.

At the grand show down of the toilet soaps of the world at the Paris Exposition, the judges decided after carefully considering the merits of all, that COLGATE'S TOILET SOAPS ARE THE BEST. These peerless Toilet Soaps are for sale at Fetzer's Drug Store. They sell Colgate's line exclusively.

Annual Meeting the 17th.

The Annual Meeting of Cabarrus County B. L. & Savings Association will be held in the court house Thursday, April 17, at 8 o'clock p. m. The books are now open for subscription in 9th series.

W. R. ODELL, Pres.
J. M. HENDRIX, Sec. & Tres.

Masonic Notice.

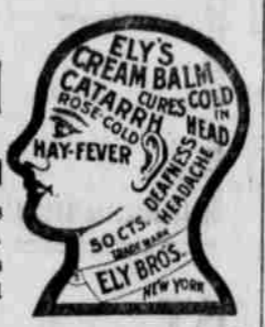
Special communication of Stokes Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M., Monday night April 7th, at 7:45 p. m. Work in M. M. Degree. W. REECE JOHNSON Sec.,

Hill Bro's Brand.

CALL AT Cannon & Fetzer's for Hill Bro's Brands of Roasted Coffees. For quality, strength and satisfaction they are guaranteed. Ask for these goods and take no other. a-20.

Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.



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. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York

NORTH CAROLINA, Superior Court. Cabarrus County.

Brown Brothers Company vs. H. A. Taylor and G. H. Taylor, trading as Taylor & Company.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, from the return of J. L. Peck, Sheriff of Cabarrus county, and from the affidavit of H. C. Parker, agent of plaintiff, filed in the above entitled action, that H. A. Taylor and G. H. Taylor, the above named defendants, are non-residents of this State, but have property therein, and that this court has jurisdiction of the subject of the action and a writ of attachment having issued in said action, and that the said defendants, after due diligence, can not be found within this State and are necessary and proper parties to said action.

Now, therefore, the said H. A. Taylor and G. H. Taylor are hereby notified unless they be and appear at the Superior Court to be held at the court house in Concord on the first Monday before the first Monday of September, 1902, the same being the 25th day of August, 1902, and plead, answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff in this action, which will be filed within the first three days of said term of court, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint and the property levied on under said attachment will be condemned to satisfy such judgment as may be obtained, and for costs of action. This April 4th, 1902.

5-13. JNO. M. COOK, Clerk Superior Court.

Reduced Rates.

On account of the following occasions the Southern Railway will make reduced rates:

On account General Assembly of the Cleveland Presbyterian church, Springfield, Mo., May 15 to 23, 1902. Tickets to be sold May 11, 12 and 13, with final limit May 27, 1902. Fare \$29.30 for round trip.

On account of Annual Meeting Southern Educational Association, Chattanooga, Tenn., July 1-4, 1902. Tickets to be sold June 27 to July 1, inclusive, with final limit July 6. Fare \$14.60 for round trip.

Annual meeting N. C. Conference Board of Missions M. E. Church South, Goldsboro, N. C., April 9 and 10. Tickets to be April 8 and 9 with final limit April 12. Round trip \$8.20.

Strikes A Rich Find.

I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green of Lancaster, N. H., "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Fetzer's Drug Store.

Neglect Means Danger.

Don't neglect biliousness and constipation. Your health will suffer permanently if you do. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure such cases. M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most satisfactory pills I ever took. Never gripe or cause nausea."—Gibson Drug Store.

"It's a lucky thing for men that rosebuds mouths haven't any thorns on them."



To Be There

and stay there—to maintain our position at the head; we continue to sell the different styles of vehicles of Tyson Jones, Hackney, Barbour, Emerson & Fisher, etc., of the same quality that has given satisfaction for years. Our efforts are directed towards pleasing our ever increasing number of customers rather than add to our profits.

Any of these vehicles will make pleasing Christmas Gifts—buggies, surreys and traps of any finish—all are excellent value at the price.



Twenty-Five Pieces For 25c.

We will, until further notice, Laundry 25 pieces, such as Pillow Cases, Sheets, Towels, Napkins and Handkerchiefs, for 25c. Not more than 8 sheets to be in each lot. Table Cloths and Spreads in with the above will be 5 and 10c each. No starch will be put in any of the above mentioned.

We are yours to please, CONCORD STEAM LAUNDRY.

The Racket!

Concord's Cheap Store.

Special for This Week!

Ladies' Silk Embroidered

Drop Stitch Slipper Hose,
Fast Black and Seamless,

Only 15 Cents.

When ordering by mail state color of Embroidery desired and include 3c. per pair for postage.

Respectfully,

D. J. BOSTIAN.

26 S. Union St.

CONCORD, N. C.

A Blonde's Freckles

show more plainly than a brunettes, but these discolored spots greatly mar the beauty of either.

HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM

will effectually remove Freckles, Sunburn, Tan, undue Redness, Sallowness and all other blemishes to beauty.

IT IS A LIQUID

for the face, neck, arms and hands. Can be easily and quickly applied. Others cannot detect its use. It leaves no sticky feeling. Harmless as water. At all druggists. Price 75 cts.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, M. L. BROWN & BRO.

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Just in rear of St. Cloud Hotel. Omnibuses meet all passenger trains. Outfits of all kinds furnished promptly and at reasonable prices. Horses and mules always on hand for sale. Breeders of thoroughbred Poland China Hogs.