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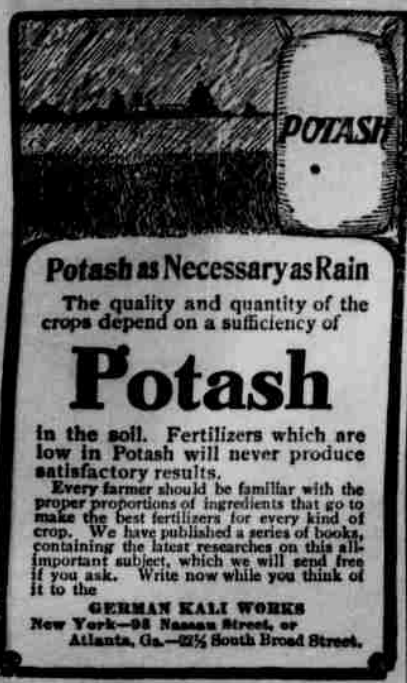
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**POTASH**  
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**Potash**  
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Eyes carefully examined and properly fitted to the best grade of glasses.  
Fine Repairing.  
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This bank has just passed the sixteenth anniversary, and each one of these sixteen years has added to its strength, thus proving that it is worthy of the confidence of the patrons and the general public.  
Paid in Capital, \$50,000  
Surplus and Undivided Profits, 36,000  
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With the above as a base for confidence and an unusually large amount of assets in proportion to liabilities as a guarantee of conservative management, we invite your business. Interest paid as agreed.  
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Do you want a farm or a place in town? If so, we think we can find just what you want. See the list of property we have for sale. Jno. K. Patterson & Co.

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CROUP, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS.  
This is a safe, reliable, and effective remedy for all the above mentioned ailments. It is especially valuable for children, and is also a good remedy for the adult. It is sold by all druggists.

Do not repine, nor yet give way  
To grief, ye saddened sorrower,  
Death loves a shining mark, they say;  
So does the chronic borrower.

'Tis not that she's contrary;  
But now she's rich, and she  
Who once was Ellen Mary  
Is Elenore Marie.

The man who has missed his vocation  
May oft at his luck grow profane,  
But he can't match, for deep impregnation,  
The fellow who misses his train.

## WATERBORN ON GAMBLING.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

All gambling is vulgar. Call it what you will, assign for it whatever motive you please, it is an irrational, an ignominious struggle for money.

Money got for nothing on the turning of a card or the revolution of a wheel bringeth good to no man, not even to him who wins it. And to him that loseth? Sometimes perdition, often, very often, that sinking sensation, that tired feeling—even where the value loss is immaterial—which follows futile effort and says as plain as whisper in the ear, "The world's against you."

There is a postal card picture which shows us the facade of the Casino at Monte Carlo, with a drove of sheep, fat and woolly, going in, and the same drove, nude and skinny, coming out, and no friendly voice to cry: "May Heaven temper the wind to the shorn lamb!"

Gambling, like everything else, is relative. The sin lies in the overlay, with its collateral vices, chief among them improvidence. The reigning sovereign, who has only his money to lose, and plenty of that, is not to be classed with the banker or the banker's confidential clerk or secretary, who has everything at stake, character included, though each plays for the same end—that is, the diversion and excitement. Asked what was the greatest pleasure in life, Fox said, "Winning at cards," and the next, "Losing at cards." There was a gambler for the love of it, and yet Fox played never for high stakes after he was forty, if he played at all.

**Pensions**  
The pension law for Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows is amended by increasing the annual appropriation from \$200,000 to \$275,000. The classes and amounts to each are now as follows:

1. To such as have received a wound that renders them totally incompetent to perform manual labor in the ordinary vocations of life, \$60.
2. To such as have lost a leg above the knee or an arm above the elbow, \$45.
3. To such as have lost a foot or a leg below the knee, or a hand or arm below the elbow, or have a leg or arm utterly useless, \$35.
4. To such as have lost an eye and the widows and all other soldiers who are now three-fourths disabled from any cause, \$20.

Moreover, the county boards of pensions are empowered to place upon the pension roll any Confederate veteran or widow disqualified by the \$500 property clause, who may appear to be unable to earn a living from property valued as much as \$500 or more.

**Dead Easy.**  
Diner—How comes this dead fly in my soup?  
Waiter—In fact, sir, I have no positive idea how the poor thing came by its death. Perhaps it had not taken any food for a long time, dashed upon the soup, ate too much of it, and contracted an inflammation of the stomach that brought on death. The fly must have had a weak constitution, for when I served up the soup it was dancing merrily on the surface. Perhaps—and the idea presents itself only at this moment—it endeavored to swallow too large a piece of vegetable; this, remaining fast in the throat, caused a choking in the windpipe. These are the only reasons I can give for the death of that insect.

**Got Off Cheap.**  
He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at all druggists; guaranteed.

**Marked Down.**  
So Arline is to marry the Duke? Yes. But he was a great bargain. How?  
He wanted ten millions, but they finally got him for \$9,998,998.98.

**A Safe Cough Remedy for Children.**  
In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by M. L. Marsh and D. D. Johnson.

## LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT.

Two acts were passed by the last Legislature relative to contracts between landlord and tenant for land and crops.

One makes it a misdemeanor for any tenant or cropper who procures advances from his landlord to abandon the land rented by him without good cause and before paying for such advances; for any landlord who may contract with a tenant to furnish advances so he can make a crop to refuse to furnish the advances. And any person who employs a tenant who to his knowledge has violated this act shall be liable to the landlord for the amount of the advances made and also be guilty of a misdemeanor. Whenever any tenant shall contract for the rental of land for the current year and fail to perform the terms of his contract he shall forfeit his right of possession and the landlord may recover possession.

This law applies to the following counties: Wayne, Lenoir, Greene, Johnston, Jones, Onslow, Craven, Cleveland, Sampson, Pitt, Duplin, Gates, Cumberland, Perquimans, Chowan, Robeson, Bladen, Nash, Harnett, Edgecombe, Hertford, Wilson, Rockingham, Pender, Currituck, Gaston, Northampton, Beaufort, Chatham, Tyrrell, Mecklenburg, Guilford, Halifax, Caswell, Camden, Cabarrus, Columbus, Martin and Montgomery.

The other act is practically the same except that in addition it makes it unlawful for anyone to entice or procure a tenant or cropper to abandon or fail to cultivate the land, or after receiving notice to harbor on his own premises or on the premises of another, any such tenant. This applies to the counties of Wake, Hyde, Anson, Hertford, Sampson, Franklin and Union.

In order to aid farmers desiring to hold their cotton for higher prices an act was passed amending the act of 1901, chapter 678, by reducing the bond required of warehousemen from \$25,000 to \$10,000 and by providing also that if any warehouse company has a capital stock of not less than \$5,000, it shall not be required to give the bond. The act also makes all warehouse receipts issued by warehousemen complying with the law valid and binding in the hands of all bona fide holders for value, without registration. This of course means that farmers can obtain money on their warehouse receipts as if they were checks, or use them in trading as money.

## Booster Whipped Cool.

Henry County, Ky., Local.  
During the last general campaign for county offices several of the Democratic candidates in their rounds stopped over night with Richard Roberts, near Cemetery Hill.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock at night a noisy commotion was heard among the chickens. Going out to investigate, Mr. Roberts found a brave old rooster in mortal combat with a coon.

There were on the ground among the bushes, and the fight was terrific. Such a spectacle was thought a worthy entertainment for the guests, and they were accordingly awakened and called out of their beds to witness the battle by moonlight. The biped finally got the better of his four-footed antagonist. The latter was a pet coon that belonged in the family. The incident is no doubt unprecedented.

## Married His Mother-in-Law.

Clay County Court.  
A marriage took place at Murphy not long since, that is rather out of ordinary proceedings in the matrimonial line, when Mr. Mark Stroud, of Towns County, Georgia, went to the hymeneal altar with his mother-in-law, and "they twain were made one." Mr. Stroud married the daughter a few years ago, and two children were born to them, when the wife died; in the meantime his wife's mother became widowed by the death of her husband. After a reasonable time had elapsed the mother-in-law was wooed and won by her erst while son-in-law, and the marriage took place as above stated. Well, what next!

**For an Impaired Appetite.**  
Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These Tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale by M. L. Marsh and D. D. Johnson.

**Not—I'm so fond of music that I just want to play the piano awfully every time I see one.**  
Bess—Yes; I've noticed you play it that way when you play at all.  
The girl who fishes for a husband should know the difference between a nibble and a bite.

## THE NEW VAGRANCY LAW.

The vagrancy law was broadened considerably by the last Legislature in its application and in its definition of vagrants. Its provisions are as follows:

1. That section 3834 of the Code of North Carolina and all laws amending thereof be and the same are hereby repealed.
2. That all persons who may come within either of the classes hereinafter named shall be deemed a vagrant.  
(1) Persons wandering or strolling about in idleness who are able to work and have no property to support them.  
(2) Persons leading an idle, immoral or profligate life, who have no property to support them, and who are able to work, and who do not work.  
(3) All persons able to work, having no property to support them, and who have not some visible and known means of a fair, honest and reputable livelihood.  
(4) Persons having a fixed abode who have no visible property to support them, and who live by stealing, or by trading in, bartering for, or buying stolen property.  
(5) Professional gamblers living in idleness.  
(6) All able-bodied men who have no other visible means of support, who shall live in idleness upon the wages or earnings of their mother, wife, or minor child or children.
3. That the punishment for vagrancy as defined in this act shall not exceed \$50 fine or 30 days' imprisonment for the first offense, and for the second and subsequent offenses the justice of the peace shall bind the defendant over to the superior court in the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200), and upon conviction for said offense in the superior court the defendant shall be sentenced to the public roads or to the workhouse for a term not less than six months nor exceeding one year.

## Miners Exhibit Men in a Swallow-Tail Coat.

Willard Hatch, of Denver, on his way to the Miners' Club, in Goldfields, last night, stopped at Joseph Brearly's restaurant, on Main street.

Hatch was wearing evening dress, the first ever seen in Goldfields. When the assembled miners saw him they let out a yell, surrounded him and made him a prisoner. In spite of his protests he was taken to a rear room and mounted upon a dry-goods box. Then a "spieker" took up a station at the door, announcing that every one could view the exhibit at fifty cents each. For thirty minutes a stream of people paid their half dollars to look at Hatch in his swallow-tail.

To show they were good fellows the miners then escorted Hatch to his club and spent the proceeds of the exhibition for wine.

Henry Ernest, a lawyer, of New York, was recently twitted by Goldfields miners because he wore a derby hat.

## One Divorce Case Heard Every Ten Minutes.

New York World.  
The mill of New York's divorce court ground out a new record yesterday, when sixty-two married couples, representing 124 individuals, with their witnesses, appeared in Justice Traux's part of the Supreme Court. In three hours and forty-seven minutes the Justice disposed of twenty-one cases, the average time consumed in the trial of each case being only ten minutes and forty-eight and four sevenths seconds. The greatest amount of time occupied by any one case was thirty minutes, while one suit was disposed of in one minute. Thirteen of the married couples anxious for freedom had no children, while the total number of children in the other eight families was only eleven. Twelve women and nine men sought matrimonial freedom.

## Making a Girl the Wrong Way.

Atchison Globe.  
An Atchison girl of fifteen gets up in the morning, eats breakfast which her mother has prepared, goes upstairs and takes care of her room, and then goes downtown, sometimes taking two hours to buy a spool of thread. She eats dinner which her mother has prepared, wears clothes her mother has made, spends the afternoon reading story books or gadding with her friends, eats supper her mother has prepared, and spends the evening with her girl friends. She has done nothing wicked all day, and her mother is satisfied that she is bringing her up right. But is she?

**Attacked by a Mob**  
and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at all druggists.

## SOUTHERN LAND VALUES.

Southern Farm Magazine.

Southern people should awaken to the fact that the fertile bottom lands, cotton farms and timber lands are rapidly going into the hands of outside capitalists and farmers, who have found agricultural pursuits so much more profitable in the South than in the North when conducted on an economical and thorough system of diversified farming, that many thousands of their friends—farmers and capitalists—are following them. They can buy these fertile and productive lands, equipped for farming, at \$40 per acre, against \$125 per acre for Illinois farms, which, farmed under their splendid economical system, only bring a rental of \$5 per acre. The prices of these Illinois farms are not too high. The renters there are making money and buying farms from the accruing profits. The value of Louisiana lands has been discovered by these thrifty Northern farmers, and values will soon equalize, and farms will sell at \$100 to \$150 per acre. Then it will be hard for the man with small means to acquire a large plantation. After 20 years' experience, developing and promoting in the North, West and South, I feel confident that in 20 years more the bottom lands of the South will average more than \$100 per acre.

## The Best Offer Yet.

We offer THE TIMES, twice-a-week, American Agriculturist, weekly, and the Year Book all for only \$1.85. The Year Book is worth 50 cents of anybody's money, and the Agriculturist is cheap at \$1.00. It is one of the largest and best farm papers published in the world. This is open to all our subscribers who pay up back dues and one year in advance.

## SPLENDID RESIDENCE For Sale.

We offer for sale a six-room cottage on Spring street, in very best neighborhood. House has pantry nearly new, and warehouse 12x14 feet, and other out-buildings. Orchard of well selected fruit. Size of lot 85x275 feet. Price only \$2300, and a big bargain.

## Big Bargain in Timber Lands.

362 acres lying only five miles from Wadesboro, with 3-room tenant house, barn and small cotton house, and 322 acres of timber. Land adapted to cotton, corn, wheat and clover. Has 100,000 feet of old field pine suitable for fire wood. Has 50 to 75 acres fine creek bottom lands, and an equal amount of "black haw" land. Creek is well canalized. Within 1/2 mile of White Store road to be macadamized this year. Will sell at a remarkably low price.

No. 219.—70 1/2 acres in Buford township, Union county, 5 miles from Monroe one-half mile from Baptist Church and School. Has 20 acres of small woods, and 6 to 10 acres of branch and creek bottom. Has 4-room log house, barn and small cotton house, and a few bearing fruit trees. Tillable 50 acres, and 20 acres timber. Land adapted to cotton, corn, oats, etc. Price only \$500 cash, or \$564, payable \$100 cash, balance in 5 years.

No. 47.—About 87 1/2 acres in No. 11 township, with one tenant house. Tillable 25 acres. Good good prospects. Land adapted to cotton and grain. Price only \$1,500.

## Jno. K. Patterson & Co.,

Real Estate Agents, Concord, N. C.

## OFFENSIVE CATARRH

I suffered for a long time with a bad case of Catarrh, and took a great deal of medicine without any benefit. I had a continual headache, my cheeks had grown purple, my nose was always stopped up, my breath had a sickening and disgusting odor, and I coughed incessantly. I heard of your S. S. S. and wrote you. I commenced to use it, and after taking several bottles I was cured and have never since had the slightest symptom of the disease. Miss MARY L. STROM, Cor. 7th & Felix Sts., St. Joseph, Mo.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 29, 1903.  
I had Nasal Catarrh for years for which I used S. S. S. with very gratifying results. I tried local applications for some time, and getting no permanent relief I came to the conclusion that the seat of the trouble was in the blood. Knowing S. S. S. to be a good blood medicine I began its use, and after using it for some little while it did away entirely with the offensive mucus in the nostrils, and I did not have to hawk and spit, especially in the morning, to dislodge the catarrhal matter. FRANK H. PRESSBY, 1627 South St.

The filthy secretions and foul mucus that are continually dropping back into the throat, and find their way into the stomach and are absorbed into the blood. Catarrh then becomes constitutional, and the only way to get rid of it is through the blood. Write us if you have Catarrh, and our physicians will advise you without charge.

## ONE-WAY AND ROUND TRIP Excursion Rates

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## FRISCO SYSTEM

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## FOR SALE.

- One 25 h. p. Engine, Boiler and Mill.
  - One 30 h. p. Engine, Boiler and Mill.
  - One 12 h. p. Engine and Boiler.
  - One 12 h. p. Engine.
  - One 30 h. p. Engine.
  - One 15 h. p. Vertical Engine.
  - One 20 h. p. Vertical Engine.
- These are good second-hand outfits, and will be sold cheap. Come quick.

## Some Bargains in City Property.

- No. 158.—One lot in Harris addition. Price \$55.
- No. 159.—Five-room cottage, with out-houses, on West Buffalo street, lot 33x390 feet. Has small vine yard and good well. Price \$1,000.
- No. 160.—Splendid residence on Spring street, six-room cottage, with out-buildings. Size of lot 85x275 feet. Price only \$2800, and a bargain.
- No. 161.—Lot on McGill street, size 130 1/2 x 107, with shoe shop. Price \$400.
- No. 162.—Excellent cottage on Spring street, with bath room, etc. Price \$2,415.
- No. 163.—Five-room cottage, plastered throughout, well built. Situated on Barrow street. Lot about 89 x 117. House rents for \$8 per month, and the price is only \$1,000.

## CUT THIS OUT

### Photo Enlargements

I have been asked why I did not give inducements in the way of a Crayon or Pastel by different parties. This I did once, and it did not seem to take. I will again give the public one more offer, a little better than ever before given.

### THIS IS IT.

One dozen Mantello Cabinets on 6x3 Mounts; one (hand-made) Crayon or Colored Pastel in 16x20 Oval, black or gilt frame, all for \$10.00; this is a saving of \$5.00. Offer good only until March 30, 1905.

To learn more about this offer call at my studio.  
O. V. FOUST, Photographer,  
Opposite Court House,  
Concord, N. C.

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## INDIGESTION!

Removes Nervousness, Constipation, Nausea, Heartburn, Sour Stomach and other Enemies of your Happiness and Health.

"Sadness may spring from lack of wealth, But the saddest are those who have no health."

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## PRICE LIST D. J. BOST & CO.

- Corn, 70c per bushel.
- Peas, 70c per bushel.
- Eggs, per dozen, 20c.
- Chickens, 20 to 30 cents.
- Butter, 12 1/2c to 15c per pound.
- Sweet Potatoes, 35c to 40c per bushel.
- Irish Potatoes, 75c to 90c per bushel.
- Onions 90c to \$1 per bushel.
- Peanuts, 75c per bushel.
- Pork, 8c per pound.
- Partridges, 8 1/2c to 10c a piece.
- Rabbits, 5c to 7 1/2c. Rabbits must be cleaned and skinned, with head and feet left on. Will give you the highest market price for Hides.

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Fire, Life, Accident, Health, Employers' Liability, Plate Glass, etc.  
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## A WORD TO Furniture Buyers

Those who want the very best and newest styles in Spring Furniture, Carpets, Mattings, etc., and want them at modestly low prices had better make "tracks" for the store. We sell just such Furniture and House Furnishings and our prices are fair.

## BED ROOM OUTFITS.

3-piece Suite Golden Oak, Swell Top Drawers, Gloss Finish, Roll Floorboard to bed, only \$25. Others lower.

## DINING SETS.

Golden Oak Diners only \$4.50 per set. Tables \$5.00 and up. Sideboards \$10.00 and up.

## STOCK NEVER LARGER or PRICES FAIRER.

## GRAVEN BROS. FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING COMPANY.