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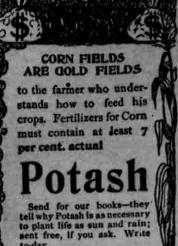
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at work in the large auditorium of the First Methodist Church, the race track, hard at it at Montgomery park, and all of the forces are at work and they are

I know of nothing more demoralizing r hurtful than the race track.

hough the First church seats about three thousand. I do not know whether the grand stand at the race track is crowded or not. I am trying to down these evils. A fellow can hardly get a flower and fruit, crime. bed at a hotel or boarding house in this and all around they are selling "tipe"

crap game, and no doubt are running And its baneful influence, its poison, in full blast. Though they arrest the

If I were called upon to give my candid opinion on the subject of race tracks I would say that the Louisiana lottery smiling holidays! and all other hurtful influences that I have known, I would pass by them all and say that the race track is indeed the devil's university, out of which he could turn out more wrecked lives and that I have ever been up against.

The good people of Memphis organsession, and fought the thing to a finish. The legislature passed an act abolishing race tracks in Tennessee, and the only mistake they made was in allowing them to run until the close of this spring sesson. .

The race track gang claimed that there was invested \$4,000,000 in Tennessee in this business and they wanted a little time to get their money out, in other words, it meant, "let us alone, et us alone, let us run through one nore race and we will shear the lambs and maybe get wool enough to pull even."

rack is established there, or any city. ichest soil the devil ever found in and ruin. Wherever you find a race

more or less reputable people directly and indirectly connected with racing But also all of the jungles of vice and crime have been emptied of their cowardly beasts of prey-the keepers and patrons of dives and dens, the political neelers, the thieving police officers, the most offensive elements in the city. And then there is the crowd-thousands of young and youngish men, neglecting their work, wasting their small earnings, preparing themselves for that desperate state of mind in which accounts are falsified, tills tapped, pockets picked and the black-jack

of the highwayman wielded. But this is not all, not half, not a small fraction, of the scandal and the shame. The results of each race are telegraphed to pool rooms in every city. There are several hundred of these pool rooms in New York, almost as many in Chicago, scores in such cities as Boston, New Orleans, Cincinnati and San Francisco. And who are the patrons of places? For the most part the young men on small salaries throughout the country. And each and every one of Safe Prompt Liberal these is headed straight for disgrace and ruin, and not a few thousand will arrive there. The pool room-that is, the race track; that is, the jockey clubs; that is, the few reputable gentlemen who maintain a vile hypocrisy of rectability the "royal sport" is responible for the most of the downfalls among the class of young men on

> which our future depends. The Western Union Telegraph Comligation which happened to pene-

when other leading lights amuse their eisure by setting energe for the souls of the young, is it not amazing how morality and steadiness and respect for law

by from thirty to seventy per cent. cause of race tracks and pool rooms. There is not a man anywhere who owes or attributes any part of that in him

Racing does not improve the bree of the thoroughbred. Its whole root is gambling; its whole

From the "gentlemen" perjurers and room keepers and touts and tipsters permeates everywhere into office and into home.

What bloody butcheries of characters and careers to make the race tracks

like the bull fights, can live no longer incivilized God-fearing countries.

races and she now had her trunks at Yours truly, .

SAM P. JONES. P. S.: Next week I will give you more of this wonderful meeting. Al ready it has reached up into the mirac

Huntersville Farmer Brecte His Own

and one of the most enterprising and badly damaged condition and has to a debauched public sentiment is the prosperous farmers of upper Mecklen- be picked by the buyers at heavy lose burg, was in the city yesterday afterand at the same time grows all needed provision for shelter have been suffitrack you will find every other evil supplies at home. Because of this fact cient to have provided splendid warework and every other evil thing. he is able to hold his cotton for higher house facilities in a great many sec-There is nothing degrading nor dis- prices. At present he has on hand 152 tions. honoring before God that will not grow bales of cotton, and he is prepared to Our past success, as indicated above by luxuriantly in the community where hold it until the price goes up. Being damage or rot of the staple, insurance affords is alone worth many times its assure our friends and customers of our apreally respectable people, lovers of out- he has stored his cotton, and expects on borrowed money carries with it a door sports; there is a sprinkling of to keep it stored until the price risk which forces the buyer to secure tion law does it knowingly, wilfully

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With the aid of a new device eight new-holders in the First Baptist Church heard the sermon of the pastor to-day over a little telephone wire.

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nuch larger than that of the ordinary

Dear Sir : It's the same everywhere :

an't guess little enough. Mr. C. O. Brown, Colun maloyed an experienced painter to voe-said there wasn't enough. There were ten gallons left, when the job was

It's the common experience. Yours truly, Yorke, Wadsworth Co. sell our paint,

RICHMOND, Va., April 19 .- At Mor risville today Mrs Julia Haymaker sent her 12 year-old son to get someswood. The boy wished to go fishing, and, an-gry at being balked, he determined to spite his mother by cutting of this little

er day and found that his wife and sence. He was not fond of music, evi-dently, for he kicked the organ into the street and broke it, and the co ny owning the organ had him haled to FOR STORING COTTON.

facilities for the purpose of marketing the cotton crop of the South is attracthas made a careful study of the ware- sheltered buildings. house matter, has written an article for "The cotton so protected will keep in

mite which the good citizens of Mem. the heavy depression in the price on later day. the depot and that she and her two forward to the markets of the country little girls would go back to her father. at a price hardly representing its cost That is not the only family put out of of production, would have still been in business by the race track in Memphis. the hands of the owners if proper storage quarters had been provided.

"In the southwest especially cotton is stored in what is known as cotton yards, a few acres being fenced off and the cotton simply laid out on the ground-in many instances with no provision made to keep the bales from coming directly in contact with the moisture of the earth. In a great many to the owners. The losses sustained on Rheumatic Pains Quickly Relieved

losses and expenses, the rate of interest 20th century methods of doing busi- public nor the mercy of the court.

"It is a well established fact that the South cannot handle the cotton crop properly without a first-class system of is an essential feature in moving the mills for consumption. Unless the burns. 25c at all drug stores. supply is put upon the market within a short period of time when there is no farmer, widower, aged 61, and Mrs. oducer, but to the consumer.

fixed upon the minds of the farmers lotte and were married. and the business interests of the South which are directly interested in handling our great staple crop. The bankers properly housed and insured represents anteed.

the most gilt edge collateral which can G. G. Richm be passed over the counter of any bank.

"Cotton not properly housed and left to the devastating influence of climatic disturbances carries with it a risk and Porrowed money where it is used as a collateral to secure loans. This probin a number of places the proper ware- lem could be solved in a small way if houses are being constructed so that each farmer, under the guiding hand the cotton can be safely held indefi- of proper diversification, should made nitely. President Harvey Jordan, of his farm self sustaining and store his the Southern Cotton Association, who cotton upon his own farm under well-

the press bureau in which he expresses a perfect state of preservation for a long his ideas on the question and gives number of years, but when left exposed some sound advice. Mr. Jordan says: to the weather and in contract with the "During the recent extensive cotton soil it will begin to damage in less than holding movement the attention of the thirty days. When a bale of cotton entire South has been directed to the once begins to absorb moisture and riolators of their oaths of office and of importance of devising better facilities damage, the process continues, no matfor handling the cotton crop. Just now ter how thoroughly it may be picked, down to the bookmakers and pool the bankers, farmers, merchants, cot- until the bands are finally cut and the ton manufacturers and cotton factors staple is woven up in the factory. kinds of games are running, down to and thieves who live by it, there is are particularly interested in the con- Buyers know this by hard experience the colored brother's kindergarten, the only difference in shading of crime. struction of a system of modern up-to- and in purchasing cotton so damaged date warehouses which will better facili- they always knock off a considerable tate the handling and caring for the amount for prospective reclamations to future cotton crops to be grown come back upon them from the spinner, and the owner of the cotton, who "The want of proper storage quar- is responsible for the damage sustains ters to protect the several million bales in advance the prospective losse that is of cotton which have been held since likely to ensue to the purchaser at a

phis used in the campaign to down the December 3d, has proven conclusively "It therefore makes the hardship race track before the legislature of to the South that in order to market doubly hard to bear by the producer. Tennessee, and that array of facts and our great staple crop slowly, it is abso- Yet he alone is responsible for this conruined manhood than any influence that bundle of logic will put any gang lutely essential that a better system be dition of affairs and has no right to out of business and so the race track, provided. Hundreds of thousands of complain at the demand made by the during the past two months because reason why cotton in the southwest is A lady came to me to-day and told the staple was being injured by expos- to-day selling for at least sixty points ure to the rain, sunshine and wind. per bale less than cotton in the old States Most of this cotton, which has gone where better warehousing facilties have

"I have recently found out something years," remarked Congressman R. N Page, while waiting for the train Monday afternoon, "the question in my mind has been, how deep is the sand territory extending through Moore sinking an artesian well at Pinehurst the workmen bored through 210 feet of sand and then struck a formation of

noon. Mr. Ranson raises much cotton cotton stored in this way without any The exeruciating pains characteristic of rhenmatism and sciatica are quickly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Pain and delight of thousands of sufferers "In addition to the loss sustained by The quick relief from pain which it rehouse can only be had at a very high rate of cost. For sale by M. L. Marsh and D.

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The man who violates the prohibiloans at a heavy charge upon his col- and often in the hope of bringing the lateral by the banks. Such a system law into disrepute, and is therefore enis primitive in its nature in this day of titled to neither the sympathy of the

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legitimate demands by the mills, and Anna B. Chapman, of Saginaw, Mich. the price is regulated entirely by specu- aged 58, were married in Charlotte last lation. Any produce, the price of week. The marriage was brought about which is permitted to be regulated by by an advertisement which Biggerstaff peculation, is ruinous, not only to the inserted in a matrimonial journal. After correspondence and an exchange of "This fact is at last becoming firmly photographs the couple met in Char-

are often frustrated by sudden break are especially interested in the proper Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life pills They take out the materials which any great holding movement among are clogging your energies, and give you the farmers the bankers are first called a new start. Cure headache and dizziupon to finance the staple. Cotton ness too. At all drag stores, 25c; guar-

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