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**IS THIS YOUR STORY?**

Every morning I have a bad taste in my mouth; my tongue is coated; my head aches and I often feel dizzy. I have no appetite for breakfast and what food I eat disagrees me. I have a heavy feeling in my stomach. I am getting so weak that sometimes I tremble and my nerves are all unstrung. I am getting pale and thin. I am as tired in the morning as I was at night.

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla**

**GROVES**

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**GRASS & CLOVER SEEDS, Cow Peas, Cotton Seed, Seed Oats, Navy Corn, Soja, Seed & Velvet Beans, Sorghums, Broom Corn, Kaffir Corn, Peanuts, Millet Seed, Rape, etc.**

**MALPASS & ETHRIDGE,**

**Flown' Time in Billville.**  
Flown' time in Billville—the little folks at school.  
An' the bigger feller 'erkin' of the bell line on the mule;  
Layin' out the cotton, bickerin' on corn,  
An' the lazy utger wishin' he had wait- ed to be born!

**Suspicion.**  
A too credulous disposition may subject one to imposition, but it is an amiable weakness compared with the suspicious habit, which is generally ill-natured and very frequently unjust.

Sometimes the suspicious man is malevolent; sometimes he interferes in other people's affairs from a sense of duty, but in any case he is a troublesome customer.

The experiences of men have much to do with the development of their characters, but another factor is their disposition; whether it is open and generous or secretive and selfish.

Of two men having equal experience with the doings of the world with its injustice and hypocrisy, one is soiled and rendered suspicious, the other ennobled and made tolerant of faults.

One looks upon the dark side and sees no good in any one; the other is hopeful, cheery and seeks to help his fellows to be good rather than condemn them for being bad.

**Shorts Chats on Advertising.**  
The local weekly is the best medium for the local merchant.

**Your Orders Solicited**  
for all kinds of rough lumber and nails, at reasonable prices.

**ARP ON HOLDERBY.**  
**He Agrees with the Preacher as to Moral Instruction of Children.**  
I thought that the school system was settled and the people had all acquiesced. Some of us antiquated men and women rebelled for a while, for we were wedded to the ways of our fathers, but we had to fall into line and be reconciled to what we could not help. The world was against us; Prussia, France, Germany and New England, where all the development comes from. Still some of us felt that it was hard and unjust to be taxed for the education of other people's children when we had already paid for our own under the old plan. In the old country the young men have to pay it back in military service. But every now and then somebody raises a rumpus, and abuses the whole thing—the mode of teaching—the exclusion of the Bible and morning prayers, and the infliction of corporal punishment.

If I had my way I would reform some things, but I am only one man, and there are many men of many minds. I would give the Bible a place if it drove out the children of every dissenter in the land; not a place to be taught as a study, or for sectarian doctrines, but a place to be read at the opening of the exercises and to be respected as the oracle of God.

This is a Christian country and we base all law and legislation upon the Bible; every officer of the law is sworn upon it from the president down to a petty constable, including the judges of the supreme court and all the other courts, the members of congress and all the legislators.

Congress has its chaplain and all bow in reverence to the morning prayer. So has the house and senate of Georgia; and yet there are always one or more members who are Jews or infidels or agnostics.

Then, if all these great and learned men who represent this government, both state and national, do not hesitate to honor the sacred book, what is the matter with children in the public schools? Are they to have no moral training? No reverence for the word of God? Is there a college in Georgia that does not open every day's exercises with morning prayer?

Then why this immunity to children—this locking out the Bible and its code of morals that the ages have sanctioned? What means the observance of the Sabbath and the sound of the church going bells? What means all the mighty efforts of our people to send the Bible to the heathen, and through our missionaries to Christianize the world? What is this peculiar to our children that they shall not be taught anything sacred? The very seclusion of the Bible casts a shadow of doubt and uncertainty upon its truth; and added to this comes ever and anon the attacks of such men as Ingersoll and Abbott and Mitchell, who seek to knock out one by one the pillars of the sacred volume.

But I fear, I am only one man, and have no backers save perhaps Dr. Holderby. With him I agree that far, but I never was more surprised than to read his vehement philippic against corporal punishment. Either he or I is a crank upon that subject. And he is a minister, and I suppose would have been guided by the wisdom of Moses and Solomon. His indignation at the thought of somebody else whipping his child is very great. He is very emphatic and almost belligerent. If the teacher was a man and should as he says, "lay the weight of his finger upon his child," I believe he would fight. If the teacher was a woman I don't know what he would do. But I will say that if I was the teacher his children should come to my school at all. I would reject them at the start for the first thing a child should be taught is obedience, and if the child has already been taught at home that no punishment is to follow disobedience, but defiance rather than the child should not come to me. But the good doctor need not be alarmed, for his children will never be my pupils—thank the Lord. I believe in corporal punishment in schools, that is, for bad boys. I never saw but one girl whipped and she deserved it.

**A NATION'S DOINGS.**  
**The News from Everywhere Gathered and Condensed.**  
It is almost impossible to get laborers at Milwaukee, Wis.  
Miss Georgeanna Peck, of Minneapolis, Minn., was killed in a bicycle collision at Detroit, Mich., Sunday.

A large part of the business portion of Keyville, Va., was burned Tuesday night, causing a \$50,000 loss.  
At Pocahontas, Va., on Monday, Hugh Brown shot and instantly killed Boney Davis, caused by jealousy.

About 6,000 New England granite workers have struck for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage scale of \$3.  
The United States Milling Company, known as the "Flour Trust," has been placed in the hands of a receiver.

Near Bluefield, W. Va., Tuesday, Joseph Glean, a farmer, killed his daughter and her lover, and then cut his own throat.  
Several persons lost their lives in a fire at Newark, N. J., Tuesday night, and property valued at \$1,000,000 was destroyed.

The steamer Australia, which has just arrived at San Francisco, reports a fresh outbreak of the bubonic plague in Honolulu.  
Edward and Fred Keller, aged 18 and 14 years, respectively, were drowned in a mill pond near Bellefonte, Pa., Saturday, while skating.

The stranded Savannah Line steamer Gate City broke in two near Mariches, L. I., Friday, after two-thirds of her cargo had been saved.  
A wealthy farmer, Matthew Lattimer, aged 72 years, was frozen to death Friday night while walking a half mile to his home, near Elyria, O.

Frank Hakey has been arrested at Tulsa, I. T., charged with burning his Indian stepson to death in order to get the child's allotment of Indian lands.  
Because James Powers, a school teacher, chastised the little daughter of W. A. Fuller, at Seymour, Ind., the men fought a pistol duel Saturday in which both were killed.

Fire destroyed the McMurray & Baker wagon factory, at Jacksonville, Fla., Thursday night, causing a \$50,000 loss. Three firemen were fatally injured by a falling wall.  
Miss Mary Lucy, aged 18, of Spot Cash, Va., was burned to death at her home Tuesday morning, her clothing becoming ignited while standing in front of an open fire-place.  
Edward Brooks was shot and killed by Will Adkins in a millinery store at Atlanta, Friday. The two clerks had some words over the refusal of Brooks to give his co-worker a match.

**National Capital Matters.**  
From Our Regular Correspondent.  
WASHINGTON, March 6, 1900.  
The republican leaders of the House are still shaking from the fright given them by their narrow escape from a humiliating defeat on the Porto Rico tariff bill. The figurative sack cloth and ashes of Ash Wednesday came very near being real for them on that day. They amended the bill by reducing the tariff from 25 to 15 per cent, which Representative Berry aptly said merely changed the crime from grand to petty larceny, and by limiting its operation to two years, which was an acknowledgment that the whole principle of the bill was a wrong one, and then they could not get the votes needed to pass it without resorting to every known form of political bull-dozing and cajolery. Had the republicans of the House voted their real sentiments, the bill would have been defeated by more than a two-thirds vote instead of being passed by a vote of 172 to 161.

The Constitutional question involved in this bill will not do down. It will be heard when the bill is taken up in the Senate, and it will be heard all during the coming Presidential campaign, and like other great questions, will never be settled until it is settled right.  
Senator Aldrich explained the gold standard bill agreed upon by the Conference Committee, to the Senate, but he did not attempt the impossible task of defending the measure, which ought to be officially entitled "A bill to put money in the pockets of the rich at the expense of the poor."

Monday evening, the 3-year old child of Mattie Allison, colored, was burned to death at Charlotte. The mother was away from the house at the time and the child was left in charge of an old negro couple.  
A. G. Call, aged 65, a Wilmington contractor, was murderously assaulted at his home by a burglar Thursday night. A young white man named C. E. Workman has been jailed, charged with the crime.

John Kane, foreman of the iron bridge force of the A. C. L., was killed at Wilmington, Thursday, by falling from the reloading bin of the Atlantic Coast Line elevator to the wharf beneath, a distance of 55 feet.  
The 3-year-old son of A. J. Rose, while playing around the shafting in the Bala Cotton Mill, at Concord, Friday afternoon, became entangled in the belt and was drawn to the revolving shaft, which crushed him to death.

C. W. Battle, the negro postmaster at Battleboro, was jailed at Halifax, Saturday, for embezzlement of \$100 money order funds, and for failure to deposit post-office funds. Battle is the fifth negro postmaster to come to grief in this district.  
Eugene Hunt, a negro, froze to death in Winston Sunday night. He was partially demented and went to sleep on a street near his home. He was not discovered until the next morning and was so badly frozen that he died in a short while after being found.

Clyde Sellers, a young negro man in Guilford county jail, escaped early Monday morning by donning a woman's clothes. Attired in this garb he passed the guard, who thought he was a female prisoner who was allowed the privileges of a "trusty" about the jail.  
The depot at Advance, in Davie county, was broken upon Monday night by unknown parties. The ticket desk was carried out and down the railroad track a short distance and left on the ground. Strange to say, the safe and money drawer were not interfered with.

Mrs. Alex. Baker was so seriously burned at her temporary home near Asheville Tuesday evening that she died next morning. Mrs. Baker and her husband lived about from place to place. They were occupying an outhouse and slept on planks near the fire. In this way the woman's clothing caught.  
The Governor has revoked the commission of First Lieutenant D. F. McIver, of Company K, Third Regiment, North Carolina State Guard, at Mt. Airy. This was done upon information from that town that McIver, who was his tax collector and policeman, had left for parts unknown with \$500 of the town's funds.

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**ALL OVER THE STATE.**  
**A Summary of Current Events for the Past Seven Days.**  
Thirteen divorces were granted in Guilford Superior Court last week.  
A furniture factory, with a capital of \$20,000, has been organized at Oxford.  
A company with a capital of \$100,000 has been organized to market the brown stone around Carthage.  
William Futch, colored, of Pender county, was killed by a falling tree Friday, while in the act of cutting it down.  
In a drunken row at Greensboro, Tuesday evening, Mary Johnson, colored, fatally stabbed Ike Dean, a negro teamster.  
Clifford Rogerson, son of Capt. William Rogerson, of Newbern, was burned to death near Havelock Friday evening while in the act of burning a field of dry grass.

The four-year-old son of John W. Kerns, at Salisbury, was accidentally killed by a ten-year-old son of C. J. Edney, Saturday evening, while playing with an "unloaded" gun.  
George Ratliff, colored, aged 22, committed a criminal assault upon an eight-year-old white girl in Haywood county, Saturday. The negro had been in the employ of the family for a number of years.  
The Blackwell Durham Tobacco Company has been placed in the hands of a receiver. This is really a move on the part of the American Tobacco Company to "freeze out" the minority stockholders.

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**A Mormon Elder Egged.**  
A Mormon elder undertook to preach at Garner, Wake county, a few days ago. The people of Garner did not receive the elder kindly. They looked upon a man who wanted more than one wife as an idiot or something worse, and he had not been speaking a great while until a great shower of eggs struck him. From all accounts those eggs were laid a long time ago and on a day when the hens were not feeling well. That Mormon elder skipped, leaving behind him curses on the people of Garner and a scent of ancient eggs.

**ASK YOUR DOCTOR!**  
Ask your physician this question, "What is the one great remedy for consumption?" He will answer, "Cod-liver oil." Nine out of ten will answer the same way.  
Yet when persons have consumption they loathe all fatty foods, yet fat is necessary for their recovery and they cannot take plain cod-liver oil. The plain oil disturbs the stomach and takes away the appetite. The disagreeable fishy odor and taste make it almost unendurable. What is to be done?  
This question was answered when we first made **SCOTT'S EMULSION** of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypo-phosphites. Although that was nearly twenty-five years ago, yet it stands alone today the one great remedy for all affections of the throat and lungs.  
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