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Long Hair

About a year ago my hair was coming out very fast, so I bought a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It stopped the falling and made my hair grow very rapidly, until now it is six inches in length. Mrs. A. B. Briston, Atchison, Kans.

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Marriage Reform.

A Rhode Island man has advertised in the newspapers of his town that his wife, having left his bed and board, is not to be trusted for goods on his account, as he will pay no debts of her contracting. The advertisement seems to have been malicious.

CARE OF CONVICTS.

Arp's Attention is Now Directed to His State's Prisoners.
Next in importance to the education of the children of the state comes the care of the convicts, the lunatics and the deaf and the blind. These are charges, fixed charges that rest everywhere upon the citizen and taxpayer and cannot be avoided. A careful perusal of the last reports of the officers of these institutions give us deep concern for their inmates are increasing faster than population and this increase indicates a growing degeneracy in mental, physical or moral condition of our people.

Twenty years ago there were 1,100 negro convicts and 90 per cent of them were wholly illiterate, could neither read nor write. Now we have 4,300 negro convicts and 54 per cent can read and write. How is that? Does education lessen crime or increase it? Mr. Stetson, the state statistician of Massachusetts, says it "increases crime not a little, but immensely," and he proves it. It certainly does among the negro race in Georgia. It is curious to note that we have two counties in the state—White and Gilmer—that have no representative among the convicts. There are four counties—Towns, Pickens, Banks and Dawson—that have but one each.

Dr. Powell reports that on October 1, 1900, there were 1,700 whites and 742 colored on hand, and the new applications now average about six per day. Of course many die and it is a comfort to know that many recover their reason and are discharged. Two hundred and fifty-nine whites and ninety-four negroes were discharged last year. One hundred and fifty-six whites and 186 negroes died. The doctor gives pleasant and easy employment to all who can and are willing to work. He is a philosopher of my own kind for he says he has found that work, manual labor, is more conducive to restoration and contentment than any other medicine.

Just think of last year's work—1,000 aprons, 2,000 bedticks, 3,000 chemises, 1,800 calico dresses, 700 hosiery dresses, 4,700 pair drawers, 4,500 pillow cases, 5,000 pair pants, 3,800 shirts, 1,600 undershirts and quilts by the score—crazy quilts I suppose—making a total of over 50,000 articles made by crazy women. Good gracious, what an industrious female family the doctor has got. In this way he has greatly reduced the cost of maintenance and brought down the per capita to \$117. But on the other hand, he has to be continually repairing or replacing something, for he says "insanity means destruction and that the tendency of a large number of patients is to destroy furniture, crockery, bedding, clothing, lights, sash and some times tearing their rooms to pieces." Now just imagine what an army of lunatics we have. Cartersville is quite a large little county town of 3,500 people, but three-fourths of them are children under age. We have only about 800 grown-up people who are fit to be lunatics, but here at the sanitarium are three times as many, and the number increasing every year.

But the report of the prison commission gives us most anxiety, for that concerns crime and involves the safety of our people from the lawless who fear not God nor regard man. The maintenance of the sanitarium costs the state \$275,000 annually, but there is one good thing, and only one—the state convicts. They cost the state nothing after the trial, but on the contrary they bring in a considerable revenue, and under the new system this revenue is rapidly increasing. General Evans, Mr. Eason and Mr. Turner inaugurated this system only two years ago and it has already proved a signal success. The state now has the absolute control of all its convicts and has purchased a large farm near Milledgeville, where the old men and the boys and all the women are kept. Under the skillful management of Mr. Foster the farm paid well the first year, and the convicts are nearly as happy as they were in old slavery times. Most of the able bodied convicts are leased to farmers at good prices, but the state provides guards and medical attention. Here is another army of 2,300 to look after, but these are not all. There are 2,350 more at work in the county chancery, making a total of 4,650, of whom 358 are white, ten are white women and 215 are negro women.

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

The News From Everywhere Gathered and Condensed.

Corbin, Mont., is reported to have been destroyed by a cloudburst.

Tuesday was the hottest day ever recorded in Chicago, 104 degrees.

A strike of 1000 men has held up building operations at Fort Worth, Tex.

A dynamite magazine exploding at Denver, Col., Tuesday, killed two laborers.

Two persons were killed in a Lake Shore Railroad collision near Cleveland, O., Tuesday.

Various associations in New York have planted 2,880 trees on the streets in six months.

In the three years the War Revenue act was operative \$310,563,363 was paid into the Treasury.

The New York Court of Appeals has sustained the constitutionality of the eight-hour labor law.

There were 25,873 arrests, 1,025 fires and 112 suicides in Greater New York in the last quarter.

From seeing two women killed by a train, Mrs. Oscar Turney, of Beloit, Wis., became a maniac, Tuesday.

An exploding tank at the Williamsburg, N. Y., branch of the Standard Oil Company, Saturday, injured five men.

The Census Bureau bulletin shows that nearly one-third the population of the United States live in cities of over 8,000 population.

After shooting Walter Morris, a burglar, 12-year-old Minnie Waddell, of Griffithsville, W. Va., stood watch over him all night Monday.

Imports of precious stones for the past year at New York amounted to \$21,919,663, over \$3,000,000 more than in any other year.

Eighteen men were lost by the sinking of the fishing vessel Wyanonia, of Gloucester, Mass., off the Grand Banks of Newfoundland, Monday.

After being reprimanded by his father for betting on horse races, Eugene Benning, 16 years old, of St. Louis, Mo., killed himself, Monday night.

The State Department has received the amount of the American indemnity claim against Turkey, \$95,000, through the American Legation at Constantinople.

When his wife refused to live with him after a year's separation, C. A. Kline, of Michigan City, Ind., committed suicide, Sunday night, and his deserting wife did the same.

An excursion boat anchored in the Susquehanna river at Sunbury, Pa., blew up with terrific force Saturday morning, killing two boys and injuring a dozen other persons, two fatally.

Twenty-eight loaded coal cars were plunged into a ravine on the Scranton division of the Ontario & Western Railroad Sunday by the breaking of a car wheel near Hancock Junction, N. Y.

Nineteen persons were killed and several others seriously hurt in a head-on collision between passenger and fast live stock trains on the Chicago and Alton Railroad near Norton, Mo., Tuesday night.

James R. Keenan, a hotel proprietor of Washington, D. C., has been sued for \$10,000 damages by Mrs. Annie White, the widow of a milk wagon driver, who is alleged to have died from hydrophobia, caused by dogs belonging to Keenan.

While a freight train was crossing the Nickel Plate Railroad bridge near Springfield, Pa., on Thursday morning, the structure gave way and the train fell through it. Nine men were killed and ten injured, all of whom were at work filling in a cut.

Governor Dockery, of Missouri, has received numerous petitions asking him to issue a proclamation setting a day for fasting and prayer for rain. It is said that unless rain shall come soon, the failure of crops in Missouri will be the greatest since 1854.

An explosion in the smelter of the Kansas City Consolidated Smelting Company at El Paso, Tex., Tuesday damaged the property to the extent of \$125,000. An accumulation of gas caused the explosion. Thirteen Mexicans were burned, three of whom will probably die.

Reports Tuesday from different points in Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Wisconsin and Missouri show conditions of heat equalling or surpassing all previous records. In many sections the long continued heat has seriously injured, if not irreversibly ruined corn and fruit crops.

Foreign Affairs.

French miners on Monday voted in favor of a general strike.

Through trains from Moscow to Stretensk, Siberia, are now running. Over 300 persons are reported killed in conflicts between natives of the Korean island of Qelpaeret and Roman Catholic mission pupils.

Diseases and Their Remedies.

Cartersville, Ga., July 16, 1901.

I arrived home just a week ago after almost constant absence since the first of January, feeble in body and mind, with my constitution and by-laws both out of fix. I have been farming a week and I am greatly improved by the remedy. What a treat it is to an over-worked man when he is overworked on one line to have other work that is recuperating and helpful to him.

There is hardly an issue of the newspapers but what is reported the fact that some man has killed his wife or sweetheart and this afternoon I read that some girl had killed her lover. I never heard of lovers doing so many devilish mean things as they are doing these days.

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ALL OVER THE STATE.

A Summary of Current Events for the Past Seven Days.

The town of Southport, which has been dry for several years, recently voted in favor of liquor license and saloons are to be opened there.

A man supposed to be C. H. Hasten, of Henrietta, was run over by a train at Kernersville Monday night and received injuries from which he died soon after.

Ten stores, one hotel and a barber shop were destroyed by fire at Laurinburg, Thursday afternoon, causing a \$75,000 loss. At one time the whole town was in danger.

Jacob Haywood and two sons were instantly killed Monday by the explosion of his saw-mill near Glover, in Nash county. He had raised a family of sixteen boys and five girls.

While intoxicated and asleep on the track, C. C. Wilborn, aged 30, of West Durham, was killed by a train of the Southern Railway between Cary and Morrisville, Sunday morning about 9 o'clock.

The barn of A. F. Messick was burned in Salem Tuesday by order of the authorities to prevent the spread of glanders. A horse having the disease was killed. This is the only point where the disease existed.

Two cents was the cause of a murder in Person county Wednesday evening. Two negro boys, about 12 and 14 years of age and first cousins, had a dispute and the younger one lost his life, being hit in the head with a club.

A cutting scrape occurred at Wilson, Saturday morning, between Charles Barber, a colored carpenter, and A. B. Timmons, a colored brick mason, in which the latter was fatally stabbed. It started over a debt of \$1.50 which Timmons owed Barber.

Frank Holland, of Gwaltney's, near the corner of Alexander, Iredell and Wilkes counties, was accidentally shot and killed Saturday by the discharge of a small No. 7 target rifle in the hands of W. P. Carson. Holland was 25 years of age. The coroner's jury decided that the killing was accidental.

James R. Latta was drowned in Roanoke river at Roanoke Rapids, Monday, while bathing in the river with companions. Mr. Latta, who could not swim a stroke, got in water beyond his depth and was drowned before his friends could reach him. The body was recovered Wednesday. The young man was formerly of Durham.

The Washington Progress has received information that efforts are being made to organize a stock company for the purpose of constructing a trolley railroad around Mattamuskeet Lake in Hyde county from Swan Quarter. This line will be about forty-five miles long and will traverse the most fertile farming land in North Carolina.

According to the Greenville Reflector, a colored man serving a term in Pitt county jail was recently bled out to a farmer. He worked along for a day or two and then failed to show up at his end of the row any more. The farmer started an inquiry after him and found that he had come to town and gone back in jail. The negro said he had rather stay in jail than work.

Governor Aycock has again granted a respite to Louis Council, the negro sentenced to be hanged at Fayetteville for the crime of rape, committed on Mrs. Lonnie West, at Wade, in Cumberland county, in May, 1900. This time the respite is for seven days and the time of execution has been set for Monday, July 22nd. There will positively be no further respite.

The dead body of Sam Miller, colored, was found in Eno river, seven miles from Durham, Sunday afternoon. Miller, who was about 75 years old, lived alone and was a recluse. He was an illicit whiskey dealer and had recently been arrested and bound over to the Federal Court for that offence. Whether he had committed suicide or had been murdered is a mystery.

The recently appointed directors of the North Carolina Railroad met at Burlington, Thursday, and elected Hugh G. Chatham, of Elkin, president, Dan Hugh McLean, of Dunn, secretary and treasurer, and S. M. Gattis, of Hillsboro, attorney. The directors adopted a resolution requiring the secretary and treasurer to give his personal attention to the office of the company at Burlington. His salary is \$2,000 per annum.

E. R. Coats, who runs a mercantile business in Dunn, and whose farm is about two and a half miles away, was robbed of \$7.50 Monday night while on his way home. It was very dark and he was driving along slowly near Storey Run branch when the horse was seized and three men dragged him from his buggy and took what money he had. Mr. Coats received no bodily harm, save little bruises from being dragged from his buggy. He says it was so dark that he could not tell who the parties were.

Plays Bag-Pipe O'er Wife's Grave. Pittston, Pa., July 15.—Jesse Mitchell strangely commemorated the death of his wife by playing 27 pieces of music over her grave in Pittston Cemetery yesterday. Followed by a number of sympathetic relatives and friends he entered the graveyard, sat down upon the newly-made mound, and played a Scottish bag-pipe for an hour. No one could tell if it was grief or otherwise.

Only Jersey Indian Left.

In a little one-room house without windows, situated on a lonely spot along the Maurice river, a short distance from Norma, N. J., lives the sole survivor of the South Jersey Indians, Dan Halstead. For more than half a century this old man, slugging the ways of civilization as much as possible, has clung to the habits of his fore-fathers. Halstead, though not a full-blooded Indian, is said to be a grandson of old Shamung, a great chief whose tribe had its hunting grounds along the banks of the Maurice river. The grandson of the old chief is a quiet, peaceful sort of a fellow, without kind or kin, and the only living friend he has in the world is his dog Prince, a mongrel. This dog is his sole companion. Dan Halstead lives with only one ray of hope to brighten his existence—that the red man will return some day to reclaim his hunting grounds and that he will then become a true Indian again and adopt the costume and manners of his race.

General Debility
Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy—vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers. For this condition take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions. Hood's Pills cure constipation, etc., etc.

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