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Amot all the people have to do with government is to vote. The politicians do the rest.

It would not have been so bad if it had not furnished the News and Observer prevention for coming out in red head lines.

Judge Shaw would make a good attorney general all right, but he does not stand in with the politicians; and that is to say he will not get the nomination.

It seems to us that the Durham authorities are on the wrong "scent" in trying to solve the Durham chloroform mystery. They will hardly find a clue that will connect any one with the affair outside of the alleged victim (?)

If there was anything shady about the payment of that money by the Southern to Mr. Drewry why was such an open record of the transaction made? That is what we do not understand. We hope the whole matter can be satisfactorily explained.—Wilmington Messenger.

The News and Observer would say no doubt that it was because the Southern did not expect they would get a "look at the books."

BROTHER Phillips, of the New Bern Sun, is taking time by the forelock. He has already begun talking about his Thanksgiving turkey.—Wilmington Messenger.

It will be too bad if no one takes the hint and Brother Phillips does not get a Thanksgiving turkey. But he will have the consolation of knowing that he deserved one all the same for the good work he is doing for New Bern and his section of the State.

Worth Going to See.

The Jamestown Exposition had a great many knockers at first, but it is now receiving praises from every direction. It is one of the best Expositions ever held—larger and better than the Buffalo Exposition, and not far behind the one recently held in St. Louis. Every American who can possibly do so, should visit it, and learn something about the progress of this wonderful country of ours, and the opportunities it offers. The Jamestown Exposition is educational in character and worth the time and money it will cost to see it.

United in This.

In his speech at Atlantic City before the American Bankers Association Governor Swanson of Virginia, gave voice to a sentiment that we believe animates the whole South. "The freeing of the slaves cost the South three billions of dollars. At the close of the war the ballot was given to the vicious and debased, but after years of self-sacrifice we have recovered, by legislation we have practically eliminated the negro from Southern politics. We will stand together on this question as no have never stood on any other. We will treat the negro kindly, but so help us God we will hold him in his place for his own good and for the South's salvation."

Henry E. Jones of Tampa, Fla., writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing did me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and shoulders. I am 62 years old, and suffered long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and enjoy myself. It is a pleasure to recommend it to those needing a kidney medicine."

Of Practical Interest to Women.

Our regular writer on fashions discusses in the November number of the NEW IDEA WOMAN'S MAGAZINE the subject of fall and winter suits, giving an account of the materials, colors and trimmings in this important department of dress which will be in vogue during the winter of 1907-1908. The Thanksgiving season is a difficult time for the housekeeper, but the articles on Thanksgiving pies and tarts, the turkey, and the day after, which tells of the use of left-overs when the great feast has come and gone, will make her burdens less. Those who entertain will find "After Dinner Fun for Thanksgiving Day," "A Progressive Marble Contest," "A Bride's Party," and some "Stunts," brim full of suggestions; "How to Manage Your Lectures," contains much practical advice toward a lucrative vocation, and the "New Education in Music" gives an interesting outline of work for a social club. Our regular departments, which every reader looks forward for from month to month, are unusually good for November.

Cures Rheumatism and Catarrh.—Medicine Free.

Send no money—simply write and try Botanic Blood Balm at our expense. Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) kills or destroys the poison in the blood which causes the awful pain in back and shoulder blades, shifting pains, difficulty in moving fingers, toes or legs, bone pain, swollen muscles and joints of rheumatism, or the foul breath, hawking, spitting, droppings in throat, and hearing, speaks flying before the eyes, all played out feeling of catarrh. Botanic Blood Balm has cured hundreds of cases of 39 or 40 years standing after doctors, hot springs and patent medicines had all failed. Most of these cured patients had taken Blood Balm as a last resort. It is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases. Impossible for any one to suffer the agonies or symptoms of rheumatism or catarrh while or after taking Blood Balm. It makes the blood pure and rich, thereby giving a healthy blood supply. Cures are permanent and not a patching up. Drug stores, \$1.00 per large bottle. Sample of Blood Balm sent free and prepaid, also special medical advice by describing your trouble and writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Send Your Children to School.

Beidville Weekly.

The Weekly would impress upon every parent the duty they owe their children in giving them an education, or rather we would say, allowing them the opportunity of acquiring it. The public schools will soon be open all over the State, and the opportunities they offer should not be lightly regarded. All can not hope to obtain a collegiate education, but a fair business education such as will fit one for the practical duties of life can be obtained in our free schools. Time was when education was the privilege of the favored few; now it is opened to everybody. The necessity of education—being able to read and write—was never so great as now. The following from one of our State contemporaries is commended to the consideration of all parents:

The busy season of the year is over, so there is nothing to keep the children from attending school. No parent can afford to keep his or her children out of school this day and time. Yet we fear there will be a large number who will not attend.

The boy who becomes 21 years old after 1908 cannot vote under the laws of this State unless he can read and write, and this fact alone should impress the parents of North Carolina with the necessity and importance of keeping their children in school. The State has made that requirement and has made provision for you to meet it. Are you going to accept the opportunity and meet the requirements?

But there is a still higher motive that should be considered when it comes to the question of educating the boys and girls of our land, and that is preparing them to fight the battle of life that starts them in the face. The illiterate class that is cast upon the world at the age of 21 cannot hope to be any more than slaves to the intelligent class. There never was a time when such a premium was placed on education as it is at the present time.

Parents, if your children grow up in ignorance you, and you alone, are responsible for it. Do not stop at sending them two days in the week or two weeks in the month, but send them every day possible during the whole term. This is a sacred debt you took upon you when you became a parent, and it is your duty to pay it. Send your children to school.

High Endorsement of "The Holy City"

THE RECTOR'S STUDY, ST. JAMES CHURCH, INDEPENDENCE, IOWA, January 1, A. D. 1905.

To Whom It May Concern: I have witnessed with much pleasure and profit the presentation of "The Holy City" by the Gordon & Bennett Company. It is in my judgment a play which is in every way worthy of the patronage of Christian people.

CHAS. J. SCHUTT, Rector, (Dean of the Waverly Deanery.)

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A Beautiful Exposition.

Far too little has been said about the real merits of the Exposition that celebrates the three hundredth anniversary of the settlement of the United States. The Jamestown Tercentennial Exposition was unfortunately in allowing itself to be seen long before it was ready for inspection. It is not colossal, but is beautiful and it is instructive. Visitors going there in the mood of willingness to discover the attractions of the Exposition will not be disappointed. The eight or ten weeks that yet remain of the fair ought to bring hundreds of thousands of visitors from all parts of the country. The region itself is full of historic and present-day interest. Norfolk, Newport News, Hampton, and Fortress Monroe are at hand, and water excursions make it easy to visit the Old North State in every direction. The architecture of the Exposition is to the trained observer more charming than that of almost any other in a long series of Expositions. If the exhibits are not of a bewildering extent and variety, they are at least thoroughly illustrative of recent progress. Some of the special exhibits, like that contained in the negro building, for instance, are worthy of great praise. The United States Government has expended much money and ingenuity in its various efforts to represent in this fair what the Government departments are doing, and the management of the enterprise has achieved wonders in the overcoming of difficulties that have arisen. The weather on Hampton Roads during the recent months of the Exposition ought to be very agreeable for visitors.—From "The Progress of the World," in the American Review of Reviews for October.

From Chase City.

Health and Pleasure Seekers at the Famous Mecklenburg Hotel—Opening of the Season for Winter Tourists.

THE MECKLENBURG, CHASE CITY, VA., October 1st.

With the advent of October the general attractions of The Mecklenburg are especially enhanced by the presence of a number of fox hunters, assembling singly and in parties for the purpose of indulging in the most exhilarating sport handed down the annals of time.

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