

# GREAT WITHNEY POWER PLANT NOW NEAR COMPLETION

Salisbury, N. C., June 14.—The Whitney Company which is building the great water power on the Yadkin river at Whitney and for which Hon. John S. Henderson, of Salisbury, is general counsel, the main offices of the company being located in this city, announce today that beginning January 1st, 1908, it will be in readiness to furnish power to plants within a radius of 40 miles of Whitney.

It is also stated that 40 per cent. of the available power has already been spoken for.

The work at this great power plant is being pushed with all possible haste and wonderful progress is being made, considering the enormity of the undertaking.

**Story of the Development.**  
Work has been in progress on this plant since March, 1905. The big Pittsburg contractor, T. A. Gillespie Company, has the contract for building a 45,000 electrical horse power company. The original plan was to complete the plant by the first of the year, but it was later decided to dig the canal deeper.

**One Thousand Men Busy.**  
Work has not been started on the power house, all attention heretofore having been given to the dam and canal, where sixty dicky trains, six steam shovels and a thousand laborers have been constantly at work. Night work has been resumed for the summer, but will be suspended during the winter. The dam is well nigh complete. The river is now going through the piers into the spillway. The piers will be 19 feet higher than the dam. The four-and-a-half mile canal is getting well in shape. From the dam to the power house is 124 feet fall.

**Heavy Pay Roll.**  
Many negroes are employed. Pay day is twice a month and the pay roll is some \$50,000 a fortnight. The plant, when completed, will transmit electricity over a radius of 100 miles, and its significance is incalculable to the Piedmont section of this state. It is hoped to build a city at Whitney.

**Credit to Mr. Hambley.**  
The thoroughness with which the preliminary work was done was due to the untiring labors of the late Capt. E. B. C. Hambley. He spent years in surveying and locating the site and interesting capitalists in it and who bought in the 14,000 acres which the company own there.

**Texas Bankers in the Metropolis.**

New York, June 17.—Soldiers have more extensive preparations been made for the entertainment of visitors to the metropolis than the program arranged in honor of the members of the Texas Bankers' Association and their ladies, scheduled to reach here tomorrow on their annual tour, which this year has taken them through a large section of this country and Canada. To New York banks have united in preparing for the reception and entertainment of the visitors.

Upon arriving in the city the guests will be met by a delegation representing the local banks and they will be taken through the financial district in automobiles.

In the afternoon the visitors will be taken on a steamboat trip down the harbor and beyond the Narrows, returning to Coney Island to be introduced to the various attractions of Dreamland and Luna Park. At Coney Island there will be a banquet and the return to the city will be by trolley. After leaving New York the Texans will go to Jamestown by way of Philadelphia and Washington and then will start homeward by way of Richmond, Cincinnati and St. Louis.

**Ready to Race at Windsor.**  
Windsor, Ont., June 14.—All that is needed is good weather to make the summer race meeting that opens here tomorrow one of the best ever held in the Dominion. The track is in the best of condition and the stables are filled with a string of fast horses from Toronto and Hamilton, where the meetings recently closed, and from Kentucky and other parts of the South.

Six big stake events will be run during the four weeks of the meeting. The first stake is the Frontier, to be run to-morrow. It is at a mile and an eighth, and is one of the best known of the Northern classics. The other stake events are the Royal Oak Farm stake, for two-year-olds; the Windsor selling, for three-year-olds and upwards; the Detroit, for two-year-olds; the Pontchartrain stake, an allaged championship, and the International steeplechase.

**Black Hand Charged With Dynamite Explosion**

Chicago, Ill., June 17.—A dynamite explosion yesterday, which partly wrecked the flat building, spread terror throughout the section of the city known as Little Italy.

Forty-five occupants who were asleep in the building escaped injury.

The outrage is laid to the Black Hand.

No greater mistake can be made than to consider lightly the evidence of disease in your system. Don't take desperate chances on ordinary medicines. Use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. E. B. Menzies.

There would be a much better prospect of defeating Mr. Bryan for the nomination if those who are opposed to him had a candidate of their own.—Durham Herald.

# I Took Pe-ru-na, Hardly Daring to Believe

So Writes Mr. Newhof, of Albany.

## Pelvic Diseases in Men.

Many an invalid is dragging out a miserable existence with catarrh of the kidneys, catarrh of the bladder, or both.

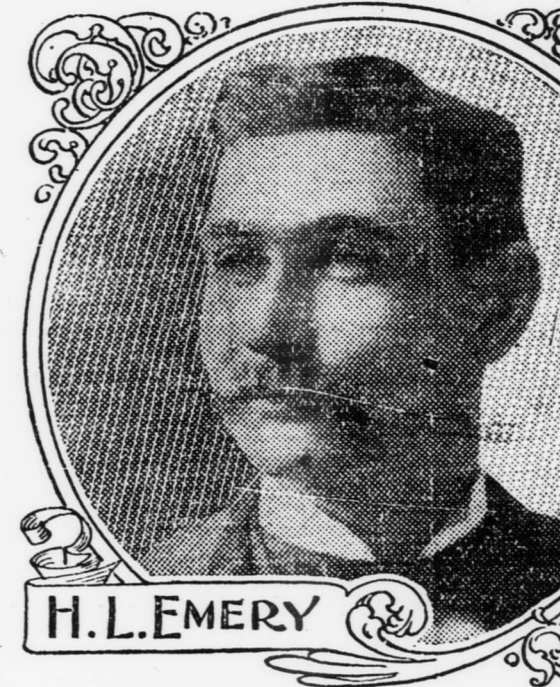
There is no disease equal to catarrh of the bladder in producing complete wretchedness, absolute despair, haggard misery and stubborn weakness.

An army of this sort of victims have one by one discovered that Peruna could be relied upon to relieve such cases.

One man tells another man, and in this way the news spreads until in all parts of the country are to be found men who have been permanently liberated from the thralldom of catarrh of the bladder by a course of Peruna.

Many cases of catarrh of the stomach, kidneys and other abdominal organs have reported themselves as cured.

We give below two prominent testimonials which illustrate the benefit of Peruna in these cases.



H. L. EMERY

### Catarrh of Stomach and Kidneys.

Mr. H. L. Emery, Vice Chancellor and Master of Arms, K. P.'s, of Omaha, Neb., writes from 205 North Sixteenth street, the following words of praise for Peruna as a tonic. He says:

"It is with pleasure I recommend Peruna as a tonic of unusual merit. A large number of prominent members of the different orders with which I have been connected have been cured by the use of Peruna in cases of catarrh of the stomach and head; also in kidney complaints and weakness of the pelvic organs. Peruna tones up the system, aids digestion, induces sleep, and is well worthy the confidence of sufferers of the above complaints."

Mr. David L. Jaycox, Chaplain Clarinda L. O. G. T. and Chaplain G. A. R., 855 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., writes:

"I am an old war veteran. I contracted severe bladder and kidney trouble. I spent hundreds of dollars and consulted a host of doctors, but neither did me any good.

"Finally some of my comrades who had been cured by Peruna advised me to try it. I at once bought a bottle, and found it helped me so much that I kept using it for nearly four months.

"Peruna has proven the best medicine I ever used. My pains are gone and I believe myself to be cured. I feel well, and would not be without a bottle in time of need for ten times its cost."

Mr. Robert E. Hanvey, Treasurer Knights of Industrial Freedom, also a well known writer and lecturer, writes

from 11 South Nicholas St., Chicago, Ill., as follows:

"I was in good health until about four years ago, when my back became lame and sore. The pains kept increasing, with severe twitches and slow exhaustive aches. Urine was highly colored and passed with great irregularity. I knew this must be inflammation of the bladder.

"Having read of Peruna I decided to try it. I found relief from the pain within ten days. The aches gradually diminished, and it was a blessed relief to me. Within three months I was well once more. My appetite had returned, nervousness and irritability were things of the past, and for over two years now I have been a healthy man.

"I give all thanks to your Peruna, and believe that it is a blessing to mankind."



CHARLES B. NEWHOF

### Catarrh of the Bladder.

Mr. C. B. Newhof, 10 Delaware street, Albany, N. Y., President Montefiore Club, writes:

"Since my advanced age I find that I have been frequently troubled with urinary ailments. The bladder seemed irritated, and my physician said that it was catarrh caused by a protracted cold which would be difficult to overcome on account of my advanced age. I took Peruna, hardly daring to believe that I would be helped, but found to my relief that I soon began to mend. The irritation gradually subsided, and the urinary difficulties passed away. I have enjoyed excellent health for the past seven months. I enjoy my meals, sleep soundly, and am as well as I was twenty years ago. I give all praise to Peruna."

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### Statesville to Have New Lumber Company

Statesville, N. C., June 14.—Application has been made for a charter for the Iredell Lumber Company, which will do a general lumber business and manufacture mantels, etc. Messrs. J. A. Mundy, J. H. Troutman, J. M. Adams and Jno. W. Allison are the incorporators. The authorized capital is \$100,000 with \$10,000 paid in. The company has an option on a site but are as yet undecided as to the location.

Mr. Munday is a member of the lumber firm of Munday & Teague, whose plant was sold to the Paola Cotton Mills Co to make room for their new mill building which is to be constructed this summer. He came to Statesville from Taylorsville, where he was in the lumber business. Messrs. Troutman and Allison recently moved to Statesville and they have had experience in the lumber business.

### Another Shooting Scrape Occurred at Spencer

Salisbury, N. C., June 14.—There was another shooting scrape at Spencer yesterday morning, but fortunately no one was killed this time.

Dick Rick and Lake Tillman, both colored, were in the same car on the shop train which takes the workmen from Salisbury to Spencer every morning. They had some words, Tillman being accused by Rick of being too intimate with his wife, and when they stepped from the train at the shops Tillman drew his pistol and shot Rick three times, all three taking effect, but none of them inflicting any very serious wounds. The negro who used the gun so freely made his escape.

### Consider Proposition to Exempt Road From Law

Raleigh, N. C., June 14.—The corporation commission is considering a petition from the Norfolk & Southern Railroad Co. to exempt the Pamlico division of the road from the operation of the 2 1/2 cent passenger act.

This is a section of road that consists of two old lumber roads—about seventy miles—and forty miles of wholly new road.

And the contention of the railroad company is that it is all practically a new road and should be exempt from the rate under the act. The commission has not yet made a ruling.

### Colic and Diarrhoea.

Pains in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by Shuford Drug Co.

### Winston-Salem, June 15.—Ex-Representative John D. Waddill, of this county, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is thought to be improved and strong and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

### Shelby Social News. The McBrayer-Mull Wedding

Shelby, N. C., June 15.—An event which has been awaited with much interest was the wedding of Mr. Odus Mull to Miss Patten McBrayer, which took place Thursday night in the Baptist Church. The decorations were simple but beautiful, the entire effect being white and green.

The ushers were Messrs. Joe Wray, Jap Suttle, Forrest Eskridge and Dr. Peeler (of Davidson.) Following the entrance of these came Miss Eula Wright of Asheville, with Mr. Dixon Smith, Mrs. Paul Webb, sister of the bride, was dame of honor, and the bride entered with her brother-in-law, Mr. Paul Webb, and was met at the altar by the groom, who was accompanied by his best man, Hon. E. Y. Webb. The bride was attired in white messaline and carried carnations.

Mr. Mull is a young lawyer of decided ability. He is a member of the firm of Webb & Mull, and represented Cleveland county very ably in the last Legislature.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Hester McBrayer, and is a very popular member of Shelby's smart set, and a young woman of culture and intelligence.

Following the marriage a reception was tendered at the home of Mrs. Brayers and a large number of the guests and nearly all Shelby was there. Punch was dispensed in the hall by Misses Agnes McBrayer and Wray Suttle, and cream and cake were served in the dining room. With the receiving party were Misses Mammie Wright, Fannie Suttle, of Asheville, and Misses Harrell, from Charlotte.

The present were beautiful and numerous.

### A Clover Hunt.

The Misses Warlick, of Newton, who have for the past week been the guests of Mrs. J. C. Smith have returned home.

Last week they were the guests of honor at a delightful function given by Mrs. Smith, a Clover Hunt. The invitations were issued in the shape of a four-leaf clover, and the search for the clovers was most amusing. Dainty souvenirs were four-leaved clovers, and the decorations were green and white, as was the cream and cake. It was voted the most unique affair given here for a long time.

### Minor Happenings

Mrs. Paul Webb gave a most delightful luncheon Friday morning in honor of her sister, Mrs. Odus Mull.

Mrs. Lee Packard of Henrietta, is the guest of Mrs. L. P. Hennessy.

Misses Selma Eskridge and Fan Barnett are spending some time in New York, Washington and at the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. Charles L. Eskridge has opened up a shop for watchmaking and engraving.

Mr. Noah Miller and family have moved here from Charlotte, and occupy the Hall house on Marion street.

When you feel need of a pill take a De Witt's Little Early Riser. Small pill, safe pill, sure pill. Easy to take—pleasant and effective. Drives away headaches. Sold by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

### SALOON MEN KEPT DODGING

Sunday Selling Arrests Gave Atlantic City Lively Day.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 15.—Three hundred local liquor dealers went into temporary seclusion when constables for the Good Citizenship League began the service of the 40 warrants issued last evening for the arrest of alleged violators of the Sunday-selling law. As practically every saloon and cafe in the city was wide open, no proprietor knew where the reform fighting would strike, and it was an exciting game of hide and seek for the constables. Many self-suspicious shut themselves up in their private offices, refusing to see strangers whose business was not satisfactorily set forth. Others dodged every individual they imagined might be hiding a silver star under his coat.

Issuance of the list of warrants from reform headquarters set at rest many minds whose owners discovered they were not under the ban. With the exception of less than a dozen cases service had been obtained on all of the 40 warrants.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine. She is round, plump, and handsome: in fact she is young again. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. E. B. Menzies.

### Class Day at Brown University.

Providence, R. I., June 17.—Class day at Brown University, with its many gatherings in which the seniors played the leading parts today, proved to be one of the most interesting and delightful for years.

The exercises were held this morning in Sayles Hall and included an address by George Hurley of Providence, an oration by Ralph N. Bennett, of North Adams, Mass., and the class poem by Joseph Boardman, Jr., of Plymouth, N. H. A baseball game between the teams of Brown and the University of Alabama takes place this afternoon and will be followed by more exercises and address on the campus.

### One of Missing Eleven Found

Washington, D. C., June 15.—Secretary Metcalf has received a telephone message from Admiral Berry, commanding the Norfolk navy yard, saying the Minneapolis launch has been raised to the surface and the body of the fireman found.

### When Launch was Raised to Surface Only One Body was Found. No Trace of The Other Ten.

The search for other bodies is being continued.

No Trace of Others.

Norfolk, Va., June 15.—The following Washington special to the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch, from Old Point Comfort, says:

"Only one body that of George W. Westphal, first class fireman, who was found at his post of duty, was in the Minnesota's launch when she was raised to the surface.

"There was no trace of any of the six midshipmen or other four seamen who were said to have been aboard the launch.

"Furthermore, no capes, caps or other articles of wearing apparel, belonging to the midshipmen were to be found and there was nothing in the launch to indicate the midshipmen were aboard when the boat went down.

"The launch looks to be badly wrecked, her hull had part of her framework which hold the canopy, being stove in.

"The canvas canopy is so badly torn it is impossible to tell whether the flaps were fastened down at the time of the collision.

"There is no longer any doubt the launch was run into and sunk by some other vessel, the condition of the boat completely silencing all those who have believed the launch foundered during the storm."

### Every Man His Own Doctor.

The average man cannot afford to employ a physician for every slight ailment or injury that may occur in his family, nor can he afford to neglect them, as so slight an injury as the scratch of a pin has been known to cause the loss of a limb. Hence every man must from necessity be his own doctor for this class of ailments. Success often depends upon prompt treatment, which can only be had when suitable medicines are kept at hand. Chamberlain's Remedies have been in the market for many years and enjoy a good reputation.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm (an anti-septic liniment) for cuts, bruises, burns, sprains, swellings, lame back and rheumatic pains.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for constipation, biliousness and stomach troubles.

Chamberlain's Salve for diseases of the skin.

One bottle of each of these five preparations costs but \$1.25. For sale by Shuford Drug Co.

The physician who attended the Queen of Spain has been made a martyr. We can only guess what would have happened to him if it had been a girl.

A broad-minded man never loses any sleep because another man's opinion fail to agree with his own.

### Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

"Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says: 'I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby.'"

Kodol Digests What You Eat. Bottles only. Relieves indigestion, sour stomach, belching of gas, etc. Prepared by E. C. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO, C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin.

### Death of Rev. Dr. P. L. Groome at Greensboro

Greensboro, N. C., June 15.—Rev. Dr. P. L. Groome, who died yesterday, was buried today in Greene Hill cemetery, the funeral services being held in West Market Street Methodist Church. Dr. Groome was before bad health caused his retirement several years ago from the active ministry, a prominent pastor in the Western North Carolina Conference, and was a ripe scholar. He had traveled extensively and wrote two charming books, one of them being an account of his travels in the Holy Land, which gave him great reputation.

For several years his health has been very frail. Only recently he recovered from a prolonged stay in New Mexico, but his days were numbered, and yesterday he fell to sleep.

He was 55 years of age and leaves a devoted wife and family and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss. Among his surviving children is Mrs. Frank McIninch of Charlotte, who with her husband, were present today at the last obsequies.

Another valued citizen, Mr. J. T. Longest, aged 81 years, died here yesterday, at the home of his son, Mr. J. N. Longest. The remains were taken to Graham to-day for burial.

The medicine that sets the whole world thinking. The remedy on which all doctors agree. The prescription all your friends are taking is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. E. B. Menzies.

### High Point Firm in Financial Straits

High Point, N. C., June 15.—The ideal Grocery Company of High Point was placed in involuntary bankruptcy yesterday by petitioning creditors. The liabilities of the firm are placed at about \$3,500 with assets of about \$5,000. One of the ideal's heaviest creditors is the Commercial National Bank in the sum of \$1,000. The Lexington Grocery Company took action against the concern and the Sheriff closed the doors.

Messrs. John A. Bell and Phil L. Lance have been conducting the business since November, 1906. Pressure has been brought to bear from a number of lesser creditors with the result stated above.

Do Not Neglect the Children. At this season of the year the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention. The best thing the tea can be given is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by castor oil as directed with each bottle of the remedy. For sale by Shuford Drug Co.

Professional Cards

D. L. Russell, Attorney-At-Law. Prompt Attention Given to All Matters of Legal Nature. Office: Main St., Russell Bldg., Hickory, N. C.

Dr. T. F. Stevenson, Physician and Surgeon. Residence formerly occupied by Dr. W. L. Abernethy. Office at Home. Call answered at all hours. 'Phone 295. Hickory, N. C.

DR. WALTER A. WHITE, DENTIST. Office over Menzies' Drug Store. Hickory, N. C.

DR. W. E. MANVILLE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Hours—10 to 12, 4 to 5. Offices Over McComb's Store. Residence of Prof. W. H. Little. Phone 146B. Hickory, N. C.

W. B. RAMSAY, DENTIST. Office: Second-story of Postoffice.

### Carolina & Northwestern Ry. Co

SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE JULY 10TH, 1904.

Northbound.	Passenger.	Mixed.	Mixed
Chester	Lv. 9:00 am	4:30 am	
Yorkville	Lv. 9:48 am	5:57 am	
Gastonia	Lv. 10:38 am	7:50 am	
Lincolnton	Lv. 11:50 am	9:00 am	
Newton	Lv. 12:28 pm	1:45 am	
Hickory	Lv. 12:57 pm	2:20 pm	2:20 pm
Lenoir	Ar. 2:12 pm	3:55 pm	5:15 pm
Southbound			
Lenoir	Lv. 3:05 pm	9:45 am	
Hickory	Lv. 3:57 pm	5:20 am	11:50 am
Newton	Lv. 4:24 pm	7:00 am	
Lincolnton	Lv. 5:02 pm	9:00 am	
Gastonia	Lv. 6:00 pm	12:10 pm	
Yorkville	Lv. 6:50 pm	3:05 pm	
Chester	Ar. 7:45 pm	4:45 pm	

CONNELLY'S CHESTNUTS  
Yorkville—Southern Ry., S. A. L. and L. & C.  
Gastonia—Southern Railway.  
Lincolnton—S. A. L.  
Newton and Hickory—Southern Rail  
Lenoir—Blowing Rock Stage Line

W. W. L. C. & N. E. F. REID, G. P. A., Charlotte, S. C.

Women's troubles very often occur regularly at a certain time every month. Because this may have been so all your life, is no reason why it should continue. Many thousands of women, who had previously suffered from troubles similar to yours, due to disorder of the womanly organs, have found welcome relief or cure in that wonderfully successful medicine for women,

# Wine of Cardui

Mrs. Leota Forte, of Toledo, Ill., writes: "I am well pleased with the results of using Cardui. I have taken three bottles and am now perfectly well, free from pain and have gained 25 pounds in weight."

**WRITE US A LETTER** Write today for a free copy of valuable 64-page illustrated Book for Women. If you need Medical Advice, describe your symptoms, stating age, and reply will be in plain sealed envelope. Address: Ladies Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.