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Yorkville	" 8 53 am	2 25 pm	
Gastonia	" 9 44 am	4 15 pm	6 00 am
Lincoln	" 10 48 am		8 05 am
Newton	" 11 28 am		9 05 am
Hickory	" 12 05 pm		10 00 am
Lenoir	" 1 29 pm		12 25 pm
South	Passenger	Mixed	Mixed
	No. 9	No. 61	No. 63
Lenoir	Lv 1 50 pm		9 05 am
Hickory	" 2 43 pm		11 15 am
Newton	" 3 10 pm		1 20 pm
Lincoln	" 3 46 pm		2 25 pm
Gastonia	" 4 40 pm	7 00 am	5 50 pm
Yorkville	" 5 52 pm	9 15 am	
Chester	" 6 40 pm	10 35 am	

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The prisoner was about to face trial for the seventh time. "Your honor," said the attorney, "it is an accepted fact that the human body changes completely in seven years or less."

"I fall to discern the application," "Why, even if an entity resembling my client killed anybody at the time of the alleged murder the prisoner could not have been present in person. He didn't exist. That's a scientific fact."

The court intimated the necessity for time to think this over.—Exchange.

DIARRHOEA CURED.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure without avail," writes John Zirkle of Phillippi Va. "I saw Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Phillippi Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him—and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer, he is now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man." Sold by W. S. Martin & Co.

Legend of the Mistletoe.
In the old Norse legends "Baldr, the beautiful," was killed with a branch of mistletoe by "Loki, the mischief maker," who hated and envied him for his popularity. The gods in sorrow heaped curses upon the offending mistletoe. Suddenly appeared the God of Love and begged them in future whenever they saw a piece of it to give each other a friendly kiss in token of love, that his spirit might live. Since that time and from this has come the custom of stealing a kiss from any one standing under a branch of mistletoe.

EXCELLENT HEALTH ADVICE.
Mrs. M. Davison of No. 379 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy for headache biliousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin and Menzies drug stores, 50c.

Inheritance and environment are not only realities, but are the most important elements of the everyday life. The thought of yesterday fixes the tendency of today. The conditions of today are the background against which every life is projected.—Albion W. Tourgee.

The little attacks of stomach trouble and stomach disorders will undoubtedly lead to chronic dyspepsia unless you take something for a sufficient time to strengthen the stomach and give it a chance to get well. If you take Kodol in the beginning the bad attacks of Dyspepsia would be avoided, but if you allow these little attacks to go unheeded it will take Kodol a longer time to put your stomach in good condition again. Get a bottle of Kodol today. Sold by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

The Absinth Tippler.
The symptoms of the effects of the liquor in the case of the absinth tippler commence with muscular quiverings and decrease of physical strength. The hair begins to drop out, the face assumes a melancholy aspect, and he becomes emaciated, wrinkled and sallow. Lesion of the brain follows, horrible dreams and delusions haunt the victim, and gradually paralysis overtakes him and leads him to the grave.

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The Revolution's Darkest Hour.
Of Washington crossing the Delaware on Christmas night, 1776, a historian has written:
"That was the darkest hour of the Revolution. The American army was rapidly dwindling away, poverty was staring congress in the face, and the forces of the king, supplied with all necessary comforts, were flushed with victory. In those circumstances Washington executed a movement of the highest military skill. In the dead of a winter's night he transported his army, with its baggage and artillery, across the Delaware unperceived and almost in the presence of the enemy. From his position at Princeton he compelled the British to abandon their operations in New Jersey and withdraw to New York."

Coming Out.
Next week fashionable Flora was "coming out," and her proud mamma was so excited over the fact that she proclaimed it, metaphorically speaking, from the housetops.

Even the charwoman had it. "You will be pleased to hear, Mrs. Moore," said proud mamma, "that Flora 'comes out' next week." "Well, mum," replied the worthy washer, "I am pleased. An' so does my husband! How long did Miss Flora get?—William got six months!"—London Scraps.

Watchdogs and Their Bark.
The watchdog's honest bark is a pretty good thing in theory and in poetry, but it's a good deal of a nuisance in real life, when the owner of the watchdog lives in your neighborhood and the honest bark is sounding away at night when you want to sleep. It is then that you would like to hear a shotgun bay deep mouthed welcome to the honest barker in question.—Emporia Gazette.

A Fortunate Man.
One day a young matron to the market place did go, where she bought an oyster plant, then set it out to grow. Said she, "Next winter we'll have oysters, fresh oysters every day, and what a saving it will be, with not a cent to pay. Oh, but how should be thankful it was his lot in life to get such a saving woman for his own little wife."—Chicago News.

A FAITHFUL FRIEND.
"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872 and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveller for eighteen years and never start out on a trip without this my faithful friend," says H. S. Nichols of Oakland Ind, Ter. When a man has used a remedy for thirty-five years he knows its value and is competent to speak of it. For sale by W. S. Martin & Co.

Two girls returning from Sunday school were discussing their progress in the Shorter Catechism. "I am past original sin," said the younger one. "The other immediately responded, "Oh, I am farther on than you, for I'm past redemption!"

HOW TO AVOID APPENDICITIS
Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes.

"Your lankweede," remarked the visiting foreigner, "it ees so strange." "Why so, count?" "When a man spend all hees money, one man say hee's all in. Another man when he has no money say hee's all out. I no understand."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

WHY JAMES LEE GOT WELL.
Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband James Lee firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and cold it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it. Sold under guarantee at C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin and Menzies drug stores. 50 and 1.00. Trial bottle free.

"So your divorce was granted, eh?" remarked Little. "Tell me, how do you find single life?" "Great!" exclaimed Large. "You don't understand me," interrupted Little. "I'm asking for information. How do you find it?"—Bohemian.

Diarrhoea

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Warded Off the Blow
A benevolent lady in a Michigan village undertook to fill a hungry tramp who came begging to her door. The saucy fellow found fault with the victuals, laughed at the patent leather pie and ended up by remarking that he never expected to fully recover from the damaging effects of that meal. When the husband came home at night and heard the story, he was mad clear through.

"You cowardly chump!" said the man to his son. "When you heard that critter talking that way to your mother, why didn't you come and tell me? 'd 'a' walloped him."
"I heard him, pa, but I was in the back yard and thought it was you. He went on just the same as you do when the grub doesn't suit. I didn't think anybody else could have the cheek to talk to mother that way."

Summer complaints and other serious ailments common in hot weather can be traced to the stomach nine times out of ten. Keep the stomach in good order right now by keeping a bottle of Kodol handy in the house all the time, but especially during this month. Take Kodol whenever you feel that you need it. That is the only time you need to take Kodol. Just when you need it; then you will not be troubled with sour stomach, bloating, dyspepsia and indigestion. Sold by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

"Pa," asked little Willie, "is it right to say 'Congressman McBluff made a witty extempore speech' or 'a witty extemporaneous speech'?"
"To be perfectly correct," replied the wise father, "you'd better stick in 'seemingly' somewhere there."—Philadelphia Press.

FOR SORE FEET.
"I have found Buckled's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts and all manner of abrasions," writes W. Stone of East Faland Maine. Try it! Sold under guarantee at W. S. Martin, C. M. Shuford and Menzies drug stores, 25c.

It is estimated that \$5,000,000 is spent each summer by American tourists in Canada. Kingston is almost daily visited by hundreds of American excursionists, adding a considerable sum each season to the income of the merchants, hotels, steamboats and railroads of this district.

There are many imitations of De Witt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve but just one original. Nothing else is just as good. Insist on DeWitt's. It is cleansing, cooling and soothing. Sold by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

The sufferer from casual indigestion will often find relief from allowing a charcoal tablet to slowly dissolve in the mouth. If after a heavy dinner a pinch of salt is placed on the tongue and kept there until it is entirely dissolved no discomforts will be felt from overeating.

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