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No "Good Old Times" for Us.

Marshville Home.

Farmers do not have to wait for news in this county. If there is any important or interesting event anywhere in the county they go to their phones and ask about it. On the first Monday we were in the register of deeds office and the phone kept ringing occasionally. "They are wanting to know who were elected cotton weighers," said Mr. Stewart. The result of any election is known all over the county almost as soon as it is known at the court house. We hear folks say they want "good old times like we use to have," but there are not many who would accept those "good old times" if they could have them as it used to be. In some respects the olden times were better than now, but if we should undertake now to get along without railroads, and markets were forty or fifty miles from home, grist mills twenty or thirty miles away, and no daily and but few weekly papers, and no telephone or telegraphic communication you'd hear somebody complain that the "good old times" were not like they use to be.

Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by English Drug Co.

Tommy— "Say, do you have family prayers at your house every morning?"

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Dr. Alderman Becomes President of Virginia's University.

The news that Dr. E. A. Alderman, now president of Tulane University and formerly president of the University of North Carolina, has been elected president of the University of Virginia will be read with pleasure and pardonable pride by every true, loyal North Carolinian. This is a departure from a life-long custom of this grand old institution. This is its first president; heretofore it has had a dean or chairman of the faculty. The University has been wisely managed in all its past history.

For sick headache take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain.

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If We Don't Win.

Atlanta Constitution. If the democracy does not win this year it will be because of a house divided against itself, not because of the strength of the opposition.

Sued by His Doctor.

"A doctor here has sued me for \$12.50, which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White of Coahuila, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say under oath that it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by S. J. Welsh and C. N. Simpson, Jr.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. It is typhoid fever. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

DEATH BY THE HUNDREDS.

An Excursion Steamer Goes Down in Flames and Women and Children Perish Like Rats.

New York, June 15.—One of the most appalling disasters in the history of New York, tragic in its immensity, dramatic in its episodes and deeply pathetic in the tender age of most of its victims, took place today in the East river at the entrance to Long Island Sound, within a short distance of the New York shore, when the excursion steamer, the largest in that line, with thousands of persons on board, was consumed by flames, the majority of whom were powerless to minimize the extent of the catastrophe.

By the burning to the water's edge of the General Slocum, a three-decked excursion steamer, the largest in these waters, more than 600 persons, the majority of whom were women and children, were burned to death or drowned by jumping overboard or by being thrown into the whirlpool by the lurching of the vessel and the frantic rush of the panic-stricken passengers.

Approximately 500 bodies have been recovered and are now being tagged at the morgues of Bellevue Hospital and Harlem. Divers were still busy at a late hour taking bodies from the hold of the vessel, which they say is choked with the remains of human beings, while the bodies of scores who leaped or were thrown into the river have not been recovered.

It is the season of Sunday school excursions in New York and Long Island Sound, the latter one of the most picturesque bodies of water in the country.

Great preparations had been made for the seventeenth annual excursion of the Sunday School of St. Mark's German Lutheran church, the congregation of which is drawn from the dense population of the lower East and west Sides, and the General Slocum had been chartered to carry the excursionists to Locust Grove, one of the many resorts on Long Island Sound.

The excursion was in charge of Rev. George C. F. Haas, pastor of the church. The vessel was commanded by Capt. William Van Schaik, one of the best known excursion boat captains in New York harbor. He has commanded the General Slocum for almost the entire time since she was built in 1891. The number of excursionists on board to-day is variously estimated at from 1,500 to 2,500, but according to an official statement issued by the Knickerbocker Steamship Company, owners of the Slocum, the number of passengers was 873, that being one-third of the vessel's licensed capacity.

The steamer, after leaving her dock this morning, proceeded up the East river, all three of her decks being crowded with merry-makers. Bands played, and the great side-wheeler was decorated with flags from stem to stern.

The scene on the decks of the steamer as she proceeded up East river was one of merry-making, customary on such occasions. The mass of flags fluttered in the June breeze, the bands were playing and the children were singing, dancing and waving handkerchiefs and flags in answer to the salutations of those on shore or from passing steamers.

At the extreme eastern end of Randall's Island, off 135th street, there is a stretch of water known as the Sunken Meadows. At this point, just as crowds were watching the gaily decorated steamer from the shore, the General Slocum took fire, and as the age of the vessel—she was built in 1891—had resulted in the well-seasoning of the woodwork, with which she was almost entirely built, she was soon a mass of flames.

The fire is said to have broken out in a lunch room on the forward deck through the overturning of a pot of grease. The wind was high and all efforts to subdue the fire was futile.

At 134th street there are several lumber yards and oil tanks, and as Capt. William Van Schaik, in command of the General Slocum, started to turn his vessel towards the shore there, he was warned that it would set fire to the lumber and oil, and so he changed his course for North Brother Island, one of twin islands near the entrance to the sound some half a mile away, where the boat partially burned was beached. She sank near this place at 12:15 o'clock this afternoon, 2 hours and 25 minutes after the fire was discovered.

In the meantime the passengers had become panic-stricken and those who were not caught by the flames rushed to the rear of the vessel and jumped overboard into the swiftly running waters. It is alleged that the life preservers were too securely fastened to their holdings to be available, and stories are told of frantic efforts made by strong men to cut them loose, but even if they could have been torn down they were too high up for the children to reach. It is also alleged that no attempt was made to get out the fire apparatus at the first cry of "fire," though Captain Van Schaik says that he immediately rang the bells for getting out the apparatus. According to several statements, no attempt was made to lower boats or life rafts.

Captain Van Schaik and his two pilots, named Edward Van Ward and F. M. Weaver, have been arrested.

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Experiences of a Union Teacher as Revealed by His Diary.

Written for The Journal.

In order that my readers may have a full appreciation of what is to follow, I must beg your indulgence for making a few introductory remarks. In doing so, I must be allowed to introduce myself in a veiled way to them. While I have a record of nearly ten years as a teacher, and still have my scalp, but with a little less hair than when I began, I am painfully conscious of many weaknesses and failures that have manifested themselves in my teaching. On the other hand, I have only gratitude for my friends and patrons for their almost unkindness and consideration. The reason for this will become evident to my readers as I carry them along through the hazy uncertainty of my experiences as a teacher. But before going further, let me say that my purpose was always to be sincere and frank in my relations with both patron and pupil, and especially was it my desire that there should be a clear understanding between teacher and parent.

But it was hard for the modest, shrinking youth that I was to make my presence felt. I was only nineteen when I began teaching, and having been kept there almost exclusively by its demands on my time, I knew but little of the outside world. What learning I had acquired, I obtained it from the district school, and by studying at night after the day's work was over. But the fact that I had obtained a first grade certificate in that way, gave me courage and a measure of independence.

It was in the summer of 1893 that I began teaching in Pinefield district. It was a newly formed school, and the people were enthusiastic over it, having just completed a rudely constructed school house.

Well do I remember that first morning in school. The pupils had a faint look on their faces and the youthful teacher had a faint feeling about his knees, as he arose to greet his students in a formal way. The sweat rose in big drops on his forehead, as he stood before his school, and his face felt as hot as a live coal of fire. I managed to stammer a few words to the students, telling them how glad I was to be their teacher, and how I loved them right then, and how much (?) I should regret to have to punish any of them. When I got through with my little speech I felt worse than silly. But the timidity of both teacher and pupils gradually wore off, and intimate relationships were soon established. In fact, some of the larger girls were kind enough to divide their supply of fruit with me.

Here is the first entry in my diary after I began teaching: "August 19, '93 I began my first school Aug. 14th, in Pinefield district. I have enrolled thirty-six this, the first week. I am boarding at Mr. Pope's, and am faring well. In many respects, Mr. Pope's is a model family." Of course, that grown daughter there with blushing cheeks made me think so, deep down in my heart. But both of us were afraid to speak to each other. The father was stern, and we were held in abeyance. Still, I only wanted to be sociable, despite the rumor that I had become enamored.

At the end of two weeks, I made the following entry: "I have now been teaching two weeks at Pinefield, and am getting along very well. Have had no discouraging trouble yet. Forty-one scholars have been enrolled, and all that number are attending very regularly. All are very well behaved."

On September 18th, I made this entry: "My school at Pinefield came to an unexpected close today. The school lasted twenty-six days. The school was to have run for a month and a half, but the people were so busy in their crops that the committee wished the school to be closed, and the desire found a ready sanction from me. My efforts seem to have given very general satisfaction, and the committee have promised me the winter school, raising my salary from \$20 a month to \$25."

And I was really glad to get out of school, for I thought that I had never seen such stupid children. My nerves had been rasped more than once, and time and again I felt like giving up in despair. I had learned during those twenty-six days, that teaching is not merely a name and a play. E. D. O.

An Alarm Clock for 25c.

If you want to get up early and feel good all day take a Little Early Riser or two at bedtime. These famous little pills relax the nerves, give quiet rest and refreshing sleep, with a gentle movement of the bowels about break fast time. W. H. Howell, Houston, Tex., says "Early Risers are the best pill made for constipation, sick headache, biliousness, etc." Sold by English Drug Co. and S. J. Welsh.

"Shall I get off this end of the car?" said a lady to the conductor on a Santa Fe train the other day as it pulled into Topeka.

"Just suit yourself, madam," said the conductor, "both ends stop."

English Drug Co. and S. J. Welsh Ask the readers of this paper to test the value of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Those persons who have used it and who have been cured by it, do not hesitate to recommend it to their friends. Kodol digests what you eat, cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Increases strength by enabling the stomach and digestive organs to contribute to the blood all of the nutriment contained in the food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is pleasant and palatable.

Frank Armfield, Esq., for Elector. Page Renominated.

Messrs. R. B. Redwine and Frank Armfield were the only delegates from here who attended the congressional convention at Jackson Springs last Thursday. Mr. Armfield bore off one of the honors—he was made elector for the district. A special to the Charlotte Observer tells of the convention as follows:

"The convention of the seventh district met today at Jackson Springs and renominated Representative Page by acclamation. All the counties were represented. The convention was held in the large tabernacle where the Baptist mid-summer meetings are held, and this is an ideal place, lots of room and plenty of air. Mr. W. C. Harrison of Anson, chairman of the executive committee, called the convention to order and Mr. T. B. Bailey of Davie county was elected permanent chairman. Mr. W. J. Adams of Moore, in the elegant style in which he always talks, placed Hon. Robert N. Page before the convention for renomination. Mr. Page was enthusiastically nominated by acclamation."

"Hon. J. A. Lockhart presented Mr. J. G. Boylin, an editor of one of the best Democratic weeklies in the world, as a candidate for delegate to the national convention. He was also nominated by acclamation. Mr. E. E. Raper of Davidson, Mr. R. F. Geyer of Moore, and Mr. N. Glenn Williams of Yadkin were voted for as the other delegates to the national convention. Mr. Raper was elected and Messrs. Williams and Geyer were made alternates. Frank Armfield, Esq., of Union was chosen by a close vote over John T. Brittain of Randolph for elector."

"In accepting the nomination Congressman Page took occasion to urge greater national patriotism to accompany our worthy State pride. In speaking of the St. Louis platform he said it will not dwell upon no dead issues, but will be alive with the questions of the hour, and every effort will be permeated with the fundamental principles that have kept alive our party since its inception. The platform will be conservative but will not stand pat."

"Mr. Armfield, the nominee for elector, was called for and responded briefly and humorously."

Sow Alfalfa and Make a Lawn of Your Yard.

H. F. Freeman in Progressive Farmer.

Now is the time for the farmer to do many things that cannot be done at any other time. The pea crop should not be neglected; that is, the sowed crop. Now be sure to put in one acre of peas on the place you are going to sow in alfalfa this year. Take the richest and most convenient acre you have for this crop. If it is in corn now, plow the corn now for the last time and sow down to peas.

If you don't like the place where your garden is, take this place for your alfalfa; it will be the very place if it is rich. This fall is the time to sow. Now make up your mind to sow one acre, and all one and two-horse farmers can feed all the stock of every kind on the place from first of April until frost after you begin to cut it. Mine is three years old this year, and it is fine. It is by long odds the finest green feed I have ever had. It comes the earliest in the spring and lasts the longest in the fall. It will grow anywhere about the place where the land is rich and all places where the soil is rich or where you use enough guano. The gleanings from the hen-house is fine—spread on the land broadcast. I throw it out any time on top of the land when it is growing, and you soon see fine effects.

Three of my neighbors planted one acre each this spring, and it looks fine now. They will get two or three cuttings from it this year. It does better after you begin to cut it, and if your land is rich, I think it best to begin to cut as soon as it is a foot high. At all times during the growing season, and in winter occasionally, spread over the patch some kind of manure.

You say it takes too much manure. But when you see how much fine feed you are getting from so small a spot of land without cultivation, you will find it pays better than any other crop on the farm. Make one acre rich, and the first good season in September plant it in alfalfa. When you plow your land put in four hundred pounds of lime. Send to the Department of Agriculture, Washington City, for the inoculating material, and use it as directed. Put in plenty of seed.

How about that yard I spoke of to you about this spring? Now is the time to sow it in peas. Sow in peas now with some guano and you will soon have a very pretty yard and this summer plenty of green peas, very convenient to gather for dinner. In September cut the vines off and plow and work down until the soil is loose and fine. Lime or ashes worked in the soil will help. Put in four to six hundred pounds of guano per acre. Sow plenty of grass seed and in four to six weeks you will be enjoying the best luxury on the place, and one equal to the best any king can afford. Just a little work and your yard is the delight of your friends and health and pleasure to yourself and family. This will save the yard and the shade trees. Begin now and do this.

Ice! Ice! Ice! We are handling ice and want your trade. We will treat you right, give you honest weight and prompt delivery. Phone 234. Rept., Walters & Simpson.

The Rhodes Scholarships.

Continued from page 1.

The results recently announced, of the competitive examinations held two months ago for the Oxford scholarships established in the will of the late Cecil Rhodes bring to mind fresh the benefactions of this great man—the imperial minded son of England who "thought in continents." And now that the world is beginning to realize the benefaction it turns with the greater degree of interest to the meaning of it.

It has been more than two years since the troubled search of this big, strong man for health ended in his death at Cape Town before he was 50 years of age. Though it was directed in his will that these scholarships be established as soon after his death "as possible," the world has waited until now to see the first competitive examinations held, and it will naturally be some months before the winners of these scholarships enter upon the actual fruition of the opportunities which the testator set apart nearly the whole of his vast fortune to create.

Within the past few days we have been asked if Rhodes was a Jew and what are the conditions attaching to the scholarships bearing his name. The answer to the first must be made in the negative. A fuller answer must needs be given in case of the second.

Believing that "a good understanding between England, Germany, and the United States will secure the peace of the world and that educational relations form the strongest tie," Rhodes conceived the idea of establishing at some great University a system of scholarships which would bring into close friendly relations the very flower of the capable youth of these three countries. Partly, perhaps, because of sentimental attachment to the school of his own boyhood days, but also, certainly, because of its residential system by which students are brought into close social contact with their fellows, the founder preferred Oxford to any other University as the school where he would have these youths trained. So he assigned 60 scholarships to the colonies of England—none to the mother country herself—of which 21 went to Africa, 18 to Australia, 6 to Canada and 3 each to New Zealand, New Foundland, Bermuda, and Jamaica; to Germany he gave 15, and two were assigned to each state and territory of the United States. The value of each is \$300 (about \$1500) each year for three years, but only half of the American scholarships are to be filled each year.

Candidates for these scholarships must be unmarried and from 20 to 25 years of age. In passing upon their qualifications both their instructors and their fellow-students are called to participate. In reckoning fitness for one of these scholarships, the founder suggested that (1) mere scholarship should count three-tenths, (2) fondness for athletic sport two-tenths, (3) qualities of manhood, truth, devotion to duty, protection of the weak, three-tenths, and (4) qualities of leadership two-tenths.

The first and third are to be determined by the instructors; the second and fourth by vote of the fellow students.

The more one reflects upon this bequest of the magnificent empire builder, its munificence and its lofty purpose, the more one must be impressed by the character of Cecil Rhodes. And it is pleasant to record, in conclusion, the fact that North Carolina has in the first competitive examination furnished four young men who could meet the requirements—as many as any other state and more than many other States furnished.

Triumphs of Modern Surgery. Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely; bones are spliced; pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries causes them to heal very quickly. It also causes the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your house and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which such injuries entail. For sale by S. J. Welsh and C. N. Simpson, Jr.

Won't Learn Sense. The appointment of a negro to a clerkship in the Charlotte post office is a good contribution to the campaign fund. It takes Northern people a long time to lean any sense about the negroes. The worst thing about their silly actions is, that it always hurts the negroes.

STARTING EVIDENCE. Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, constipation, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by English Drug Co. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.

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MISS MAGGIE BECKER, 638 Lake Street, Appleton, Wis., writes:



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Mrs. Christopher Fleischmann, Amsterdam, N. Y., writes: "I have been sick with catarrh of the stomach and pelvic organs for about five years and had many a doctor, but none could help me. Some said I would never get over it. In your almanac I read of those who had been cured by Peruna, then I thought I would try it. I did, and found relief with the first bottle I took, and after two more bottles I was as well and strong as I ever was."

Free Home Advice. In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman, the renowned specialist on female catarrhal diseases, has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as make application to him during the summer months without charge.

Those wishing to become patients should address The Peruna-Medicine Co., Columbus Ohio.

The Way Women Hold Their Skirts

Oh, woman! In your haste of case I uncertain, too! At least I please. Why do you? Hold your dresses so. And women, when you are aware the way you hold them. Make folks stare. And wonder, "That make me think. Not a little bit. If that were made so tight to fit? Or, are you? The thing's wrong, blind. Because you cannot see behind. To learn why people talk and pause. Or to you. Do it just, because? If you are thin. It's not so bad. When you are somewhat. But if you. How. It's not so bad. What meets the eye. What meets the eye. What meets the eye. Which, we see. Turned it. Please, be very day. And hold your skirts some other way."

Since it has been announced that a South American ant was a sure destroyer of the cotton boll weevil the question has arisen as to what we are going to do with the ants after they have killed out the weevils.

A Strong Heart

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Money makes the mare go until a man gets enough of it to buy an automobile.

Thrown from a Wagon.

Mr. George K. Babcock was thrown from his wagon and severely bruised. He applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely and says it is the best liniment he ever used. Mr. Babcock is a well known citizen of North Plain, Conn. There is nothing equal to Pain Balm for sprains and bruises. It will effect a cure in one-third the time required by any other treatment. For sale by S. J. Welsh and C. N. Simpson, Jr.

The fashion magazines announce that the 1904 summer girl will wear suspenders. That's all right, but what is she going to button them to?—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

"Sometimes," says Uncle Eben, "a man sits on de do' step an' thinks he's smart enough to run de government, when he ain't got judgment enough to keep a cow out'n de garden."

Starting Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, constipation, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by English Drug Co. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.