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Fifteen Thousand People Killed by an Earthquake.
London Oct. 30.—The city of Bokava in Central Asia, is reported destroyed by an earthquake and fifteen thousand people buried under ground. The governor and his mother are the only survivors.
Tashkend, Russia, Oct. 31.—A Turkistan landslide, caused by the recent earthquake, buried the whole town of Karatagh, Bokava. It is thought the whole populace of 15,000 was killed. The governor and his mother are thought to be the only survivors. The earthquake occurred October 20 and 21. It was registered by instruments all over the world. Karatagh and the surrounding country are mountainous, and it is believed that the shocks so loosened the earth that it toppled on the town.

Storm at Galveston.
Galveston, Tex., Oct. 30.—A northwest storm of short duration with heavy rain, passed over this city early today. The wind attained a velocity of 72 miles an hour for two minutes. About 20 houses were blown down, one woman being killed in a falling structure. It is estimated that 20 persons were injured in the western part of the city, where the wind was severest. Several business houses were unroofed and the stocks of goods were slightly damaged by water.

Exciting Naval Battle.—Several Killed.
Vladivostok, Oct. 30.—An exciting little naval battle took place in this harbor today between the mutinous crew of a Russian torpedo boat destroyer and their loyal comrades. The mutineers finally were subdued, but not before a number of men had been killed or wounded.

New York Panic is Over.
New York, Oct. 31.—The financial situation today was so nearly normal that there were few new features of importance. It was stated by bankers that the calls for money from the neighborhood of New York and the entire East appeared to be practically satisfied, as such calls for currency of an urgent character as were being received came from points west of the Mississippi. The calls are being met as fast as conditions will permit.

A. & M. Boys Fight.
In order to put a stop to, or at least attempt to stop the bickerings and class enmity growing out of the practice of hazing at the A. & M. College, at Raleigh, President Winston told the freshmen and sophomores they had better go out in the field and settle their differences in regular pugilistic fashion. Accordingly this is being done. Two battles were pulled off last week. A commander was present to see that no murder was done. The matter has created a great deal of comment and criticism, some approving and others condemning the college president.

A Drunkard's Awful Deed.
One of the most awful tragedies that ever occurred in North Carolina took place Oct. 25th in Anson county, when Ellis Lightower, a drunkard and a noted whisky dealer, shot and killed his mother, and later cut his throat with a razor when he realized the enormity of his crime. About nine o'clock he and his mother and sister were sitting on the porch, and his mother was telling him how she loved him. His doubtless pleading with him to drink no more. Presently he dropped off into sleep and his mother spoke to arouse him. Starting up, he demanded, "Who are you?" and fired a 38-calibre ball through her heart. Gasping, "Ellis, you have killed me," his mother fell dead. Saturday morning he went to his own home, cut his throat and died in a few hours.

The Earning Power of Money.
Old John D. Rockefeller got his idea of the earning power of money when he was a boy, engaged as a day laborer. By digging potatoes at \$1 a day he managed to save \$50 which he loaned at 8 per cent interest. At the end of the year it brought him \$4. And there's where old man Rockefeller, the richest man in the world, got his idea of the earning power of money. By a very simple calculation it was an easy matter for him to determine that his little surplus of \$50 placed at interest would earn for him as much money as he could make in four days hard labor digging potatoes, "and from that day to this," says the old man, "I have made money my slave and have made it work for me."—Our Home.

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The Beautiful Lesson.
If you love, love more. If you hate, hate less. Life is too short to spend in hating any one. Why war against a mortal who is going the same road with us? Why not expand the flower of life and happiness by teaching those who are near and dear the beautiful lesson? Your hands may be hard, but your heart need not be. Your form may be bent or ugly, but do you know that the most beautiful flowers grow in the most rugged, unsheltered places? The place for care, the cottage for love. Not that there is no love in a mansion; but somehow if we are not very careful, business will crowd all there is of beauty out of the heart. This is why God has given the Sabbaths and Saturday nights, that we may leave business and have a little heart cleaning.—Exchange.

The Record will do you good.
Signs of a Hard Winter.
When the steamer Cassiar arrived recently she brought down from the north a number of Tobago Inlet Indians, who are distinguished above all other Indians for their wisdom in weather lore. One of the red men in conversation with another passenger said the Indians up coast expected a very severe winter and had already begun to make preparations to secure themselves against cold. Forest animals, particularly the common wolf, they say, are growing longer hair than usual. This fact may reasonably enough be construed as pointing to a severe winter, but in the estimation of the Indians the testimony of the wild animals is as nothing compared with the signs and warning vouchsafed by the moon.—Vancouver World.

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Rural Routes in the State.
There were 1,187 rural delivery routes in operation in North Carolina October 1st, according to a report just issued by Assistant Postmaster General DeGraw. The Postoffice Department has received a total of 2,418 petitions from the State, and of this number 1,128 were acted upon unfavorably. In all 34 routes have been discontinued in the State, six having been discontinued since the first of July. The number of tri-weekly routes in the State is 87. There are 69 petitions pending before the department for the establishment of new routes.
There are more routes in operation in the fifth district than in any other in the State. Mr. W. W. Kitchin has 182 to his credit. The eighth district ranks second with 147 routes. The seventh district has 129 routes, the ninth 115, the second district 110, the fourth 109, the third 106, the first 104, the sixth 100, and the tenth 84.—Exchange.

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