A Small Spot May Be Cancer!

It is very often that the most insignificant symptoms are forerunners of the most violent disease. There is not a more destructive disease than Cancer, and in a majority of cases it is first indicated by a very small scab or sore, to which no attention is attracted, until it before long develops into most alarming conditions.

Here is such a case, where the first symptoms were too small to be noticed for quite a time. Mr. J. B. Arnold belongs to one of the oldest and best families of Carolina; he is well and favorably known throughout South Carolina, and has resided at Greenwood for years. Cancer is hereditary in the family, an aunt on each side having died from it. Several years ago a small spot, like a tiny ulcer, about the size of a bird-shot, appeared just under his left eye, above the cheek bone. He thought nothing of it for some time, until it began to grow rapidly, spreading all the time, and destroying the flesh as it went.

MR. J. B. ARNOLD.

He says: "It gave me a great deal of pain—those sharp, darting pains so characteristic of cancer. I took many so-called blood medicines, without the slightest effect, and sought the help of the best physicians, but they did me no good; one told me, however, that I was incurable and had better make my arrangements accordingly. I was on the verge of despair, when Dr. J. L. Miller, one of the leading druggists of my town, recommended S. S. S. The first bottle seemed to make me worse, but Dr. Miller told me this was a favorable symptom, and by the time I had taken the second bottle, the cancer began to discharge, and as I continued this became quite profuse, and kept up for some time. Then it gradually grew less, and after awhile ceased altogether, and to my delight the place dried up and is cured entirely, so that nothing remains but a scar.

"I consider S. S. S. a boon to suffering humanity, and feel that I owe my life to it, as the cancer had made such progress when I began S. S. S. that my death was declared to be only a matter of a very short time. The cure effected in my case is considered by every one most remarkable, and clearly demonstrates the fact that S. S. S. does cure hereditary cancer. No one who is afflicted with this dreadful disease can afford to fail to give S. S. S. a trial, for that is all that is necessary to convince them of its virtues."

The above is but one of many remarkable cures being daily made by S. S. S. Cancer is becoming alarmingly prevalent, and manifests itself in such a variety of forms, that any sore or scab, it matters not how small, which does not readily heal up and disappear, may well be regarded with suspicion.

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Mt. Airy, N. C

NOTICE!

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Surry county, made at Fall term, 1895, in a cause therein pending wherein D. W. Worth was plaintiff and W. Y. Johnson defendant, to me directed, I will proceed, on the premises, on Jan. 27th, 1896, at 12 o'clock m., to sell for cash at the highest bidder, at public outcry, a tract of land situated in Surry county, N. C., adjoining the lands of King D. Key, John I. Worth and others and containing 45¼ acres; same to be sold to satisfy a judgment for balance of purchase money due on said land. GEO. W. SPARGER,
This Dec. 24, 1895. Commissioner.

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Lodging, Not Boarding.

In one of the few letters that have been preserved written by Luttrell there are some amusing lines which may be thus explained. The letter was written from Dropmore to Rogers. There had been some joke between them about a stingy friend, one of their coterie, and a Greek epigram appeared to illustrate his miserly characteristic. Luttrell had translated the Greek, and, as he says, "the following is as close a fit as I can make it in English:"

Cries —, in his closet, once spying a mouse,
"Pray, what business have you, little friend, in my house?"
Says the mouse, with a smile, to the lover of boarding,
"Don't be frightened; 'tis lodging I look for, not boarding."

To which might be added in the way of retort courteous:

"Since that's all," replies —, "'twould be hard to deny you.
You may lodge how you can, but to board I defy you."

—Temple Bar.

Telephone Mistakes.

Telephone mistakes have their serious side. A man who wished to communicate with a gentleman named Williams looked in the telephone directory and then called up a number "south." Presently there came through the receiver a soft feminine "Hello," and he said, "Who is that?"

"This is Mrs. Williams."

"Have you any idea where your husband is?"

He couldn't understand why she had rung off so sharply until he had looked in the book again and discovered that he had called up the residence of a prominent widow.—Chicago Record.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Taylor & Banner's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00

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Wm. Atkins and wife, of Aron, Ala., on returning from church Sunday night found their house in flames, from the explosion of a lamp. They had left their three children in bed, and heard them crying for the help the parents were unable to give them. All three were burned to death.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by Taylor & Banner, Druggists, Mount Airy, N. C.

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For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure TUTT'S Liver PILLS

Notice of Foreclosure.

By virtue of authority contained in a Deed of Trust executed to the undersigned Trustee, on the 3rd day of December, 1894, by the Blue Ridge Inn Development Co., by and through its officers, and under the direction of the Company, same being duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Surry county, N. C., and the company having defaulted in the payment of the bonds secured by said Deed of Trust, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public outcry, in front of the Blue Ridge Inn, in Mount Airy, N. C., at 9 o'clock, P. M., January 20th, 1896, all of the personal property of every description belonging to the Blue Ridge Inn Development Company, consisting chiefly of hotel furniture, furnishings and equipment of every description, and apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of the amounts secured by said Deed of Trust. This 11th day of December, 1895.

GEO. W. SPARGER, Trustee.

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He Could Not Fill the Order.

In addition to his duties as United States senator from Colorado, Edward O. Wolcott is the general counsel of the Denver and Rio Grande railway. Of course he receives many applications for passes. A young lady living in the southern part of Colorado desired to visit Denver. She had a friend of her own sex in Denver who was a friend of Senator Wolcott's. The young lady wrote her Denver friend a long letter, saying she would like to visit the capital, and concluded it as follows, "I wish you would ask Mr. Wolcott to send me a pass from Alamosa to Denver and return."

Of course there had to be a postscript, of which the following is a true copy:

"P. S.—I wish you would send me one of those Y. Z. corsets, the kind you wore when I saw you last. They are just too lovely for anything."

The Denver lady, in a moment of absentmindedness, turned the letter over, indorsed a request to Senator Wolcott for a pass on the back thereof and mailed it to Mr. Wolcott's office.

The next day she received this reply:

"I inclose you a pass for your friend from Alamosa to Denver and return, as requested. I would send her the corsets, but I don't know her number."—Chicago Tribune.

Chicago's Plucky Mayor.

The mayor of Chicago attended a banquet of the millionaires of that city the other night and surprised them by telling them that they were principally responsible for the evils and scandals of municipal government. There would be no bribe takers at one end of the dirty rope, he reminded them, if there were no bribe-givers at the other end; and it was not the classes who drink beer instead of champagne and smoked pipes instead of the best cigars, he went on to say, who were engaged in buying street railway franchises and in getting assessors to estimate blooded horses at $25 each and diamond necklaces at $40 for the purpose of taxation. His frankness was hardly consistent with the hilarious object of the occasion; but nobody ventured to challenge the correctness of his statements.

The law passed by the Legislature requiring a board three inches wide to be put at the top of all wire fences along public roads went into effect on the first day of January, 1896. Interested parties should note this fact.

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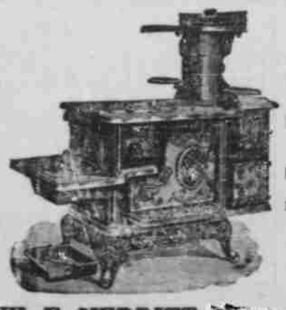

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of authority of a Deed of Trust executed to me by J. M. Brower and wife, Nannie M. Brower, on the 15th day of December, 1892, and duly recorded in the Register's office in Surry county, in Book No. 10, page 19, to secure the payment of a certain bond, and the stipulations in said Deed of Trust not having been complied with, at the request of the owner of said bond, I shall expose at public auction, for cash, on Saturday, the 1st day of February, 1896, at 12 o'clock, M., in Mount Airy Blue Ridge Inn door, in the county of Surry, N. C., the following property: Thirteen hundred and fifty-six acres of land lying in and adjoining the town of Mount Airy, N. C., adjoining the lands of W. Fulton, W. S. Sparger, A. G. Short and others, known as the Circular Saw Mill Tract or Marshall Farm, and for a more accurate description and for the boundaries of said tract of land see Deed of Trust executed by said John M. Brower and wife to E. B. Jones, trustee; dated the 19th day of January, 1892, and recorded in book —, page —, in the records in office of Register of Deeds for Surry county, less 17 acres sold to I. Roark.

SECOND TRACT—Begining on a locust in the edge of the street of Mount Airy, Jas. M. Durhams corner, runs with said Durham and B. Y. Graves, N. 590 E. 24 ch. and 75 E. to a stake, Graves' corner, thence with said Graves' line S. 530 E. 7 ch. and 50 E. to a stake near the edge of the pond, thence down the pond on the West side as the pond meanders; see deed recorded in book 14, page 58, Surry record; to mill dam, thence down the river as it meanders to the bridge on the road leading from Mount Airy to Hamburg, thence West with said road to Mrs. Lowry's line, thence with her line, A. L. Sparger, Wm. Griffith and R. D. Harris' line to Main Street of Mount Airy, thence northwest with said street to the beginning. Containing 65 acres, more or less, less a lot 50x100 feet, sold to G. C. Welch, on which is a small leaf house, and 2 acres of dower belonging to Mrs. M. M. Brower and adjoining J. M. Durham. This the 17th day of December, 1895. E. B. JONES, TRUSTEE.

NOTICE.

Sarah J. Wilburn vs. G. J. Wilburn and others. } North Carolina, Surry County, Superior Court, Before Clerk.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, from affidavit filed and return of the Sheriff that Andrew Wilburn is a non-resident of the State of North Carolina; that he is a necessary party to this action; that said action is a petition for dower; it is therefore ordered and adjudged that publication be made in the Mount Airy News, a newspaper published in the town of Mount Airy for six successive weeks requiring said defendant to appear before W. W. Hampton, Clerk of the Superior Court of Surry County, at his office in Dobson, on the 16th day of Jan., 1896, and let the defendant take notice that if he fail to appear at the time and place above mentioned plaintiff will apply for the relief demanded in the petition now on file in said office. This Dec. 9th, 1895.

W. W. HAMPTON, C. S. C.

NOTICE.

By virtue of authority conferred by an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, (Session of 1895,) I, W. W. Hampton, Clerk of the Superior Court of Surry county, do hereby establish the following voting precincts in the town of Mount Airy, N. C., to be hereafter exclusively used by the voters of said town in all elections, general and municipal, to-wit:

First Ward—Gallaway & Belton's saw mill.

Second Ward—The Town Hall as now located.

Third Ward—The Graves Warehouse.

Fourth Ward—The Globe Warehouse.

This Dec. 20th, 1895.

W. W. HAMPTON,
Clerk Superior Court.

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NOTICE.

State of North Carolina,
Surry County.

W. W. Hampton, Clerk Superior Court Official Report.

To the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Surry county:

The following is my report of public funds received by me since the 1st Monday in December, 1894, to-wit:

Dec. 20th, 1894, Mount Airy Tobacco Association Incorporation Tax,	$ 25.00
April 1895, State vs. W. H. Dorsett, fine,	25.00
May 13th, 1895, State vs. W. E. Kiger, fine,	10.00
July 25th, 1895, Blue Ridge Co. Incorporation Tax,	25.00
June 1st, 1895, Atkinson, Bass & Whitaker vs. Southern Express Co., Jury Tax,	3.00
Oct. 14th, 1895, State vs. James Hiatt, Fine,	20.45
Oct. 14th, 1895, Thos. Greenwood vs. R. L. Poindexter, Jury Tax,	3.00
Total amount received,	$111.45
My commissions on same, 5 per cent.,	5.57
	$105.88

Which amount I have turned over to J. A. Adams, Treasurer, and have his receipts for same, dated Nov. 11th, 1895 and Dec. 2nd, 1895. Also, I have received the following amounts from R. S. Folger, former Clerk Superior Court, Dec. 3rd, 1894, to-wit:

Deposited by J. F. Cook, Ex. of J. M. Cook, for Mrs. Ledford,	$369.40
Which amount I paid to Mrs. Ledford on July 31st, 1895, and have her receipt for same,	
Deposited by S. J. Atkin on, adm'r of Lucy Walton, belonging to the heirs of Lucy Walton,	27.60
Deposited by Tyson S. Wilmouth, adm'r of Richard Wilmouth, belonging to heirs of said Richard Wilmouth,	2.22
Deposited by J. B. Snow, adm'r of Minerva Adkins, belonging to the heirs of Elizabeth Adkins,	3.20
(of which amount I paid 80c. to Mary White, one of the heirs, on April 20th, 1895, and have her receipt for same.)	
Deposited by Nathan Hodges, Executor of John Hodges, belonging to the heirs of John Hodges, $1.00, and of W. D. Hicks $1.00, (of which amount I paid Alice Hicks 50 cents on Dec. 4th, 1894 as shown by the record,)	2.00
Deposited by G. L. Atkins, Administrator of Jas. Galyean, belonging to the heirs of Albert Hodges, dec'd. (which am't I paid to Fred Hodges, Nov. 11th, 1895, and have his receipt for the same,)	5.11
Also deposited by Susan Brown to pay cost, (of which am't I have received on cost due me for issuing summons, $1.00)	$4.00

All of which is respectfully submitted,
W. W. HAMPTON, C. S. C.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd December, 1895,
J. A. PARK, Chm'n B. C. C.

Approved by order of the Board, this the 4th day of December, 1895.

NORTH CAROLINA, }
SURRY COUNTY. }

I, C. H. Haynes, Register of Deeds in and for Surry county and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and perfect copy of the official report of W. W. Hampton, C.S.C., together with the endorsements of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, as appears from the original on file in my office.

Witness my hand, Dec. 2nd, 1895.
C. H. HAYNES,
Register of Deeds.

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Sept. 17th, 1895.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of Surry County, N. C., rendered at its fall term 1895, in the cause of J. Y. Fulk vs. H. G. Whitaker, we will offer for sale, at the court-house door in Dobson, N. C., to the highest bidder, for cash, on Friday, January 17th, 1896 at 12 o'clock, M., a house and lot of land situated at Pilot Mountain, Surry county, N. C., on the South side of Main street and being the lot whereon the Whitaker Hotel building now stands, commonly known as the H. G. Whitaker Hotel property. Done to satisfy the balance of purchase money. This December 8th, 1895.

NEEDHAM and
R. L. HAYMORE,
Commissioners.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court at its term in October, 1895, in the cause there pending entitled A. G. Short against Louis DeVelvis, to me directed, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, on the premises at or near the dwelling of Mary Goins, in Surry county, N. C., on Saturday, January 25, 1896, at 12 o'clock, a tract of land known as the old Mary Goins place, situated in Surry county, N. C., adjoining the lands of John M. Brower, Charles McBride and others, containing one hundred and eighty-eight acres. Sold to satisfy two judgments for the balance of purchase money due A. G. Short. This December 31, 1895.

R. L. HAYMORE, Commissioner

Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley RAILWAY,

ONN GILL, Receiver

CONDENSED SCHEDULE,

IN EFFECT DECEMBER 8th, 1895

NORTH BOUND.	No. 2. Daily.
Leave Wilmington,	7.25 a. m
Arrive Fayetteville,	10.35 a. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	10.55 a. m.
Leave Sanford,	12.19 p. m.
Leave Climax,	2.25 p. m
Arrive Greensboro,	2.56 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	3.05 p. m.
Leave Stokesdale	3.59 p. m.
Arrive Walnut Cove,	4.31 p. m.
Leave Walnut Cove,	4.38 p. m.
Leave Rural Hall,	5.17 p. m.
Arrive Mount Airy,	6.45 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1. Daily
Leave Mount Airy,	9.35 a. m.
Leave Rural Hall,	11.05 a. m.
Arrive Walnut Cove,	11.35 a. m.
Leave Walnut Cove,	11.45 a. m.
Leave Stokesdale,	12.12 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	12.58 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	1.03 p. m.
Leave Climax,	1.32 p. m.
Leave Sanford,	3.19 p. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	4.33 p. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	4.45 p. m.
Arrive Wilmington,	7.55 p. m

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4. Daily
Leave Bennettsville,	8.25 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	9.29 a. m.
Leave Red Springs,	9.55 a. m.
Leave Hope Mills,	10.35 a. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	10.52 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 3. Daily
Leave Fayetteville,	4.38 p. m.
Leave Hope Mills,	4.58 p. m.
Leave Red Springs,	5.42 p. m.
Arrive Maxton,	6.12 p. m.
Arrive Bennettsville	7.20 p. m.

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16. Mix'd
Leave Ramseur,	6.45 a. m.
Leave Climax,	8.35 a. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	9.20 a. m.
Leave Greensboro,	9.35 a. m.
Leave Stokesdale,	10.50 a. m.
Arrive Madison,	11.50 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. Mix'd
Leave Madison,	12.25 p. m.
Leave Stokesdale,	1.28 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	2.35 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	3.10 p. m.
Leave Climax,	3.55 p. m.
Arrive Ramseur,	5.50 p. m.

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