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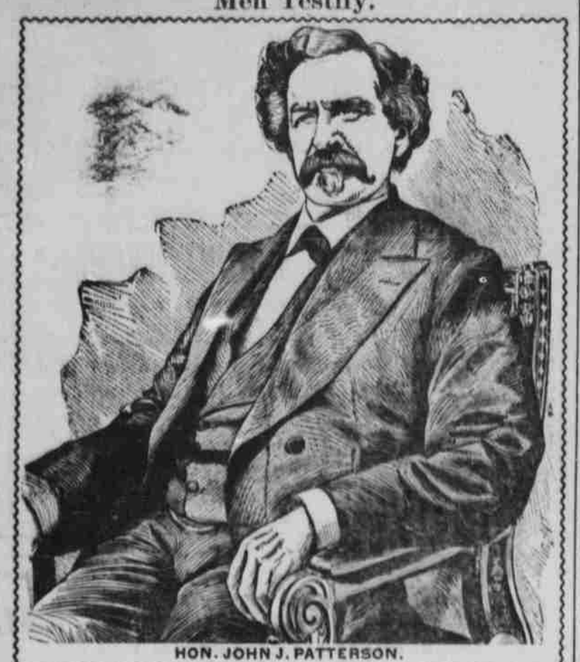

HON. JOHN J. PATTERSON.

Hon. John J. Patterson, Ex-United States Senator from South Carolina, in a letter from 37-8 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"As quite a number of my friends have and are using Peruna as a catarrh cure with beneficial results, I feel that I can safely recommend it to those suffering from that disorder."---J. J. Patterson.

Commodore Nicholson of the U. S. Navy.

Commodore Somerville Nicholson, of the United States Navy in a letter from 1837 R Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., says:

"Your Peruna has been and is now used by so many of my friends and acquaintances as a sure cure for catarrh that I am convinced of its curative qualities and I unhesitatingly recommend it to all persons suffering from that complaint."—S. Nicholson.

U. S. Minister to Guatemala.

Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter, U. S. Minister to Guatemala, and ex-member of Congress from Kentucky, in a letter from Washington, D. C., writes:

"I am fully satisfied that your Peruna is an efficacious remedy for catarrh, as I and many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—W. G. Hunter, M. D.

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Practical Method for Installing Electric Railways.

It is genearally said, 'A barking dog seldom bites,' therefore we have carried on this proposition in a quiet manner. The resul of former railroad talks has been that much was said and little done.

This proposition was not advanced for the purpose of being dropped at some future date, but for the purpose of bringing transporation to this country which will be proved to you on April 16th, 1904, at Floyd, Virginia.

Experience both in the United States and foreign countries has proved that the most economical method of operating an Electric Railroad of many miles is to install one main power plant with alternating generators. The alternating current is generally transmitted as a three phase current at 10,000-25,000 volts to substations, located at convenient distances, each station being equipped with suitable step-down transformers and in general rotary converters for transforming and converting the energy to direct current at a potential from 550 to 600 volts.

On account of the comparatively recent introduction of this class of apparatus, as well as being the most suitable and economical, I will endeavor to set forth the working principles of this apparatus. If you understand the working principles of electricity you can do your figuring; if not, you can refer the same to an electrical engineer.

The advisable distance between sub-stations is a question which requires considerable calculation and study. The weight and motor equipment of the cars, the schedule on which they run, the gr[illegible] of larger units, thus warranting a corresponding increase in copper for distribution.

Let us consider our proposed road a single track, which is to be laid with 70-pound "T" rails, and upon which cars equipped with four 50-horse power motors are to be operated on a three hour schedule. The section of a 70-pound rail is about 7 square inches, making a total section of iron in the return about 14 square inches. The resistance of high-carbon rails being ten or twelve times that of copper and making an allowance for the resistance of bonding, the carrying capacity of the return is equivalent to about 1 square inch of copper or about 1,250,000 C. M., having a resistance of .04 ohms per mile. It is not economical to put as much carrying capacity overhead as there is in the return, and in most cases 600,000 C. M., to 900,000 C. M., of overhead copper will be found to be the most economical. This corresponds to two No. 4-0 trolleys and one or at the most two No. 4-0 feeders having a resistance of .088 to .066 ohms per mile, giving a total resistance in feeder and rail of one-tenth to one-eighth of an ohm per mile.

For economical and satisfactory service, the minimum voltage should not fall much below 50 per cent. of the maximum, so that with 550 or 600 volts at the sub-stations 300 to 350 volts is all that can be allowed for loss on the line. As the maximum current of an equipment of four 50-horse power motors amounts to 350-450 ampheres, the drop in voltage per mile will be 20 to 30 volts, so that 8 to 10 miles from a station is the maximum distance at which such an equipment can be economically handled. With cars running on a three hour schedule and covering 30 miles per hour, we can have an average distance of 10 miles between cars which determines the maximum distance between sub stations of twenty to twenty-five miles.

In laying out the transmission system no wire smaller than a No. 6 copper will be practical for the high tension lines on account of mechanical strength.

In many cases duplicate lines are installed. These can be used in parallel, but with independent duplicate line. The service cannot be crippled by the breaking of a single wire, or the puncture of an insulator by lightning.

My object in publishing the above is for the benefit of the people who do not understand the working capacity of electricity, yet have been interested to such an extent in electricity as to cause many questions to be asked in regard to our new enterprise. Much more might be said on this subject, but I do not deem it necessary at the present time. Hoping this may bring some light to those interested, I am

Yours truly,
C. H. STANLEY.

McKinley and Masonry.

Our most excellent chairman on Foreign Correspondence, Bro. John A. Collins, in his review of the Proceedings of the Grand Lodges of the country, takes the following from the Annual Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Ohio. As the incidents referred to may not be generally known we publish for the benefit of our readers. Few men have lived in this country who have been more loved and honored for his many excellent qualities as a man, a statesman and Mason than William McKinley, and this too by men of all shades of political opinion, religious bias or social relations. His death was not only a loss to the great party with which he was affiliated, but to his country and to the world.

Eagle Lodge, No. 431, of Canton, presented a petition for the change of its name to William McKinley Lodge, No. 431, and the prayer was granted with unanimity and enthusiasm. For the benefit of our North Carolina brethren we give space to this interesting Masonic history of the President:

"William McKinley's entrance into the Order was an incident of the war between the States. It came near the close of the memorable civil strife, while he was still an officer in the Federal army, with the rank of major.

"The young officer from Ohio was stationed at Winchester, Va., where was located a hospital for Confederate wounded prisoners. In making the rounds one afternoon with the regimental surgeon, Major McKinley noticed that the doctor was on very friendly terms with several of the Southerners, not infrequently giving them money or tobacco. The interest of the future President was aroused, and when the opportunity presented itself he asked the reason for this rather unusual cordiality. The surgeon told him that the wounded rebels were Brother Masons, and that it was not only a duty but a pleasure to add something to the pleasure of hospital life. The Major met this information with the wish to become a member of a Fraternity on which neither prison bars nor rank of office had the slightest effect.

"During the war the lines of jurisdiction were often forgotten. Military Lodges and Special Convocations of Masons, called together in a manner which would be regarded in these days as irregular and clandestine, were frequently held. In Winchester there was a regular Lodge of Masons, officered by Confederate soldiers or citizens on parole.

"The desire of young McKinley was made known to the officers of Hiram Lodge, No. 21, of Winchester, his petition was presented, and he was elected. On the night of May 1, 1865, at 7:30 o'clock, he presented himself for initiation. J. B. T. Reed, a Confederate chaplain, was Master of the Lodge, and conferred the degree of Entered Apprentice upon the candidate. On the following morning he was instructed in the work, and on the evening of the same day the degree of Fellow Craft was given. There was more instruction on the day following, and on the afternoon of May 3rd, at three o'clock, he received the Master Mason Degree. But three Masons are now living who witnessed the initiation.

"Soon after Brother McKinley's initiation the war came to an end, and the Ohio regiment was ordered home. Major McKinley took his Dimit from the Winchester Lodge, and affiliated with Canton Lodge, No. 60, of Canton, Ohio. When Eagle Lodge, No. 431, was organized at Canton, Brother McKinley became one of its Charter members, and continued his membership therein until his death. His interest in Freemasonry was marked, and never flagged or failed."

Senator Simmons has introduced a bill to create a permanent commission to investigate the several executive departments of the U. S. Government. It provides for a commission of five persons, not more than three to be members of the same political party, which shall serve four years, each from the date of their appointment. The commission is to report to each regular session of Congress. The bill provides for a salary of $5,000 for the chairman and $4,500 each for the other members.

The Value of Expert Treatment.

Everyone who is afflicted with a chronic disease experiences great difficulty in having their case intelligently treated by the average physician. These diseases can only be cured by a specialist who understands them thoroughly. Dr. J. Newton Hathaway of Atlanta, Ga., is acknowledged the most skillful and successful specialist in the United States. Write him for his expert opinion of your case, for which he makes no charge

Hosmer J. Barrett and Brothers, of Memphis, Tenn., have gone into bankruptcy. Liabilities $325,000; assets only $57,000.

Sad Drowning Affair in Florida

A dispatch of Tuesday sent out from Tampa, Florida, says: Five persons, members of a pleasure party from the Florida Methodist College at Sutherland, were drowned near a lighthouse Easter Monday.

The dead are: Mrs. Walker, wife of the president of the college; Miss O'Connor, of Atlanta; Miss Slaughter, of Sutherland; Miss McCreay, of Sutherland, and Mr. Bouland, of Sutherland.

President Walker and Miss Newton reached the beach alive. The bodies of Mrs. Walker and Miss O'Connor have not yet been recovered. The bodies of the other three who lost their lives were washed ashore on the beach and recovered.

President Walker had taken the party out for a cruise to the lighthouse but met with rough weather and the boat was overturned in the Gulf.

The Florida Methodist College is located at Sutherland, on the west coast of the Gulf about thirty miles from Tampa.

Took Their Own Lives.

An unusual number of suicides at least half of them due to despondency because of inability to secure employment, were reported to the police of Greater New York Tuesday. Three of the six victims chose carbolic acid as a means of ending their troubles, one chose death by shooting, another by hanging, and the sixth accomplished his purpore by turning on the gas.

The most youthful suicide was Eva Pocker, a 17 year old Brooklyn school girl, who drank carbolic acid after reading a letter and the oldest, Jacob Reinham, 65, of Manhattan, who had been ill with rheumatism. His body was found hanging in his lodgings to-day. The body of another suicide, a woman, who had ended her life at least two weeks ago by inhaling chloroform, was found in a house on East Thirtyfifth street. A note was found with the body said the woman was so deeply in debt that she saw no hope.

The other suicides reported were James Kinney, fireman who lost his work through drink; Samuel Levy, no work, carbolic acid; Egisto Bertone, stone cutter, shooting, no work; J. Bender, a crayon artist, gas.

Millionaire's Poor Stomach.

The worn out stomach of the overfed millionaire is often paraded in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse tortures than the millionaire unless they avail themseives of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. I. W. West, Druggist.

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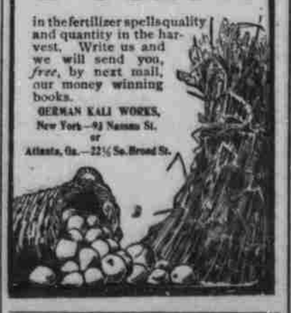

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Stedman for Governor.

To the Editor:—Shall a Confederate soldier ever again be elected to any high office in North Carolina? Or shall they be relegated into "inocuous desuetude." Among the twelve Congressmen from this State there is not one ex-Confederate soldier, nor is it probable that there will ever again be a Confederate soldier from this State in Congress. North Carolina is the only Southern State that enjoys(?) this unenviable distinction, and yet she boasts of having furnished more soldiers to the Confederate Army than any other State.

This year is the best opportunity of electing an ex Confederate soldier Governor of this State. Four years hence the cry will be raised that no one is sufficiently vigorous to make the campaign and too old and feeble to discharge the dutics of Governor. The Confederates feel that this is their last chance to have one of their number our Chief Magistrate, and therefore they are terribly in earnest and have selected as their candidate one who is in every respect worthy of being the Governor of our grand old State.

All true North Carolinians proudly boast that our soldiers were "the first at Bethel and the last at Appomattox," and it is eminently appropriate that the old soldiers' candidate should be one who was literally and truly one of the first at Bethel and one of the last at Appomattox. They present as their candidate one who volunteered in April, 1861, as a private in Company H of the "Bethel" regiment and was paroled at Appomattox as Major of the 44th regiment, and who served most gallantly and faithfully all those four years from Bethel to Appomattox. He is a true and magnificent type and representative of those brave men who offered up their lives in defense of their State, and is also the type and representative courtly Southern gentlemen of whom "the old South" was so justly proud. And with that he is a splendid type and representative of the progressive business men of the "new Southland" and is one who has at all times and under all circumstances, in peace and in war, been true to every trust and faithful in all things.

Are the survivors of the gallant "Tar Heel" soldiers asking too much when they ask for the nomination of so distinguished a comrade. It is all very right and proper to erect marble monuments to our Confederate dead, but why not honor the living also? Why not honor the dead and rejoice the hearts of the living soldiers of North Carolina by electing so worthy a representative of them Governor of our State? And especially when this is the last opportunity of thus honoring either the dead or the living.

With all due respect to the other most worthy aspirants for the nomination, the old Confederates appeal to the young Democrats of North Carolina to give them this, their last chance, of honoring one of their number. The old Confederate will not long be in the way of the younger aspirants. The "long and thin gray line" is rapidly growing thinner, and our ranks are sadly depleted and not many years hence the Confederate soldier will be only a memory, and all those battle-scarred heroes will have "crossed o'er the river" and be at rest with their immortal leaders, Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson.

Let us make unanimous the nomination of that brave soldier, that courtly gentleman, that unswerving Democrat, and that true North Carolinian, Charles Manly Stedman.

H. A. LONDON.

Pittsboro, N. C., March 31, 1904.

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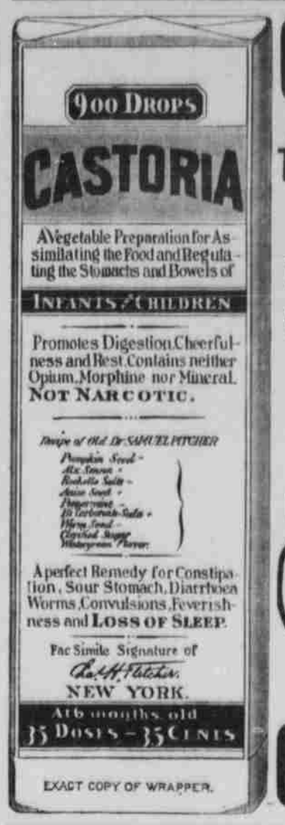

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J. D. SMITH, Administrator of Sam'l M. Stanly, dec'd.

Feb. 4, 1904.

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