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## GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

Matters of Interest Condensed Into Brief Paragraphs.

### A LITTLE ABOUT NUMEROUS THINGS

The Pith of the World's News That Might Interest Our Readers. An Item Here and There.

New York, Oct. 22.—The Republican national committee announced today that it was preparing to circulate as a campaign document the letter of President Roosevelt to Dr. Albert Shaw upon the Panama revolution, which was read by Senator Culberson in his recent speech.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 25.—Albert M. Humphrey, conductor, was killed and Tom Holley colored, train hand, injured in a wreck on the Augusta Southern this afternoon. The cause of a special freight train jumped the track near Sandersville, about 80 miles from Augusta, and overturned.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 26.—A fire that threatened the destruction of several buildings at the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute and wrought damages to the extent of \$30,000, occurred on the school grounds today. The large barn and the slaughter house were destroyed. Insurance \$11,000.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.—A story is current here that Russia has purchased the Chilean navy, which will join the Russian second Pacific squadron at the Azores Islands. According to the report, an infraction of Chilean neutrality will be avoided by transferring the ships to Turkey, for which the Porte will receive \$2,000,000 from Russia. While the story receives some credence, it is denied in responsible quarters.

St. Louis, Oct. 25.—Propelled part of the way by its own power and the remainder of the distance by the wind, which was blowing at ten miles an hour, the Arrow, an airship owned and perfected by Thomas S. Baldwin, of San Francisco, in charge of A. Roy Knabenshue, of Toledo, today made an unannounced flight of ten miles from the world's fair grounds over St. Louis and across the Mississippi river to Cahokia, Ill.

Houston, Texas, Oct. 25.—Dr. B. T. Galloway has received a telegram from the agricultural Department at Washington asking if it were true that he had given out an interview stating that the Guatemalan ants were a failure as boll weevil enemies. Dr. Galloway promptly answered that the interview was not true; that Collins and Gel would go to Guatemala as originally intended and further study the ants in their native habitat. Dr. Galloway has just returned from Victoria, where he looked after the ants, and expressed himself as satisfied with the work now being done with them by Drs. Webber and Hunter.

### SIMPLE REMEDY FOR CATARRH

Just Breathe Hyomei Four Times a Day and be Cured.

If a few years ago some one had said you can cure catarrh by breathing air charged with healing balsams, the idea would have been ridiculed and it remained for that eminent investigator, H. T. Booth, to discover Hyomei which has performed almost miraculous cures of catarrh, and it is today recognized by leading members of the medical profession as the only advertised remedy that can be relied upon to do just what it claims. The complete outfit of Hyomei costs but \$1.00 and consists of an inhaler, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei.

Rev. J. B. Cook, of Holliston, Mass., says: "My wife has suffered greatly from catarrh for fifteen years. Nearly four weeks ago she commenced to use Hyomei and the beneficial effect was immediate. It is very seldom that she needs to clear her head and throat and she is able to rest quietly at night." Breathe Hyomei through the inhaler for a few minutes four times a day and it will cure the worst case of catarrh. It soothes and heals the mucous membrane of the air passages, prevents irritation, and effects a complete and lasting cure.

In Kinston there are scores of well known people who have been cured of catarrh by Hyomei. If it does not help you J. E. Hood & Co. will return the money you paid for Hyomei.

Sick headache is caused by a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by J. E. Hood & Co.

The Firemen's Square Dance Oct. 28.

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## PRECIOUS JADE.

To the Chinaman It is the Embodiment of Beauty.

To the European jade is chiefly a curiosity. To the Chinaman it is the most precious of stones. The western man, in his dull, prosaic, scientific way, will say that the term jade as popularly employed includes two minerals, jadeite and nephrite. The specific gravity of the jadeite is higher, but its fusing point lower than that of the other. By the mere process of handling and inspection it is impossible to tell them apart, and both are very similar to another stone called prehnite.

Here, on the other hand, is a Chinese definition: "Jade is the quintessence of heaven and earth. It is marked with the dark hues of the hills, with the blue tints of streams. It is white as sliced lard, red as a cock's comb and yellow as a cooked chestnut."

One of the chief characteristics of jade is its extreme hardness. A special sand, as fine as flour and found only in certain springs, is used in cutting it. In spite of its beauty when cut and polished, jade in its rough state cannot be distinguished by the casual eye from the rubble of the road. —London Telegraph.

## REITERATION.

The Power of Asserting a Thing Over and Over Again.

There is nothing more extraordinary than the effect produced by reiteration upon the public mind. Almost any nonsense makes an impression if only it is repeated often enough in print. The fortunes made by soaps, hair washes, patent medicines, patent aids to cookery, etc., are witnesses to this curious fact.

There is a form of self advertisement which proves even more pointedly than commercial advertisement the wonderful potency of assertion. It is something far subtler than what we have been discussing, and appeals to a smaller and more select public. In this case the deception goes further, but it is necessary to obtain the full effect that a person who makes the assertion should himself believe in its truth. The power to deceive with which the self deceived are often endowed is remarkable.

By countless assertions a stupid man can convince himself. That is why un-receptive people become so pigheaded and prejudiced as they get older.—London Spectator.

## The Goat.

Originally the common or domestic goat was a native of the highlands of Asia. Naturalists generally regard it as having descended from an animal found in the Caucasus mountains and the hill country of Persia, called in the Persian language the pengang.

## CHANCE FOR FREE PRESS READERS

Coupon Worth 25c if Presented at J. E. Hood & Co's. Drug Store.

In order to test THE FREE PRESS great circulation and its superior advertising value, we have made arrangements with J. E. Hood & Co., the popular druggists, to offer one of their best selling medicines at half price to anyone who will cut out the following coupon and present it at their store:

## COUPON.

This coupon entitles the holder to one 50c package of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price, 25c. We will refund the money to any dissatisfied purchaser.

J. E. HOOD & Co.

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia is not an unknown remedy. It has made many remarkable cures right here in Kinston and so positive are druggists J. E. Hood & Co. of its great superiority in curing dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache and liver troubles that they will, in addition to selling it at half price, refund the money to anyone whom it does not cure.

If you cannot call at their store, cut out the coupon and mail it with 25 cents, and a 50 cent box of the specific will be sent you by mail, charges paid. Do not put it off. "One today is worth two tomorrow."

This is a great opportunity for our readers to obtain a popular remedy at a small price. There are sixty doses in every package, and unlike ordinary constipation and dyspepsia remedies, the dose is decreased after the first few days.

Insomnia and Indigestion Cured.

"Last year I had a very severe attack of indigestion. I could not sleep at night and suffered most excruciating pains for three hours after each meal. I was troubled this way for about three months when I used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and received immediate relief," says John Dixon, Tallahassee, Ontario, Canada. For sale by J. E. Hood & Co.

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## SITUATION IS GRAVE

And if Russia's Apology is Not Forthcoming England May Act.

### FOUR DEMANDS MADE BY BRITISH

And All Must be Met Else Navy Will Receive Orders to Sail.—France Will Not be Drawn In.

London, Oct. 27.—If a statement printed with the utmost prominence by the Daily Mail is acceptable as true, Great Britain and Russia stand on the brink of war, which can only be averted by Russia's submission. At the moment of telegraphing it is impossible to confirm or deny the statement which follows:

"The situation arising from the North Sea outrage has become one of much gravity. As stated by the Daily Mail yesterday, the British government has formulated four demands: an apology for the attack; for a pecuniary indemnity for the victims; for the punishment of the Russian officers concerned and for a guarantee for the future security of British shipping from similar attacks.

"The Russian government is willing to make the apology and pay the indemnity, but as regards the other two points the war party, which is strongly in the ascendant in St. Petersburg, refuses to make the desired concession. The British government is resolved not to give way, and we understand that it has notified the Russian government that its acquiescence must be forthcoming by the afternoon of October 27. Failing this, the channel fleet will, we understand, be instructed to ask the Baltic fleet to return. Should the Russian admiral refuse it is expected that the British admiral will be obliged to compel the fleet's return. The British government has, we believe, reason for the confidence that, whatever action it may take in its resolve to secure amends for the terrible and inexcusable outrage, France will not consent to be embroiled.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 27.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Telegraph says the situation is apparently unchanged. Russia, convinced of England's inflexible resolve to keep peace, will not under the circumstances make any admission calculated to reflect upon the humanity and honor of the navy, but hopes to settle the matter by an expression of sympathy for the victims and the payment of money to their families. All communications between the two governments will therefore be conducted on lines limited to these points.

This cause of action has been taken by the heads of the admiralty after consultation with other state departments and is fully approved by the czar, who is convinced that the outcry is being raised for the purpose of defense at sea, and also that the commanders of his fleet are incapable of exceeding the liberty of action accorded them by international law or of abandoning in a cowardly manner fisherman wantonly wounded by their guns. Neither depositions nor evidence will alter that conviction.

Letter to W. A. Harrell, Kinston, N. C.

Dear Sir: You buy your horseshoes and your nails; your grandfather, if he was a blacksmith, made 'em. You can't afford to hammer them out by hand, when you can buy 'em as good, or better perhaps, ready made to your hand, for a little more than the cost of the iron.

What do you think of a painter who goes on buying his linseed oil and whitelead, and mixing and tinting by hand, and charging his time for work that is far better done than he do it, done by machinery, done as your horseshoes and nails are made.

Mistake isn't it? He is wasting his chance in the world. There is no better stuff to do business with than good horseshoes and paint; and no better work than putting them on. Good horseshoes will put on; it's the putting 'em on that makes you a blacksmith; no matter who makes 'em.

Who wants to go back to old times, and make his own horseshoes? Between us two, that painter don't know how to make good paint—he used to; but paint has run away from him.

Yours truly, F. W. DIXON & Co., New York. P. S.—B. W. Canady & Son sells our paint.

**CASTORIA** For Infants and Children.

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## A VERY ABLE SPEECH

Hon. Fred A. Woodard Deals Hard Knocks to Republicanism

### SCATHINGLY HE ARRAIGNS ROOSEVELT

For His Attitude Towards the South and His Philippine Policy.—Strong Tariff Argument.

Hon. Fred A. Woodard addressed a pretty good sized crowd at the court house last night and delivered one of his characteristic logical and unanswerable arguments against Republicanism. Mr. Woodard is well known to the people in this section and sustained his reputation as one of the ablest reasoners in the State.

Beginning with Roosevelt as one of the national issues the speaker arraigned the president's policy in scathing terms and showed in convincing argument how impossible it is for a southerner to endorse his views. He referred in feeling language to the extracts from Roosevelt's book, in which the Rough Rider stated that a streak of course barbarism ran through the veins of southern people. He then made the comparison between the president and the Democratic candidate Judge Parker, which made it easily discernible which candidate stood for the people, right and the constitution.

Mr. Woodard spent a good deal of his time on the tariff with which he is perfectly familiar and showed how from its inception the tariff had always been recognized as an evil, by both its friends and its enemies, and that when it reached an average of 33 per cent, years ago it caused a revolution in the country almost, and now said the speaker we are asked to swallow a Republican highway robber tariff of 48 per cent with the prospect of an increase if there be a Republican victory in November.

He showed how the American people are discriminated against by the manufacturers of the United States, who sell to Americans their product at the price of the value of it plus the tariff duty and sell to the other countries of the world in competition with free trade or low tariff countries. The props were knocked out of the humbug rot of our labor competing with pauper labor of Europe by the report from the republican commission sent by Blaine to investigate, which report stated that taking into consideration the larger amount produced by more skilled American labor they worked cheaper in comparison than the labor in other countries.

The prosperity, bubbles exploded and it was shown that the country was prosperous not because of protective tariff but in spite of it.

Imperialism came in for its share of the sledge hammer blows aimed at the Republicans and then the speaker entered into a discussion of State issues.

He demonstrated clearly why the State should remain in control of the Democrats by referring to the every failure made by the Republicans when they were entrusted with the affairs of government and told also with telling effect of the scandal committed during the fusion administration.

Mr. Woodard was evidently in good form last night and many who heard his speech declared it the best effort he ever made before a Kinston audience, and he has made many good ones.

## Public Speaking.

Hon. I. M. Meskins, Republican candidate for lieutenant governor will address the people of Lenoir county on the issues of the campaign at Kinston, Thursday, November 3, 1904, at two o'clock, p. m.

Come out and hear this distinguished speaker. JAMES F. PARROTT, Chairman Republican county executive committee.

B. L. TAYLOR, Secretary.

## Some Seasonable Advice.

It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before winter is over, and much more prompt and satisfactory results are obtained when taken as soon as a cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system, which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known and so altogether good that no one should hesitate about buying it in preference to any other. It is for sale by J. E. Hood & Co.

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## McClure's for November.

McClure's for November is fairly atrill with the keenest interest in the world of women and things of today.

Three great political articles especially distinguish the number at this time, and make most important contributions to the literature of the campaign. Vivid pen pictures of the two leading candidates are presented—Parker by ex-President Cleveland, Roosevelt by Senator Lodge; the first by the man whose own experience best qualifies him to speak with authority on the presidency, the second a most interesting and searching glimpse of the real Roosevelt through the eyes of his long-time friend and political adviser. More new light, a sensational revelation, in fact, is shed by Ray Standard Baker's researches into the records of the two candidates on the labor question. Though candidates and party managers are dumb, their records speak for them, and tell a story every voter will want to read—a story as interesting as it is important. Mr. Baker's rare power of vivifying facts never showed to greater advantage.

Stewart Edward White begins a new serial, "The Sawhide," like his other stories, full of the air free of the wilderness, poignant with color and intensity. It is illustrated by Mayfield Parris.

The short stories of the number square with the note of the hour.

The number closes with an editorial on "The Making of McClure's Magazine," which describes the organization of the famous staff which has done such remarkable work for this popular periodical.

## Public Speaking.

The Democratic candidates for house of representatives, sheriff and other county offices will speak to the people of Lenoir upon the issues of the campaign at the following times and places. Other Democratic speakers have been invited and will join in the canvass.

In Trent township, at Tull's Mill, on Friday, Oct. 28.

In Kinston, Saturday, Oct. 29.

In Neuse township, at Parrott's school house, Tuesday, Nov. 1st.

In Falling Creek township, at Falling Creek station, Wednesday, Nov. 2d.

Hon. Claude Kitchin, representative in congress from this district, and Democratic candidate for re-election, will address the people at LaGrange on Saturday, Oct. 29th.

Hours of speaking 11 a. m.

Let the people attend and hear the issues discussed.

J. W. GRAINGER, Ch'm'n.

E. M. LAND, Sec'y.

## Notice of Registration.

The registration books for the county of Lenoir for the November election will be open in the different townships from this date until Oct. 29th, closing at sunset on that date, instead of the 27th.

All persons heretofore unregistered who are entitled to register and can comply with the registration laws must register on or before that date in order to vote in the November election.

J. W. GRAINGER, Chairman.

E. M. LAND, Secretary.

## How to Cure Corns and Bunions.

First, soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it; then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily, rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn a few days to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by J. E. Hood & Co.

Where are you going, my pretty maid? To the drug store, sir, said she, You see my complexion is getting bad, I need some Rock Mountain Tea.

J. E. HOOD & Co.

The Firemen's Square Dance Oct. 28.

**To The Kinston Free Press: Kinston, N. C.**

Gentlemen:—You are authorized to enroll my name on the Lenoir County Parker-Glenn Democratic Club.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ P. O. Address \_\_\_\_\_

## NORTH STATE NEWS

Clipped and Called From Our North Carolina Exchanges.

### ODD AND INTERESTING HAPPENINGS

Gossip Gathered from Murphy To Mantoo of Importance to Our Tar Heel Readers.

The exhibits at the colored State fair now being held in Raleigh, are the most complete of any fair yet held. The attendance is good and the fair will be a great success.

Rad Springs is to have a Masonic fair. The proceeds will go towards building a Masonic temple which will be dedicated to the widows, orphans, and the aged infirm in hours of distress.

Hler Kelley, a young white woman, who has been confined in the State prison for the past 12 months, completed her sentence Wednesday and was married in the prison to James A. Marley, of Liberty, N. C. The couple left in the evening for their future home at Liberty.

After athletic relation had been severed between the University and A. & M. College for a year, caused by A. & M. using season tickets for its students during a game which deprived the University of part gate receipts, an agreement has been reached and the foot ball teams will play at Chapel Hill Nov. 17.

A young lady with splendid family connection who is visiting in Charlotte, was arrested Wednesday on the charge of shop-lifting. She had many stolen articles concealed about her person, and readily admitted her guilt. Her friends assert that she is a kleptomaniac, and every effort is being made to cover up the affair.

A white man named John Connor, strolled into Asheville from nowhere Monday afternoon and amused himself by piling rocks on the street car tracks. He was arrested for vagrancy but was released. Wednesday he got some carbolic acid and was drinking it on the sidewalk, when an officer knocked the bottle from his hand.

Mr. Wright, of the Durham Traction Company, has made a proposition to the people of Chapel Hill that, if they will petition the next legislature to abolish the steam line between Chapel Hill and University Station, as soon as the petition is granted, the Traction Company will connect Durham and Chapel Hill by a trolley system.

## Democratic Speaking.

The following changes have been made in the appointments of speakers announced:

Hon. Claude Kitchin will speak at LaGrange, Oct. 29.

Hon. Fred A. Woodard will address the people at Tull's Mill, in Trent township, Oct. 28th instead of at LaGrange. He will also speak at Kinston at night on Wednesday, Oct. 26.

Let the people attend and hear the issues discussed.

J. W. GRAINGER, Chairman.

E. M. LAND, Secretary.

## To Donators of Refreshments.

Please have your contributions to the Firemen's Square Dance ready at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon except cream and sherbet; have them ready at 5 o'clock.

It is important, so that the wagon should not have to wait. We need everything that has been promised.

Respectfully,

MISS SYBIL HYATT.

## The Firemen's Square Dance Oct. 28.

It's like a "dip in the fountain of youth." Touches the cheek so gently that "youth lingers on the face of age." That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. E. HOOD & Co.

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