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PERSONAL MENTION

Of People Coming and Going Seen on Trains and Elsewhere.

Mr. D. E. Henderson went down to Beaufort this morning on a short professional visit.

Mr. R. A. Nunn returned home last night from a professional visit to Raleigh.

Mr. Carl Daniels went over to Norfolk this morning on a short business trip.

Mr. Cecil Stone, of Raleigh, N. C., arrived in the city this morning for a few days on business.

Mr. Daniel W. Richardson, of Dover, came down to New Bern on the east bound Norfolk and Southern train and left this morning on the New Bern and Norfolk train for a business trip to Norfolk.

Mr. J. H. Hunter, of Havelock, is among the visitors in the city today.

Mr. H. W. Simpson returned this morning from a business visit to Kinston and Greenville.

Mr. R. F. Broaddus, who has been out of the city for a few days on business, returned to New Bern this morning.

Mr. Meyer Hahn returned home this morning from a business visit in Pamlico county.

A henpecked hubby once was he,
His wife didn't like his companee,
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CARRY 18 DOWN LADDERS.

Firemen Rescue Occupants of Four-story Apartment House.

Toledo, Feb. 17.—With the wind blowing a gale and driving sleet into their faces, firemen early today carried 18 women down ladders to safety when a blaze routed out the tenants in a four-story apartment house at the corner of Adams and Seventeenth streets. No one was injured. The property loss was about $5,000.

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MADE BISHOP OF PHILIPPINES.

Father Carroll, Former Philadelphian, Consecrated in Manila.

Manila, Feb. 17.—Father Carroll, formerly of Philadelphia, was today consecrated Bishop of Vigan, with impressive ceremonies, at the Manila Cathedral, in the presence of scores of clergy and an immense congregation. Papal Delegate Agius officiated, and was assisted by Archbishop Harty and Bishops Hendrick and Dougherty.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulets (25 cents per box) correct the liver, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

A Competitive Examination Under the Rules of The U. S. Civil Service Commission.

For the position of clerk-carrier in New Bern, N. C., postoffice, an examination will be held on the 13th day of March, 1909, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with necessary instructions, may be obtained from the Commission's local representative at the New Bern postoffice.

Applications will not be accepted unless received by the undersigned before 4:30 o'clock p. m. on March 10th, 1909. All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and fill them out at once in order to allow time for any necessary corrections.

L. H. FISHER.
Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

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GUESTS ESCAPE HOTEL FIRE.

Two Hundred Saved When Florida Coast Resort Burns.

By Wire to The Sun.

Daytona, Fla., Feb. 17.—The Hotel Clarendon at Sea Breeze one of the largest resort hotels on the East coast together with 10 cottages was totally destroyed by fire early today. The 215 guests, who were asleep at the time, were saved without injury and many were able to gather up most of their belongings.

When the blaze was first discovered the night clerk rushed the help to each room, notifying guests, who made their way to the streets. At one time the blaze appeared to be under control, but the wind shifted and the entire building was burned.

The hotel help was panic-stricken and the clerks could do nothing with them, one woman biting the clerk badly on the hand. The hotel was a wooden structure valued at $200,000 and was insured for 40 per cent.

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves th itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

Little Evidence Against Suspects.

By Wire to The Sun.

Woodbury, N. J., Feb. 17.—The February term of the County Courts is about over, and James Drain and Joseph Donnolley, arrested in connection with the death of Edward Cole, at Paulsboro, are still locked up. It is likely that they will remain in jail until the May term unless Prosecutor Rogers finds some new evidence against them, in which event the grand jury will reconvene. As the case now stands the Prosecutor has not sufficient evidence to connect the prisoners with Cole's death.

To feel strong, have good appetite, and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the great system tonic and builder.

Recapture Escaped Prisoner.

Morristown, N. J., Feb. 17.—Thomas Riley, who escaped from Sheriff Orr and Constable Newkirk yesterday morning while being taken to State prison, was recaptured in East Orange this morning and brought back to Morristown. He will be started off again tomorrow with handcuffs he can't slip.

It coaxes back that well feeling, healthy look, puts the sap of life in your system, protects you from disease. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has no equal as a spring tonic for the whole family. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Davis Pharmacy.

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The city of New Bern, North Carolina, desires proposals on twenty-five thousand (25,000) square yards of street paving using granite blocks or vitrified brick, or both.

Full plans, specifications and requirements will be furnished upon application. All bids must be filed on or before the first day of March, 1909, at 8 o'clock, U. M., at which time the Board of Aldermen will open the bids.

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DRUGGISTS SELLING OUT.

Quitting Field Before Kansas Prohibition Storm Breaks.

By Wire to The Sun.

Topeka, Feb. 17.—If you want to buy a drug store at your own price come to Kansas and take your pick of more than 2,000 which are on the market. Nearly every country paper these days has from one to a dozen advertisements reading: "For sale, cheap, drug store, owner desires to retire from business."

The secret of the sudden determination of so many druggists to retire is that the legislature is to pass a law cutting them out of their chief source of revenue, their liquor trade.

The Senate bill already passed stops the sale of liquor by drug stores for any purpose whatever. It is the most drastic law enacted in Kansas on that subject. It not only provides for absolute prohibition, but also restores the inquisition and gives immunity to persons who testify in joint cases. Legislators say the measure is bound to become a law. Kansas druggists seem to think so, too.

Sluggish livers and bowels are the cause of nearly every disease. Cleanse your system and regulate the bowels and liver to healthy, natural action by Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Davis Pharmacy.

LEAPS FROM ELECTRIC FLYER.

Scared Boy Escapes Serious Injury From Jump.

By Wire to The Sun.

Atlantic City, Feb. 17.—Badly scared as the 3 o'clock electric express which he had boarded at Minotola, whizzed past Richland, his destination, a few miles away, Daniel D. Jerome, a nine-year-old boy, ran to the door of the car and leaped off.

The train, which was at its highest speed on the run from Philadelphia, ran for a half-mile before it could be stopped, while women passengers screamed, in the belief ehat the lad had been instantly killed. When picked up he was unconscious, but physicians on the train say he will recover.

The boy had been given the few pennies necessary for his fare to Richland, but found that the train did not stop at that small station. He was taken hom elater on a passing train.

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PERUNA EDITORIAL NO. 2.

Dr. Hartman has claimed for many years that Peruna is an EXCELLENT CATARRH REMEDY. Some of the doctor's critics have disputed the doctor's claim as to the efficacy of Peruna.

Since the ingredients of Peruna are no longer a secret, what do the medical authorities say concerning the remedies of which Peruna is composed?

Take, for instance, the ingredient HYDRASTIS CANADENSIS, OR GOLDEN SEAL. The United States Dispensatory says of this herbal remedy, that it is largely employed in the treatment of depraved mucous membranes, chronic rhinitis (nasal catarrh), atonic dyspepsia (catarrh of the stomach), chronic intestinal catarrh, catarrhal jaundice (catarrh of the liver), and in diseased mucous membranes of the pelvic organs. It is also recommended for the treatment of various forms of diseases peculiar to women.

Another ingredient of Peruna, CORYDALIS FORMOSA, is classed in the United States Dispensatory as a tonic.

CEDRON SEEDS is another ingredient of Peruna, an excellent drug that has been very largely overlooked by the medical profession for the past fifty years. THE SEEDS ARE TO BE FOUND IN VERY FEW DRUG STORES. The United States Dispensatory says of the action of cedron that it is used as a bitter tonic and in the treatment of dysentery, and in intermittent diseases as a SUBSTITUTE FOR QUININE.

OIL OF COPAIBA, another ingredient of Peruna, is classed by the United States Dispensatory as a mild stimulant and diuretic. It acts on the stomach and intestinal tract. It acts as a stimulant on the genito-urinary membranes. Useful in chronic cystitis, chronic dysentery and diarrhea, and some chronic diseases of the liver and kidneys.

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These opinions as to the ingredients of Peruna are held by all writers on the subject, including Bartholow and Scudder.

OF HYDRASTIS, BARTHOLOW SAYS it is applicable to stomatitis (catarrh of the mucous surfaces of the mouth), follicular pharyngitis (catarrh of the pharynx), chronic coryza (catarrh of the head). This writer classes hydrastis as a stomachic tonic, useful in atonic dyspepsia (chronic gastric catarrh), catarrh of the duodenum, catarrh of the gall duct, catarrh of the intestines, catarrh of the kidneys (chronic Bright's disease), catarrh of the bladder, and catarrh of other pelvic organs.

BARTHOLOW REGARDS COPAIBA as an excellent remedy for chronic catarrh of the bladder, chronic bronchitis (catarrh of the bronchial tubes).

BARTHOLOW STATES THAT CUBEB, an ingredient of Peruna, promotes the appetite and digestion, increases the circulation of the blood. Useful in chronic nasal catarrh, follicular pharyngitis (catarrh of the pharynx), increasing the tonicity of the mucous membranes of the throat. It also relieves hoarseness. Useful in atonic dyspepsia (catarrh of the stomach), and in chronic catarrh of the colon and rectum, catarrh of the bladder, prostatorrhea, and chronic bronchial affections.

MILLSPAUGH, MEDICINAL PLANTS, one of the most authoritative works on medicinal herbs in the English language, in commenting upon COLLINSONIA CANADENSIS, says that it acts on the pneumogastric and vaso motor nerves. It increases the secretions of the mucous membranes in general. In the mountains of Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and Carolina, collinsonia canadensis is considered a panacea for many disorders, including headache, colic, cramp, dropsy and indigestion. DR. SCUDDER regards it highly as a remedy in chronic diseases of the lungs, heart disease and asthma.

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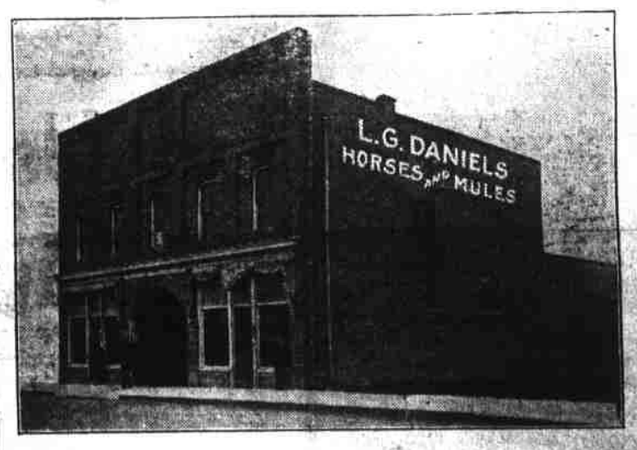

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