



Women are Like Flowers.

Healthy and strong they blossom and bloom. Sickly they wither and die. Every woman ought to look well and feel well.

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The best paid woman in the service of the United States is Miss Norton who holds a position in the postal department at Washington which pays her \$2,500 a year.

The race conflict near Balltown, La., resulted in the death of one white man and the wounding of two others, one mortally, and the killing of nine negroes. Quiet has been restored.

There are now about thirty women pastors of Unitarian churches in the United States. The last addition to their ranks is Miss Estella R. Padgugam, of Syracuse, who has just been ordained in that city.

An 18-year-old boy was sent to the insane asylum at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He said he was on his way to Washington to kill Rough Rider Roosevelt, marry his daughter and take his place as President.

As an instance of how seriously even small and trifling matters are looked at in connection with those occupying high places it is stated that President Roosevelt is the first occupant of the White House in whose name the letter "a" does not appear.

The North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Protestant church will convene in Henderson, Wednesday, the 20th of Nov. at night. Mr. T. T. Hicks will deliver the address of welcome and Prof. J. Allen Holt will respond on behalf of the conference.

Like his grandfather, Emperor William is a soldier, even when he goes to bed, for he sleeps on a regulation camp bed, such as his officers use. The bed clothing is of the rough regimental pattern. He retires at 11 P. M. and is up and dressed soon after 5 A. M.

The Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs has put its foot down on the application of a negro woman's club in St. Paul, Minnesota, to affiliate with it. This was after Roosevelt socially dined Booker Washington and virtually shows that the white women of Minnesota think of the incident.

A man in Alpine, Col., is at last willing to sell his body for money. His name is W. S. Coburn, a prospector. He owns a lot of mining property that is valuable, but his credit is exhausted and he cannot get money to further work it. Hence he sells this advertisement in the local paper: "If I have a right to sell my body when it becomes a corpse I am in the market for any body desiring such investment. My body will make a good skeleton."

JUDGE FRANK OSBORNE. President Roosevelt has appointed Hon. Frank Osborne, of Charlotte, an able and distinguished lawyer and a true Democrat on the recommendation of Senator Pritchard Associate Justice of the Court of Private Land Claims to succeed the greatly beloved Judge Thomas C. Fuller, and Raleigh is left out in the cold one time in its life. Mr. Fab Busbee, the Southern Railway attorney, did not get a sniff at the judicial breeze as the law says a Democrat should be appointed, and we are proud of it. Judge Osborne made an admirable Attorney General and is a man of intellect and power. The Public Ledger tips its old slouch hat to Judge Osborne and extends warm congratulations.

Charlotte Observer says "Judge Osborne was educated at Davidson College and at the University of Virginia. He studied law under the late Judge Pearson and after obtaining license settled in this city, his birth place. He was mayor of Charlotte before he was 25 years of age; was elected solicitor of this district in his 29th year and was three times without opposition elected to that office. He was Attorney General of this State before he was 40 years of age, and he has served in the State Senate from this county. In all official positions he won distinction and honor. In the practice of his profession Mr. Osborne has made a reputation that is not confined to this State. His ability, as one of the leading lawyers of the country, is unquestioned, and for a number of years he has been prominently before the public as a leading and successful counsel in celebrated cases. It is a handsome compliment to his legal reputation that in his 48th year he is given one of the highest judicial positions in the land."

Spreads Like Whittle. When the bugs are "the best" they become "the best thing." Abraham Hare a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bites are the best selling biters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in the riders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bites tones up the stomach, repairs liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudinous of na adies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50c. Sold by J. C. Hall.

At the Weldon fair a magistrate with a posse raids the fakirs' quarters and scoops in a number of them.

That Throbbing Headache. You'd quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make sick and nervous heads and build up your health. Only 25c. Money back if not cured. Sold by J. C. Hall.

The Lament of Jeter.

Behold it came to pass in the United States even in the years wherein Marion Butler saw death, in the tenth month and sixteenth day thereof, that Teddy, whose surname is Roosevelt, became grievously tormented. Though he was commander-in-chief of the Philippine army and in years past had hunted wild beasts, yet the thoughts of these glories availed not to satisfy the yearning for a more strenuous life.

Whereupon Teddy, even Theodore, whose surname was Roosevelt, invited to his board a tame coon, even Booker, the son of Washington, the son of Ham, and in the grandeur of the Executive Mansion they did eat and drink for many hours! and behold the tiger hunter became satisfied and the coon departed and went upon his way, for Teddy had satisfied the longings of his heart.

But, behold, upon the morrow was the news blazoned forth and the people murmured greatly thereat. But the tidings thereof filled with sorrow the heart of Jeter, the son of Pritchard who long had labored to impress upon the minds of the people that the G. O. P. was exceeding white.

And Jeter lamented with this lamentation: The glory of Republicanism is fallen where it was last expected, how are the mighty fallen.

Tell it not in Scratchankle, publish it not in Freedom, lest the wild coons rejoice and usurp all the offices. In the Republican camp there be no joy nor sound of music, for behold a negro has broken bread with Teddy who has forgotten that the white folks need office.

From the meal with Booker the glory of Teddy returned not back nor his reputation unscathed. Let us weep, therefore, over Teddy; let us lament with a great lamentation; perhaps he will think of us later and make the country great by granting us some crumbs from his table.

The mighty are fallen in the beginning of the fight and we are become false prophets. I am distressed for thee, dear Teddy; I longed to aid in the thy work, but behold my support shall be given to another; my love for office is wonderful and thou hast smiled on a nigger.

How are the mighty fallen by the hand of a nigger and the words of my mouth have failed. Lenoir Topic.

Skinner and the Angels. "Shove up them chunks, ole man An" set down by me, here An' 'bout that man I'll tell yer, That Skinner-man, my dear; His name is Mister Skinner. He lives here, in the South; They call him Harry Skinner. The man with talkin' mouth; He's talked for every party.

The South has ever seen, An' standin' in the middle, He's often talked between, Some say this Mister Skinner First walked up ter the bat An' stood there lookin' mighty proud A Ku Klux Democrat, And then that Mister Skinner— Well, Skinner stepped behind As ketcher fer the Populists

Upon their hayseed nine, A ketchin' 'uv the offices, A ketchin' 'uv what was good, This Mister Harry Skinner, A ketchin' 'uv what he could, An' now this Mister Skinner Has tuck another stand A ketchin' at them offices, As a Republican; An', with them colored angels, He's mighty quick an' strong A grabbin' fer them offices

For which them angels long, But which them colored angels Can never ketch, they know, Because that Mister Skinner's A grabbin' at 'em so."

The tale was told and silence fell. Tale-teller went to bed But museful over dying fire Sat wife, with low bent head, As she brushed, from furrowed cheek, A tear that stole down there, She softly prayed that Skinner might Some office-grub yet sparer For wingles, colored angels here, With wool instead of hair.

JNO. R. MORRIS. In Charlotte Observer.

Chronic Spencer Adams Still in the Cold. The Greensboro Record says, It seems Senator Pritchard thought better of his determination to press Judge Spencer Adams for judge of the Court of Land Claims after seeing the President, and asked for the appointment of Hon. Frank I. Osborne, of Charlotte. An examination of the law on the matter would have shown the Senator that a Republican could not be appointed, as there are already two on the court. It does seem that our townsman is not going to land. He was a candidate for Congress, for Governor, for Alderman, not to mention that he wanted to be a Judge in the Philippines, a member of the Civil Service Commission and a candidate for the place made vacant by Judge Fuller's death.

Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail. The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made of ten penny nails, and thrust one nail, cutting her foot and a second one half through. Chamberlains Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoe as usual and with absolutely no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known merchant of Forkland, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by J. C. Hall.

Just received another car of the famous Dan Valley and oak ridge flour at Crenshaws.

15 Minutes sufficient to give you most delicious tea biscuit using Royal Baking Powder as directed. A pure, true leavener.

At Hodgville, Ky., a negro in jail for having forced a 15-year-old boy to commit a crime, is taken out and hanged by a mob.

Two cars salt in all size sacks from 25c to \$1.25 a sack at Crenshaws. Mens suits from \$3 to \$25 at Crenshaws.

The grand lodge of Masons of Georgia decides Masons dealing in liquors shall be expelled from the order.

From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest. "It will soon cure the cough too," writes Mrs. S. Himeburger "for three generations of our family have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and never found its equal for Coughs and Colds." It is an invaluable life saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1 at J. C. Hall's.

The Disciples will open the Kinsey school at Wilson for girls. Several new two horse wagon beds worth \$8 which can be bought at \$5 at Crenshaws. Hats, caps, suit cases, trunks and valises cheap at Crenshaws.

Early Thursday morning fire destroyed twenty-three business houses at Timmonsville, S. C. Members of firm of Smith & Dennis are charged starting the fire in their store.

To The Public. Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlains Cough Remedy. I had a very severe cough and cold and feared I would get pneumonia, but after taking the second dose of this medicine I felt better, three bottles of it cured my cold and the pains in my chest disappeared entirely. I am most respectfully yours for health, Ralph S. Meyers, 64 Thirteenth St., Wheeling, W. Va. For sale by J. C. Hall.

At Rutherfordton a drunken negro shoots a deputy sheriff. The negro has been arrested and a lynching is feared if the officer dies.

El Paso, Texas, had its first snow storm of the season Thursday. Odd coats, odd pants, and odd vest at odd prices at Crenshaws. Dry goods, dress goods pant goods and all other kinds of goods cheap at Crenshaws.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Hall.

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Candidate for Statehood. An unusually interesting contest is going on in the Indian Territory and Oklahoma, and a general convention to settle the present differences has been called for this month. The proposition is that Oklahoma and the Indian Territory shall unite and ask Congress to merge them and admit the united territory as a State. Oklahoma has about 39,000 square miles and the Indian Territory about 31,000 square miles, so that in area the new division would be about 70,000 square miles, or nearly twice the size of Indiana and just about the size of Missouri. The census of 1900 gave the two Territories a population of nearly 700,000, and increase of almost 200 per cent in the decade. Since then the figures have steadily grown. Such a population would exceed that of any of sixteen States, the lowest of which, Nevada, has only 45,000.

How Judge Brown Stands at Home. This is what Judge Geo. Brown's home paper, the Washington Messenger, says of this able and distinguished jurist who will add lustre to the Supreme Court: "We believe we voice the sentiment of every true and loyal son of Beaufort county when we say, the citizens of this county are more than pleased to have Judge George H. Brown, Jr., to preside over this term of court. In the case of Judge Brown, a prophet is not without honor save in his country. Born and reared in Beaufort county, his every interest has been so identified with our people they have learned not only to respect him, but love him with a love that grows continually brighter and brighter as the years come and go. And the stand he has taken on the Superior Court bench of the State has been a constant source of gratification to his people. Being in point of service the senior member of the Superior Court bench he has been thrice elected to his present high and honorable position. In 1890, 1896 and 1898 by an increased majority every time, and led the Democratic Judicial ticket, he stands today the peer in the estimation of the people of the State of any member of the bench, and is the most popular candidate for associate justice of the Supreme Court."

Great Luck For An Editor. "For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., then I was wholly cured by Buckled's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 25c at J. C. Hall's.

We Need no Such Examples. The Presbyterian Standard says: Surely it is time that the North were understanding that we have a semi-barbarous race to deal with, more barbarous than they were at the close of the war, that we have the purity of our blood and the sanctity of our homes to protect and will protect them, please God, and that we do not need any such examples of the sort just set us to make our task more difficult, to inflame one race and enrage the other. It is not the fact that Washington is an exceptional negro, but the fact that a white man in exalted position has recognized a negro man as one of his own kind, with all the privileges that come from race kinship.

There is no politics in this article, but any politician ought to know that this question which we have briefly touched upon is infinitely nearer the hearts of the Southern people than the tariff or the money question or imperialism or the Isthmian Canal or any political subject that can be mentioned.

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Miss Emma Day's Attractive Store. Is a thing of beauty. She is just back from an extended trip through the Northern markets where with an eye for the interest of her numerous friends, she has the choice of a varied stock of Hats, Gainsborough, Napoleon Draped, Turbons, etc., Stylish Walking Hats all colors. Misses Hats and school caps, all styles, also Misses School Leggings and Mitts, Misses cheap Union Suits, beauties at 37c-2 cts. Misses and Children's fur sets very dainty. A specially pretty line of Infants Caps in all delicate shades and pure white caps to add to the blue eyed or black eyed queen of the baby. Ladies and Childrens Singerie in cotton, wool or Onaida Union Suits guaranteed against cold. Handsome line Velvet and cloth wraps, Gloves, Kid, Jersey, Silk and Cotton, Corsets and Girdles beautiful for 50 cents. Velvets in Paon, Fanne and Mirrored all shades.

Notice! Notice! By authority of the power of sale conferred in a deed in trust executed on the 27th day of May, 1901, by Wm. T. Adams and wife, book 34 page 190, in the office of the register of Deeds for Granville county, I having been appointed as trustee thereunder, by the said deed, to sell the premises therein described, to-wit: A certain lot of land, situate in the town of Beaufort, in the county of Beaufort, State of North Carolina, containing one acre and one-half, more or less, bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the line of the late Mrs. S. B. Allen, Substituted Trustees, Henderson, N. C., Oct. 28, 1901.

Administrators Notice. Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. C. Perry, deceased, according to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and settle same at once. Parties holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 15th day of September, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This 8th 1901 A. A. Hicks, Administrator

Sale of Valuable Land. Under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon me in a deed in trust executed on the 27th day of May, 1901, by Wm. T. Adams and wife, as will appear by reference to book of Mortgages No. 54, at page 25 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Granville county, on SATURDAY, THE 28th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1901, at 12 o'clock m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Oxford, N. C., that piece or parcel of real estate situated in Beaufort County, North Carolina, containing one acre and one-half, more or less, bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the line of the late Mrs. S. B. Allen, Substituted Trustees, Henderson, N. C., Oct. 28, 1901. On the south by the line of the late Mrs. S. B. Allen, Substituted Trustees, Henderson, N. C., Oct. 28, 1901. On the east by the line of the late Mrs. S. B. Allen, Substituted Trustees, Henderson, N. C., Oct. 28, 1901. On the west by the line of the late Mrs. S. B. Allen, Substituted Trustees, Henderson, N. C., Oct. 28, 1901.

GOING OUT OF Business. I have decided to go out of business on Jan. 1st, 1902. I most earnestly request that all parties owing me will come forward and settle promptly. From now until that date all whiskies, tobacco and cigars will be sold for cash only. Don't ask for credit as you will not get it. Bear in mind all who owe me I want them to settle up. R. S. USRY.

DISPEPSIA. "For six years I was a victim of dyspepsia in its worst form. I could eat nothing but milk toast and had to take medicine to retain and digest even that. Last March I began taking CASCARETS and since then I have steadily improved, until I am as well as ever was in my life." DAVID H. MURPHY, Newark, O.

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