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By some sudden sound she drops the vase upon the floor. She is nervous and may be told that nervousness is a luxury which only a rich woman can afford to indulge in. Nervousness has cost many a woman her position. Sometimes when women run machinery the price of nervousness is mutilation—a finger lost or perhaps the whole hand crushed.

Nervousness in women is common but a symptom of womanly disease. It is useless in such cases to "doctor" for the nerves alone. Cure the diseases which attack the delicate womanly organism and nervousness will be cured also.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves and induces refreshing sleep.

"In the fall of 1897, I was troubled with nervousness, headache, heart trouble and female weakness," writes Miss Blanch M. Bracey, of Sals, Oswego Co., N. Y. "Last summer I wrote you and you advised me to try your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I did so and I began to improve rapidly. Continued taking the medicine, half a dozen each of 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' for the space of five months, and in less than a year had regained my former health."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the muddy complexion.



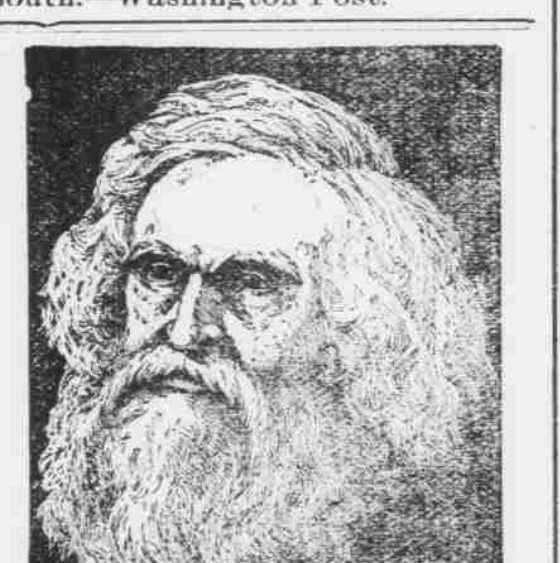
Very Remarkable Cure for Diarrhoea.
"About six years ago for the first time in my life I had a sudden and severe attack of diarrhoea," says Mrs. Alice Miller, of Morgan, Texas. "I got temporary relief, but it came back again and again, and for six long years I have suffered more misery and agony than I can tell. It was worse than death. My husband spent hundreds of dollars for physicians' prescriptions and treatment without avail. Finally we moved to Bossie county, our present home and one day I happened to see an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with a testimonial of a man who had been cured by it. The case was so similar to my own that I concluded to try the remedy. The result was wonderful. I could hardly realize that I was well again, or believe it could be so after having suffered so long, but that one bottle of medicine costing but a few cents, cured me." All druggists.

True, Illinois, and Delaware have grabbed off a certain kind of fame here of late. However that should not have tempted the people of Baker county, Georgia, to lynch 'em in bunches.—Atlanta Journal.

Cholera infantum.
This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

Indiana's race riot furnishes another illustration that human nature is pretty much the same north and south.—Washington Post.

Vigorous Old Age
Paine's Celery Compound makes the old feel young, and cures their ills. It has added years of health and enjoyment to many a life. Use this great medicine regularly, and its invigorating powers will fill your declining years with health, strength, and happiness. Read what George F. Morse, 67 years old, writes:—
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Gentlemen:—Just a word in favor of Paine's Celery Compound, hoping it may catch the eye of some afflicted person, and they may receive the same satisfactory benefit. Some 15 years ago I had a combination of malaria, chills and fever, and grip, which continued for a year or more; meantime I lost in weight about 60 pounds, trying different medicines and doctors with unsatisfactory results. Paine's Celery Compound was recommended, and, after using a little I began to improve, gaining about a pound a week. In a year I had regained 50 pounds of the lost weight and good health, and have been a well man ever since. Yours truly, GEORGE F. MORSE.
LEOMINSTER, MASS., Oct. 27, 1902.



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"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling, La., "but two bottles of Paine's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure."—For sale by R. L. Hamilton.

Next Speaker of the House of Representatives predicts that there will be no currency legislation enacted at the coming session of Congress.

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Sparks of Public Opinion.

The Washington Post thinks "it should be remembered that one reason why there are more lynchings of negroes in the South than in the North is that the supply of material is larger."

A trolley car was held up near Bound Brook, N. J., by a swarm of mosquitoes. The mortician was attacked on all sides and was compelled to stop the car, which was delayed forty minutes.

The South should raise its voice in protest against the treatment of negroes in the North and should send missionaries there in the interest of the negro citizens who are mistreated.—Nashville American.

Gen. Matt. W. Ransom, the largest farmer in the State, is invited to preside at the State convention of farmers, which is to be held at the Agricultural and Mechanical College this month. It is said that Gen. Ransom sold one crop of cotton for \$68,000.

The President has ordered that no more information regarding the postal scandals shall be given out. We don't blame Teddy for being ashamed to let the public know how much rascality has been carried on by his administration.—Wilmington Star.

Candy and confectionery to the amount of \$100,000,000 are sold in the American home market every year, and to this total of manufacture New York contributes \$20,000,000, or one-fifth. Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Illinois are the three other States which contribute largely to the total.

Just about the most hopeless sign for the future of the negro race was the outbreak against Booker Washington by the negroes at Louisville. Booker has been giving them too plain advice. He told them at that meeting that no legal punishment was too severe for the wretch who would outrage a woman.—Charlotte News.

The largest tree in Oregon was felled recently to be sent as a curiosity to the World's Fair. It is the Aberdeen spruce, and stood nearly 300 feet high, 40 feet around and 118 feet in girth at the base. Its age is calculated at 40 years, being a good-sized tree when Columbus discovered the land that was afterwards called America.

A Half Million Divorces in Twenty Years.
A recent estimate is to the effect that during the last twenty years more than half a million divorces have been granted within the United States. Half a million homes destroyed! Five hundred thousand guiltless women or men rendered miserable by the unfaithfulness of a consort! Perhaps a million children degraded by the marrying of their homes! And those who have been unfaithful, and have done the wrong, have been simply set free to repeat the wrong on some one else. Is this right?—Christian Observer.

A Boys Composition.
A boy was compelled by his school teacher to write an essay on the month and this is what he wrote: Your month is the front door to your face. It is aperture to the cold storage of your anatomy. Some months look like peaches and cream and some look like a hole in a brick wall to admit a new door or window, the month is a red hot bed for toothache and a bung hole of oratory. The month is the crimson aisle to the liver; 'tis patriotism's fountain and a toolchest for ple. Without mouth the politician would be a wanderer on the face of the earth and go down to an unburied grave. It is the greaser's friend the orators pride and the dentist's hope. It puts some men on the rostrum and some in jail. It is temptations lunch counter when attached to a man; it is the home of some unruly member the tongue. Without it married life would be like a summer dream, and the dude would lose half of his attractions.

The Whipping Post Would do Good.
In Winston this week a young married woman applied at a drug store for morphine, stating candidly that she wanted the drug to kill herself. She was refused but she was so violent that she was placed in jail to prevent her killing herself. The papers say the poor woman was driven to distraction by the infidelity of her husband. In Charlotte this week a wife attempted suicide because she alleges, her husband has deserted her and there are hints of another woman in the case. In Salisbury this week a railroad conductor was arrested for brutally beating his wife and it is said that it is his habit to heap indignities upon the woman. If the man in each of these cases could be made to serve about four or five years on the chain gang, being strapped down and whipped occasionally as a sort of guarantee of good faith, brutes who dishonor the name of husband would at least refrain from making public exhibitions of their brutality.—Statesville Landmark.

HISTORY OF GRANVILLE COUNTY.

Oxford Methodist Church, Continued—
Granville County Muster Roll.

[BY WILLIAM H. HARRISON.]
CHAPTER III.

As I stated in the last article, I give some other facts about the history of the Oxford Methodist church. While the old church first erected was in use there was no parsonage, the pastors renting their places of residence. One of them, Rev. Mr. Gannon, lived at the house now occupied by Rev. R. I. Devlin.

One of the most saintly characters who ever belonged to the old church was Mrs. Betsey Peace. She lived in a small two-room cabin located on the lot now occupied by Col. W. B. Ballou. She was very poor, but was rich in faith and was a source of help and inspiration to the church, particularly to the younger members. She was a general favorite with the children of the town and was widely known in this section for the gentleness of her christian character. She lived to be one hundred years old.

Another character much beloved in the church was Miss Lucy Ballard, who was a member of Judge Robert B. Gilliam's household. She was a deeply pious woman who loved her church above everything else and devoted her life to its service.

These have all gone to their reward. They worked under many disadvantages and discouragements. They had not the equipment either in attractive houses of worship or methods which the church of today has; but they had piety and courage and faith and worked well and faithfully, laying the foundations for the larger work of today. They were, indeed, the pioneers of christianity in this section.

As far back as the year 1859 the church had a well-organized Sunday school ably superintended by Mr. John W. Hays. Of this eminently pious, gifted and useful man it is useless for me to speak at length. His memory is fresh in the affections of his church and of the whole town. For forty years he was Superintendent of the Oxford M. E. Sunday school and a leader in every work for the advancement of Christ's kingdom. No eulogy of him at my hands is needed. His record of service for others is his monument.

In 1893 the church recently vacated was built. At that time the congregation was not so large, but the few who led were zealous and determined and by hard work erected this, a much more convenient and attractive house of worship. From this time forward the church began steadily to grow in numbers, strength and efficiency. In 1896 the church was in a prosperous condition. The teachers at that date were Mrs. E. W. Owens, Mrs. John W. Hays, Mrs. Willis Grandy and Mrs. Mollie Frink. Mr. Jno. W. Hays continued as Superintendent.

Ten years later in the year 1870 we find the following teachers: Mrs. A. S. Peace, Mrs. M. L. Hargrove, Mrs. Mary Livingstone, Mrs. Jesse Purgerson, Mrs. Em Hobgood and Mrs. John W. Hays. 1890 shows some other changes, some dropping out and others taking up the noble work. The following is the roll at that day: Mrs. M. E. Bobbitt, Mrs. Mollie Frink, Miss Lela Routon, Miss Mary Williams, Miss Bettie Whitfield, Mrs. Kate Whitfield, Dr. Graham Hunt, Mrs. J. C. Hundley, Mr. W. T. Lyon and Mrs. J. S. Brown.

Since 1890 the Sunday school has been in a most prosperous condition. In 1902 the elegant brick church on College street was completed at a cost of \$16,000 which in every way meets the needs of the growing congregation. The membership of the church is larger than ever before; the Sunday school numbers almost two hundred and all the work of the church is progressing well. Mr. R. L. Brown is now Superintendent and A. A. Hicks, Esq., assistant. Mrs. A. A. Hicks is chorister; Miss Daisy Minor, organist; Mr. William Minor, secretary; Mr. Wallace White, librarian; Mr. Wm. R. Pegram, assistant librarian; and Mr. J. B. Turner, treasurer. The present teachers (1903) in the Sunday school are: Mrs. M. E. Bobbitt, Mrs. M. L. Hargrove, Mrs. A. S. Peace, Miss Lela Routon, Mrs. Kate Hays Fleming, Mrs. S. M. Hobgood, Mrs. Melvin, Mrs. Kate Brown, Miss Mary Williams, Miss Etta Peace, Miss Ferrabow, Messrs. A. A. Hicks, J. S. Brown and Dr. C. D. H. Fort.

The present pastor, Rev. A. McCullen, is now (1903) completing his

fourth year with the Oxford church. He has served the church well and is recognized as a strong preacher and as an efficient and aggressive pastor. Under his pastorate the new church has been built and paid for and the work of the church has made much advancement.

Mr. McCullen was born at Kinston, N. C., on April 29th, 1859. He was educated at Kinston Academy. In May, 1880, he was licensed to preach, and was ordained and entered the ministry regularly in 1882. Since that time he has devoted his entire time to preaching, having acceptably served the following churches: Louisville, Warrenton, Henderson, Reidsville, Carthage and Oxford in North Carolina. For some time he was pastor of Park M. E. church at Hannibal, Mo., at which place he was highly successful. This is one of the important churches in the Missouri Conference, Hannibal being a town about the size of Wilmington, N. C.

GRANVILLE COUNTY MUSTER ROLL.
Below I give the old Granville Muster roll for the year 1771, just before the Revolutionary war. In this list there are, no doubt, many names of men whose descendants are now living in Granville. Some of our people, particularly the older men, will recognize the names as those of their ancestors. This being so they can but be of interest to them.

It will be remembered that this list was made from the old annual muster in the early days when some place was selected in each county and the militia was reviewed and inspected. Many in this list, doubtless, fought long and bravely in the great struggle for liberty in the war of the Revolution. There are many names below which are familiar names in Granville today. Some of the names are curious and amusing, such as Paton Modline, Jno. Rudolph Buzzard, &c. I give the list just as they are on the records as to head lines, spelling, &c.:

"A list of militia commanded by Capt. William Williams the 3rd of October, 1771."
John Winston, Lieutenant; Joseph Williams, ensign; Daniel Williams, Elisha Sims and William Dodson, sergeants; Jno. Brown and Britan Johnson, corporals. Privates: William Hardgrove, Ormond Morgan, William Brown, Sr., William Brown, Jr., Sherwood Sims, Jr., Thomas Sims, Thomas Keay, James Buchanan, Joseph Sinsay, Richard Searcey, Joseph Moore, Simon Williams, Francis Williams, William Wallace, Jas. Wallace, Guy Wallace, Stephen Turner, William Cooper, Samuel Wheeler, William Todd, Benjamin Guy, Elisha Paschal, Jno. Paschal, David Hamrick, Simon Mahone, John Hamrick, Obadiah Earls, William Sims, Thomas Peel, William Moss, Jno. Elom, Geo. Wilson, Henry Wilson, John Chadwick, Dan'l Goodman, Joseph Goodman, Simon Wright, Gilliam Norwood, Benjamin Johnson, William Johnson, Abraham Mitchell, Thomas Brown, Charles Dodson, Henry Freeman, Samuel Chapman, William Wyars, John Huff, Jehonias Waldrop, John Gilliam, John Mitchell, Jr., Nathan Robinson, Thomas Jones, Jno. Wall Jones, Peter Williams, William Cunningham, William Kennon, Benjamin Roberson, Benjamin Goodman, Richard Roberson,—total 60.

Command of Capt. John Walker, Granville Regiment:
Richard Wilkins, Lieutenant; Wm. Bryars, ensign; Augustus Davis, 1st sergeant; William Vickary, 2nd sergeant; Benjamin Ragland, 3rd sergeant; Richard Johnson, Lewis Davis and Daniel Clayton, corporals; Alexander Douglas, drummer. Privates: Jeremiah Ward, Goodman Ward, Josiah Chumley, Jesse Barnett, Frederick Davis, Joseph Barnett, Miles Buzbee, Henry Williams, Henry Morse, Pumphret Davis, Stephen Wilson, John Willingham, Jesse Harper, William Douglas, James Butler, Granville Davis, Henry Burch, Jordan Norwood, Solomon Walker, Zachariah Hester, Drury Buzbee, Howell Morse, Gideon Davis, Thomas Killey, Burrill Collins, William Vickary, Jr., Timothy D. Nisell, Samuel Tines, Elison Harvey, Charles Carter, Caleb Caps, Fennel Marks, Augustus Davis, Jr., Augustus Davis Younger, William Johnson, James Satterwhite, Thomas Butler, Stephen Potter and William Cook,—total 47.

These names will be completed in the next article.
[To be continued.]
Fire at Newbern destroyed two livery stables, a tobacco warehouse and other buildings.

DR. MOFFETT'S TEETHINA (TEETHING POWDERS)

BLACK BRONCH, Ark., Sept. 18, 1901.
Rev. J. W. Berry (of Arkansas Methodist Conference, writes): "Enclosed find fifty cents for which please mail me two packages of 'TEETHINA.' We wonder how we have raised children without it. The other day a lady in Missouri sent us a package and it came at a most opportune time; our babe was in a serious condition; his bowels had been in bad condition for days, and nothing that we gave did any good; the second dose of 'TEETHINA' gave perfect relief and he has had no further trouble. Other members of the family have used it and every dose has been a perfect success."

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