

## A Word in private to Suffering Women.

No one but yourselves know of the suffering you go through. Why do you suffer? It isn't necessary. Don't lose your health and beauty, for the loss of one is speedily followed by the loss of the other. Don't feel "weak" and "worn out." Impure blood is at the bottom of all your troubles.

### Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLES.

Purifies and suppresses Menstruation, Irrregularities, Leucorrhoea, Whites, Sterility, Ulceration of the Uterus, Change of life, flatulency, indigestion, nervousness, sleeplessness, muscular weakness, bearing-down pains, backache, legache, irregular action of the heart, shortness of breath, abnormal discharges, uterine constriction, scalding of the urethra, swelling of feet, soreness of the breasts, neuralgia, uterine displacement, and all those symptoms which make the average woman's life so miserable. We have a book full of health information. You want it—be free.

"THE MIC IGAN DRUG CO." Detroit, Mich.

Liveries for Liver Pills. The Famous Little Liver Pills. 25c.

Solely by Simson & Anderson and Taylorsville Drug Co

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Raleigh News and Observer said last Friday that the tax rate in this county is \$1.25. This is an error. The rate is 85 cents. Of this, the levy for roads is 81 cents and 10 cents for our new court house. Of course our Raleigh contemporary was mistaken and will take pleasure in setting Irdeell straight.

A silly story was given out by the Associated Press and printed in the daily papers last week that Mr. Bryan would join a new party and be its candidate for president next time. When his attention was called to the report, he said: "There's no truth in the report." The enemies of Wm. J. Bryan pursue him with a malignancy which has rarely ever before been shown to a public man. He has already said that he will not be a candidate for president again and his statement ought to be taken as final. Of course, he has no intention of leaving the Democratic party.

### THE NORTH CAROLINA State - Normal - and - Industrial - College.

Literary, Classical, Scientific, Commercial, Industrial, Pedagogical and Musical.

Faculty of 50 members.

President CHARLES D. McIVER, Greensboro, N. C.

### Spring is Here

Most up-to-date things

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First-Class work and Lowest Prices

C. B. WEBB

Statesville, N. C.

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### FRICK COMPANY'S

Eclipse Portable Circular Saw Mill

W. E. Turner.

### The Wide World Over THE MONARCH BICYCLE

\$25.00 Buys

A 1901 Monarch Bicycle

MONARCH SALES DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK

### GOSPEL MISSION MASS MEETING.

After a Mexican Bandit.

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### First Bale New Cotton.

The first bale of cotton of the 1901 crop being baled and shipped tomorrow by express, consigned to Houston, Texas. It is claimed this breaks the world's record for early cotton by four days.

### A Fatal Duel.

A special to The Constitution from Waynesboro, Miss., says: "A. M. Leary and J. L. Davis engaged in a rifle match in which both were fatally killed. The trouble arose as the result of a family feud. Davis, who owned a big licensed distillery, opened fire on Leary with a pistol. He fired three times. After Leary was down he fired a shot with a pistol, killing Davis."

### Fatal Prize Fight.

Walter Selph, a young drummer, son of Col. Dudley Selph, State inspector of rifle practice and former prizefighter, was killed tonight at a prize fight at Audubon Park. He and another young man named L. L. Bailey had a quarrel at a military ball and agreed to fight it out with bare fists. They had no seconds, and pounded each other until Selph fell from a blow which broke his neck.

### Killed by Lightning in Mecklenburg.

Rush Parks and family live on Mr. John H. Griffith's place in Charlotte township, several miles south of the city. Yesterday afternoon during the storm, Cherry, the oldest child, was killed by lightning. The parents were in the field and the three children at home in the house. After the storm Parks went home. He found the oldest child lying dead before the fireplace, with her feet toward the fire. She had been killed by lightning. It is supposed from the way she was lying that she was standing in front of the fireplace, and that the lightning ran down the chimney.

### Suicide in Columbia.

J. Frank Clyburn, aged 25 years, went to Ellmore Cemetery, at 6 o'clock this morning and going to the enclosure where the Confederate soldiers are buried, shot himself through the head.

### Several Badly Injured in a Wreck.

This afternoon the passenger train from Augusta on the Charlotte and Western Carolina conductor Colcock, jumped the track this side the trestle over the Tiger river two miles from Rocoeba, while turning a sharp curve at the rate of 30 miles an hour. All the cars save the Pullman coach were thrown off the track. The locomotive turned over and the cars tilted. There were about 25 passengers on the train. Engineer Henry Zeigler, and fireman R. P. Turner, both of Augusta, were the worst hurt. The former having severe cuts in the head and internal injuries. He has been unconscious for hours and his recovery is extremely doubtful. Fireman Turner's face was bruised, left arm and shoulder burned and thighs badly injured. W. E. Schaeffle, news butcher, 15 years old, had left leg broken between ankle and knee; face slightly bruised. W. A. Wallace of Laurens, baggage master, was internally injured, right foot bruised and face scarred up. M. J. O'Connor, of Augusta, a veteran express messenger, was bruised on the head. Ben Nance, colored, postal clerk, bruised somewhat.

"The Doctors told me my cough was incurable. One Minute Cough Cure made me well again."

Statesville, N. C., June 27, 1901.—I have used your One Minute Cough Cure for several months, and it has cured me of a chronic cough that had troubled me for years. I am now as well as ever, and I can truly say that your medicine is a great blessing to suffering humanity. I have tried many other remedies, but none did me any good. I feel compelled to say a few words in praise of your medicine, as it has done more for me than I can say in a short space. I have been a sufferer from a chronic cough for many years, and it has done more for me than I can say in a short space. I have tried many other remedies, but none did me any good. I feel compelled to say a few words in praise of your medicine, as it has done more for me than I can say in a short space.

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### BLOODHOUNDS TO ROUTE CORTUZ.

An additional posse of twenty men left San Antonio for Cotulla by special train to aid in the pursuit of the Mexican bandit. The posse is heavily armed and has bloodhounds which it is proposed to send into the thicket to route the outlaw. Cotulla is 90 miles from San Antonio and 60 miles from the Mexican border.

### SIX DEATHS IN THE MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Since the present serious condition in Mexico, which has resulted in the death of a large number of persons, the authorities began, casualties have resulted as follows: June 12, Sheriff Morris in attempting to arrest a Mexican outlaw was killed, and his assistant, Sheriff Morris, was wounded; June 13, a Mexican was killed, and another wounded; June 14, a company of rangers under Lieut. Sanders killed one Mexican, wounded another and captured a third. Total, dead, six; two officers and three Mexicans wounded, six Mexicans arrested, so far as known, nine.

### ATLANTA POLICEMEN EXCITED.

The excitement in the police department over the murder last night of Recorder Broyles was not lessened today, when Recorder Broyles, the presiding judge in the police court, overheard a conversation between three negroes in which one of them named three policemen whom he said would be the next to be killed by the negroes. The three officers named, according to Recorder Broyles, were Hollingsworth, Rowan and Hollis. The recorder does not attach much importance to the incident.

### Civil Government to Succeed Military on July 4th.

Secretary Root today issued the order for the establishment of civil government in the Philippines. The order is as follows: "On and after the 4th day of July, 1901, until it shall be otherwise ordered, the President of the Philippines commission will exercise the executive authority in all civil affairs in the Philippines, and to that end, Hon. Wm. H. Taft, president of the Philippine commission, is hereby appointed chief civil governor of the Philippines. Such executive authority will be exercised under, and in conformity to, the instructions to the Philippine commissioners, dated April 7, 1901, and subject to the approval and control of the Secretary of War of the United States. The municipal and provincial civil governments, which have been or shall hereafter be established in said islands, and all persons performing duties pertaining to the affairs of the civil government in said islands, will in respect of such duties, report to the said civil governor.

### Got Carbolic Acid in Her Eyes.

The lady uses carbolic acid in the water in which she bathes her hands. This for hygienic reasons because her husband, compels her to handle the money of the bank, and she uses carbolic acid in the water in which she bathes her hands. She had carbolic acid in her eyes and it was very painful. She had carbolic acid in her eyes and it was very painful. She had carbolic acid in her eyes and it was very painful.

### A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, all skin eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. F. Hall, Druggist.

### Death in an Avalanche.

Mr. R. A. Evans lives on East Fifth street. This morning the gardener discovered on going to work about 7:30 the body of a negro baby lying in the garden by the fence next to the street. The body was in a small box. The box attracted the gardener's attention, and on opening it he found the body of the child. He at once notified Mr. Evans of his find. The body was taken to the police office and Dr. H. H. Brown, coroner, examined it. It was found that the child had been killed shortly after its birth, last night. There was a cut on the body. The box containing the body had been thrust through the garden fence into Mr. Evans' garden, last night. There is no clue as to the mother. The body was buried this morning.

### About to Sell to Vanderbilt at Last.

A great many people have heard of the colored man with a homestead in the middle of the Biltmore estate, and who shows every inclination to let it remain there. The colored man's name is Charles C. Collins. It has been reported recently that Collins had changed his mind about keeping the property and that he was now willing to sell. This is a fact, but it still seems that Mr. Vanderbilt will not be the purchaser. Today Collins gave the facts in the matter. He said: "I was born and raised right here in Buncombe county, and I've been living on my place there at Biltmore 50 years—that's how old I am. 'Did Mr. Vanderbilt try to buy the property from you?' 'No, he did not. But Mr. McNamee did. That was five or six years ago. He tried to sell just because I wanted to keep the place. I've got six acres there and it's within ten minutes walk of Biltmore house. The Biltmore estate surrounds it entirely except one little place where it runs long, where it touches Mr. R. P. Walker's property. 'Mr. Baker down here on Patton avenue wants to buy the property and I'm thinking of making a deal with him. I'll give Mr. Vanderbilt the first chance at it. He don't want it then I'll sell to Mr. Baker.' 'Did Mr. Vanderbilt want your property badly?' he was asked. 'Well, no; I don't know that he did. It's down there in a place where it don't interfere with him. Collins was a slave and says so with an evident pride. He is proud, too, of his raising, and of the position he occupies as a property owner and a taxpayer."

### A Good Cough Medicine.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "I have always used it in my family both for ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following influenza and grippe, and find it very efficacious." For sale by Simson & Anderson.

### A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, it is a type of Constipation. The power of this murderous malady is felt in the nerves and muscles and brain. There's no health till it's overcome. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Only 25 cents at W. F. Hall's drug store.

### Governor Aycock has respited Louis Council colored, who was to have been hanged at Fayetteville Monday for rape, until July 15.

Surgical operation is not necessary to cure piles. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve saves all that expense and never fails. Beware of counterfeit pills.—W. F. Hall.

### Mrs. Jane Long, of Graham, celebrated her 90th birthday last week. She has 93 descendants, 82 of whom are living. She is the mother of B. F. Long, Esq., of Statesville.

The bilious, tired, nervous man cannot successfully compete with his healthy rival. DeWitt's Little Early Bitters the famous pills for constipation will remove the cause of your troubles.—W. F. Hall.

### There were about 200 armed men in the mob and they overpowered the sheriff and jailer, taking the keys away from them. The lynchers claimed that the execution of these negroes was necessary to the preservation of the lives of the white men in this locality.

Negro Baby Found in Charlotte. Charlotte News, 25th.

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### PASSING YEARS

Look in your mirror today. Take a last look at your gray hair. It surely is the last if you want it so; you need keep your gray hair a week longer than you wish. There's no guesswork about this; it's sure every time.

To restore color to gray hair use—

## Ayer's Hair Vigor

After using it for two or three weeks notice how much younger you appear, ten years younger at least.

Ayer's Hair Vigor also cures dandruff, prevents falling of the hair, makes hair grow, and is a splendid hair dressing.

It cannot help but do these things, for it's a hair-food. When the hair is well fed, it cannot help but grow.

It makes the scalp healthy and this cures the disease that causes dandruff.

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"My hair was coming out badly, but Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling and has made my hair very thick and much darker than before. I think there is nothing like it for the hair."—Cora M. Lee, April 25, 1899, Tarrant, Tex.

Write the Doctor.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you desire from the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor, write the Doctor.

Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.