

IS THE NUMBER OF TRAMPS GROWING LARGER?

The Charlotte News inquired some time ago whether or not the old tramp is disappearing. A gentleman of the cross-ties stepped into The Sentinel office a few days ago and was asked whether or not this were true. He stated that it was not and that the number of tramps is increasing every year.

He said that there is generally something the matter with people who tramp. They are not quite sound mentally. Many of them are educated people and can solve the most subtle problems in calculus. The tramp who paid a visit to The Sentinel was a poet by trade, as he said, and he recited a number of his compositions for the delectation of The Sentinel employees. His verse was pretty good. He also told of how he went around the country for six months with a graduate of Yale University who had slightly lost his mind and had taken to the road.

The tramp said that most people had an idea that all tramps who traveled around were coarse, rough fellows, but that they would be surprised to learn that most of them come from good families and that a great many of them had college educations.

GROUP QUICKLY CURED.

Don't Let the Child Choke to Death While Waiting for the Doctor.

The life of many a dear one has been sacrificed because the right remedy was not at hand.

Pay close attention to the child who is feverish, thirsty, and occasionally coughs dryly and shrilly. This is the first stage of croup, and instant treatment should be given.

Hymenol, the miraculous, antiseptic dry air treatment, will cure croup in either the first or second stages. Easily inhaled, even when the breathing is irregular, it reaches more promptly than any other remedy the terrible inflamed membrane of the windpipe. Its soothing balsams act immediately, the inflammation is allayed, and the swelling reduced.

"Not long ago our little boy, Walter, awoke in the night with a bad attack of croup, so that he experienced great difficulty in breathing. We allowed him to inhale Hymenol, and he immediately began to breathe easier, and in half an hour was fast asleep. Our children, being subject to croup, we feel safe with Hymenol in the house, and I am glad to speak a good word for the remedy that will rob croup of its terrors."—Rev. Geo. Stinson, Pastor of M. E. Church, South Londonberry, Va.

Hymenol (pronounced High-o-me) is the quickest acting and most sensible remedy ever discovered for all diseases of the nose, throat, and lungs. It is guaranteed by G. W. O'Hanlon to cure croup, coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis and croup, or money back. A complete outfit, including a neat hard rubber pocket inhaler, costs only \$1.00. An extra bottle of Hymenol, if afterwards needed, cost but 50 cents.

SENATOR ALDRICH WILL RETIRE.

After Present Term Expires Will Not Again Go To Senate.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 4.—Ex-Governor George H. Utter, at a Republican rally, told the assemblage that Senator Nelson W. Aldrich had told him that he would not again be a candidate for election to the United States Senate. This statement, Governor Utter said, was made to him just after the general assembly had re-elected Aldrich four years ago. Senator Aldrich at that time wanted to call both branches of the legislature together in grand committee and make announcement of that fact, but was dissuaded by Governor Utter himself.

A Wonderful Loop.

Charlotte Observer.

Mr. J. Norment Powell, general counsel of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio road, tells the Spartanburg Herald a story that would seem incredible to those not familiar with the great loop on that road. On his trip the first time over the road, in a regular passenger train, he sat on the rear platform. Suddenly his hat blew off. The conductor, against his protest, stopped the train and sent a flagman back for the hat. To the surprise of Mr. Powell the conductor pulled the cord and started the train.

"You surely are not going to leave your flagman!" exclaimed Mr. Powell.

"Oh, yes!" replied the conductor. "He will overtake us."

The train was soon going at thirty miles an hour, but in twenty minutes stopped and the flagman got aboard. He had walked down a steep path about six hundred feet and got aboard the train he had left nine miles back, and, as the conductor promised, had overtaken the train and waited fully ten minutes for it besides.

People who have observed this remarkable loop can easily believe Mr. Powell's story. At the point where he lost his hat one can toss a rock to the track below, yet it is nine miles around the loop. The Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio discounts the Western North Carolina on loops and tunnels.

COLISEUM SKATING RINK IS OPEN

Skating Monday and Friday Nights From 7:30 Until 10:00 o'clock.

Skating Every Saturday Afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

Cars Leave Square at 1:00 o'clock.

COLISEUM SKATING RINK CO.

W. S. Martin offers without reserve any article in his big stock at cost to close out business.

"OLD FAITHFUL" RETIRED.

Army Horse That Saw Service in Many Campaigns is Given Life of Ease.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—"Old Faithful," the most famous artillery horse in the United States army, an animal which had the distinction of pulling the machine gun of the Ninth United States Infantry to the top of a hill overlooking Pekin when the allies stormed the city during the Boxer troubles, who went through the campaign in Cuba as an artillery horse of the Yale battery, and later served in the Philippine campaigns with the Fifth Field Artillery, has been retired in strict military form, with all the honors of the service to a life of ease in the Philippines. There is not an officer or a soldier who has seen in the army any considerable length of time who does not know about "Old Faithful," alias "Peeking" alias "Putnam." Under the terms of his retirement he is to be retained in the care of the government for the rest of his life, receiving just enough light work in the field artillery to keep him in good condition.

General Perring, who was in direct command of the battery with which Old Faithful served, has approved the retirement.

General Weston, commander-in-chief in the Philippines, has done likewise and now the Secretary of War has added his O. K. to the order.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Captain Yancey Carter ran for the Georgia governorship on the Hearst ticket. The campaign expenditures in his behalf totaled \$4,500 and he got 12,412 votes.

Out of every 100 recruits in Bosnia, sixty-two have flattened skulls, the outcome, apparently, of the very tight dressing of the baby's head in its first month of life.

The Fins evidently have not found woman suffrage a failure. Nineteen women were elected to their first parliament. Now twenty-five have just been elected.

Hans Kunsden, a Danish engineer, has invented an apparatus for type-writing messages by wireless telegraphy. By his device a message tapped out on a form at one place is transmitted to another from a typewriter at a place many miles away, and is written directly on the paper.

Arkansas claims to have the largest peach orchard in the world and 1,000 men and 200 teams are harvesting the crop. The orchard is in Sevier county and has 200,000 trees. It covers 2,500 acres and 2,000 trees are bearing. Five hundred freight cars will be used to haul the crop to the market.

Miss Florence Haywood, a leader in the literary circle of St. Louis, once told a story to the late Bret Harte which he liked so well he asked her permission to write it. She refused, wrote it herself in two days, and captured second prize in a contest of 1,100 participants conducted by the Sunset Magazine, the San Francisco periodical.

Miss Gladys Goodrich is a member of the Historical Congress to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the defense of Saragossa, Spain, against the armies of Napoleon. She is the only woman in the American delegation, and with the other members, has been shown much honor by the Spanish authorities.

Prince Eitel Frederick, the Kaiser's second son, has been growing stout in the last two years, and in order to reduce he has undertaken a novel cure, of which he has just finished the first stage. For several weeks he has been living the life of a common farm hand at his summer residence, Ingelheim Casale, near Charlottenburg, where from morning to night he is engaged in the hardest physical work.

Rev. Dr. Hiram Birkham, who recently died at Johns Hopkins hospital, in Baltimore, at the age of 80 years, had done a great work in the missionary field. He was graduated from Yale in 1833, and began his work in Honolulu, afterward going to Gilbert Island. He translated the Bible into the native language, which he reduced to writing, making a complete dictionary. The labor involved in all this was enormous, and when the product thereof was lost by a careless Englishman, Dr. Bingham began his task over again, and it required ten years to complete it. For forty years he had been foremost missionary in the Micronesian Islands, where he was greatly beloved.

This Soldier "Got His'n" For Eating Green Apples.

New York Dispatch.

Six months' imprisonment, dishonorable discharge, and loss of pay for eating green apples contrary to orders was the sentence pronounced upon Bernard Leiser, a private in Battery D, Third Field Artillery. Sentence of the court martial was passed at the armory building. The charge on which he was convicted was "conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in violation of the sixty-second article of war."

The court martial found that Leiser had been given lawful and explicit orders to throw away the green apples he held in his hand. Furthermore that he did not throw them away. He threw away the cores. The green apples prejudiced the good order and discipline. They may have prejudiced his digestive apparatus, but defendant sayeth not.

After gravely considering the matter the court martial decided to let him off easy, only dishonorably discharging him, forfeiting all pay and allowances for six months, and being imprisoned at Fort Meyer, Va., for six months at hard labor.

Winter blasts, causing pneumonia, pleurisy and consumption will soon be here. Cure your cough now, and strengthen your lungs with Foley's Honey and Tar. Do not risk starting the winter with weak lungs, when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure the most obstinate coughs and colds and prevent serious results. Simpson Drug Co.

1877 EVERYBODY INVITED 1900 31 YEARS OLD

Thursday, Nov. 5th, marks the 31st epoch of our beginning business in this city. We wish to celebrate this occasion by giving our friends and customers the opportunity of buying anything in our immense stock at a big reduction in price.

We request all our friends to honor us with their presence on this occasion and take coffee and cake with us between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 10 o'clock p. m. whether you wish to buy or not.

15 Per Cent Off

On our large stock of hammered brass, hammered copper, cut glass, odd pieces in hand painted china we will take off 15 per cent on this day. This is what this means to you. See prices below.

Brass Jars

2.00 Brass Jars, this sale	\$1.70
3.00 Brass Jars, this sale	\$2.75
4.00 Brass Jars, this sale	\$3.40
5.00 Brass Jars, this sale	\$4.25
8.00 Brass Jars, this sale	\$6.80
\$2.75 Brass Fern Dishes, this sale	\$2.34
3.00 Brass Fern Dishes, this sale	\$2.55
8.00 Brass Fern Dishes, this sale	\$6.80

Hand Painted China

Not an imitation, but the genuine

2.00 Vase, this sale	\$1.70
3.00 Vase, this sale	\$2.55
7.00 Vase, this sale	\$5.95
10.00 Vase, this sale	\$8.50

All Fine Green Jardinieres from 30 to 50 Per Cent Off

Think of a fine Jardiniere worth regular

6.00, on this sale	\$3.75
4.00, on this sale	2.50
2.75, on this sale	1.75

Chocolate Set, Crown Glass Handles, Haviland

15.00, at this sale	
3.00 Cake Plate, this sale	
5.75 Chop Dish, this sale	
7.25 (Royal China) Cake Plate	
12.50 Set Hand Painted Cups and Saucers	
10.00 Set Hand Painted Cups and Saucers	
8.75 Punch Bowl, hand painted	
4.50 Salad Bowl	
Many other pieces in odd China not mentioned.	

13.50 Chamber Set, 12 pieces, this sale	
12.00 Chamber Set, 12 pieces this sale	
15.00 Chamber Set, 12 pieces, this sale	

Our beautiful line of Electric Portables will be off 10 per cent which makes these goods cheaper than ever sold on this market.

All other lines, not mentioned, including our immense display of open stock Dinner Ware, will be 10 per cent off.

We have just received an import order of White China with gold hand—"old style" and perfectly lovely. Also a lot of Odd Pitchers, beautifully decorated. Big shipment of Jardinieres, ranging in price from 25c up. All of these attractive goods will go into our big Sale Thursday—our 31st anniversary.

REID'S CHINA HALL

Everybody come and make this your 31st year, a happy and joyous one and lastly, a profitable one to you.

JOSS TALKS OF PITCHERS.

Cleveland Twirler Tells Why "Mixers" Get Away With Games.

How many times does one hear the expression in regard to certain pitchers: "I can't for the life of me see how he gets away with his games? Why, he hasn't a thing."

To a good many fans, and especially those who are not close students of the game, the pitcher who is not blessed with tremendous speed and a fast-breaking curve ball is always called lucky whenever he wins a game.

In reality the twirler who can win consistently, and who is not fortunate enough to have been endowed with the natural ability some of his fortunate fellow-pitchers possess, is entitled to at least as much credit, if not more, than is the other twirler.

Accident and illness happen to you oftener than all other things you can insure against.

Let the Fidelity & Casualty Co. be your banker when you're ill or injured.

Most liberal policy ever written, and prompt payment of claims is the Company's particular pride.

106 W. Fourth St. Tel. 592
The Follin Co.
Insurance.

Large Plate Glass on Liberty Street Broken

Someone broke the plate glass in front of the new pawn shop on Liberty street last night. In the building where the old "Wonder" moving picture theatre at one time held forth. A gentleman was very near when the glass broke and heard it fall and saw a man run. It is thought that the glass was broken accidentally by two men scuffling in front of the window and falling against it. Two officers watched the store last night in order to catch anyone that attempted to effect an entrance to the building.

It is thought that the breaking of the glass was purely accidental and that the man ran in order to avoid having to pay for the glass.

—Only two deeds were recorded at the register of deeds' office this morning, as follows: Mrs. Bettie F. Street, of Roxboro, to the Home Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Company, lot on Cleveland avenue, consideration \$210; and Winston Development Company to Emily E. Sledge, lot on Oakland avenue, consideration \$200.

CHRYSANTHEMUM

Besides the beautiful exhibition, lovely fancy articles on sale November 5th and 6th at the Masonic Temple, N. W. corner of 5th and 6th streets. While our aesthetes the practical side has been overlooked, as the following menu will show:

- Oysters, raw, seasonal.
- Chickens, 5 cents.
- Ham sandwiches, 10c.
- Hot rolls and butter, 5c.
- Coffee, 5 cents.
- Ice cream, 10 cents.
- Cake 5 cents.

Just before the publication following invitation is given: "Come and take lunch Home Missionary Ladies' Temple Thursday, Friday, 5th and 6th, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m."

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. We, the undersigned, who have been doing a mercantile business on the west side under the name of W. H. LANE and Co. hereby notify that the partnership has been dissolved, and the stock of the same is being sold and the proceeds of the same are being distributed to the partners.

We take this means of notifying our customers for their patronage. W. H. LANE & CO. JAS. L. COON

Attend W. S. Martin's sale and save money.