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Davidson county has a most unenviable reputation for unfairness and unreasonable treatment of railroads and corporations. It is stated that on account of this short-sighted business policy...

When you see a fly, swat him. Likewise when you get the chance, swat the railroads. The fly may escape, but the railroad seldom does. We are reminded of this by the reading of the assessments made on the roads this year.

Thomas A. Edison sailed for Europe with his son, Charles, on August 2. Owing to his work on improvements to his phonograph and his storage battery, he was unable to take his winter vacation at his home in Florida.

Victims of Unmuzzled Dogs.

No less than fifty-seven cases in which persons were bitten by dogs were reported by the police during July. Is this not proof that the law compelling dogs to be muzzled is not enforced?

Women to go on Chain Gang.

Iala, Kan., Aug. 9.—The sentiment that a woman convicted of an offense of a vicious nature should not be compelled to don overalls and work out her fine in default of payment is a mistaken sense of delicacy, according to Judge D. B. Smeltzer...

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- 1500—A Portuguese expedition headed by Lorenzo Almeida discovered the island of Madagascar. 1538—Carter entered the St. Lawrence on his second voyage of discovery. 1702—A ten years' Indian war began in New England. 1730—Jonathan Belcher arrived in Boston to begin his duties as governor of Massachusetts. 1753—Edmund Randolph, first attorney general of the United States born in Williamsburg, Va. Died in Clarke county, Va., Sept. 13, 1813. 1792—Massacre of 5,000 persons in connection with the attack on the Tuileries in Paris. 1821—Missouri admitted to the Union. 1846—Smithsonian Institution at Washington founded. 1861—Gen. Lyon, the Federal commander, killed in the battle of Wilson Creek, near Springfield, Mo. 1904—Waldeck-Rousseau, French statesman, died. Born Dec. 2, 1846. 1910—Republicans of Texas, nominated J. B. Terrell for governor.

The Jackson Training School.

Reports are that the Stonewall Jackson Training School, Concord, N. C., is full to overflowing, and that more room is sorely needed for others who should be received. The object of this institution is to take the boy who is down, or has started on the downward way, and help him face about, and if possible, start on the upward way.

With Charity and Children we do not now see how the state got along without it, but now that it has come and its beneficial results have been seen it behooves the state to enlarge and equip as growing needs demand.

We saw a great farm the other day. The crops were uniform and everywhere good and beautiful. We asked the owner how this uniformity came about. He took us out into his broad acres and showed how he had made all rich and useful and productive by working most on the poor and barren spots until they yielded as the best. A state may learn of this, or best results to citizenship, those lowest down need help most and first of all. The Stonewall Jackson Training School helps at the right place.

FIRST DOSE ENDS INDIGESTION, HEARTBURN, OR GAS ON STOMACH.

The question as to how long you are going to continue a sufferer from indigestion, dyspepsia or out-of-order stomach is merely a matter of how soon you begin taking Bloodine.

If your stomach is lacking in digestive power, why not help the stomach to do its work, not with drastic drugs, but as re-enforcement of digestive agents such as are naturally at work in the stomach.

People with weak stomachs should take a little Bloodine consistently, and there will be no more indigestion, no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach; and besides, what you eat will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors. All these symptoms resulting from a sour, out-of-order stomach and dyspepsia are generally relieved five minutes after taking a little Bloodine.

Go to your druggist and get a 50-cent bottle of Bloodine now and you will always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and what you eat will taste good, because your stomach and intestines will be clean and fresh, and you will know there are not going to be any more bad nights and miserable days for you. Bloodine will freshen you and make you feel like life is worth living.

Bloodine costs but 50 cents a bottle. Mail orders filled. The Bloodine Corporation, Boston, Mass. M. L. MARSE, Druggist.

THIS IS MY 42ND BIRTHDAY.

August 10. Gilson Willets. Gilson Willets, who has a wide reputation as an author, journalist and traveler, was born in Hempstead, L. I., August 10, 1869, and received his education in the public schools of New York city. In 1890 he began his newspaper career as editor of a paper in Youkers, N. Y. Two years later he quit the newspaper field for magazine work and for several years he held the editorial positions with several of the leading magazines. At the beginning of the war with Spain he returned to active newspaper work and since that time he has acted as a correspondent in many strange nooks and corners of the world. He was in Havana from the time the Maine blew up until the declaration of war and when peace was concluded he was the first correspondent to journey through Cuba from Havana to Santiago. Two years later he toured the East Indian plague district. Since then he has braved dangers and gathered facts in the West Indies, Europe, the Arctic Circle and the great Southwest.

Convention of Apple Shippers.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 9.—An exhibition of choice specimens of apples grown in Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho, Colorado, New York and other states attracted attention at the opening here today of the annual convention of the International Apple Shippers' Association. The marvelous growth of the apple industry within the past few years is evidenced by the convention attendance, which is much larger and of a more representative character than ever before.

Loss of Time Means Loss of Pay.

Kidney trouble and the ills it breeds means lost time and lost pay to many a working man. M. Balent, 1214 Little Penna St., Stretator, Ill., was so bad from kidney and bladder trouble that he could not work, but he says: 'I took Foley Kidney Pills for only a short time and got entirely well and was soon able to go back to work, and am feeling well and healthier than ever before.' Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results—a good friend for the working man or woman who suffers from kidney ills. For sale by M. L. Mars, druggist.

Southern's Excursion to Atlantic City.

The Southern Railway Company will run an excursion to Atlantic City, Tuesday, August 22, for ladies and children, the special train leaving Salisbury the night of the 22nd, at 9 o'clock.

The round trip from Salisbury will be \$12, the ticket being good for 15 days. Tickets good in coaches or Pullman cars.

Stoppers will be permitted on return trip at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington with final limit.

Hay, Fever, Asthma and Summer Colds

Must be relieved quickly and Foley's Honey and Tar compound will do it. E. M. Stewart, 104 Wolfram St., Chicago, writes: 'I have been greatly troubled during the hot summer months with hay fever and find that by using Foley's Honey and Tar Compound I get relief.' Many others who suffer similarly will be glad to benefit by Mr. Stewart's experience. For sale by M. L. Mars, druggist.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work.

They Will Be Seen, All Right.

Staten Island Landmark. We are gravely told that the latest silk stockings for women "are embroidered with apple blossoms, nasturtiums, lilac and pinks." Full many a flower is born to blush unseen.—Thomsonville Davidonian.

But you don't pretend to believe that the flowers on the stockings will be unseen? They will be much in evidence.

Telling of the burning of the home of a citizen of Union county, while the folks were out, the Monroe Enquirer says there were in the house three sticks of dynamite intended for use in digging a well and these exploded, destroying a chicken house near the dwelling and killing sixty chickens. About an acre of good cotton growing near the house was ruined by the heat.

Predicts Early Ending of World.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 8.—"The world will come to an end within a very few years," declared Edgar O. Montgomery, president of the Indiana conference of the Seventh Day Adventists during the service of the camp meeting now progressing here. "I can not set the year. It may be next year, it may be five years. But I do know that it will come before the death of the last man who saw the falling of the stars on November 13th, 1833. There are few people living now who saw that phenomenon and I know that the end will come before all of them are gone."

Drought in Mountains.

Asheville, August 8.—Mountain-climbers, who have returned from several days spent on Pisgah, the Rat and that immediate vicinity, say that the drought of the past several months has seriously affected the springs in that mountain region and, notwithstanding the copious rains of the past few days, the streams are still low and in instances bold springs are entirely dry. One outing party that returned last night reported that the springs near the summit of Mount Pisgah was found entirely dry Saturday and that they learned that it is the first time, so far as the old inhabitants of that section know, that the spring has failed. The spring is not far from the topmost point of Pisgah and is known to thousands of people who have in years gone by climbed the mountain and drank of the cold, pure water.

With the Boxers.

"One Round" Hogan and "K. O." Brown will furnish the big show for New York fans on Labor Day. Open air boxing for amateurs is on the card of the Irish-American A. C. meet in New York on Labor Day. Jack Dillon says that he will not go to Australia but will stay in this country and go after the middle weight title. Champion Wolgast picks Frank Klaus to defeat Bill Papke if they should meet in the ring at middle-weight limit.

WHAT CURES ECZEMA?

We have had so many inquiries lately regarding Eczema and other skin diseases, that we are glad to make our answer public. After careful investigation we have found that a simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen, as compounded in D. D. D., can be relied upon. We would not make this statement to our patrons, friends and neighbors unless we were sure of it—and although there are many so-called Eczema remedies sold, we ourselves unhesitatingly recommend D. D. D. Prescription.

HOW ONE WOMAN WON Her Health and Strength Back Again by The Use of Cardui.

Tampa, Fla.—In a letter from this city, Mrs. E. C. Corum writes: "I was all weakened and worn out with woefully many troubles. My husband brought me some Cardui as a tonic, and, from the first day, it seemed to help. I had almost lost my reason, but, thanks to Cardui, I did not. Soon, I felt and looked like a new woman. I think the remedy is wonderful. I recommend it to my friends, for I have received great benefit from it. Cardui acts especially on the weakened womanly organs, strengthening the muscles and nerves, and building them up to health. It helps to refresh the worn-out nervous system and relieves the effects of overwork, both mental and physical. Fifty years' successful use fully prove the merit of this purely vegetable, tonic remedy for women. In every community, there are some who have been benefited by Cardui. The beneficial effects of this time tested woman's remedy, soon show themselves in many different ways. Try it."

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