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Don't feel well

Why? Oh! I don't know. Worry I expect. Worrying about what? Well, you know the servants are a heap of trouble.

The children worry me a heap. I am broken down. In the morning I generally have a headache;

Along towards evening my back feels as if it would break. Every time the baby cries I nearly jump out of my skin, I am so nervous.

Your system needs toning up. Why not take **Brown's Iron Bitters** the best strengthening medicine made. It will give you a good appetite, make your blood rich and pure, give you strength, make life a pleasure. Not only take it yourself, but give it to the children. It is pleasant to take. Small dose. The only iron medicine that doesn't blacken the teeth. But get the genuine—it has crossed red lines on wrapper.

BROWN CHEMICAL CO. BALTIMORE, MD.

PLOWS.

Genuine Farmer Friend. Manufactured by **C. E. HUNTER & CO.** Don't buy anything in this line before seeing

PHILIP HOWARD & CO.

as we are sure we can save you money.

Full supply of points, land-slides, &c., which we are selling very low. All these goods are genuine, being manufactured by **C. E. Hunter & Co.** and are the best.

We carry a general stock and can supply your wants in any line, at the

Lowest Price.

Come to the Bargain Store.

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Engraved Visiting Cards, Stamped Writing Paper, College and Wedding Invitations, Etc., Etc.

HARRY LEE HOFFMAN, THE ENGRAVER, 113 N. Charles St. BALTIMORE, MD. (Feb 20-21)

Are You Going to Buy a Horse?

I will have stock in Roxboro regularly now, and if you want a good, gentle, sound

Warranted Horse, at a low, reasonable price, it will be to your advantage to see my stock. I have made arrangements with a large dealer who will select the best animals and ship me regularly. No old plugs, but sound young horses. Buy from a man you know, who lives with you, and whose guarantee means something.

Your friend, **J. J. BRIGHTWELL.**

Salesmen Wanted! Good wages to sell our Nursery Stock. Apply for terms. We will have for Spring and Fall, 1895, an immense stock of Apple, Pear, Peach, Plum, Apricot, Cherry, Grape, etc. Also small fruits, shade and ornamental trees, roses, etc. We make a specialty of wholesaling to large planters direct. We will sell to responsible parties and take note payable in six, twelve and eighteen months.

Write us for wholesale prices. Address: **SOUTHERN NURSERY CO.,** Winchester, Tenn. Feb. 20-17

Excutor's Notice. Having qualified as Excutor of Nannie Day, deceased, I hereby notify all persons owing said estate to come forward and make immediate settlement, and all persons holding claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them for payment on or before the 15th day of March, 1895, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

A. G. SATTERRFIELD, Excutor of Nannie Day, March 15, 1895.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS.

North Carolina Can Give Every Inhabitant of the World 983 Feet of Room.

A subscriber of the Herald writes a letter which, while not intended for publication, contains some very interesting facts. The best way to give them is in the words of the writer and we take the liberty of quoting from the letter as follows:

"I have just read with interest in the Herald the statement of the London mathematician as to how large a box would be required to hold all the inhabitants of the world and my curiosity not only led me to verify for myself his statement, but also to make another calculation, namely: How much space each man, woman and child in the world would have if packed within the limits of North Carolina? I arrived at the following astonishing result: North Carolina could furnish each person in the world about 983 square feet of surface, or a lot 31 1/2 feet square, provided part of them were willing to take water. Or she could furnish standing room—allow one square yard for each person—for 100 times as many people as are now on the entire globe. These statements are to me perfectly amazing, and I could not have believed them if I had not made the calculations. The figures say they are bound to be true."

The calculations accompany the letter and appear correct. We have not room for the whole but condense briefly. North Carolina has 52,286 square miles, which reduced to square feet gives 1,457,650,022,400. This divided by 1,491,544,000, the estimated population of the world, gives each a breathing space of 983 feet. The other calculations can be easily made from the above.

The expenses of the late "reform" Legislature were over twenty per cent greater than the average expenses of democratic predecessors. In view of the many and loud-mouthed professions for reform and retrenchment made by every "reform" candidate, during the last campaign, this statement sounds so startling as to seem almost incredible. And yet it is strictly true and cannot be denied!

As the Record has heretofore shown from the official reports of our State Auditors, the average cost of our democratic Legislatures, from 1877 to 1893, was \$59,758.55 and the cost of the late "reform" Legislature was \$72,604.66—a difference of \$12,846.11. Yes, the excess in the cost of the last Legislature over twenty per cent, or one-fifth. Or to make it still plainer, where the average cost of our democratic Legislature had been five dollars this "reform" Legislature cost over six dollars.

This is no "democratic campaign lie" but is the simple truth, which will not be denied by any person who has any regard for the truth. And yet the legislators who incurred this additional cost were the same men who had been denouncing the democrats for their extravagance! Well, if it was extravagant for democratic Legislature to spend five dollars why did the "reform" Legislature spend over six dollars.—Chatham Record.

Pop. and Pub. School—Legis Harris Teacher. Teacher—The fusion grammar class will now come forward.

Teacher—Jete and Mary Ann have your places here.

Teacher—Take the word fusion, parse it, all in harmony.

Apt Students—Fusion is a noun. A co operative noun. Gideon group. Its verbis found in the Douglas mood. Third party case. Its antecedents Butler and Mott. And whose object compliment is office.

Teacher—Good; progressive boys take your seats in the Senate, and on that day you shall have a private secretary.—Statesville Mascot.

Guaranteed Cure. We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold, any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at J. De Morris' Drug Store. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

He is an Unbeliever. RICHMOND, Va., April 13.—Dr. Richard M. Smith, Professor of Greek, Hebrew and Sanskrit in Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va., having taken the position that he does not fully believe in the divinity of Christ, and that all of the Scriptures are inspired, has tendered his resignation, and the board has signified their intention of accepting it. Dr. Smith is a brother of the President of the institution.

Traversa City, Mich., claims the champion record for her citizens as taxpayers. Since the village was organized in 1881, there has never been a single piece of property advertised for taxes.

Mr. Dixon's "People's Church."

The People's Church was launched yesterday in the Academy of Music. At its head is Rev. Thomas Dixon, Baptist, and he is assisted by the Rev. Sidney H. Cox, Congregationalist. It had been announced that there would be a preliminary service for the admission of members at 10 o'clock, and long before that time there was a dense throng awaiting admission. "The Call for Christian Unity" was the subject of Mr. Dixon's sermon.

"The Christian world," he said, "is today haunted with the dream of Christian unity. There are two hundred denominations in the world each claiming that it is the true religion, and fighting the other denominations. It is the purpose of this movement to found a new Church and not a new sect.

"There are already many sects; some large and powerful, and some so small that they deserve to be called only insects. The idea of the new Churches to unify all the churches in the service of God. There can be no triumphant Christianity unless there is a unified worship of the Deity.

"Every community in the world is now open for the planting of seeds of Christianity. Universal Christianity can be obtained only by an assault on darkness, and if the world is to be conquered by us, there must be more of a fight against darkness, and less fight among ourselves. You all know of the religious strife that is continually going on in small communities, where there are churches of every denomination, and sometimes two of the same denomination, all paying more attention to stalling one another than to starting the devil. The scheme in these communities is to gain converts by building large churches and then mortgaging the churches and the mortgaging of churches and the fighting between sects is a religious crime. It is a modern crucifixion of Jesus Christ.

There will be a meeting in the Assembly on Sunday next, at 10 o'clock, when a committee will be appointed by the pastor to report by the laws of the new church. A board of trustees and deacons will also be appointed.

The subject of the sermon for next Sunday was announced as "The New Pulpit: Is Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst in the Highest Sense of the Word a True Minister of Jesus Christ?" Mr. Dixon said that he had chosen this subject because he believed Dr. Parkhurst to be the best living example of the modern preacher.—New York Herald.

The Maiden Mill Declares a Quarterly Dividend of 5 Per Cent.

MAIDEN, Catawba Co., N. C., Apr. 5.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Cotton Mills was held here yesterday and a quarterly dividend of 5 per cent. was declared and paid to the stockholders. This company was organized in 1891 with a paid up capital of \$100,000 and the mill, with 6,300 spindles, in a plant to contain 12,000, commenced running in the spring of 1892. Three thousand more spindles will be put in this summer.

Cure For Headache. As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proven to be the very best. It affects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In case of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at J. De Morris'.

New Orphan Asylum Buildings. Superintendent N. M. Lawrence of the Oxford Orphan Asylum was in town last night to consult with Mr. B. N. Duke, who is a member to the building committee, in regard to the plans for the new buildings. Several builders have submitted plans and bids for the work and it is thought that the committee can soon be in a position to let the contract.

The committee consists of Messrs. Lawrence, B. N. Duke and N. B. Broughton.—News and Observer.

On Consul at Havana to Resign. Consul Gen. Williams is preparing his resignation on account of his difficulties with the Spanish authorities. A friend of the consul said he would have resigned long ago, but he wanted to justify his conduct in the case pending. It is understood here that Secretary Gresham upbraided the consul for his outspoken ways. This has rankled in the consul's mind, and his resignation follows, because he is tired of the affair.—Havana Dispatch.

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This is a sample of the stuff out of which the Confederate soldier was made, and it was a bulwark of this material around her that enabled the Southern Confederacy to fight the world for four long, bloody years.—Rutherfordton Democrat.

Royal Baking Powder

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Contract for Building the Woman's College Let.

The Baptist Woman's College, that has been so long and so much discussed by Raleigh people as well as the Baptists, who are more especially interested in its founding, is now an assured fact.

Wednesday the trustees of the College met here and talked the matters over in an informal way. Yesterday another meeting was held and the trustees got down to business. First they decided what sort of building they wanted, and they want a handsome three story affair, and they set about giving out the contract for its construction. The company that gets the contract is the North Carolina Car Company. They also discussed ways and means of raising the additional endowment necessary for the maintenance of the College. Rev. O. L. Stringfield, the travelling agent, has for months been doing hard and conscientious work in this matter. He has been successful always, of course, considering "hard" times, but there still remain several thousands of dollars to be raised to make up the necessary amount. Rev. Stringfield is now here, but leaves in a day or so for another trip. He hopes to have the endowment well in hand by the time the college opens next fall.

Rev. Dr. C. E. Taylor, President of Wake Forest, is in the city engaged in his work of raising an additional \$25,000 to the endowment fund of his college. He has, thus far, since January 1st, succeeded in raising the nice little nest-egg of some ten thousand dollars. The reason of the effort for an additional \$25,000 for the endowment fund was that the doctor, ever "long headed" saw that the college would lose that amount on account of the six per cent. law. Therefore he has started boldly out to keep his institution prosperous in spite of the Legislature.—News and Observer.

Nothing better tells the story of the beneficial effects of free raw material for the woolen industries of the country than the announcement by the leading manufacturers of that the schedule of wages paid prior to the reduction in March, 1894, has been restored. The increase amounts to 10 and 15 per cent. and is entirely voluntary. It affects the mills in Haverhill, Andover, North Andover and Franklin Falls as well as Lawrence, and the firm operating them is not only the first in the woolen manufacturing business in the New England States, but the largest in the country. The new tariff then is not crushing out the wool manufacturers, as the high protectionists claimed would follow its enactment. On the contrary, the mills are running day and night, are being enlarged, wages are better and consumers purchase better goods at lower prices. But the protection organs are very slow in finding this out.—Goldsboro Argus.

At a recent meeting of the committee on concessions and privileges granted to Kee Owyang, a Chinaman representing a New York company, the right to erect the Chinese Village at the Cotton States and International Exposition. This village will be of characteristic Chinese architecture, and one hundred and sixty feet square. It will be surrounded by a wall, and inside will be a Chinese theatre, booths, flower gardens, tea house, and all manner of Chinese attractions. Chinese Merchants will have on sale their unique wares, and the village will be a veritable little Chinatown. The concessionaire is an educated Chinese gentleman, and is backed by ample capital. The Chinese Village will be one of the best attractions on the picturesque "Terraces," the Midway of the Atlanta Fair.

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Her Share in Economy. "My dear," said Mr. Darley to his wife, "we shall have to economize." "Very well, love," replied Mrs. Darley cheerfully. "Suppose you resign from your club, give up smoking and shave yourself."

"That's a pretty programme, I must say. And what will you do as your share of our economy?" "I will cut your hair."—Harpe's Bazar.

ARE YOU BANKRUPT in health, constitution undermined by extravagance in eating, by disregarding the laws of nature, or physical capital all gone, if so, NEVER DESPAIR. Tutt's Liver Pills will cure you. For sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, torpid liver, constipation, biliousness and all kindred diseases. Tutt's Liver Pills an absolute cure.

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