

due to indigestion. Ninety-nine very one hundred people who have it trouble can remember when it simple indigestion. It is a scien-fact that all cases of heart dissee, not organic, are not only trace-ble to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All feed taken into the tomach which fails of perfect diges-ion ferments and swells the stomach, suffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate sut vital organ becomes diseased.

Kodo Digests What You Eat

heart peloits e and I would beart peloits e and I would Finally I got a bottle of me immediate relief. After



S. DUFFY.

THE BOOKS THEY READ.

Cowper read only his Bible and his Jim. prayer book,

Chopin rarely read anything heavier than a Erench novel. Voltaire's favorite classical author

was Juvenal, the satirist. Rossini for nearly thirty years read nothing but French novels. Jean Paul Richter had only five or

six books, all philosophical. Lord Clive said that "Robinson Crusoe" beat any other book he ever read. Franklin read all he could find relating to political economy and finance Michael Angelo was fondest of the books of Moses and the psalms of Da-

Bach was no great reader, but much enjoyed books of jokes and funny sto-

Baxter read only the Bible and best the Psalms.

Wordsworth was fond of the poetry of Burns, but said the latter was too rough and uncouth.-Booklover.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you, if you used W K Baxter Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands Dr R DuV Jones of sufferers have proved their matchless | W T Hill merit for Sick and Nervous Headsches. Geo A Nicoli They make pure blood and build up J W Timberlake your health. Only 25c, money back if J. R. Latham not cured. Sold by C. D. Bradham's Wm Ellis, ... Druggist.

Lummy Parat. Ground up munimy makes a brown of a certain rare color that nothing else can give. It is on account of the H C Lumsden asphaltum in the mummy that this is W W Clark so. The Egyptians wrapped their dead garments coated with asphaltum of incomparably fine and pure quality. This asphaltum as the centuries passed impregnated the tissues of the dead themselves. It turned them into the best paint material in the world. Being exceedingly expensive, it is used only by portrait painters in depicting brown hair.

Driven To Desperation. Living at an out of the way place, redifven to desperation in case of accident resulting in Burns, Cute, Wounds Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Buck-len's Arnica Salve. Its the best on earth.

25c at C D Bradham's Drug Store.

The greater part of the desert of Sa-bara is from 6,000 to 8,000 feet above the level of the ocean. The desert is ot rainless, but showers cover it with grass for a few weeks in the year, rge flocks and herds being mainly on its borders, and the oases are de ssions in which water can be colcted and stored. It was at one time believed that the whole of the desert was below the sea level instead of only comparatively small part of it.

Just Like Mother. Visitor-What do you do when John naughty? Mamma-Put him to bed without any supper. Visitor-Well, what then? Papa—He cries, and she carries it up to him on a tray.

Intuition.
"Pa, what is intuition?"
"Merely the feminine of surely son."—Harper's Bazar.

AN UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCE

Mr. J. B. Dawson Dragged By the Mail train, From the Pollock Street Crossing to Above Broad

Mr. J. B. Dawson had a very narrow ape yesterday from a sections possibly a fatal accident.

In the fatere he will either take so ther mode of transportation or will messore the speed of a moving train with hatter rea

Being desirous of going to the depot o mail some letters he found he was too late for a transfer and therefore went to the Pollsek street crossing and endeavored to get on the train there. It was moving faster than he thought—too fast indeed, to attempt to board. He grabbed both rails but his hands al down giving him no opportunity to get onto the car steps nor to change his position. With great presence of mind he held on to the rails with a vise like grip and kept his feet from contact with the wheels.

The conductor and a passenger got hold of his arms and did all in their power to help him seeing it was impossible to get him on the train. He was dragged for a distance of ten or fifteen feet above Broad atreat

On account of some truck cars being on the train the air whistle was disc nected, consequently the engineer could not be signalled to stop the train.

Happily Mr Dawson did not suffer any bruises or lameness on account of his experience and he did not think was in an extra hazardous position as long as he kept his feet out side of the

When the train stopped he boarded the train as lively as if nothing of the kind had happened

Anyway we are glad that we don't have to write an obituary for the genial

He Worked the Aurora Borealis. George Bartlett Prescott was one of electricity in 1846, when he was six to four (4) during the year.

teen. With Edison, he owned all the Upon motion Board adjourned. patents in the quadruplex system both in this country and in Great Britain. He introduced the duplex system in 1876 and the quadruplex two years later. Prescott made certain that the aurora borealis was an electrical display, and while in the Boston office on

Good Target Records.

enjoyed the prophesies of Isaiah and Gun Club Wednesday was the best for listed through error. high per centage that has yet been

> Following is the score Shot at. Broke. O C Jordan Fred Whitty J L Hartsfield Wm B Blades 15

Chat Hillitative

Ballooms and Rife Balls. Some interesting experiments have just been conducted at Blenne, France for testing the practical utility of captive military balloons against infantry or machine gun fire. The Paris correspondent of the Newcastle Chronic states that at a height of 800 yards a few volleys sufficed to shatter the balloon, the range, it should be stated, being known in advance. At an unknown altitude varying from 1,100 to 2,000 yards no fewer than twenty-two trial shots were needed to fix the range. It was only the sixty-fourth volley that hit the balloon, without, however, doing it any apparent damage. The experiments are regarded as showing that rifle fire is not very effective, even against captive balloons, at uncertain

Declining Birth Rate.

ranges and still less so against bal-

oons that are not captive.

The continued decline in the birth rate in England has begun to arouse apprehension of the nation's future. In 1866 the birth rate was 35.2 per 1,000. By 1900 it had fallen to 29.2 and by 1901 to 28.5. Attention was called to the matter

in the registrar general's last annual report, issued in June, 1903, which pointed out that the birth rate was then the lowest on record, while infantile mortality was startlingly high. Dr. Shardwell in a recent lecture at Dr. Shardwell in a recent lecture at Sion college showed that the decline especially pertained to industrial cen-ters. In England generally t is among the middle classes that the birth rate shows the most serious decline. In Australia the working classes are the pioneers of restricted families.

Is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the ex-

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings June Meeting. Liquer Licenses and Schedule B Tax Reports County Officers.

ession June 6th 1904. Present Commissioners Baxter, Poy. A M Edwards Wadsworth, Harvey and Richardson. Ordered that A. D. Harris of 8th M L Jacobs Township be relieved of poll tax on ac- C C Rosch count of poverty and infirmity. Wm Sultan On motion Board took recess until 4- L J Taylor

Board met at Court House in regular

o'clock p m:
The Commissioners met with the Ma The Commissioners met with the Mag p m.

istrates of the county June 6th 1904 for The board met at the Court House at the purpose of levying the taxes for the year 1904.

Present commissioners, Baxter, Wads

There being no quorum present the Board took recess until 3 o'clock. The Board of Magistrates met at the Court House at 8-o'clock p m, pursuant

Upon motion the roll was called and there being a majority of Magistrates present, the meeting proceeded to busi-

The following lavy was made for the

Penalons 4 cents on the \$100 valua-Schools 18 cents on the \$100 valua-

County purposes 98; cents on the \$100. County special to cents on the \$100 valuation.

Bridges 10 cents on the \$100 value R. R. Bonds 3 cent on the \$100 valua-

On motion it is ordered that the Board of Magistrates polition the Legislature to pass an act empowering the commissioners to use the convicts of Craven county upon the public roads in the

On motion of Jas A. Bryan it is ordered that the Board of Magistrates petition the pioneers of the science of electricity he Legislature to pass an act reducing in America. He began the study of the number of courts in Craven county

> The Board of commissioners met a o'clock p m, pursuant to recess. Present commissioners, Baxter, Rich

ardson, Wadsworth, Harvey and Foy. Ordered that a youcher be issued to Seth West to the amount of \$8.08 for one occasion he disconnected the bat-teries and operated the wires with the atmospheric electricity.

taxes paid on property of R. P. Walker in 3rd Township, which should have been paid to Lenoir County.

Ordered, that income to the amount of \$2000 listed to E. M. Green be stricken The practice shoot of the Old Fort from the list, it appearing that same was

Ordered by the board that whereas it appears by the petition of Thomas H Grover and eleven other land owners that all land owners over whose lands the road hersinafter mentioned will pass desire that the road beginning at Coats Oreck running by Boswella gate via the old Taylor road to the Adams Oreck road be made a public road. It is ordered that said road be and is hereby made a public road provided the county shall not be charged with any expense in the

Ordered that poll tax charged to S. L. dipatrick of 8th Township be stricker from the list, he having died during the month of September 1908.

The report of the Auditing Committee

upon being presented was after exami-ation accepted and ordered spread upon the minutes.

Ordered that tax deed of Cicero Best in 2nd Township be transferred to N I May 2. To Bai Fulcher, he having paid taxes and costs " 5. To Jas W Bid on same.

Ordered that report of Dr JF Rhem Supt of Health be accepted and spread oon the minutes.

To the Chairman and Members Board of

There has been reported to me for the month of May.

2 cases Typhoid fever.

1 case Diphtheria, 2 cases Monsies,

2 cases Whooping Gough. J. F. RHRM, M D. Supt of Health.

On motion Board took recess until 10 June 1. By bal clock a m Jane 7th. Board met at 19 o'clock a m June 7,

1904 pursuant to recess.

Present Commissioners, Baxter, Harvey, Foy, Wadsworth and Richard; June 1. By bal.

Dr R D V Jones appeared before the Board and prespected his bond for the office of coroner of Craven county which after examination was accepted office of coronar of Graven county which after examination was accepted and ordered fied and recorded, and after taking the proper cath he was induced into and antered into the duties of the said office of coroner.

Ordered by the board upon the petition of A B Wellage that the public road on the Bast side of Neues river run May 31 By vouchers and on the Bast side of Neues river run May 31 By vouchers

ning through said Wallace's land to make the old road a straight road, be and is hereby declared a public road. Whereas the following liquor dealers Whereas the following liquor dealers in the city of New Barn gave in the

J S Garrett L B Habicht Davis Passon marant)

and show

before the board and after investigating changed their lists as follows, viz: M Disosway & Co J 8 Garrett

T C Howard 2,000 1,680 Nosh Powell J P Rodman 5.000 5,600. 951.50 2,500. L B Habight 2,500. 4,602.

Board took recess until 2,30 o'clock

worth. Foy, Harvey, and Richard-

Commissioner Wadsworth moved to take up matter of fatuing licenses to iquor dealers before further investigation as to schedule B Tax,commissioner Harvey seconded motion.

Commissioner Foy moved to table issioner Wadaworth's motion for the reason that it appears that the iquor dealers of the county are in arrears with their taxes to the amount of \$7382.64, commissioner Richardson

seconded Mr Foy's motion. The vote being called for on commissioner Foy's motion to table the following vote was taken, Commissioners Foy and Richardson yes, commissioners Har vey, Wadeworth and Baxter, no.

The motion of commissioner Wads worth to take the matter of granting louor licenses upon being voted on,the following vote was cast, commissioners Wadsworth, Harvey and Baxter yes, ommissioners Foy and Richardson

Commissioner Harvey moved that liquor licenses applied for be granted upon the payment of the proper tax to the sheriff.

Commissioner Foy amended commissioner Harvey's motion by motion that licenses be granted upon the payment of taxes which appears to be due county by them, commissioners Foy and Richardson voting yes, Harvey, Wads-

worth and Baxter no. The following vote was taken on com missioner Harvey's motion to grant licenses, commissioners Richardson and Foy no, commissioners Wadsworth, Har-

vey and Baxter yes. The following persons were granted license to sell liquor in the county for the six months ending December 31st,

Noah Powell, 151 Queen St. L J Taylor, 104 M L Jacobs, Hotel Hazelton. Jas F Taylor, 18-22 Middle St.

L B Habloht, Cor. S F and Hancock J 8 Garrett, 38 Middle St. LH Ervin, St S F St.

Wm Sultan, 196 Middle St. T C Howard, 54 " A M Edwards, 120 " C C Roach, Cor. Queen and Pasteur

BR Warren & Co., Vanceboro, N.

Mr D L Roberts, Treasurer, presented amined was accepted and ordered filed take no other. and recorded.

Report of D L Roberts, Treasurer of Craven Courty for the month of May

General Fund. 277 06 5. To Jas W Biddle 2,000 00

May 31. By vouchers

Fines and Penalties. May 2. To Bal. 5. To Juo M Hargett, " 13. To J B Watson 5 00 " 28. To W M Watson 33 25 308 96 303 96 308 96

122 06 34 17 " 26 To Jas W Biddle

D LROBER TS Treas. Craye. 2 Co.

riff J W Biddle presented his official report which was accepted and or dered filed and secorded. Report of \$ W Siddle, Sheriff for May

1904. To cash on hand last re-1,978 89 May 31. To takes State and Co. collected since hast report

May 26. By D L Roberts, Tr. May 31 By D L Roberts T School Fund

May 81 Come, on \$1238 49 at 5 per cent May 31. By Cash on hand

Respectfully submitted

Sworn to and subscribed before me this June 7th, 1904.

Ordered by the Board that M L Jaobs, Wm Sultan and all liquor dealers in the City are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Commissioners at the hour of 11 o'clock a m on the 5th day of July 1904 and show cause if any they have why the total amount of their purchases of liquor for the 24 years preseding the 1st day of July 1908 should not be properly listed for taxation as provided in Section 73, Chapter 247 of

the laws of 1903. On motion Mr W J McSorley was elected "Assistant Tax Lister for 8th township and after taking the required oath entered upon the duties of his of-

On motion Board adjourned. GEO, B. WATERS, Clk. Bd. Com

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dorser of Doan's Kidney Pills and will recommend them to any ore." For sale by all dealers, Price 50 cents Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N Y., sole

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List Your Taxes for d ,itsit ,mit 1904.

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