

'Blue' Feeling

When you feel discouraged and all the world seems to be against you—that's your system's way of telegraphing you that something is **WRONG** and needs **HELP**.

It may be that your liver is tired and refuses to work, or your digestive organs have had too much to do and need care. Perhaps you have been eating the wrong kind of food, and your blood is too rich or impoverished. What you need is a tonic.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will give the required aid. Tones the entire system. The weak stomach is made strong. The liver vibrates with new life. The blood is cleansed of all impurities and carries renewed health to every vein and nerve and muscle and organ of the body. No more attacks of the "blues." Life becomes worth while again, and hope takes place of despair.

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SEVERAL PROMINENT MEN ATTEND AND MAKE ADDRESSES.

The Methodist Sunday school picnic held yesterday at Riverdale was well attended and as usual proved an enjoyable occasion.

This picnic was attended by people from Riverdale, Thurman and in fact from all over that section. There were several prominent men present and a number of speeches were made.

The people of Riverdale, Thurman and also of the town of Graysville want a central school at which the children will have an opportunity of securing a more complete training and also have a longer school term.

L. C. Brogden, Supervisor of Elementary Rural Schools of the State, Colonel James A. Bryan, Judge H. R. Ryan, S. M. Brinson and J. Leon Williams of this city were present and made short but interesting talks in favor of the plan of building this central school and urged the people in that section to vote on a township tax of 15 cents for this purpose. The citizens are greatly enthused over this proposed plan and there is every indication that they will take some action on it in the near future.

J. Leon Williams also made a short talk relative to the approaching East Carolina Fair to be held in this city during the last week in October and the first of November.

RETURNS FROM PANAMA.

Miss Anna Hanff arrived Friday night from a visit to her brother Bradley Hanff at Ancon and Corozal in Canal Zone Panama. Miss Lizette

Hanff who accompanied her sister to Panama returned with her but has stopped off in Baltimore for a visit. Returning from Panama the Misses Hanff visited in New York and Atlantic City.

THE MARKETS.

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COTTON
 (Quotations furnished by G. W. Taylor & Son.)

Middling 11 1-2 cents
 Strict Middling, 11 5-8 "
 Good Middling, 11 3-4 "

POULTRY, EGGS, ETC.
 (Quotations furnished by Coast Line Meat Market.)

Chickens—Grown, pair.....60-80
 Chickens—Half-grown pair.....60-70
 Geese, per pair.....\$1.25-\$1.50
 Ducks, per pair.....50 1.00
 Eggs, per doz.....15
 Hams, country, smoked, lb.....18
 Beeswax, lb.....22
 Wool.....16 to 17
 Hogs, dressed, lb.....10-10 1-2
 Beef, dressed, lb.....8-9
 Hides—G. S., lb.....8
 Green, lb.....8
 Dry Flint, lb.....12-14
 Dry Salt, lb.....10-12

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.
 (Quotations by New Bern Produce Company.)

Cabbage, crate \$1.25 to \$1.50
 Lettuce Basket \$1.50
 Beets Bunch .8c
 Strawberries crate \$2.50 to \$2.75
 Garden Peas, crate \$1.1c to \$1.40

PLANNING A ROBBERY.

This London Thief Was Quite Deliberate in His Preparations.

This story of an elaborately prepared crime was told by Sir Robert Anderson when he was connected with Scotland Yard, London. A criminal marked a millionaire as his quarry and rented a bedroom near the railway station from which the rich man took the train for town. Well dressed and well groomed, the criminal took his seat in the same compartment, attracting notice only by his apparent desire to remain unnoticed while he dealt with the papers he carried in a stylish hand bag.

One morning after a few such journeys he gave vent to his annoyance at having forgotten his keys. A stranger sitting in the opposite corner politely offered him his bunch in the hope that he would find on it a key to open the lock. At the suggestion of the stranger, who, of course, was an accomplice, the millionaire then produced his bunch of keys, and a few seconds sufficed to enable the thief to take a wax impression of the key of the rich man's safe.

A few weeks later the millionaire's safe was rifled, and before the crime was discovered the thief was across the channel with his rich booty.—Liverpool Post.

DAINTY COBWEBS.

How Spiders' Fine Spun Threads Compare With Human Hair.

It is hard to realize how small a spider's web really is. A famous microscopist once made some interesting comparisons of a cobweb with human hair.

"I have often compared the size of the thread spun by full grown spiders with a hair of my beard," he says. "I placed the thickest part of the hair before the microscope, and, from the most accurate judgment I could form more than 100 of the spider's threads placed side by side could not equal the diameter of one such hair. If, then we suppose such a hair to be of a round form it follows that 10,000 threads spun by the full grown spider when taken together, will not be equal in substance to the size of a single hair."

To this, if we add that 400 young spiders at the time when they begin to spin their webs are not larger than one full grown one and that each of these minute spiders possesses the same organs as the larger ones, it follows that the exceedingly small threads spun by these little creatures must be still 400 times slenderer, and consequently that 4,000,000 of these minute spiders' threads cannot equal in substance the size of a single hair."

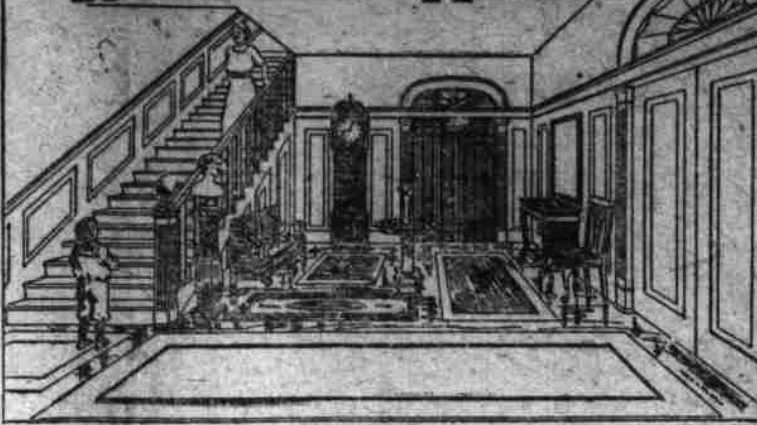
A Playful Prelate.

Dr. Magee, who was for a brief period an archbishop of York, was once invited by a friend with whom he was staying to go and hear a certain preacher. Asked, afterward, what he thought of the sermon, Dr. Magee answered, that he thought it was rather long. "Yes," agreed his host, who was a great admirer of the preacher, "but there was a mint in the pulpit." "And a martyr in the pew!" was the doctor's prompt return. The same prelate in giving advice to a newly appointed suffragan said, "They will send for you to open churches, cemeteries, schools, vestries and cloakrooms, and to unvel windows and clocks, and it may be that eventually they will want you to open an umbrella!"—London Mail.

Little Things as an Index.

"Here," said an observer, "was a machine upon which appeared the name plate of the manufacturer; a small and not essential feature, but this plate had been set on true, and then the screws by which it was held in place had all been turned up until the slots in their heads all showed in precisely the same position, alike, uniform." "Whoever put this plate on made a nice, finished job of it, and I should be inclined to think that a shop that had such pride in even the minor details of its work would do good work throughout."—New York Sun.

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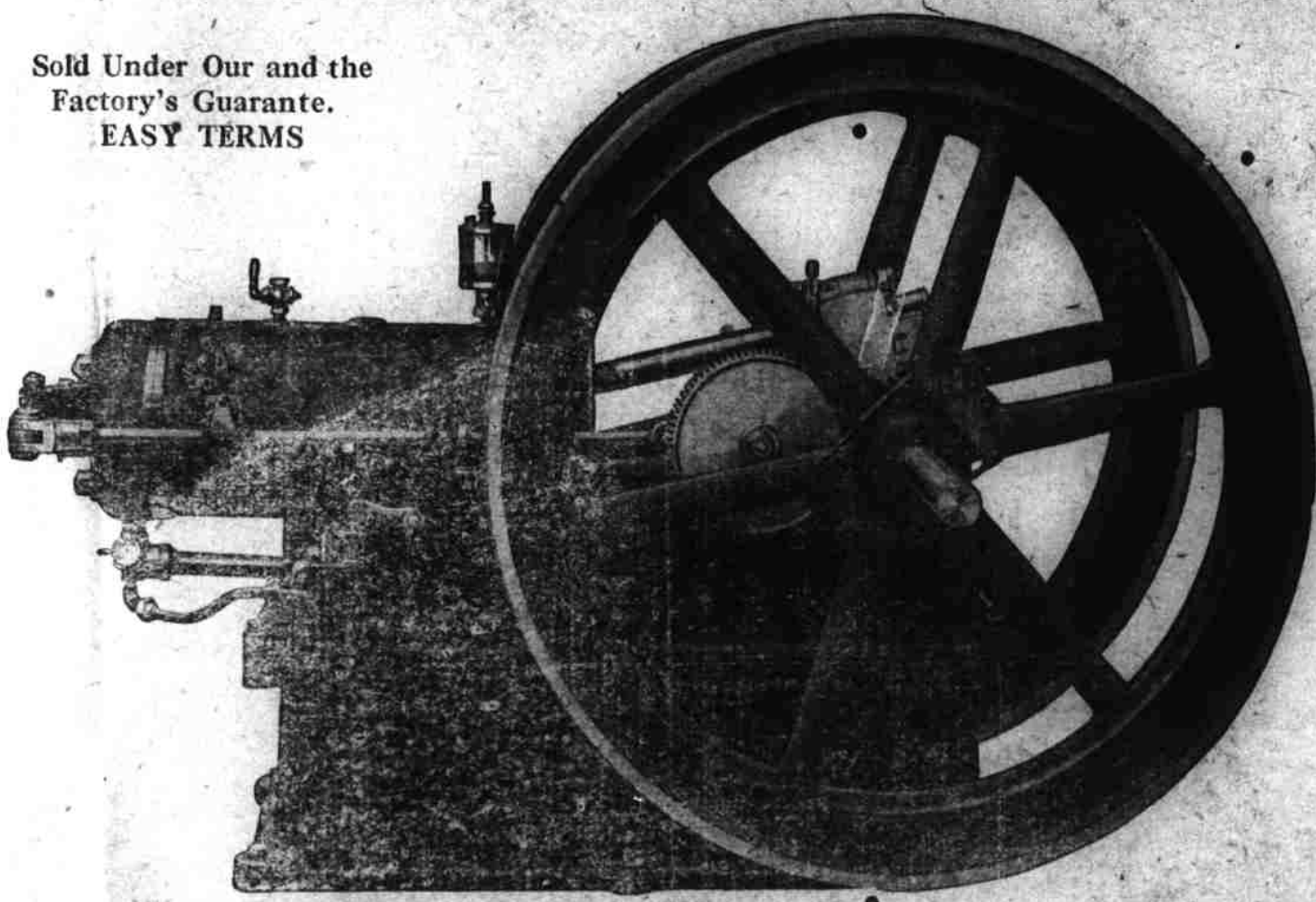
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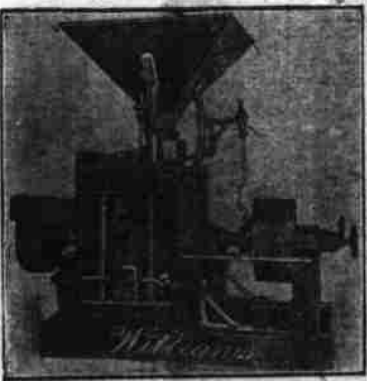
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