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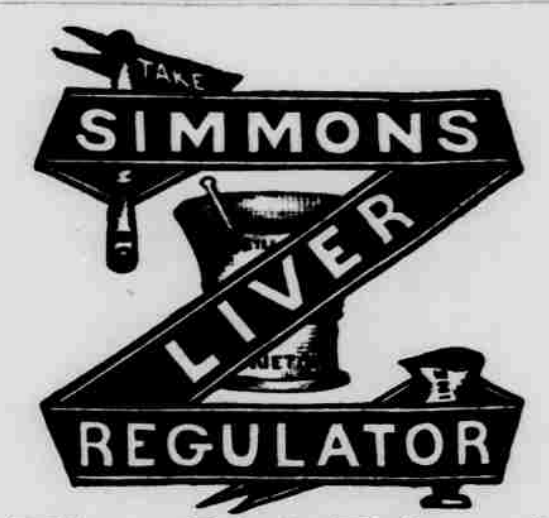
W. H. KITCHIN, Attorney and Counselor at Law, SCOTLAND NECK, N. C. Office: Corner Main and Eleventh Streets.

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CHRISTIAN & BARRAUD, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Will practice in all the Courts, State and Federal, in the city of Richmond.

I. J. Mercer & Son., 626 East Main Street., RICHMOND VA. LUMBER COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Jewelry Store After six years experience, I feel thoroughly competent to do all work that is expected of a WATCHMAKER and JEWELER.



The Old Friend And the best friend, that never fails you, is Simmons' Liver Regulator, (the Red Z)—that's what you hear at the mention of this excellent Liver medicine.

ZEB VANCE IS DEAD.

(Edward Othman, in Washington Post.) How strange the sound! Undying is his name.

His name was synonym for hope and song; For cheer and laughter, and truth so strong;

When lessons shall have ended for the day, The pedagogue, with awe, will bow his head.

And home, with voices hushed and awed, they'll go, And tell, with wondering, the news they know;

In the garden, with the roses in bloom, And when his life's good angel shall have brought Him safely to the paradise he sought,

In Regard to Pie.

A universal congress of cooks is to assemble in Paris next year. Prizes are to be awarded for novel and approved pies.

Congressman Crain, of Texas, says that the people of Texas regard the pie family as Cesar regarded Gau—divided into three kinds, "the livered, the unknickered and the cross-barred."

A WORD FOR DRUMMERS.

Sensible Letter. NEW YORK, May 1, 1894. MR. SOLOMON EPSTEIN, Palace Hotel—Cincinnati, O.

Dear Sir: We have received your letter of the 18th mid excuse amount und round-list.

Mr. Epstein, we find in your expense account, \$2.50 for billiards; please don't buy any more billiards for us, vat we vant is orders.

We did send you also samples of necktie vot costed us \$7.00 a gross, sell dem for \$7.25 a dozen; if you can't get \$7.25 dake \$2.25, vat we vant is orders.

My brother Isaac says vot you should stop in Hamilton, Ohio. His gousin, Marx — lifs dere.

Also Isaac says dot you can leave Cincinnati at 11:40 in de night und get to Hamilton by 3:35 in der morning.

B. S.—Vat we vant is orders.

WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR? Who is my neighbor? It is he Who needs a gift my hands can give.

Drinking Water. RALEIGH, N. C. DEAR SIR:—The evidence that malarial diseases are introduced into the system, in many if not most instances,

There is a tender sweetness about some of our common phrases of affectionate greeting, simple and unobtrusive as they are, which falls like dew upon the heart.

YOUNG MEN.

Some Things for Them to Remember. Ed. Bok in the Cosmopolitan.

1. That, whatever else he may strive to be, he must first of all be absolutely honest.

2. He must be really alive to every opportunity. He cannot afford to lose a single point, for a single point might prove the very link that would make complete the whole chain of business success.

3. He must ever be willing to learn, never overlooking the fact that others have long ago forgotten what he has still to learn.

4. If he be wise he will entirely avoid the use of liquors. If the question of harm done by intoxicating liquor is an open one, the question of actual good derived from it is not.

5. Let him remember that a young man's strongest recommendation is his respectability.

Get into a business you like. Devote yourself to it. Be honest in everything.

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A Home for Truants.

What "Good Night" Means. Selected. There is a tender sweetness about some of our common phrases of affectionate greeting, simple and unobtrusive as they are,

They are also to devote four hours a day to training for occupations to be had in the city.

The Discovery Saved His Life. Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life."

Nothing will bring success as surely as sticking to something that is worthy one's best efforts.

Earnestness.

Youth's Companion. A young clerk in a large mercantile house was conspicuous for the intense interest which he took in his work.

"I shall give my employers," he replied, "the best work that is in my power, whatever they may do for me."

Horace Greeley used to say the best product of labor was the high-minded workman with an enthusiasm for his work.

Mr. Disraeli, in one of his early political novels, "Coningsby," described the power of exciting enthusiasm as an incomparable faculty, a divine gift, which enabled a statesman to command the world.

He lacked it himself, for he never succeeded in convincing Englishmen that he was in earnest, even when he was strongly entrenched in power.

His great rival, Mr. Gladstone, has always been in earnest about everything. That has been the distinguishing characteristic of his political and intellectual life.

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Worth Knowing About.

Cottonseed meal with black specks in it is largely composed of the hull, which is nearly indigestible and of little value except to go into the manure pile.

The pure cotton seed meal without hull is too concentrated for feeding, except as it is diluted with something giving a greater bulk in proportion to its nutrition.

A poor tool is an aggravation, and money paid for it wasted. A chest of good tools is a fortune.

The Eagle on the Coins. Harper's Young People. If you have a silver dollar of 1836 1838, or 1839, or one of the first nickel cents coined in 1856, you will find upon it the true portrait of an American eagle which was for many years a familiar sight in the streets of Philadelphia.

"Peter," one of the finest eagles ever captured alive, was the pet of the Philadelphia Mint, and was generally known as the "Mint Bird."

Not only did he have free access to every part of the Mint, going without hindrance into the treasure vaults where even the Treasurer of the United States would not go alone.

Everybody knew him and admired him, and even the street boys treated him with respect.

He was so kindly treated that he had no fear of anybody or anything, and he might be in the Mint yet if he had not set down to rest on one of the great fly wheels.

The superintendent had his body beautifully mounted, with the wings spread to their fullest extent; and to this day Peter stands in a glass case in the Mint's cabinet, where you may see him whenever you go there.

How much a horse may suffer from a harness that does not fit, or which is rough and painful to the animal, may be unknown, but one of the first duties on taking a horse out for work should be to examine the harness, and also to carefully look for sores or galls.

Cure for Headache. As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best.

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Too much free advice will ruin the man who gives it, to say nothing of the results to him who receives it.

IF YOU ARE A HUSTLER YOU WILL ADVISE YOUR Business.

THAT CLASS OF READERS THAT YOU Wish your Advertisement TO REACH is the class who read THE DEMOCRAT.

What is Wealth. Geo. T. Angell in Our Daily Animals. Does wealth consist in money, houses, lands, bank stocks, railroad bonds, etc. alone?

We think not. The young man starting in life with no money but with good digestion, good sleep, good health, and ability to work in some profitable employment has what the aged capitalist would be glad to exchange all his millions for.

Which brings the greater happiness—the glitter, show, jealouses and falsity of fashionable life, or the heartiest friendships which prevail so largely in the homes of the industrious poor?

How many millionaires will tell you that they are happier now than when starting in life without a dollar?

On the tops of mountains we find rock and ice, and snow. It is down in the valleys that we find the vineyards. Let no man envy those richer than himself until taking all things into account—age, health, wife, children, friends—he is sure he would be willing to exchange.

IT'S A SIGN OF DANGER, when pimples, blotches and eruptions appear on the skin, no matter how slight. It warns you that your blood is impure.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS. AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Clefts from horses.

FITTS—All fits stopped free by Dr. King's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use.

SUNNYSIDE FLORAL NURSERY. JAMES M. LAMB, Proprietor, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

We have Magnolias, Cape Jessamines, Camellia Japonica, Pines, Spruces, Arborvitae, Flowering Shrubs, Roses, Greenhouse and bedding plants, bulbs for summer flowering, etc.

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