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The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country... It is the cause of many sudden deaths...

DR. J. P. WIMBERLEY, Physician and Surgeon...

DR. A. C. LIVERMAN, Dentist...

M. M. JOSEY, Insurance Agent...

PARKER'S... Complete Line...

Coffins and Caskets, Burial Robes, Etc.

Horse Service any Time, N. B. Josey Company...

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH Dr. King's New Discovery...

Children especially like Kennedy's laxative...

An Old-Fashioned Woman.

No CLEVER, brilliant thinker, she, With college record and degree; She has not known the path of fame...

Not Much Happened. A gentleman having been away from home returned...

Origin of the Hen. How did the Lord make first...

When Rubbers Become Necessary and your shoes pinch...

Words to Freeze the Soul. "Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless..."

Thumps in Hogs. Overfeeding with insufficient exercise is claimed to give hogs the thumps...

Spurring the stomach and brain. A light heart lives long.

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MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

What is Transpiring in North Carolina and Other States. In answer to the invitations sent out by Governor Kitchin...

At a meeting in Raleigh last week of the new board of directors of the State Prison...

The probabilities are that Washington, N. C. will soon have in operation a system of street railway cars...

Mr. J. P. Cook, of Concord, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School...

Beginning yesterday the Conference for Education in the South will continue through Friday...

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Buying at Home.

Without any thought of sentiment or suggestion that we owe allegiance to any one, the cold, hard truth is that the retail merchants of our home town are the best business friends we have...

This educational work is too common for us to appreciate, but take away the influence of the retail store and the wheels of commerce would soon slip and begin to run backward...

Suppose the home town contained nothing more attractive than the odoriferous railroad "stock yards" and the lonesome, ungainly grain elevator...

Follows, let us give the home merchant credit for what he has done and is doing for us. He is a teacher whose school is open to us twelve months in the year...

The retail merchant is now the one great factor in our commercial system and this is true solely because he renders us better service than we can get elsewhere...

What happens when an irresistible force meets an immovable body? "Dey divide de gate money..."

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THE VALUE OF COWS.

Big Difference Exists, as the Following Record Shows. A cow testing association of Ontario took the records of two cows for seven months to illustrate the comparative value of the two belonging to a dairy farmer...

THE MOST PROFITABLE COW. Weight of milk, 5,395 lbs. Weight of fat, 186 lbs. Yield of cheese, 569 lbs.

THE LEAST PROFITABLE COW. Weight of milk, 2,750 lbs. Weight of fat, 119 lbs. Yield of cheese, 372 lbs.

Commenting on these two records touching the comparative value of the two cows, the Farm and Dairy of Canada says:

It will be noticed that one cow gave practically just double the amount of milk in seven months that the other cow did. Does this indicate that she is worth just twice as much? By some it will be claimed that it is worth more than twice as much because she did not eat twice as much as the second cow...

A HOG HOLDER. Contrivance for Securing the Animal for Ringing. Here is a device which the farmer can readily construct for himself...

STOCK NOTES. Quality and type are not so essential in feeding aged steers as in feeding calves...

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER. The most highly refined and healthful of baking powders. Its constant use in almost every American household, its sales all over the world, attest its wonderful popularity and usefulness.

DESTROYING MITES.

Do Not Let These Robbers of the Poultry Get the Start of You. Mites in the poultry house are a great menace to profitable poultry raising...

Clean coops perfectly, then apply thoroughly whitewash, or some other of the prepared insecticides. Be sure to fill the cracks and crevices, as these are the hiding places where mites will be found hiding during the day...

ROOST FOR POULTRY HOUSE. Simple in Construction and Easy to Keep Clean. To make the roost shown in the accompanying illustration, says the Prairie Farmer, use four pieces of 2x3, 5 feet long for the frame...



Jack Was her father violent when you asked for her hand, Tom—Was he! Great Scott, I thought he would shake my arm off—Boston Transcript.

"My cocaco's cold," sternly announced the gruff old gentleman to his fair waitress, "Put your hat on," she sweetly suggested...

Westend Let's go in here and have something to eat, Murreyhill—But I'm not hungry, Westend. You'll be by the time the waiter brings the order, New York Herald.

Constitution causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation, drastic physics, grippe, sickness, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulets acts gently and cures constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

"Papa, what is a safety match?" Mr. Henpecked (looking carefully to see if his wife is within hearing) A safety match, son, is when a bald-headed man marries an armless woman.—Sketchy Bits.

"Salvation am Free."

The colored parson had just concluded a powerful sermon on "Salvation am Free," and was announcing that a collection would be taken for the benefit of the parson and his family...

"Look-a-year, nashon," he interrupted, "yo' ain't no sooner done tellin' us dat salvation am free dan yo' go askin' us fo' money. If salvation am free, what's de use in payin' fo' it? Dat's what I want to know. An' I tell yo' p'intedly dat I ain't goin' to gib yo' nothin' until I find out, No."

"Patience, brudder, patience," said the parson. "Th' ludeicate: S'pose yo' was thirsty an' come to a river. Yo' could kneel right down an' drink yo' fill, couldn't yo'?"

"Oh cose not. Dat's jest what I want to do. 'Dat water would be free," continued the parson. "But 'sposin' yo' was to hab dat water piped to yo' house? Yo'd have to pay, wouldn't yo'?"

"Yas, shh, but—" "Wal, brudder, so it is with salvation. De salvation am free, but it's de havin' it piped to yo' dat yo' got to pay fo'. Pass de hat, deacon, pass de hat."

Her Word. A little girl of 4 years was heard repeatedly murmuring a long word. Her father, thinking to please her, told her the meaning of it. She burst into tears. At last, with her mother's assistance, the father learned the reason of her grief. "It was my word that I put myself to sleep with, and now you've spoilt it." From "An Englishman's Castle."

The Value of Good Digestion

Is easy to figure if you know what your stomach is worth. Kodol keeps the stomach at par value, by insuring good digestion. Kodol cures Dyspepsia.

Kodol insures good digestion by absolutely duplicating Nature's normal process, in perfectly digesting all food taken into the stomach. While Kodol is doing this, the stomach is resting—and becoming strong and healthy. A strong and healthy stomach guarantees a sound and active brain. The man with a sound stomach—a stomach that is doing for the body just what Nature intended it to do—is the man who is always prepared for any emergency. He is "there with the goods."