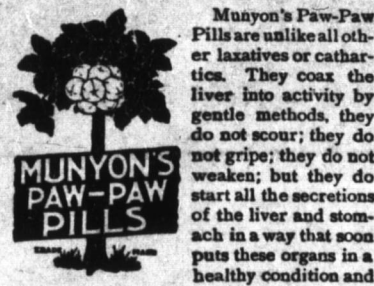


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That sulphuric acid, discharged into the water of Great Salt Lake, Utah, is responsible for the death of two million water fowl last year has been ascertained by Dr. Buckley of the pathological division of the bureau of animal industry. The American Game Protective association sent Dr. Buckley to Salt Lake City, thinking that some contagious disease caused the death of so many birds.

Hit the Danger Spot.
A tippler with a very red nose got a day's work as a laborer in a boiler works. The same day he appeared before the surgeon at the hospital with his nose smashed.
"Good gracious!" exclaimed the surgeon. "How did you manage to get your nose smashed like that?"
"Oh," cried the sufferer, "I put my nose through a hole in the boiler for a sniff of fresh air, and the man outside with the hammer mistook it for a red-hot rivet. And he only hit once—that's all."

SPITEFUL



Beatrice—Kitty's trousseau will fill 17 trunks.
Lillian—The poor girl. Jack hasn't money enough to pay overweight charges on more than two.

COFFEE THRESHED HER.

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"Postum now comes in concentrated, powder form, called Instant Postum. It is prepared by stirring a level teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, adding sugar to taste, and enough cream to bring the color to golden brown.
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"A 5-cup trial tin mailed for grocer's name and 2-cent stamp for postage. Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.—Adv.

NEWS OF NORTH CAROLINA

Short Paragraphs of State News That Has Been Collected For Busy People of State.

Lenoir.—The people of Lenoir are much elated over the introduction of a bill by Congressman Doughton appropriating \$70,000 for a public building for the town.

Pittsboro.—Cleveland Campbell was shot dead within about 400 yards of his home, two miles west of Pittsboro by Will C. Griffin who was hunting on Campbell's land.

Asheville.—The first delegate to arrive at Asheville for the Southern Highway convention which is to be held here February 12-15, was Dr. S. M. Johnson, of Roswell, New Mexico.

Salisbury.—The Salisbury Industrial Club has been elected a member of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and three members of the club will represent it in the national body when occasion presents itself.

Greensboro.—An unusual trial was held before Magistrate Collins when three police officers of the town were tried charged with breaking into the home of a negro named Ella Stockton recently.

Greensboro.—The second case of smallpox of the fall and winter season in Guilford county was reported by County Health Superintendent Jones. This case developed in the city and is said to be a very mild attack.

Greensboro.—Claiming alleged loss of property and damage to his milling business by reason of the city of Greensboro taking so much water from Reedy Fork creek, W. L. Huffine has instituted suit against Greensboro for \$10,000.

Durham.—R. O. Everett is now making preparations for the erection of a number of storage houses on the eastern extremity of Ramseur street, and these will be used by a number of concerns as distributing centers for this section of the state.

Raleigh.—With all officers re-elected and headquarters in Raleigh, the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League convention adjourned after hearing Judge A. Z. Blair, of Portsmouth, O., in his great caricature of the personal liberty monomania.

Newbern.—Capt. Wilson I. Daveny field secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, is spending a few days in the city in the interest of deeper waterways. Capt. Daveny addressed a large number of business men at the court house on this subject.

Durham.—That the Durham and Southern railroad is making preparations to extend its line down into Sampson county is a well grounded rumor that is being talked in Durham, but the officials of the railroad in Durham would not verify this rumor when seen.

Goldsboro.—The grand jury of the present court recommended in the strongest terms that Wayne county build a new courthouse. The present courthouse was built over sixty years ago, when the inhabitants in the county numbered less than one-third what they do now.

Asheville.—The work of making tuberculin tests of all Buncombe county dairy cattle, which has been carried on for the past two months under the direction of City Bacteriologist L. M. McCormick, has been finished and the reports of the health department show that the cows which furnish the milk consumed in the city are in fine condition.

Raleigh.—It is not believed that more than 45 applicants will appear before the supreme court to take the examination for license to practice law in this state, a smaller number than usual sending in their names to the clerk. The first day's session will be devoted to examining applicants and on the second day, the appeals from the First district will be argued.

Raleigh.—The house committee on public service corporations, with only about half the members present, after hearing from railroad attorneys and representatives of the Order of Railway Conductors, finally decided to report without prejudice the Stewart bill, requiring that mileage be pulled on trains and that interchangeable mileage be good for the families of the purchaser, or if not, then the local rate be two cents a mile.

Scotland Neck.—The case of Joe Hill, charged with killing a negro woman near Neal's Station just before Christmas, was investigated by the grand jury at Halifax, and a true bill rendered against him, charging murder in the first degree.

Newbern.—Although every effort has been made to apprehend the unknown negro who attacked Mr. W. D. Stapleford near Bridgeton several days ago, the fugitive is still at large. Sheriff Lane and several of his deputies have scoured the woods in the vicinity of the crime, but failed to find any trace of the fugitive.

Washington.—Messrs. Davis & Davis patent attorneys of Washington, report the grant to citizens of North Carolina of the following patents: W. L. Beasley, Plymouth, vehicle-tire; E. A. Cole, Charlotte, safety razor.

Goldsboro.—Committee representing Rocky Mount, New Bern, Fayetteville and Goldsboro met in Goldsboro recently to discuss the organization of a baseball league among eastern North Carolina towns. Kinston, Washington, Wilson and Wilmington had been asked to send a committee to this meeting, but they failed to appear.

SOUTH IS NEW CORN BELT

The Southern Railway Exploits the Southern States as the Corn Growing Country.—Folder Issued.

Columbia, S. C., February 2.—"The New Corn Belt" is the title which has been accorded the nine Southern states east of the Mississippi and south of the Potomac. This honor is given the South in an attractive folder just issued by the Southern Railway Company which is being distributed among visitors to the National Corn Exposition here. Figures in the folder, compiled from latest official sources, give new proof of the increasing importance of the South as a corn growing section and fully substantiate the claim given this wonderful section as the "New Corn Belt."

"Figures in the December number of the Crop Reporter issued by the federal department of agriculture, show that the nine Southern states east of the Mississippi and south of the Potomac produced in 1912 a corn crop of 505,135,000 bushels, worth \$314,740,000 at prices paid farmers in that territory," says the folder. "Compared with the report of the 1906 census, when the crop of 342,464,737 bushels in the same states was worth \$137,079,603, the latest figures show an increase of 162,670,263 bushels, worth practically \$178,000,000 more than the earlier production."

"The greater yield in the Southeast has followed an increased acreage given to corn and steadily increasing acre-yield. The general development of this agricultural region, aided by federal and state demonstration work and further helped by the educational efforts of such railroads as the Southern, which maintains a corps of agricultural experts whose services are at the command of all the farmers along its 7,000-odd miles of territory, has had a large share in stimulating attention given to corn. Prominent among the reason for the increased acre-yield has been the organization of boys' corn clubs and annual corn shows in each of these nine states. Comparative figures show that the increase in the average yield per acre over the 1906 record in 1912 alone amounted to 103,981,221. Four hundred and fifty-four members of boys' corn clubs in the South in 1912 made over 100 bushels to the acre."

In addition to the wide circulation it is being given at the Corn Exposition, the folder will be distributed among farmers of the North and West in an effort to attract desirable settlers to the "New Corn Belt."

For Better Army and Navy.

Washington.—To work for a larger Navy, an adequate Army, the improvement of the National Guard and for all things that will better fit the United States for war, the United States Defense League was organized here recently. Representative Julius Kahn of California was elected chairman of the executive committee and the board of directors. The board of directors include prominent persons throughout the country. While the league will work to strengthen all forces which would make the country better prepared for war, it states in its constitution that it believes in "universe peace but it firmly believes that preparation for war is the best guarantee of peace."

In Defense of Irrigation Work.

Washington.—Secretary Fisher, in defense of the Government irrigation work and in reply to the recent declaration before a House committee by Dr. B. T. Galloway, chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry, that "there has never been any long-continued successful irrigation agriculture in an arid region anywhere in the world," has written to Chairman Moss, of the committee, denying Doctor Galloway's assertion. The secretary also has written to Secretary Wilson asking how to prepare an official statement to show "the necessity of irrigation."

For Safety of Miners.

Washington.—H. M. Wilson, the engineer in charge of the experiment station of the Bureau of Mines at Pittsburg, has become chairman of the executive committee of the American Mines Safety Commission and will work for the reduction of deaths in mines and quarries throughout the country and the relief of more than 160,000 injured each year.

Much Trade With Orient.

Washington.—Never was trade between the United States and the Orient as great as it was during 1912. Imports from Asia and Oceania combined amounted to \$280,000,000 in 1912 and the export to Asia and Oceania for the last year aggregated \$190,000,000. One feature was the sending of raw cotton to India and China. Despite the fact that both these countries are producers of cotton the United States sent to India 35,000,000 pounds of raw cotton and to China 14,000,000 pounds.

Planning For Celebration.

Washington.—Details of a celebration of the 50th anniversary of national unity were determined upon at a meeting of the committee of which Dr. E. A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, is chairman. The committee proposed to have a national memorial in the shape of a bridge over the Potomac here, and urged upon congress and dedication exercises in 1915, under direction of G. A. R. and United Confederate veterans, which will be a reunion of survivors of the two great armies.

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EMBARRASSING.



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