review of the winter's plays. a Philipotts, Clarence Hawkes lay Brown and Henry E. Rood, Mrs. Herrick tells how to give "A Bose Wodding Breakfast," Eili-att Flower begins, a screamingly untry series, called "Nurse Nor-of the ban Nights." The departments are full of advice about fashion, travel, and good prooming for women. Published by The Crowell Publishing Com-may, Springfield, Obio, one dolar a year; ten centa a copy.

Chart Hiteline

28th is a table of statistics of all the counties in North Carolina. The county of Macon, in 1900, had a white population of 11,431, and a negro population of 678. The total number of Native White illiterate voters was 470 out of a total of 2.319 white voters. The percentage of illiterate white voters was day endorsed President Roosevelt he take them to his breast, or 20.6. The per centage of illitera- for renomination and declared would be turn away in scorn? cy in the State was 18.9. It will against any change in the present Such were her thoughts, when she trabove the state average in the per centage of illiteracy. The lowest rate of dilliteracy was in New Hanover county, 5.1; and the highest in Stokes county, 32.9. Of the 97 counties, 56 are more inteligent than Macon, and 40 are less intelligent.

papers have been publishing that terments, including double trackBishop A. Coke Smith has had to age.

Leave Charlotte and the State of It will be impossible to complete the latest fashion, but giving her dence he told his nother all, She North Carolina because of the this work in one or two years, but form a quaint, delicious beauty; was terribly engry, but when abe ambition of two Methodist preachit will be prosecuted until finished. it trailed in rich shining folds saw her anger could avail nothing ers who want to be elected Bishop at the next session of the General Be

North Carolina we a stand no h the State. Such a state affairs is highly discreditable, particularly to those aspirants, reasmost seats of the conference. signs of meanity. Neither can we commend the ion of Bishop A. Coke Smith in earing the State if it was solely on this account.

An Evil-Rinded Scalawag.

minded person wrote an article and had it published in the Ep-worth. Herald ridiculing the "mountain whites" of North Caro-

lets in a signer as has plumb re-pented, even if he don't come up ter this yere, I havn't goin' ter object. There may be some other churches as don't know no better and the Lord may, neow an'then ake pity on some on 'em. But Yeou cayn't help a-bavin' ba thoughts come inter yer heads but your bain't no necessity for

ter set 'em a cheer."
The Raleigh Christian Adve sate, in commenting on the above

It is a pity that first class pa-schoold become the dumping and of such ignorant and menpeople on earth. It illus-as only The Privilege of the time criticism of nome of the

Appalling Loss of Life and Destruction of

Just after noon Monday last Gainesville, G.a., was struck by a tornate, billing at least 150 persons and wrecking over two hundred hall-lings. The destruction is suggested, per line.

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Could be destructed in suggested to the Atlanta Journal as Iollows:
Gainesville Cotton Mills were blown down, and nearly every suppleys in the building killed, including a large number of children. The Southern depot was blown down. The Gainesville Iron works were demotished and several people perished in the wreek. The Gainesville Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Oil Pushnout hotel, now used as a special series of the Cotton Oil mills were blown down. The Woman's Home Companion for June is an excellent summer number. The most valuable feather gives hints for the June wordlings, with pictures showing decorations for church and home. There is a charming article on "Bird-Land Nurserise" in The Nature-Study Club, and other feathers are "An Indian Aristocracy," "Herces Who Fight Disease," and a review of the winter's plays.

Eighty-five men, women and children deal and the death list still imperfect. Forty others perhaps even a larger number, fatally in jured. A

feet. Forty others, perhaps even a larger number, fainly injured. A property loss that is not less than \$300,000. All happening within space of five minutes' time.

a Charlot Vetchers

The Sext Rounies to be Held at

A correspondent of the Knoxville Sentinel writing of the Confederate reunion at New Orleans;

The next rengion will probably was left to the executive commit-tee so that arrangements to the ble, and when all do e, the In Southern Education of May the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast the railroads after about two stairs, with a gast the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads. After about two stairs, with a gast to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and the railroads are remained to remain a stair and remained to remain a stai is exposition, the citizens of Loss dow. She was torribly anxious

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Bouble Track From Washington to Atlanta.

Washington, Mar 29.-Presi-

Special to Press Murphy, N. C., May 27 .- The oody of William Ashe, after sevand eminently unjust towards eral days search, was found in Bishop Smith. It should be defi- Brasstown creek today. He disnitely ascertained who those can- appeared from his home on Sundidstes are, and they should be day 24th inst. He was an aged "set down upon" on one of the farmer, and had lately showed

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Startling Evidence. Fresh testimony in great quality is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. Kings New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be insequaled. A redent expression from T. J. Mararimal Buntarville, Value of the third party, and absorbed all the time without being declared all the time without being bunefited? Then I begin taking Dr. Kings New Riscovery, and a few Settles whelly could me. Taying effective in service of the College and the lay in the college of the time without being brown eyes opened and abe lay in the college of the college

DORRIS THE BEAUTIFUL

BY ALICE MCGUIRE.

CHAPTER II.

[Continued from last week.] The morrow dawned bright and clear, the summer sun lighting up the sweet flowers in the trim gar-den. For once the busy wheels se held in Louisville. The matter were silent, as the two made the

isville paying the transportation. for 193 mother's sake. What if he shouldn't come? She dard not think what the result might Harrisburg, Pa., May 27.—The be. What would be say when Republican State Convention to her mother told him all? Would was disturbed by a rustle on the stairs. She turned, and stood bewildered. Before her stood her the bright sky and thanking heamother, but so changed she could ven that the lost was found. dent Samuel Spencer, of the scarcely believe it was her mother Southern railway, who is in Wash- of yesterday. Her lovely dark the cruel letter was alluded to. He ington, said today that the road face was wreathed in smiles, the had never written the letter which would be double-tracked between sweet, brown eyes were overflowing broke his girl-wife's heart. It was

ucircled ber slender neck, and on her finger she wore a wedding to the bedside of a cousin who was ring. For a moment Dorris was dangerously ill, and wished him bewildered, then she found her

"Mother! mother!" she oried, for explaining his absence, and shrinking away, with a sharp ring asked his mother to send it to her, of pain in her voice. Her mother and she promised to do so. As came to her side, and laid one slender hand on her head.

"Darling child, this is the dress I was married in—his present to me. I wanted him to think of the time when we stood side by side in the little old white church and he promised to love and-"

"Mother!" Dorris whispered war-

Her mother turned quick as

line. Here is the way be my first the preschers of western North Carolins preach:

The election last Saturday on the question of compulsory attendance on the public schools resulted in a truly repentant sincurate that don't come up ter this yere standard. The Lord air powerful good an't he needs an't he different townships was as follows:

The election last Saturday on the question of compulsory attendance. It was a strangely ead and handsome face, it was a storn in their expression. The did he come home to her.

"Ah, mel Edith, darling, you do not know what my life has been alines that sunny day when you left me with a sorrow more cruel on his broad, for shead. While in the different townships was as follows:

Townships. For Against. which had taken all the joy from spent my life in searching for you.
his life. He only half glanced I employed the most skillful deis life. He only half glanced the most skillful deand reliable gentlemen of Hendertectives of the day, but it was of
"Madam, you sent me a mea"he began, but the standard that a reputable and reliable gentlemen of Henderson county has dug up a petrified frieb polato, and that he is going tained a shadowy clue only to lose to exhibit it at the St. Louis Fair his life. He only half glanced opped abruptly, as she was it and leave me more miserable pretched bands, the long dress make up to me for all I have lost!" trailing after her. Was it a spirit be cried kissing eagerly her swee nome back from the dead? Dor. lips, with his arm around his is east him reel as though he had daughter's waist, and his eyes ees shot, a deadly pallor overreading his face. Then her other's voice sang out clear and

"Allen 1 my love, my love!"
She went toward bim blindly, and in another mement he had

By Lydia Maria Child

THE WORLD I AM PASSING THROUGH

EW, in the days of early youth,
Trusted like me in love and truth.
I've secret and lessons from the years
But slewly, and with many tears;
For God made me to kindly view
The world that I was passing through.

How little did I once believe That friendly tones could e'er deceive! That kindness, and forbearance long, Might meet ingratitude and wrong! I could not help but kindly view The world that I was passing through.

And though I've learned some souls are base, I would not therefore, hate the race; I still would bless my fellow men, and trust them though deceived again. God help me utill to kindly view. The world that I am passing through! Through weary conflicts I have passed, And struggled into rest at last: Such rest as when the rack has broke A joint, or nerve, at every stroke. The wish survives to kindly view The world that I am passing through.

From all that fate has brought to me atrive to learn humility, and trust in Him who rules above, Whose universal law is love. Thus only can I kindly view The world that I am passing through.

When I approach the setting sun, And feel my journey nearly done, May earth be velled in genial light. And her last amile to me seem bright! Help me till then to kindly view

the tears start to her eyes as he folded her in his arms and called her his little girl,

Ah me! it was a happy meeting. And who can blame Allen Langham for raising his eyes to He told a strange story when

Within the past week the daily \$25,000,000 would be spent on bet-Miss Ida M. Snyder,

and then be coldly told her sh

og that the tears started to her

yes. She laid her bright gulden

behind her as she came into the she quieted down.

The Date of Boards and the next morning he received a telegram summoning him

to come without delay. He wrote his young wife a long, loving letsoon as he returned, he hastened to his girl wife. Imagine his consternation and grief when he found she was gone. Gone! without one word to him! His anger was awful when Mary Nelson told him of the cruel letter his young wife

NEWS BRIEFS.

had ruined his life, and he would Dr. Richard H. Lowis, secretary lightning, just as a man's tall never lay his eyes on her face of the State Board of Health, re-form darkened the door-way. He sgain until he found his young ports for the year ending May 1st held his hat in his hand and the wife. He kept his vow, and only that there have been 4400 cases of summer sun fell full on his hand when she lay on her death-bed, smallpox in North Carolina du-

BO YOU GET UP

WITH A LAME BACK?

daughter's waist, and his eyes bent lovingly on her fair, sweet "Ab, me, Edith; surely in al he world there is no girl so swear, no fair, as my Dorriu! what a sweet name you gave her Edith! It suits you well dear!"

His tone and so sweet, so carete-



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