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If you suffer from indigestion, distress after eating, specks before the eyes, headaches, pains in the back and side, emaciation, bloating, nervousness, sleeplessness, or any of the other symptoms of stomach troubles, begin the use of Mi-o-na stomach tablets at once. J. H. Kennedy & Co. sell them in 50c boxes with a guarantee to refund money unless they cure. —F15-M1

Glee Club Coming.

The Davidson College Glee Club and Orchestra, composed of 18 pieces, will be in Gastonia March 7th and will give a concert at the opera house at night. In addition to the orchestra, which is said to be the best college orchestra in the State, the club has a double quartette of fine voices. Mr. J. E. Hemphill is manager and Mr. B. H. Craig leader.

A Lively Chase.

Constable Madison Kendrick and several others had a lively chase Wednesday after M. A. Sherrill, who was wanted in York county. Sherrill, who was formerly a conductor on the C. & N.-W. Railway, was under bond in that county for shooting a negro in the foot because the latter wouldn't dance fast enough for him. The case was compromised by Sherrill paying a fine and agreeing to pay all the negro's doctor bills. The latter was not paid and when Sherrill left, leaving no money behind to meet these, he was ordered re-arrested. The matter was straightened out yesterday and Sherrill returned to Gastonia bringing back the irons which he wore to Yorkville the day before.

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The steamer Wittkind, from Bremen, with one hundred and seventy immigrants, brought by the South Carolina Immigration Bureau, arrived at Charleston, S. C., Saturday.

CITY FATHERS MEET.

Very Little Business Transacted—Carnival Wants to Come to Gastonia.

The board of aldermen met in regular session in the city hall Tuesday night, the following members being present: Mayor J. K. Dixon, Aldermen V. E. Long, H. B. Moore, J. F. Jackson and T. W. Wilson.

The committee composed of Messrs. J. L. Beal and T. W. Wilson, appointed at a former meeting to inquire into the price of fire harness, was continued with power to purchase harness for the city fire department.

A called meeting of the board will be held on Tuesday night, Feb. 19th, to consider the question of allowing a street carnival to come to town.

Bills to the amount of \$941.96 were referred to the finance committee for approval.

EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY.

Frost Torrence & Co., the reliable Druggists of Gastonia, are having calls for "Hindipio," the new Nervine Tonic and Vitalizer. Cures Nervous Debility, Insomnia, Restless Lost Vitality, that they are selling under a positive guarantee.

Its merits are becoming the talk of the town and everybody wants to try it, and why not? It costs nothing if it don't do you good—no one cent.

They don't want your money if it does not benefit you, and will cheerfully refund the money. Try it today.

Marriages at Lowell.

Two weddings took place at Lowell Wednesday night. The contracting parties were Mr. A. R. Stroup and Miss Johanna Wofford, who were married at the home of the bride by Rev. J. H. Bennett and Mr. John Huffman and Miss Ida Handsell who were married by Rev. J. L. Vipperman.

Associate Editor.

The following from this week's issue of The Progressive Farmer will be read with interest by many Gastonians: "It is fitting and proper that the Progressive Farmer on this its twenty-first birthday should celebrate the occasion with some noteworthy advance. To our 20,000 subscribers therefore we are glad to announce this week that Mr. W. F. Marshall, more informally introduced to our readers several weeks ago, has now been formally installed as Associate Editor of The Progressive Farmer, and as such will have a conspicuous and responsible part in our perennial task of trying to make each issue of the paper just a little better than the preceding number. An all-round newspaper man of unusual ability, farm-bred and with a wholehearted interest in the improvement of farming and farm life, a man of the highest character and of such personal charm as to make his friendship an inspiration to those associated with him, we count The Progressive Farmer rarely fortunate in having secured his services."

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Mr. R. W. Edwards has sold his lot on Franklin avenue to Mr. C. B. Armstrong. The consideration was \$900.

—It has always been a mystery to us that a young lady should make some poor fellow believe that she is interested in his welfare when as a matter of fact she is interested only in his fawcett.

—Mr. Ed F. Wilson will build a nice five-room cottage on one of the lots on East Franklin avenue purchased last week from Mr. T. N. Kendrick. His friends say that Mr. Wilson is preparing to join the ranks of the benedicts.

—The best way to guard against schemes of grafters and keep up-to-date in general is to be a regular reader of this paper. It is always the one who does not read his home paper who gets caught by the grafters and fakirs.

—It is said that the best way to preserve apples in winter is to wrap them in newspapers so as to exclude the air. The exception is made, however, that the newspaper must be one on which the subscription has been paid, else the dampness resulting from what is "dew" may result in spoiling the fruit.

—A letter to Mr. T. S. Lowry a few days ago from his brother, Mr. J. W. Lowry of Lowell, N. C., gave the information that the latter was kicked by a Colt about a week ago and was painfully hurt. It was thought at first he was seriously hurt but he is getting better:—Chester Lantern, 12th.

—The Piedmont Telephone Co. had a force of men at work last week, swinging the big 325 foot cable along main street from the corner of LaFayette west. This gives facilities for 104 additional wire conductors, and they can now operate 350 phones. There are in service 230 and the demand is increasing for additional phones every day.—Cleveland Star, 12th.

—One of our citizens who occasionally wipes the dishes for his wife, became tired of the job and refused, saying that "it is not a man's work." Not feeling disposed to lose his help she brought the Bible out to convince him of his error and read as follows from II Kings 21:13: "And wipe Jerusalem as a man wipeth a dish, wiping it and turning it upside down." It is needless to say that he is still doing his occasional stunt.

—While doing some shopping in one of our grocery stores last evening we chanced to hear a little boy ask his father who that man was buying the beans. "That is our editor," said the father. "What do editors live on," said the inquisitive littleurchin. "Why do you ask that question," said the indulgent father. "Because I heard you say you had taken our home paper for three years and had never paid a cent for it." To save the father embarrassment we left the store, but it is safe to predict that the child got spanked when the father got him home.

—There should be no "factions" in this little city of ours. Every improvement made enhances the value of all property in and surrounding our town. We should live as one big family, and we believe few towns can show up a more progressive and intellectual family. We have a few "black sheep" in our place as any flock in the state. When there is discord in the family there is little progress. When there is a united pull there is little we cannot accomplish. Envy, jealousy and hatred pull us all down. Envy is a canker that gnaws at the heart and makes one sour, disgruntled and unhappy. Jealousy makes one unkind in passing judgment; hatred does not pay even from a sordid point of view. Let us all be friends and pull together and show our neighbors what a large and harmonious family can accomplish in building up a town.

FIRE IN SOUTH POINT.

Mr. Berry Brown's Barn and Out-houses Burned—May Have Been Work of Incendiary.

The barns, cribs, sheds and other out houses of Mr. Berry Brown in the South Point section were totally destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The exact amount of the loss sustained is not known, but is thought to be several thousand dollars.

The fire was first discovered in a crib full of corn, which was not being used at the time, and the origin of the fire is not known. Mr. Brown does not think that it was of an incendiary origin, but some of his neighbors do. No animals were burned. With the exception of a few farming utensils, everything, corn, wheat, fodder and tools, was destroyed.

Mr. J. W. McIntosh Dead.

Following an illness of only three or four days from pneumonia, Mr. J. W. McIntosh, known to his friends as Will McIntosh, one of the county's well-to-do farmers, died at his home a short distance from Lucia Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, aged 51 years. The funeral and burial were held at Hill's Chapel yesterday, the services being conducted by Rev. W. M. Boring, pastor of the Lowesville Methodist church. A wife and several children survive. Deceased was a brother of Mr. U. B. McIntosh and Mr. J. M. McIntosh, of Lucia. He was held in high esteem and had many friends in that section of the county to whom the announcement of his death brought sorrow.

HOME-MADE CATARRH CURE.

Any one can mix right at home the best remedy of its kind known. The name "Cyclone" is given to the following prescription, it is supposed, because of its promptness in driving from the blood and system every vestige of catarrhal poison, relieving this foul and dread disease, no matter where located. To prepare the mixture: Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

—This is a harmless, inexpensive mixture, which has a peculiar action upon the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, assisting them to filter and strain from the blood and system all catarrhal poisons, which, if not eradicated, are absorbed by the mucous membrane, and an open sore or catarrh is the result.

Prepare some and try it, as it is the prescription of an eminent catarrh specialist of national reputation. —J18 F1-15

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REFERENCES TO A FEW CASES TREATED.

R. A. Clark, Cancer of nose, Rock Hill S. C.; Mrs. J. J. Williams, cancer of face, Tirzah, S. C.; Mrs. S. R. Nelson, cancer of face, Oden, S. C.; W. A. Mullinax, cancer of face, King's Creek S. C.; W. W. Stroup, cancer of face, Lowell, N. C.; Mrs. Barbary McCraw, cancer of forehead, S. C.; S. B. Hanna, cancer of neck, Gastonia, N. C.; D. P. Frizer, cancer of nose, Lattimore, N. C.; Frank Lattimore, cancer of face, Cleveland Mills, N. C.; J. B. Flowers, cancer of lip, Lowell, N. C.; Mrs. M. E. Harrell, cancer of face, Hiltoro, N. C.; Mrs. D. F. Lisco, cancer of forehead, Shelby N. C.; D. H. Cobb, cancer of hip, Smyrna, S. C.; J. B. Hambrick, verucous ulcer of leg, Blackburg S. C.; R. C. Green, cancer of face, Mooreboro N. C.; J. N. Clontz, cancer of the tongue, Tirzah, S. C.; Mrs. N. S. Adams, cancer of shoulder, Lowell, N. C.; G. W. Green, cancer of neck, Mooreboro, N. C.; Miss Carrie Hooper, scrofula, Gaffney, S. C.; W. N. Tracy, cancer of neck, Gaffney, S. C.; J. B. Hamrick, cancer of leg, Mooreboro, N. C.; Mrs. H. T. McCraw, cancer of face, Cliffside, N. C.; J. W. McClellan, rheumatism, Henrietta, N. C.; L. A. Holland, cancer neck Henrietta, N. C.; G. W. Bridges, rheumatism, Mooreboro, N. C.

"Not Healthy for the Groom."

The following appears as a signed communication from Mr. J. A. Allran in this week's issue of The Cherryville Eagle: "Will you give me space in your paper for a few lines. I have just learned through The Gazette of the marriage of my daughter at Gastonia last Sunday to Luther Mauney, and I have only this to say to Mr. Mauney: Your act was ungentlemanly and uncalled for as my daughter is under age, and you stole her away from her mother and myself and married her without even asking my consent or advice and now I shall expect you to take her and treat her right and if you ever mistreat her in any way and I find it out it will not be healthy for you."

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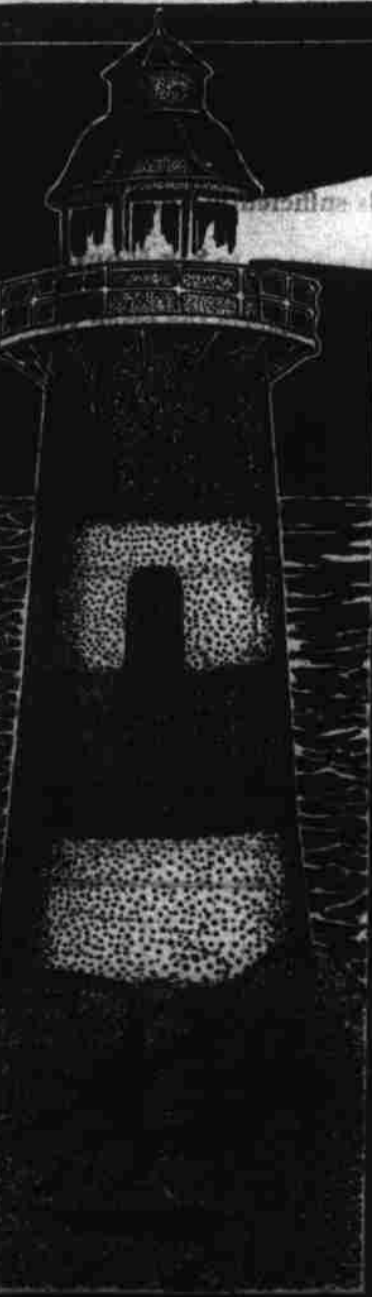
A Great Teachers' College.

The Legislature of Tennessee has just passed a bill giving to the Peabody College for Teachers, at Nashville, the sum of \$250,000. Appropriations from other sources, notably one from the Peabody Education Fund of \$1,000,000, which had been made but depended upon the appropriation just passed by the State of Tennessee, make the total already given more than \$1,700,000 which had been made but depended upon the appropriation just passed by the State of Tennessee, make the total already given more than \$1,700,000, which will come to the college this year.

Assurances of other donations had been given, to be made as soon as the college is permanently and adequately endowed, which is now practically accomplished. The college will have handsome buildings, new departments, additional professors, and promises to be one of the greatest teachers' colleges of the country.

Concord is suffering from an epidemic of measles.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg, Russia, Wednesday says that 130 to 150 fishermen had been carried out to sea on ice floes from Friedrichshafen. Only five reached shore in safety. Bodies of seven have been recovered.



AVOID ALUM

AN UNSEEN DANGER IN FOOD

TO GUARD SHIPS against the unseen dangers at sea, the United States Government maintains lighthouses.

To guard your home against the unseen dangers of food products, the Government has enacted a pure food law. The law compels the manufacturers of baking powder to print the ingredients on the label of each can.

The Government has made the label your protection—so that you can avoid alum—read it carefully, if it does not say pure cream of tartar hand it back and

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