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Spain keeps up the old bluff of not going, but it will be noticed that she is doing all the time.

It is hardly necessary to explain now that voting for White Supremacy on November 8th, included a vote in favor of the Jim Crow Car.

The Asheville Gazette has become a member of the JOURNAL'S North Carolina Oyster Club.

Imperialism or no imperialism, expansion or no expansion, every one is not going to be found on the same side, nor does a difference of opinion denote a feeble intellect.

It is just as well for Senator Pritchard to remember that his political future is bound up in North Carolina, and that talk of Force bills on his part will prove a boom-erang.

Senator Marion Butler says in the personal organ of Marion Butler, that the Democrats secured their large majority on November 8th, because negroes voted the Democratic ticket.

AS TO LOCAL INDUSTRIES.

The average New Bernian, anxious for the development of local industries, is apt to think of a cotton mill as the chief and only possible industry which is worth establishing.

A recent industry established in this city, which has been described in these columns, is the Cotton Oil and Fertilizer Mills, which is proving a great industrial benefit to this city.

This is a rice mill, and like the Cotton Oil and Fertilizer Mills, such a plant could easily be built, and besides its industrial feature and the consequent benefits to our people, it would prove a profitable investment to those building such a mill.

It is these diversified industries, even though they may seem small and insignificant, which lead to greater industries, and no citizen of New Bern can afford to be above encouraging and assisting in the establishment of just such industries.

With a new oyster law, there is a fine opportunity here for a cannery.



BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR. It is for women's diseases and irregularities. It cures everything that is commonly called a "female trouble".

which will give employees a new working class. The time is not far away when a cotton mill will be built here, but meantime let the smaller industries be promoted and built.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarah that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarah Cure.

Hall's Catarah Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the eye.

Did Dr. Johnson Eat Horse? Dr. Johnson in his journal mentions the interesting fact that he had on a certain day had "palfrey for dinner."

Palfrey is defined in Johnson's celebrated dictionary as "a small horse fit for ladies," and some have thought that the doctor (whose feats as a trencherman were notorious) may have broken a record on the day in question and disposed of a small horse.

The word palfrey (sometimes palfrey) by the interchange of l and m is still in use among the rustics of Scotland and the north of Ireland, and means young catbages when they first come to table in the spring.

Pains in the chest when a person has a cold indicate a tendency toward pneumonia. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the chest over the seat of pain will promptly relieve the pain and prevent the threatened attack of pneumonia.

Wanted to Save Something.

Justice, (a negro prisoner)—You are charged with stealing chickens. Do you want a lawyer?

Prisoner—No, your honor. Justice—Why not?

Prisoner—If it pleases de co't, I'd like, if yer Honsh pleases, ter keep dem chickens myself, after habbin' de trouble er gettin' 'em.

Two Pointed Questions Answered.

What is the use of making a better article than your competitor if you can not get a better price for it?

Ans.—As there is no difference in the price the public will buy only the better, so that while our profits may be smaller on a single sale they will be much greater in the aggregate.

How can you get the public to know your make is the best? If both articles are brought prominently before the public both are certain to be tried and the public will very quickly pass judgment on them and use only the better one.

This explains the large sale of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The people have been using it for years and have found that it can always be depended upon. They may occasionally take up with some fashionable novelty put forth with exaggerated claims, but are certain to return to the one remedy that they know to be reliable, and for coughs, colds and croup there is nothing equal to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale by—F. S. Duffy.

A Flat Heart.

She—Papa is so timid about our marriage, dear.

He—What does he say?

"He says he's afraid I won't be able to support you."

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

SORE HANDS CURED BY CUTICURA

My hands were so sore that I could not hold a pen. I had tried many remedies but nothing helped. I had heard of Cuticura and bought it. It cured my hands in a few days.

Never Mistaken.

Mrs. Nabory—No your name is the same as your papa's, Harry.

Harry—Yes'm.

Mrs. Nabory—How do you know when your mama calls whom she means?

"Harry—Oh, she always calls me kind of coaxing."

Remedy For Nervous Exhaustion.

Are you weakened and exhausted by overwork, worry or disease? The Mystic Life Renewer will quickly renew your strength and vitality.

In a Restaurant.

A soldier of the famous Second Georgia walked in an Atlanta restaurant the day the regiment died, and said:

"Sandwich, please!" His companion added, quietly:

"Mustard out!"

Overcome evil with good.

Overcome your chills and colds with One Minute Cough Cure. It is so good children cry for it. It cures croup, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and all throat and lung diseases.

Hall Caine in Chicago.

Hall Caine has just returned from a Western tour, and while in Chicago made a study of the slums and social conditions of the city. He was not social to express his opinion.

Soothing, healing, cleansing, De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve is the impalpable essence of sores, burns and wounds.

It never fails to cure Piles. You may rely upon it. F. S. Duffy.

Shadow.

Discern the tragedy, who can— (How sad two hearts must feel!) Here's, "Wanted—To exchange a tandem for a single wheel."

Many a household is saddened by death because of the failure to keep on hand a safe and absolute certain cure for croup such as One Minute Cough Cure. See that your little ones are protected against emergency. F. S. Duffy.

Red Hot.

Simpkins—What makes your nose so red, Timkins? Timkins—It glows with pride, sir, at not poking itself into other people's business.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her.

Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at F. S. Duffy's Drug Store, large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

Real Hero.

"Speckelhorn is real war hero." "Him? He never got out of the country." "I know he didn't, but he hasn't worn his uniform since he was mustered out."

Rebbed the Grave.

A startling incident of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts. per bottle at F. S. Duffy's Drug Store.

Had to Go.

"We are worried about Julia; she got out of a sick bed to go to the marina." "How could she?" "She had to go, she had a cold!"

ENGLISH ARMY LIFE.

HOW TOMMY ATE HIS BREAD IN THE MATTER OF FOOD.

What He Most Aims Before He Can Secure the Privilege of Marriage—How the Wives of the Privates Live in the Barracks.

The orderly man deters in at the door with a steaming cup of tea, from which he rapidly fills the basin, the milk and sugar having been already added before the tea left the cookhouse.

No allowance is made in barracks for any of fastidious tastes. If a man prefers his tea unadorned, or can get elsewhere; the taste of the majority is alone consulted. The tea having been served out, the orderly man now proceeds to divide the bread into chunks, one for each man, and announces that the "extra" that morning is better.

This announcement is a welcome one, and the butter, being produced in its wrapper of blue waxed paper, is specifically divided into equal portions, one for each member of the mess.

Should any comrade be so unfortunate as to be languishing in the guardroom, awaiting disposal by the commanding officer, the orderly man has now to take his allowance to him, the tea being poured into a tin can and the bread and butter wrapped in paper and stowed in a basket.

But it may be asked: "Surely you have been told that soldiers enjoy more variety than plain bread and butter at their breakfasts. Have we not heard of savory kippers, of porridge—yes, even of eggs and bacon?"

True, such are the dainties enjoyed by generals and colonels who like to care a reputation for looking after the welfare of their men, but those fancy relishes are not much encouraged by Tommy Atkins for the simple reason that his funds will not allow of his receiving more than an infinitesimal portion of the kipper or whatever may be the favorite breakfast dainty of his commanding officer.

All that the corporal in charge of the grocery book has to spend daily is threepence per man in mess or under \$4 for a company with the average strength of 40 men in mess.

When it is realized that with this money tea, salt, pepper, vegetables for dinner, flour, if "duff" is to ornament the dinner table, and all the groceries which the soldier needs to eke out the rations of bread and meat already described have to be provided, it will be understood that the question of providing extras for breakfast and tea is a difficult one to solve, and that the corporal naturally prefers something like butter, which all appreciate, to some other dainty which may not appeal to the tastes of his constituency.

The question of permission to marry is a burning one in the barracks room. Only a limited number of men are allowed to marry, the strength of the roll varying with the establishment of the corps. Sergeants are given permission to marry as a matter of course. If there is a vacancy in the establishment, but no soldier is allowed to enter the blessed state unless he has seven years' service, \$5 in the savings bank and two good conduct badges. I have heard it said that there is such a thing as borrowing the \$5 till the necessary permission has been obtained, but there is no getting over the other two conditions.

The married quarters seem comfortable enough. That strikes us most is the enormous number of latines and outside young children who swarm round the door of every quarter, occasional yells leading to the hasty arrival of a flushed and heated looking matron to restore order in a summary fashion. The allowance of space does not strike one as particularly liberal, soldiers with small families being given only one room, with the minutest possible scullery, the fathers of larger families rejecting in an extra room for latines and outside young children, but otherwise have no pull over their comrades of lower rank.

The wives of the private soldiers add largely to the scanty pay of their husbands by doing washing for the men of their husbands' company, and twice blessed is the woman whose good man belongs to a company having few married soldiers. In this case she will be able to get more to do than her less fortunate sisters. Some of the women who have a reputation as washerwomen earn plenty of money by washing for the officers of the regiment. The soldier's wife seems to drift naturally into being a washerwoman.

A little conversation with the ladies is a liberal education in esprit de corps; each woman thoroughly identifies herself with the regiment to which her husband belongs, and even in these days of short service, as a rule, have two rooms, but otherwise have no pull over their comrades of lower rank.

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Quite Another Thing. She—You say that he and another Chicago man have a wager as to which one will marry her? He—No; as to which one will marry her first.

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For Ages it has been thought that Cancer is incurable, and those so unfortunate as to have this dreadful affliction have considered themselves beyond hope of recovery. The doctors are absolutely unable to afford any relief, and the poor sufferer might well consider himself on the way to an early grave.

It is now easy to see why the doctors have failed to cure Cancer. Their theories have been all wrong, and hence their treatment misdirected. They have made the mistake of thinking that by cutting out the sore or ulcer, known as Cancer, the disease would be gotten rid of, and the patient restored to health. But the cruel knife accomplishes nothing, for the Cancer promptly returns, and is always more virulent than before.

It has been demonstrated, beyond doubt, that Cancer is a blood disease, and can not be cured by the surgeon's knife because the blood can not be cut away. Several years ago my wife had an ulcer on her tongue, which, though annoying, was not regarded seriously at first. It refused to heal and began to grow, giving her much pain. The doctors treated it for quite a while but

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