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A SUGGESTIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE.

The property of the Masons on Hancock street, the building being used for lodge and theatre purposes, is out of the way for the purposes it is used for, and inconveniently arranged as well as inadequately adapted for the present local demands, this latter being the portion known as the Masonic Opera house.

The white Graded School of this city demands enlarging and improving, to meet the school requirements of the city.

To make these needed and necessary improvements, the Trustees have the property on Middle and Broad streets to sell, and use the money from the sale in the school development.

The property of the Masons on Hancock street practically adjoins the property of the Graded School.

The property of the School Trustees on Middle and Broad streets is most suitably located for the purposes of Masonic lodge and opera house.

Why could there not be some arrangement made by which an exchange of these two properties can be made, so that each can secure a property and location best adapted for its peculiar needs?

Valuations could be made of each of the above properties, and an equitable basis of exchange be effected, whereby the Masons on their side, and the Trustees, for the Graded School, on their side, each be specially benefited, and the citizens of New Bern who are interested in both, be benefited on their part, by such an exchange.

With such an exchange made, both properties would be improved and put to new and more effective uses, and the city would receive the benefit through the improvements made in both places.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies.

We will give One Hundred Dollar for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

History Repeating. Mr. Binks - I don't like the looks of that young man who calls to see Clara.

At Wyomondham, Norfolk, England, in this inscription at an old country house engraved on an oak board, and all in one line: "Noe nahi gis cervus, nec homines hieudo."

Not a Case of Superstition. Mrs. B. - Oh, Charles, you can never sit down with-thirteen at table.

Do you think that people appreciate art in this country? "Certainly," answered Mrs. Cumroz. "Everybody gets interested as soon as you tell 'em how much a masterpiece cost."

One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my "usual state" writes D. R. Turner, of Danversport, Va. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe.

YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton, Grain, Provisions and Stocks. Range in Prices. Receipts and Shipments.

The following are the market quotations, received by private wire to J. E. Latham & Co. New Bern, N. C.

Chicago, May 18. Wheat - Open High Low. Close

May 78 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2

July 79 1/2 80 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2

Sept 80 1/2 81 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2

Close: May 44 1/2 44 1/2

July 44 1/2 44 1/2

Sept 44 1/2 44 1/2

Oats: May 35 35 1/2

July 35 35 1/2

Sept 35 35 1/2

Barley: May 1865 1865

July 1715 1715

Sept 1667 1667

Lard: May 82 82

July 880 880

Sept 900 900

Ribs: May 915 915

July 903 903

Sept 927 927

New York, May 18.

Amr. Sugar 126 126

Union Pacific 90 90

So. Pacific 54 1/2 54 1/2

Manhattan 14 1/2 14 1/2

Great Western 22 1/2 22 1/2

Money 2 1/2 2 1/2

Amr. Copper 66 1/2 66 1/2

Texas Pacific 80 1/2 80 1/2

Wabash pf. 48 1/2 48 1/2

Erie, 1st 68 1/2 68 1/2

Colorado So. 25 1/2 25 1/2

Anacosta Cop. 30 1/2 30 1/2

Southern Ry. 30 1/2 30 1/2

Southern Ry pf. 92 1/2 92 1/2

Louisville Nash 118 1/2 118 1/2

Brooklyn R. T. 65 1/2 65 1/2

Penn. R. R. 130 1/2 130 1/2

Atchafalpa 80 1/2 80 1/2

St. Paul 161 1/2 161 1/2

Erie, 2nd 35 1/2 35 1/2

Utichon pf. 34 1/2 34 1/2

U. S. Steel 84 1/2 84 1/2

Reading 55 1/2 55 1/2

People Gas 44 1/2 44 1/2

C. & O. 44 1/2 44 1/2

B. & O. 92 1/2 92 1/2

M. & W. 60 1/2 60 1/2

Team, Coal, Iron 62 1/2 62 1/2

N. K. Central 139 1/2 139 1/2

Rock Island 44 1/2 44 1/2

Western Union 29 1/2 29 1/2

Ontario Western 29 1/2 29 1/2

A. C. 131 1/2 131 1/2

Metropolitan 181 1/2 181 1/2

WOMAN AND FASHION.

Hats For Small Girls. Big picture hats for small girls are all the rage for spring and summer wear.



How an abscess in the Fallopian Tubes of Mrs. Hollinger was removed without a surgical operation.

"I had an abscess in my side in the fallopian tube (the fallopian tube is a connection of the ovaries). I suffered untold misery and was so weak I could scarcely get around. The sharp burning pains low down in my side were terrible. My physicians said there was no help for me unless I would go to the hospital and be operated on. I thought before that I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which, fortunately, I did, and it has made me a stout, healthy woman. My advice to all women who suffer with any kind of female trouble is to commence taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once."

It would seem by this statement that women would save time and much sickness if they would get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and also write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and always helps. To other persons can give such helpful advice as Mrs. Pinkham to women who are sick.

In 1765 the mayor of Yarmouth, England, issued the following proclamation: "Owing to the present enormous price of corn and the alarming apprehension of a scarcity in that most necessary article, many towns throughout the kingdom have set the laudable example of leaving off for a time the custom of wearing powder in their hair, by which means a great quantity of wheat must infallibly be saved to the nation, and if the price be not reduced it may at least be prevented from increasing. We, therefore, the mayor, justices and principal inhabitants of Great Yarmouth, do recommend the example as worthy imitation, and we flatter ourselves the military will not hesitate to adopt it, being fully convinced that appearances are at all times to be sacrificed to the public weal, and that in doing this they will really do good."

Four Great Musicians. Palestrina was a revolutionist in his day, but is now virtually obsolete even for the severest classicists. Gluck was as radical an innovator as Wagner, yet it is only occasionally and with difficulty that one of his works can now be briefly resuscitated. Beethoven was a madman even to many of the best musicians as late as 1865, when, as that musical veteran, Professor Haupt, himself said, the "Fifth Symphony" was regarded in Berlin for a long time, and the orchestra dashed the music from the racks, declaring it was crazy and could never be played. Now this same "Fifth Symphony" is considered a model of form, and its composer is the cherished idol of conservatives and classicists.

Pity For Western Nations. The Chinese enjoy the greatest liberty. The laws of the western nation are growing more and more severe. Instances of their bondage may be given. All the children in the country are bound to attend school at a certain age. When an author wants to print a book, he has to ask for a copyright. Before a man can start a newspaper he must apply for a certificate from his government sanctioning him to do so. There are fixed regulations governing all companies and firms. All marriages must be reported to a certain department for registration. Thus there is no liberty between husband and wife. -Feking Sin Pao.

Miniature Trees. The Japanese art of making miniature landscapes and gardens consists chiefly in starving the plant so as to retard the circulation of its sap or life giving energy. Ferguson, who was one among the first of English adventurers to visit China and Japan, mentions the fact that he saw at Canton "a box about the bigness of a ladies snuff box, which did not contain a tiny dirt and sixteen tiny trees, four of which were in full bloom, the whole boxed-trees and all so small that a man could put them in his mouth together."

Transcaucasia grows almost every known grain in the world. The forests of the Caucasian mountain range produce saffron, madder, oak, walnut and boxwood lumber, while apples, pears and grapes grow wild in these forests to such an extent that they are exported in large quantities. The wine of Transcaucasia is also exported, and the cotton of the country is second only to that of Egypt.

A Sure Thing. It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdstown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely. It is infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It is guaranteed by C. D. Bradburn, druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. since 1864, \$1.00.

Model Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat.

FACTS IN FEW LINES.

A red colored solution now obviates the need of a dark room in photography.

One-twentieth of the wealth of the German nation is in 6,000 share companies.

In the last two years one in eight of all deaths in Chicago have been from lung fever.

Our principal exports to Korea are electrical appliances and idols. How incongruous!

From Havre a French lady has sent out to the Cape a number of sheep as a present to the Boers.

To be able to pronounce "heredibility" is a sure sign of sobriety, says a Cardiff (Wales) doctor.

Of the twenty-five men who have been president of the United States ten have today no descendants.

When nine inches of snow falls in New York, it costs the municipal treasury \$200,000 to have it removed.

In many parts of the country the use of stoves in passenger cars of steam railroad trains is prohibited by law.

In the Farmers' Improvement Society of Texas there are 3,000 negro farmers who own 50,000 acres of land.

Of 3,758 unemployed men at Leeds, England, 1,221 are outdoor and 653 indoor laborers, while 649 are iron workers.

In Gnesen, Poland, the daughter of a landowner is said to have awakened from a trance on the day of her funeral.

At Niagara Falls 35,000 horse power is used in twenty different electrical processes for producing metals and chemicals.

The numerical strength of the standing armies of the Danubian states are: Servia, 63,000; Roumania, 38,000; Bulgaria, 34,400.

The copper belt in Coahuila county, Ariz., is three or four miles wide and extends for sixteen miles across the line into Mexico.

There are 106 independent anthracite operators in Pennsylvania, with an aggregate output from their collieries of 14,923,000 tons yearly.

Seventy-one patents covering apparatus for wireless telegraphy were issued in the United States last year, making the total number 109.

In a trial at Atlanta the fact was elicited that at one drug store in that city more than 3,000 prescriptions for cocaine had been filed within two months.

Sulfide is on the increase, especially among married males. The death rate of married males from fifteen to forty-four years of age is greater than in unmarried males.

A new process for extracting oil from olives by a centrifugal machine, such as is used in sugar refineries, will effect an enormous saving to the olive growers of California.

The British admiralty has suddenly abandoned its long and stubbornly held position and placed the engineers of the navy on full equality with the executive, or line officers.

Dr. Whitman of the University of Chicago, one of the Carnegie institution's advisers, recommends a biological farm for the study of heredity, variation and evolution.

California prunes are slowly drying out the imported varieties. California now has over 90,000 acres of prune trees, and Idaho, Oregon and Washington have about 50,000 more.

It is estimated that between the ages of twenty and thirty a man loses on an average only five and a half days a year from illness, but between fifty and sixty he loses twenty days yearly.

The anniversary of the emancipation of 23,000,000 Russian peasants, liberated by Alexander II. in 1861, is to be celebrated hereafter in the Orthodox churches by elaborate thanksgiving services instead of by a single requiem mass.

Owing to the remarkable decline of bicycles in popularity one of the largest producers in New York has discontinued manufacturing them. A quantity of special machinery has accordingly been consigned to the scrap heap.

A French doctor has invented a harmless bullet, which ought to be very useful to French duellists. It is made of a chalky compound, and when it strikes a person it merely marks the spot without doing the least mischief. With a mask over the face man can practice revolver shooting at each other just as they now practice fencing.

The Clydesdale horse should walk at a swinging pace of not less than four miles an hour, and if he wants to trot he should move straight and close, with the points of the hocks turned inward rather than outward. He should not be wide between the thighs, nor should his fore legs be planted on the outside of his shoulders, causing him to walk like a bulldog.

A strange spindly plant with nodding little flowers was sent from the city of Mexico to the Madrid botanical garden in 1784 and, being new to the botanists, was named dahalia, after Dahl, a Swedish botanist. Florists soon noticed the great possibility of variation in the flower in color and size, but it was rare in Europe until Humboldt brought from Mexico a quantity of the seed.

THE HALL OF FAME.

Edward Beupre, a Canadian, at present a resident of Chicago, is so strong that he is lately lifted a horse bodily off its legs.

Major Walter D. McCaw will represent the army at the international congress of hygiene and demography in Brussels in September.

Miss Beattie Johnson, daughter of Mayor Tom Johnson of Cleveland, O., has been appointed probation officer of the children's court of her city.

Professor W. S. Jackson of the University of Chicago has been elected president of the National Society For the Scientific Study of Education.

Harrison Simral, secretary of the board of education of Lexington, Ky., is in possession of a beautiful bow of five razors that formerly belonged to Henry Clay.

The former home of General Philip H. Sheridan in Washington, which was presented to him by admirers through the country, has been sold by his widow, the price being \$55,000.

The elevation of Sir George White to the rank of field marshal puts Ireland in the position of furnishing three field marshals out of nine to the British army, or four if the Duke of Connaught is included.

Emile Waldteufel, the waltz writer, though an old man of eighty, still composes a remarkable amount of dance music. Over 800 waltzes, polkas, mazurkas and other dances have been written and published by M. Waldteufel.

Charles F. Eaton, a noted handicraftsman in wood, leather and metal, has near Santa Barbara, Cal., a tropical garden surrounded by a hundred live oaks and containing 6,000 rose palms and other plants. English fly hangers in heavy strands from the oaks.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe has just become a great-grandmother through the birth of a child to Mrs. Henry Marion Hall of East Orange, N. J. Mr. Hall is a son of Mrs. Florence Howe Hall of Plainfield. This is Mrs. Howe's first great-grandchild.

It was Pasteur, a French chemist, not a physician, who first revealed that disease was essentially a fermentation, like that of yeast, due to the presence of minute fungi, now known as bacteria. His dramatic cure of drenched hydrophobia gave his discovery world-wide notoriety.

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The struggle for racial supremacy between the Slav and Hellenic, says a writer on Macedonia, "is a struggle as old as the hills, is here identified with and embittered by the religious strife which rages between the followers of the Greek patriarch - the schismatic and the orthodox parties. This animosity pervades and poisons all the relations of life, private no less than public. A Greek will on no account speak to or shake hands with a Bulgarian. Nor will a Bulgarian patronize a shop kept by a Greek. The antipathy between the two nationalities amounts almost to physical repugnance. It far exceeds any feeling of enmity that either of them may entertain toward the Turk, who has during five centuries of the most unmitigated oppression imaginable."

Analysis of a Tear. The chief element in the composition of a tear is water, but with water are associated minute proportions of salt, soda, phosphate of lime, phosphate of soda and mucous, and when seen under the microscope a tear after evaporation looks like a very small fish bone, owing to the saltlines forming themselves into lengthened cross lines.

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HOST PATTERSON.

The Proprietor of the Patterson House Gives an Interview.

Many there are in New Bern who are glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, but none whose endorsement will carry more weight than him who is quoted here today.

M. Patterson, proprietor of the Patterson House, E. Front and Pollock streets says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for I have used them in my family and found them to be as represented. I used them for my kidneys and back from which I have suffered for some years. The secretions from the kidneys were very dark and full of sediment. The whole trouble disappeared and I felt better than for a long time and to Doan's Kidney Pills I give all the credit. I obtained them at Bradburn's Pharmacy. You can use my name at any time as one who recommends this valuable kidney medicine."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name - Doan's - and take no other.

A Singular Accident. A singular accident recently occurred at Lamport station, between Northampton and Market Harborough, England. A cab from a Northampton hotel was being driven toward Harborough when the horse bolted and dashed into the level crossing gates at Lamport station. One gate was knocked down, and the horse and vehicle went on to the line. An express train was within a couple of hundred yards and the driver of the cab, seeing this, by a great effort turned the horse on to the up platform. The express swept by, and no sooner had it done so than the horse and cab fell from the platform on to the line. The occupant was much cut by broken glass, and the driver was found unconscious under the smashed vehicle. The train passed over the gate as it lay across the rails and broke it to pieces.

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