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THE COTTON OUTLOOK.

The season is now far enough advanced to make approximate forecasts of the world's cotton yield for this year, and unless all present signs fail, the crop is going to be a record-breaker. It is probable that the American crop will be somewhere between 11,000,000 and 12,000,000 bales, for the acreage is about 10 per cent greater than that of last year, with a gain in condition of 9 points over the government reports at a corresponding date last year.

The comparative table of acreage increase in the cotton states for the present and past years is as follows:

	1904 over 1903	1903 over 1902
North Carolina	13.5	7.2
South Carolina	9	5.3
Georgia	7.7	4.4
Florida	10.9	2
Alabama	9	2.3
Mississippi	10.5	4.5
Louisiana	13.5	28
Texas	7.1	1 5
Arkansas	9.3	5.8
Tennessee	11.5	6
Missouri	23	11
Oklahoma	29.2	5.9
Indian Territory	26.	10 3
Virginia	19.	7
Totals	9.8	3.7

The condition of the crop in the several states, on June 1, for the past five years, follows:

	1904	1903	1902	1901	1900
North Carolina	84	74	91	87	86
South Carolina	81	76	97	80	85
Georgia	78	75	94	80	89
Florida	88	81	100	88	88
Alabama	80	73	92	76	84
Mississippi	85	78	94	82	85
Louisiana	86	76	96	80	88
Texas	84	70	95	84	71
Arkansas	84	78	100	81	91
Tennessee	85	83	100	79	86
Missouri	82	83			
Okla	93	79			
Ind. T.	90	76			
Virginia	82	72			
Totals.	83.0	74.1	95.1	81.5	83.5

The 1903 condition was the lowest ever recorded and it is not now likely that conditions will develop to appreciably cut under the official estimates for the present season. True, the boll weevil is again getting busy in Texas, and in the eastern half of the belt the squares are falling from insect attack but the increased average and improved June condition will offset a great deal of this kind of damage in forecasting the harvest. The acreage in cotton is given by the agricultural department as 31,730,371.—Atlanta Constitution.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore required constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F J Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Real Estate Value of a Name.

Quilca House, County Cavan, where Dean Swift wrote part of his "Gulliver's Travels," has been sold in the Irish land judge's court, together with the demesne. Owing to the association with Dean Swift the house and land were sold on the basis of a rental of £111, the ordinary rental being estimated at £57.—London Mail.

"I have been troubled for some time with indigestion and sore stomach," says Mrs Sarah W Curtis, of Lee, Mass., "and have been taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets which have helped me very much so that now I can eat many things that before I could not." If you have any trouble with your stomach why not take these Tablets and get well. For sale by all Druggists.

YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

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

The following are the market quotations, received by private wire from J Walter Labaree & Co., to Barrus & Co. New Bern, N. C.

New York, June 18.

Cotton;—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July.....	11.10	11.18	10.91	11.07
Aug.....	10.68	10.70	10.37	10.60
Oct.....	9.62	9.65	9.50	9.62
Dec.....	9.55	9.61	9.55	9.60

Chicago, June 18.

Chicago Grain.	Open.	Close
July Wheat	85½	87½
July Corn	48½	48½
July Oats	38½	39½
July Ribs	720	726
July Pork	1259	1257
July Lard	683	680

New York, June 18.

Stocks;—	Open.	Close
Amr.Sugar.....	126½	126½
Amr. Copper....	49½	50½
Atchison.....	71½	72
Southern Ry....	21	21½
Southern Ry pf..		
U. S. Steel.....	9½	9½
U. S. Steel pf...	54½	54½
Penn. R R.....	115½	115½
Erie.....	28½	28½
Louisville&Nash	109½	109½
St. Paul.....	142½	142½
N.Y Centra.....	115½	116
N. & W.....		
Va. C Chemical.		

BANK STATEMENT.

New York, June 18

Reserves, increase	3,807,425
Loans, increase	7,596,600
Specie, increase	4,793,800
Legal Tender, increase	1,379,000
Deposits, increase	19,761,800
Circulation, increase	664,600

Burrus & Co's Cotton Letter.

New Bern June 18th.

The principal influence at work in the cotton market this week was the continuance of the magnificent weather noted the later part of last week, and the utter indifference of spinners regarding purchases of spot cotton. What little demand there was noted, came principally from the shorts and while there was moderate buying by spot interests, this did not offset the numerous bearish advices and check the sellings of aggressive bear operators. There is nothing in the situation to induce operators to take the long side of the market for an advance and everything to induce short selling. With the fine weather conditions existing at the present time, and indications for a continuance of such, there is nothing in the situation to induce short to cover unless conditions suddenly took a turn for the worse and there are no indications for a crop scare at present.

Sued by His Doctor.

"A doctor here has sued me for $12.50 which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coachella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say under oath that it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by All Druggists.

Safety Signal For Streets.

In Dresden, Germany, an automatic safety signal at street car crossings that has recently been put into operation consists of a box about two feet long suspended above the center of the crossing and furnished with electric connections whereby an approaching car on arriving within a certain distance causes the word "halt" to appear in conspicuous red letters on the opposite sides of the box, thus warning of their danger all cars and pedestrians coming toward the crossing at right angles.—Exchange.

Could, Not Would.

Referring to the ninetieth birthday of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts it is recalled that at one time it was currently reported that the great Duke of Wellington wanted her for a wife. When the report reached the Waterloo hero he made this comment: "I said Miss Angela Burdett-Coutts deserved to be a duchess, not that I would make her one." On hearing what the famous soldier said Miss Burdett-Coutts remarked quietly, "I think his grace should have said could instead of would."

Machine Shop Marvels.

It is now possible with high speed steel to turn and machine steel at a rate up to 400 feet per minute and also to drill cast iron at twenty-five inches per minute. These are indeed remarkable speeds when it is remembered that only a comparatively short time back with the ordinary crucible steels a cutting speed of thirty feet to fifty feet per minute was more like the limit.—Page's Magazine.

Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Stevens, Decatur, Ala. "For three years she writes, "I endured inexpressible pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was astonishing. I improved at once and now I'm cured completely restored." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel complaints Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. For sale by all Druggists.

CONSUMED BY A FIRE THAT WATER WILL NOT QUENCH.

Eczema drives its victim almost to the verge of distraction by its intolerable itching, stinging and burning. It seems to set the skin on fire, and the tormented sufferer rubs and scratches till the flesh is raw and the skin is torn and bleeds. Nothing applied externally does much good, for the disease is internal; the blood is aflame with acid poisons, that are forcing their way through the glands and pores of the skin, causing it to redden and swell and break out in splotches, pustules and pimples, from which a clear, yellow, watery matter exudes, hardens and dries, and then peels off in scales or fine particles like bran. Eczema kindles a fire that water will not quench, and that lotions, salves, powders and soap cannot smother. As warm weather comes on and the system is reacting and the blood making extra efforts to throw off the accumulated poisons, Eczema attacks with redoubled violence, and the sufferer is almost distracted by the fearful itching and burning. It is the most uncomfortable and aggravating of all skin eruptions and a terror in warm weather.

Local remedies give temporary ease, but as Eczema is not due to outside causes, but to a disordered condition of the system and an over-acid and impure blood, the treatment must be constitutional, or internal. Purify the blood and the skin disease will disappear. No better blood remedy can be found than S. S. S. It builds up the sour and acid blood, rids it of all impurities and poison, stimulates the sluggish organs, and invigorates and tones up the entire system; and as all skin eruptions like Eczema are only symptoms or signs of bad blood, they naturally disappear when that vital fluid is again restored to health.

SSS

S. S. S. is guaranteed strictly vegetable. It is not only a blood purifier, but a splendid tonic and appetizer, making it an ideal spring medicine. Treat Eczema through the blood, or you will never get permanently rid of it. Write for our book on the Skin and its Diseases, which is mailed free. Medical advice furnished without cost to you.

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ECZEMA KEPT SPREADING.

Six years ago my wife had a breaking-out below her knees. At first red bumps appeared, but soon white, husky scabs came, and when these would shed off the place became red again, and would itch and burn so that she found it impossible to sleep. At times a yellow water ran from the bumps, and it kept getting worse and worse. Our family physician pronounced it Eczema, and prescribed ointments and powders; but it kept spreading, breaking out on her body and arms, and almost closed up her ears. The druggist at Garner told me to try S. S. S., which she did, and after taking several bottles was cured, and is well to-day and has been for years.

Garner, N. C. W. A. ROCUTT

HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

Over 300 horses are now at the Glenville track, Cleveland, O.

A score of grand circuit candidates are stopping fast at Memphis.

Crescens' official record remains 2:08¼ owing to the recent Wishita decision.

The west Michigan state fair and race meeting at Grand Rapids will be held Sept. 19-23.

The roan pacing stallion Vasser, 2:07, will not go to Idaho, as reported, but will stay in Maine.

C. W. Weller, Fort Wayne, Ind., has sold the bay gelding Billy W., 2:16¼, by Red Bell, 2:11¼, to William Sharp, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Allen Riddle, Sidney, O., has sold the young stallion Patchen Chimes, by Legonda Chimes, dam Elsie, by Mambrino King, to Don Hunter, Muncie, Ind.

Oom Paul, 2:27¾, the gray trotting gelding by Alcryon, 2:15, has been sold by McGettigan Bros., Toledo, O., to Frank G. Thompson of the same city.

Dave Raybould has driven Burrant, by Burrant, 2:12¾, as M. and M. candidate, a mile in 2:15¼ at Santa Ana, Cal., and a quarter right at a two minute gait.

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newbro's Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everyone's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found, who will deny that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that HERPICIDE means a destroyer or killer of "Herpes." Now "Herpes" is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dandruff, stopping scaly, and falling hair; this is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE promptly destroys; after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

G. D. Bradham, Special Agent.

Slaughter Creatures.

"And so, Peter, you spell 'cooked' with an 'a?'" said the teacher, correcting an exercise. "Please, sir," was the reply, "my papa told mamma only yesterday that women were slaughter beings."

Men blush less for their crimes than for their weaknesses and vanity.—La Bruyere.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are just what you need when you have no appetite, feel dull after eating and wake up with a bad taste in your mouth. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and give you a relish for your food. For sale by all Druggists.

Discovered.

Betty—I say, I suppose you think you're the biggest man in the world!

Plain—As you have found me out, of course there's no use to deny it, but it wouldn't be modest, you know, for me to go about boasting of my superiority.—Boston Transcript.

Safe Bet.

"This is the seventh time I have refused you, Mr. Brimmins."

"Um."

"What makes you think I don't mean it when I say 'no?'"

"I—er—I really can't believe you'd be so foolish."—Philadelphia Press.

A Strong Heart.

is assured by perfect digestion. Indigestion weakens the stomach and puts a strain upon the heart. This causes short wind, palpitation of the heart and general weakness. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure rests the digestive organs, relieves stomach, takes the strain off the heart and allows it to do full work in its function naturally. Kodol increases the strength by nourishing the system with food you can digest. It is the most perfect digestant and tonic. It will cure you. Sold by druggists.

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Strictly Speaking—Correct.

Keeper—Now, then, we don't allow fishing on these grounds.

Small Boy—I ain't fishing in the grounds. I'm fishing in the water.

An Alarm Clock For 25c

If you want to get up early and feel good all day take a Little Early Riser or two at bed time. These famous little pills relax the nerves, give quiet rest and refreshing sleep with a gentle movement of the bowels about breakfast time. W H Howell Houston Tex., says "Early Risers are the best pills made for constipation, sick headache, billiousness, etc." Sold by F B Duffy.

Makaroff's Sister's Visions.

The Petit Parisien's St. Petersburg correspondent sends a sad story regarding the sister of Admiral Makaroff, whose hair, although she is only fifty years old, has turned absolutely white. She told a representative of the press that she had two visions on the night of the admiral's death, when he appeared and told her of the explosion. Her name is Mme. Tabonnoff. She is the widow of an officer and receives only a small pension, which Admiral Makaroff used to supplement.—London Mail.

All that come from Summer's Heat
& Mother need not fear to greet,
When with "TEETHINA" she's supplied,
No ills with baby need abide.

"TEETHINA" (Teething Powders) Counteracts and Overcomes and Effects of the Summer's Heat. Aids Digestion, Regulates the Bowels of children of any age and makes teething easy.

The Automobile Consumption Cure.

Motor car exercise will cure consumption, says Dr. Blanchet of Lyons. He speaks from personal experience, having recovered his own health by regularly covering about a hundred miles a day in an open motor car. He avers that by this remedy the cough of tuberculous patients is gradually abolished or greatly diminished and healthy sleep and appetite produced. It is most essential that the body should be duly protected from cold. The elements of the cure are the long stay in the open air and the increased atmospheric pressure due to the rapid motion, which expands and strengthens the lungs.—London Mail.

Triumphs of Modern Surgery.

Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely, bones are stolen, plugs take the place of diseased sections of veins, antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, broken bones and like injuries make it desirable that the parts in which accidents have occurred be left absolutely at rest, which means that no bad effects whatever are to be dreaded, the lines laid down by the old surgeons. Chamberlain's Pain Balm follows the same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays inflammation and prevents any bad effects from the injury. Pain Balm is for sale by all druggists.

THE HALL OF FAME.

J. P. Weiss of Philadelphia has a complete model of the famous hall of state Constitution.

J. P. Morgan is one of the great smokers of the country. His big black cigars are made especially for him in Havana.

Sir Charles Hardinge, the new British ambassador to St. Petersburg, is a young man, as ambassadors go, being barely forty-five.

Emperor Menelek of Abyssinia is the fifth husband of his wife Taitu, who was once a great beauty. Three of her spouses met violent deaths.

Cole Harvey has begun the publication of a paper in Monte Ne, Benton county, Ark., a place which he founded and named some years ago.

"The best after dinner speaker I ever heard," says Senator Depew, "was Gladstone at eighty, and next in order, in my opinion, was Simon Cameron at ninety."

George Washington, once a cannibal king in Africa, but now converted to Christianity, is traveling in the east, telling of his experiences in the dark continent.

C. Ledyard Blair is rejuvenating his handsome estate at Far Hills, N. J., and is stocking the place with a variety of rare trees and shrubbery which will cost about $1,000,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Lehrmann are the prize matrimonial couple of Wisconsin. Celebrating their diamond wedding anniversary recently they walked to the church, where the ceremony was repeated. Four generations attended them.

Joseph Supernaw of Ludlow, Mass., on a wager ate sixteen good sized navel oranges. Supernaw had eaten four oranges when the wager was made and disposed of the other twelve in exactly twenty minutes. His previous record in eating fruit has been twenty-eight bananas.

Congressman Henry S. Boutell of Chicago has a passion for digging into old records and hunting up literary conceits. He has a most curious collection of odd epitaphs, which he thinks of publishing. Mr. Boutell is a storehouse of information regarding oddities of American and English history.

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland Sentorville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by C D Bradham, Druggist. Trial bottle free, regular sizes 50c, $1.

What Royalty Costs.

It is not generally realized what an expensive thing it is for an important nation to support its royal family. England, for example, pays out almost $5,000,000 a year for the maintenance of its king, queen, princes, princesses and other royal dignitaries. The king and queen alone receive $2,350,000 annually, the Prince of Wales receives $100,000 and the Princess of Wales $50,000 (what the United States pays its president). The Princesses Christian, Louise and Beatrice and the Duchess of Albany receive $30,000; the Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz receives $15,000; the Duke of Connaught, $125,000, and the Duke of Cambridge $60,000. Out of the income allotted to the king and queen must be paid the cost of the royal household. This includes the salaries and incidental expenses of almost 1,000 officers and functionaries. The king and the Prince of Wales receive, in addition to their incomes, large revenues from several sources.—Harper's Weekly.

A CONTINUAL STRAIN.

Many men and women are constantly subjected to what they commonly term "a continual strain" because of some financial or family trouble. It wears and distresses them both mentally and physically, affecting their nerves badly and bringing on liver and kidney ailments, with the attendant evils of constipation, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, low vitality and despondency. They cannot, as a rule, get rid of this "continual strain," but they can remedy its health-destroying effects by taking frequent doses of Green's August Flower. It tones up the liver, stimulates the kidneys, insures healthy bodily functions, gives vim and spirit to one's whole being, and eventually dispels the physical or mental distress caused by that "continual strain." Trial bottle of August Flower, 25c; regular size, 75c. At all druggists. F. S. Duffy.

The Real Value.

Miss Ethel Barrymore, the young American actress, tells the following story of Sir Henry Irving, in whose support she appeared when he produced the play "Peter the Great."

It appears that at a rehearsal of the play in question at the Lyceum theater, London, a material climax had been reached, which was to be heightened by the effective use of the usual thunder and lightning. The stage carpenter was given the order. The words were spoken, and instantly a noise which resembled a remarkable of sheet iron was heard all the wings. "What on earth are you doing, man?" shouted Sir Henry, stamping behind the scenes. "Do you call that thunder? It's not a bit like it."

"Awfully sorry, sir," responded the carpenter, "but the thing is, sir, I couldn't hear you towards the finish. That was real thunder, sir!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their invaluable worth for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They prevent Malaria and Fever. Only 25c. For sale by all druggists.

A PUZZLER FOR HIM.

An Episode in the Domestic Life of Mr. and Mrs. Mudley.

"I don't seek your confidence enough, Matilda," said Mr. Mudley, who was experiencing one of his periodical spasms of reform. "Hereafter I want you to consult me about all your little troubles and affairs. I wish to take an interest in everything that interests you. Come to me with your doubts. Confide in me."

"Oh, Henry, how sweet of you!" exclaimed Mrs. Mudley. "I have always wished that we were nearer together—that I could consult you and lean upon you, as it were."

"Well, hereafter always come to me," benignly enjoined Mr. Mudley as he opened the evening paper.

A few moments later Mrs. Mudley ventured, "Henry, dear."

"Yes, my love."

"May I ask your opinion about something?"

"Why, certainly, my dear," said Mr. Mudley, sitting up straight and assuming a judicial cast of countenance. "What is it, my love?"

"Would you make this waist of maize peau de cygne, with the bertha of point d'esprit, trimmed with ruches of taffeta, or would you have the yoke cut gules on the bias, with cuffs of cream venetian over white mousseline?"

"I believe I'd have it the first way, Matilda," gasped Mr. Mudley as he looked about for his hat. "Guess I'll go down to the club for awhile."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Took It Calmly.

One Sunday recently a lady went into a church in a town to which she was a stranger and asked to be shown to a seat. The sidesman conducted her to a back seat in the gallery, the only other occupant at the time being an old gentleman, who rose to let her pass. It was somewhat dark, and the lady as she shook her skirts and settled down had a horrible suspicion that she was sitting on something besides the cushion. She put out her hand and drew forth the sad remains of a silk hat.

"Oh," she said to the old gentleman, "I beg your pardon. I'm so sorry."

The old gentleman looked at the melancholy ruin and replied that it could not be helped.

"Oh, it's truly generous of you to say so," said the lady, "but I'm afraid you're angry."

"Not in the least," said the old gentleman, straightening out the hat and placing it under the seat." You see, it's not my hat. It belongs to Mr. —, who showed you in!"—Tit-Bits.

"Was in Poor Health"

And we were greatly worried about him.

MASTER FEDOR MICHAELSEN.

In writing of the ailments so common to growing children, it is natural that "loss of appetite" should play a conspicuous part. Even in the smallest infants derangement of digestion is the starting point of almost all their ills, and at any age of life, when nourishment does not keep pace with the demands upon vitality, there is sure to be trouble.

The problem of health is not so difficult of solution when we begin, as the doctor does in his own health, with the kind and quantity of nourishment needed to sustain vitality. And when a growing child, for example, is unable to derive sufficient nourishment from ordinary food, how in the world can the parent expect a vigorous growth? If the child does not relish food and begins to lose flesh and color, it is time indeed to adopt the following suggestion:—

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Dear Sirs—I desire to speak with heartfelt praise of the merits of Ozomulsion. My boy, Fedor, whose photograph I enclose, has been wonderfully improved by its use. He was in very poor health, had no appetite and we were greatly worried about him. After having taken Ozomulsion, however, he is greatly improved in health in every way, and I take this opportunity to thank you for such a meritorious preparation for growing children.

Very respectfully,
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Let the reader bear in mind that chronic coughing, wasting of flesh and strength, anaemia, consumption and a host of ailments spring from one source—malnutrition. And there has never yet been discovered a remedial agent so effectual as cod-liver oil. In Ozomulsion you have the best emulsion of cod-liver oil ever yet devised. It is an emulsion which excels not only in its palatability and perfection of its manufacture, but in the ease with which it is absorbed into the blood. It requires almost no digestive effort, and, in fact, has a favorable effect upon appetite and digestion.

In the anaemic conditions usually attending or following serious illness, Ozomulsion is most effectual in enriching the blood with the substances most essential to vitality and strength. Convalescence is made rapid and the danger of relapse averted.

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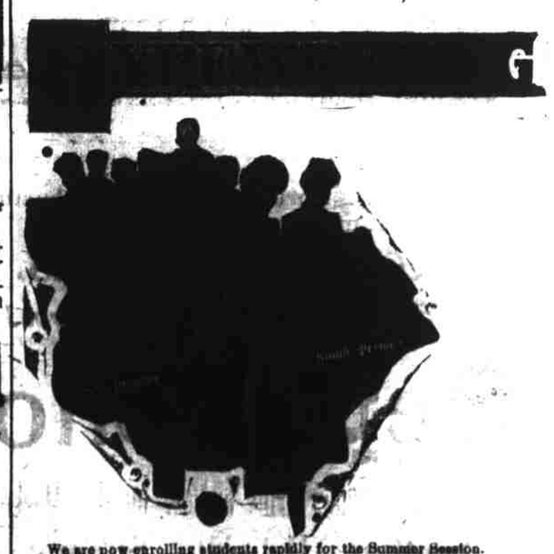

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