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THE REMEDY FOR GRAFT.

The Tradesman. Cardinal Gibbons has suggested publicity as one remedy for the evil of "graft" which is apparently permeating all classes of society and creating wide distrust in the honesty and integrity of any among us.

This may exercise a deterrent effect with some, as the cardinal points out that men will hesitate to ruin a name that has been showered with honors, and covered with the confidences of their fellow men, but this will not eradicate the evil or even materially lessen it. There is need of something deeper and stronger than mere publicity; there is need of arousing all those forces and agencies which build up and sustain public opinion.

There is need that our educators should teach the youth that life has something more in it than the accumulation of money; there is need that our churches, as centers of moral instruction, should teach that religion is not for the rich, but that one man, "the poor shall have the gospel preached unto them," and its teachings become the recognized anchorage for our social fabric.

There is need that our press shall demand the enforcement of law for all alike, and the exposure of "graft" whenever found. The fact that the department of our government appear honey-combed into graft is the worst example that is placed before the people of the nation.

It has been an open secret in political circles for years, that the government must be "bled" on all occasions and on every side, which means that everything made for, sold to or performed for the government, must have "graft" in it, and this has unquestionably had much to do towards the fostering of this evil upon other avenues and in other channels of life and business.

The government printing office has long been regarded as a hot-bed of graft, and yet that department seems to defy all efforts for its cleansing and purification. It is "graft" in this connection, we mean a higher cost to the government than the same service under same conditions can be obtained by private individuals. It further means the retention in official positions of those who are not rendering any equivalent for their wages. To effectually cure the evil of graft, the entire political stable must be cleaned out, so that really honest and worthy men will not feel ashamed to offer for and fill political positions.

Government is the fountain head of our national life, and if the fountain be impure, the whole stream becomes tainted from that source. Society cannot rise higher than its chosen standards of leadership, hence we believe that there is more to be hoped for more to be accomplished towards ridding the country of graft, by demanding higher standards among our political leaders, and purer citizens in our legislative halls, on our juries and in every official position. Therein lies our greatest danger to the nation. While corrupt men can buy official stations of great trust and responsibility, there will be evidence of this all down the current of society, and we need the starting afresh of every agency that can influence the people to get back on safe and sane grounds of human action.

Public is Aroused

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. May K. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and chills, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was swollen from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured. Guarantees at all drug stores; price 50c per bottle."

New York Cotton Market.

The following were the opening and closing prices on the New York Cotton Exchange, August 15.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for Aug, Oct, Dec.

Receipts 6,424

A WOMAN TO BE PRETTY

Must Have Luxuriant and Glossy Hair, No Matter What Color.

The finest contour of a female face, the sweetest smile of a female mouth, lose something if the head is crowned with scant hair. Scant and falling hair, it is now known, is caused by a parasite that burrows into the scalp to the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality. The little white scales the germ throws up in burrowing are called dandruff. To cure dandruff permanently, then, and to stop falling hair, that germ must be killed. Newbro's Herpicide, an entirely new result of the chemical laboratory, destroys the dandruff germ, and, of course, stops the falling hair, and prevents baldness. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

C. D. BRADHAM, Special Agent.

ROWAN BAPTIST MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

To be Held at Salisbury, N. C., August 23-24, 1906.

The A. & N. C. R. R. have authorized reduced round trip rates on the Certificate Plan from points on that line to Salisbury, N. C., and return account the above occasion. Agent Salisbury will honor certificates on or before August 31st, 1906.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist, of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation. For sale by F. S. Duffy and Davis Pharmacy."

The Hongkong authorities forbade Chinese to hold a meeting to agitate further the American boycott.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

The New York Life Insurance Company is the first of these corporations to be taken up by the legislative committee of investigation.

G. B. Burhans Testifies After Four Years.

G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble." For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

Goldie Mohr, the chorus girl who married Alan W. Wood, the former Pittsburg steel manufacturer, will inherit \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 of his estate, it is said.

For Cause of Education.

The Sunday News and Observer was the Educational Edition and it was twice the size of the regular Sunday edition, all the sections outside of the news sheet being devoted to the subject of education. The paper was an interesting and valuable document for the cause of the schools and colleges of the State, both as a historical retrospect and a prospective view. The colleges are enjoying a period of prosperity which indicates that the youth of the State appreciate these institutions and that the higher education is becoming more popular every year. It is a welcome sign when the colleges report that their capacity is taxed to the utmost to accommodate their students as has been the case for several years. The papers serve a good cause when they exalt the higher education.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief, after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At all drug stores; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Made in the Golden Sunlight. It is conceded by the highest authorities that the soda cracker contains the life-giving elements of wheat in the best proportions. This being so, then Uneeda Biscuit must at once take first place as the food of the world—a soda cracker, but such a soda cracker! Made by exact science in sunny bakeries so light, bright and clean, that they are a revelation. The flour is tested; the purity of the water is absolutely assured; the very air is filtered,—why even the temperature and moisture of the atmosphere is accurately regulated. The sponge is kneaded by polished paddles, not by hand. Indeed, Uneeda Biscuits are only touched once, and then by a pretty girl, from the time the flour leaves the bag until the beautiful package is placed on your table. You ask why all this work, all this care in the making of a soda cracker? Because the soda cracker is the best of all food and Uneeda Biscuit is the most wonderful of all soda crackers. And with all of it the price is only 5¢ a package. NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY.

Bingham Boys at the University of North Carolina.

The stand in scholarship and every department of the student life taken by the boys of the Bingham School, located near Mebane, N. C., at the State University, is very gratifying. Besides good scholarship and deportment, the boys are among the first in athletics and have been honored by their fellows with offices of trust. Bingham boys have filled the offices of Chief Marshal, Society Debater, Manager of Football Team, Class Secretary and Second Vice-President of Class.

A handsomely illustrated catalogue of the school may be obtained free by writing to Preston Gray, B. L., Principal, Mebane, N. C.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years," writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." An alleged plot was laid out to wreck President Roosevelt's special on his way from Chautauque to Jersey City, but the bomb throwers were frustrated in their plans by the officials of the road finding it out.

The train known as the "Fast Flying Virginian" ran from Morrison nearly to Philadelphia with the engineer dead at the throttle.

If in a kind of bilious mood, You wish an aid to digest food, No other pill is half so good, As DeWitt's Little Early Bismar. When e'er you feel impending ill, And need a magic little pill, No other one will fill the bill Like DeWitt's Little Early Bismar.

Awards to the amount of about \$632,000 have been made in the case of various claims against Venezuela.

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to grip. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel troubles appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by F. S. Duffy and Davis Pharmacy.

Trustees Sale.

Pursuant to a power vested in me as trustee of the estate of D. A. Owings bankrupt, I will offer for sale and will sell to the highest bidder for cash on August 23, 1906, at the store of D. A. Owings, on Broad street, New Bern N. C., all those new and second hand sewing machines, together with all the sewing machine contracts belonging to the estate. Bids will be received on the whole or any part of the same. Wm. DUNN, Jr., Trustee.

Peculiar Disappearance

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at all drug stores, price 25c.

Ancient witchery was believed in by only a few but the true merit of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is known by every one who has used it for sores, tetter, eczema and

They Appeal to Our Sympathies. The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by F. S. Duffy and Davis Pharmacy.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refrain substituting. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Beware the Imitation.

Carolina Business College NEW BERN N C. Better prepared than ever before for giving a first-class course in Bookkeeping and the full Commercial Course, and for placing our students in positions. Fall term begins Sept. 1st. Write for full particulars. S. J. HOLLADAY, President.

J. M. HOWARD. E. J. HESTER. Farmers Tobacco Warehouse. For the sale of Leaf Tobacco. The prospect is that Tobacco will sell for fair prices this season, and we will be prepared to get the seller as good prices in New Bern, as any other market in the East. We will have a full corps of Buyers, and will do our best to please our Customers. Come to the opening sale, August 1st, 1906. Sales every day at 11 o'clock. Good stables. Good Water and best attention. We have Storage and Grading Facilities for all who wish them. HOWARD & HESTER, Managers. DONOHOE, Auctioneer. Farmers Tobacco Warehouse.

J. L. HARTSFIELD, Contractor and Builder. OFFICE 93 1-2 MIDDLE ST. PHONE 231. Would be glad to have any one inspect my work as it goes up. Laths For Sale. Furniture and House Furnishings. Everything to make a home comfortable and attractive, such as book cases, China Closets, Rookers and others. Any one that is thinking of buying will do well to see me before they buy, as we sell goods where competition cuts no figure.

J. S. Miller. Farmers Convention at Raleigh. The A. & N. C. R. R. have authorized reduced rates from all points. Its line to Raleigh, N. C., and return on account above occasion, tickets to the 50¢ on basis of one and one-third fares plus 25 cents for the round trip, tickets to be sold August 30th, 31st, and Sept 1st, final limit Sept. 4th, 1906. R. E. L. BUNCH, Traffic Manager.

Gaskill Hdw. & Mill Supply Co. Manufacturers Agents for Erie City Engines & Rollers, Celebrated Van Winkle Gins, Bolt Presses, Wagner Steam Duplex Pumps. Saw Mills, Wood-working machinery, Leather Belts, Iron, Steel, Pipe, Boiler Tubes and everything in the mill supply line at manufacturers prices.



SUMMER SUITS for the very hot weather in hoseknives, wool creases, unlined waists, chevrons, cutting facings, in silk, double-breasted and Norfolk styles, are what every man must have who dresses as well. Our line of these suits is unsurpassed, as well as our skill in cutting and fitting, our assortment and our prices so reasonable that no one can object. F. M. CHADWICK

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Excursions Rates to Morehead City and Beaufort, N. C. The Atlantic Coast North Carolina Railroad until further notice, will sell round trip tickets to Morehead City and return at the following rates:

Table with columns: Station, Fare, Return. Rows for Goldsboro, Beaufort, LaGrange, Falling Creek, Kinston, Swell, Dover, Waver, Pasquotank, New Bern, Roxboro, Beaufort, Havelock, Swepher, Ahlwood.

The rates to Beaufort and return will be 25 cents higher. R. E. L. BUNCH, Traffic Manager.

Chamberlain's COLIC, CHOLERA AND Diarrhea Remedy

A few doses of this remedy will invariably cure an ordinary attack of diarrhea. It has been used in nine epidemics of dysentery with perfect success. It can always be depended upon, even in the more severe attacks of cramp colic and cholera morbus. It is equally successful for summer diarrhea and cholera infantum in children, and is the means of saving the lives of many children each year. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take. Every man of a family should keep this remedy in his house. Buy it now. It may save a life. PRICE, 25c. LARGES SIZE, 50c.

DR. CHARLES FLESH FOOD. For the Firm and Complexion. Has been successfully used by leading actresses, dancers and women of the world more than 30 years. Whenever applied it is instantly absorbed through the pores of the skin and its beneficial nutriment feeds the wasting tissues. REMOVING WRINKLES as if by magic, one application often showing a remarkable improvement. Dr. Charles Flesh Food is positively the only preparation known to medical science that will remove wrinkles from the neck and produce firm, healthy flesh in this cheap, safe and healthful manner. For Developing the Bust or breasts, shrunken from surgery; it has the highest endorsement of physicians. Two bottles are often sufficient to make the bust firm, large and beautiful. SOLD BY DEPARTMENT STORES AND DRUGGISTS. Regular price, \$1.00 a box, but in all the large advantages of the SPECIAL OFFER and send us one dollar, we will send two (2) FREE. A sample box and our book, "Art of Beauty," sent free to any lady sending 25 cents to pay for cost of mailing. Address: DR. CHARLES CO., 109 FULTON ST., NEW YORK.

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