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Do You Fear Consumption?

When we take in consideration the fact that one out of every seven in this climate die of consumption, is it any wonder that it is feared by the people of New Bern, who have weak lungs and chronic coughs and coughs?

A famous London physician has for years, urged his patients, when the slightest tendency to consumption appeared, to take the best cod liver preparation they could find, and physicians everywhere have recognized that the cod's liver contains curative values for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption and all wasting diseases unequalled in medicine, but unfortunately, few could take and derive any benefit from old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions on account of the indigestible grease which they contain.

Our local druggist, F. S. Duffy, says we want every person in New Bern to know the value of our new cod liver preparation, Vinol. It actually contains in a concentrated form all of the strengthening body-building elements of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cod's livers, without a drop of oil or grease to upset the stomach and retard its work.

Therefore, where old-fashioned cod liver oil or emulsions would do good, Vinol will do far more good. We guarantee Vinol will improve the appetite, strengthen digestion, make rich, red blood, create strength, cure chronic coughs and colds and strengthen weak lungs. If Vinol fails to give satisfaction, we return your money without question." F. S. Duffy, druggist.

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**Basket Party**  
There will be a basket party at the home of Mr. M. E. Whitaker on Canal street Thursday evening, January 19th, for the benefit of Tabernacle Church. All are cordially invited.

**VERDICT FOR FAKIRS REACHED.**

**Gambler Clark Acquitted And Lillian Guilty of Second Degree Murder.**

One of The Most Puzzling Cases in Criminal Annals of Raleigh. Interesting Statement For Newspaper Publishers. Two Pardons Granted And Four Refused.

Raleigh, Jan. 18.—In the puzzling case of Robert H. Lilliston, of Norfolk, Va., and Harry Clark, of Missouri, two fair fakirs tried for the killing of Chas. G. Smith, of Petersburg, Va., in Raleigh, at the close of fair week, the jury reached a verdict this morning, Clark being acquitted, Lilliston being found guilty of murder in the second degree. An appeal will be taken by Lilliston, and other cases are brought against Clark for an assault with deadly weapon, which will be disposed of at once.

The circumstances attending upon the killing of the man Smith were of an uncertain nature and the closest attention to all details has been given in the progress of the trial by the court, lawyers and spectators. Judge George W. Ward, in his charge to the jury, entered with great care into every shade of each detail, stating with definiteness and clear cut lines the law in the matter, at the same time emphasizing that sometimes disregarded features of the law, the killing of an innocent by-stander, when such assaults have been committed, the assailants showing malice or apparently free of malice. Contestants and all interested parties pronounce the judge's charge to be one of absolute fairness and great force. The verdict was not announced until the opening of the court this morning as no verdict could be arrived at until nearly midnight. Beyond the hearing of the Harnett Supply Company case this closes the docket for the present term, and Judge Ward will leave the city today. He will sit next week at Goldsboro.

Commissioner M. B. Varner of the Bureau of Labor and Printing gave out a statement concerning newspapers in North Carolina that will be of interest to publishers all over the State and also to the reading public. The comparison of the reports for 1901 and 1905 shows that there are now published in North Carolina a smaller number of newspapers than in 1901, yet the circulation has increased 19 per cent. over that year.

Governor Glenn issued pardons to Frank Hooper, a negro of Wayne county, and states in this case: "Prisoner was convicted at October term of 1899 of larceny of twenty dollars and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. Under our present law no such sentence could be pronounced. The judge and solicitor—now Congressman, Poulson, in the strongest terms recommend this pardon. To me the sentence seems excessive. The defendant has been a trustee in the penitentiary for years and has a clean record. He is pardoned conditionally, provided he remain of good behavior and is sober and industrious." This case is one of interest, since the negro, who has been prominent in a great many ways about the penitentiary, will be retained as a special servant there by reason of his faithfulness in the discharge of many duties.

John Bass, of Granville county, convicted 1903 for assault with intent to rape, and sentenced to five years in found by the Governor to be not guilty. There was no violence in the case and judge, jury and solicitor recommend such pardon.

F. H. Mahaffey, Guilford county, convicted 1904, was sentenced three years for forgery. He had been a man of good character, but was given to occasional excess, and while drunk forged the name of employer. He was without counsel and threw himself on the court's mercy. The judge stated at the time good behavior would shorten his term, or rather recommend such. Conditional pardon is granted on good behavior, as both judge and solicitor and private prosecutor recommend.

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**SCHEDULE FOR 1906.**

Games of Baseball to be Played by the U. of N. C. Team This Year.

The Chapel Hill correspondence to the News & Observer, says:

The foot ball season is over; but here is an item of news worth telling. Who would have thought that Carolina would get a man on the All-American team this season, or ever? Well, Abernathy Carolina's star full-back, has really been put on Stauffer's (of Penn.), All-American team. Good for the Tar Heels.

The \$35 suit of clothes offered by Mr. C. T. P. Arson, of Durham, to the scrub foot ball player who made the most improvement during the season was won by Mr. J. B. Davis of Winston.

The three swiftest offered by Mr. Legman, the Baltimore tailor, to the three most faithful scrubs were yesterday awarded to Messrs. T. W. Dickson, G. Q. Rogers, and J. H. Moring.

Mr. T. G. Miller, manager of the base ball team for this season, has arranged the following schedule of games:

March 24, Bingham (Mebane) at Chapel Hill.  
March 27, Lafayette at Chapel Hill.  
March 28, Lafayette at Chapel Hill.  
March 31, Wake Forest, at Raleigh.  
April 3d, Wake Forest at Chapel Hill.  
April 11, Bingham (Asheville), at Chapel Hill.  
April 13, South Carolina College at Chapel Hill.  
April 19, Davidson, at Chapel Hill.  
April 21, A. & M. at Raleigh.  
April 23, Virginia, in Richmond.  
April 24, Virginia, in Charlottesville.  
April 25, Navy, in Annapolis.  
April 26, St. John's, in Annapolis.  
April 27, Johns Hopkins in Baltimore.  
April 28, Georgetown in Washington.  
May 3, Virginia in Chapel Hill.  
May 5, Georgetown, in Richmond.

Methusala was all right, you bet  
For a good old soul was he,  
They say he would be living yet,  
Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea  
—For sale by F. S. Duffy.

**THEY COME AND GO.**

Mr. F. G. Swaffield, of Columbia, S. C., representing the Pittsburg Meter Co., was in the city yesterday.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith will regret to know that they were called to the bedside of their son, Hunter, who is critically ill in the hospital in Raleigh, his many friends wish his speedy recovery.

Mr. C. L. Stevens has gone to Southport for few days visit, the home of his parents.

Mr. J. A. Leslie, of Norfolk, traveling in the interest of the Director's Publishing Corporation left the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin and daughter, of Bloomer, N. J., are guests at the Patterson house.

Mr. Frank Prettyman is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. C. B. Fry and wife, of New Bern, are the guests at the Yarrow-ough.—Raleigh Times.

Mr. George B. Craven is the guest of his brother, Prof. H. R. Craven.

**CALENDAR COMMITTEES.**

The calendar committee of the New Bern News will meet at the Clerk's office on Friday morning, January 19, at 11 o'clock to arrange a calendar of civil cases for trial at the Superior Court commencing Monday, February 5, and at the regular term commencing Monday, February 12.

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**SEND SUCH.**

Four pardons were refused, that of W. L. Brookshire, McDowell county, for forgery in 1904, defendant having forged name of employer to obtain money with which to run away with a woman. Pardon refused after two applications, and Brookshire had other bad points in his record. Frank Upchurch, Wake county, convicted for larceny of a watch from employer can show no reason for clemency and is denied. David Lowe, of Davidson county convicted 1905 for assault and battery with deadly weapon. Sentence of twelve months on the roads is not seemed excessive, and neither judge nor solicitor recommend pardon, which is denied. Norman Rice Madison county, for assaulting a woman with a deadly weapon, is also denied, he now serving a 18 months sentence on Buncombe county roads.

Judge Thomas F. Parnell issued an order staying proceedings in the case of Adams and Sawyer, for murder on the high seas. The case was on docket at Wilmington. The president has respited Henry Scott, in the same case until July 6, date of execution having been fixed for January 26.

**HE SAW THE JOKE.**

"One day," says an American, "I walked into a bookshop in the Strand and asked for Hare's 'Walks in London.' In America the book is sold in one thick volume. The clerk brought it in two. 'Oh, I said as I looked at them, 'you part your 'Hare' in the middle, do you?' 'I, sir?' he said, with a bewildered look. 'Oh, no, sir! I saw he didn't see the joke, so I didn't explain, but bought the books and went away. A week later I went to the same shop. As soon as the clerk saw me he rushed from the back of the shop laughing vociferously. 'Good!' he shouted. 'Capital! Part your 'Hare' in the middle! That's capital, sir, capital!'—London Tit-Bits.

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