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THE FIRST OF MAY.

This day has from various causes lost much of the importance attached to it. The custom of erecting May poles, crowning May queens and dancing around the pole has given way to the modern Sunday School picnic which is assigned to such day as may best serve their convenience which sometimes occurs in June.

Among the Romans the month was sacred to Apollo, and almost every day was a festival. On the 9th, 11th and 13th was celebrated the festival of the Lemuria in memory of the dead, and consequently it was believed that marriages contracted in this month would result fatally.

It was also usual to not only adorn houses and gates but also churches with boughs and flowers. And mention is made in "Chronicle" that Henry VIII. rode a Maying with Queen Catherine and many lords and ladies from Greenwich to the high ground of Shooter's Hill.

The month is one of the most delightful of the year and probably more of it devoted to outdoor amusements than any other.

Allowances Made by the County Commissioners of Craven County at the Regular Meeting Held 1st Monday in April, 1888.

The following miscellaneous accounts were allowed the amount being same as claimed unless otherwise stated: Rachel Ireland, keeper of Willis bridge, \$7.00; J. J. Ballard, keeper of Clermont bridge,

\$10.00; E. Quidley, janitor, \$10.00; Orlando Habbs, clerk of board, \$41.00; Joseph Benton, repairing stock fence, \$10.38; Robert G. Mosley house rent, \$5.00; M. H. Williams, keeper of poor house, \$10.00; Margaret Oldman, cook, \$3.00; Dr. N. H. Street, professional services to poor for January, February and March \$50.00; J. J. Tolson, agent, rations for poor, \$144.20; M. T. Bryan, coffins and burials, \$16.00; J. F. Miller, Superintendent Eastern Insane Asylum, for traveling expenses of Jenny Black, \$2.60; G. A. Atkinson, building gutters, \$6.40; J. B. Gardner stock fence, \$39.53; N. S. Richardson, chattel mortgage book \$5.00; E. K. Bryan auditing treasurer's account, \$4.00; E. B. Ellis coal for court house \$9.00; News & Observer Co., advertising proposals \$24.75; New Berne JOURNAL advertising for March, \$12.50; D. Stinson sheriff, conveying lunatic to asylum, \$9.30, boarding prisoners in March \$60.00, turnkey fees, \$2.70, serving summons on Kilburn et al \$4.20; Clark & Clark professional services \$10.00; Jas. A. Bryan Com., per diem and signing vouchers \$5.00; Thos. H. Mallison Com., per diem and mileage \$5.60; S. W. Latham Com., per diem and mileage \$4.30; W. G. Brinson Com., per diem \$1.00; W. M. Watson Com., per diem and superintendent of poor, \$9.00; W. M. Watson, J. P., examination of lunatics \$3.00; Simmons & Manly professional services \$20.00; Clark & Clark professional services \$3.00; A. G. Oden coroner, holding inquest \$7.40; Fred White juror, \$1.00; Peter Everett juror \$1.00; Moses Beeton juror \$1.00; Joseph Hill \$1.00; Hillard Edwards juror \$1.00; Washington Miller juror \$1.00.

Recapitulation: For support of poor, \$297.07; department of justice, \$128.25, miscellaneous department \$84.63, sheriff and jail fees \$76.20. Total \$576.15.

International Anthropological Congress.

Intelligent Americans will be interested in the forthcoming meeting of the international anthropological congress, which will begin its seventh session in Berlin on October 2 next. A series of four sittings will be devoted to "American Prehistoric and Present," and the subject will be discussed in its largest anthropological significance.

The first congress of the kind was held at Nancy in 1875, the second at Luxemburg in 1877, the third at Brussels in 1879, the fourth at Madrid in 1881, the fifth at Copenhagen in 1883, and the sixth and last at Turin in 1886. The considerations that decided the choice of Berlin for the next meeting were chiefly her great wealth in archeological collections illustrative of prehistoric America, and the prominence of her investigators in every aspect of the physical and moral development of the new world.—Chicago News.

Appreciated Too Late. "We were married thirty-seven years," said Ma Gardner Andrews, "and in all that time my wife never gave me a cross word. But I shall never forget the first time I chided her. It was on a Sunday morning, when we had been married about two years. I found a button off my shirt, and threw it across the room. 'Sew a button on,' I said, in a brutal voice. She was a good Christian woman, and was preparing for church, but she got the button and sewed it on."

"And what did she say?" asked a little, bristling woman with snapping eyes. "She said, 'Forgive me, husband, I had a great deal to do yesterday and forgot it, but it shall never happen again.'"

"O," said the man, fixing his eyes on the picture of his dead wife, "her gentle words almost broke my heart. I could have gone down on my knees to ask her forgiveness. She made a different man of me and the world has been a different place since she died." There was a silence as he finished speaking, interrupted by a general clearing of throats and a confused snuffing, as we all had bad colds, and the little woman's eyes looked suspiciously dim.

to provide them with square roosts, as they would fall off round ones. I am in possession of information that a horse froze to death in its stall near my place, which is situated in the southeastern section of the territory.

"Everybody in Dakota expects to be frozen at some time or other, although all wear felt boots and from two to four pairs of socks. I, with two of my boys, went one day to Diana on business. Within three miles of my house I was frozen, and I was brought home insensible. Oh, it is terrible. You find people with both hands and legs off. Down to zero we consider the weather warm; 30 or 49 degrees below zero we call it cold."—Galveston News.

The Poison of the Human Teeth. The poison conveyed by human teeth is reported one of the most annoying that physicians have to deal with. One of them says: "I have under my attention severe and most complicated cases of blood poisoning, in which the patient had but slightly abraded the hand in the course of a fight by striking the knuckles against the teeth of his opponent. I have known hands thus poisoned only saved from amputation by the application of all the resources of science. Tobacco or whiskey or derangement of the stomach from many other causes may be responsible for this poisonous condition of the teeth."

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