

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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**E. W. MOOSE,**

D. D. S.  
I have moved my office to rooms over the Postoffice, where I do all kinds of Dental work. I will be absent from my office one week beginning with the first Monday, in each month.  
Respectfully,  
E. W. MOOSE.

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From pure bred Poultry, Barred Rocks, S. C. Brown and White Leghorns. Eggs \$1.00 per 15, \$1.50 per 30, \$4.00 per 100. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**J. C. Coffey,**  
RISDEN, N. C.

**Notice.**

**Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!**  
This is the last notice and unless you pay your Taxes by March 10th, you need not be surprised if you have to pay cost. Over half of the Taxes for 1905 are still on my books and this state of affairs can't exist. So take warning in time.  
Yours truly,  
**J. M. SMITH,**  
Sheriff.

Feb. 14th, 1906.

**DeWitt's** White **Salve**  
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

### Almost Too Generous to be True.

Wilkesboro Chronicle.

A friend has shown us the following dispatch which appeared in the Charlotte Observer of the 22nd:

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 11.—"The State of Wilkes" came in for special prayer from the evangelist, Rev. Dr. R. A. Torrey at his afternoon service attended by nearly 5,000 people this afternoon. "Here is a request for prayer," said Dr. Torrey, "from a man who has been to this revival and he writes on board a train on his way back to No. Carolina. He says pray for a revival in my town, Wilkesboro, N. C. There is a great deal of liquor made and drunk in both the town and county, so that it has come to be called 'whiskey Wilkes.'" Dr. Torrey himself offered the prayer and said: "Oh, Lord, bless Wilkesboro, N. C. The devil is powerful but Thou art more powerful and he cannot hinder Thy work. Light the fires of revival in that community and county and may many be saved Amen."

We always rejoice when others interest themselves honestly for our good, and real genuine petitions to the Throne for the good of Wilkes will be always appreciated. But this appears more like a fake for Greensboro trial purposes, in accordance with the program of the lawyers defending Samuels. No liquor is now or ever has been made in Wilkesboro. For eight or ten years Wilkesboro has been "dry." We cannot boast of three or four saloons to every policeman like Philadelphia can. Above this, there is no place of its population that has more and better churches than Wilkesboro, and the country to its utmost parts can't line up a more intelligent, consecrated, faithful and beloved aggregation of clergy than we have right here. If prayers can help—and they do help—none reach the Throne earlier than Gwaltney's Ownly and Robinson, nor are their petitions tinged with the flavor of slander.

The face of it shows "fake" for no true honest minister would try to persuade the Lord to abandon his siege of the headquarter strongholds of Satan in Philadelphia and take a vacation in Wilkesboro.

We appreciate prayers, but not "fake" misrepresentations.

### 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. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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

F. J. CUNNEY & Co., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### The Girl Who Succeeds.

She has so much to do she has no time for morbid thoughts.

She never thinks for a moment that she is not attractive, nor forgets to look as charming as possible.

She is considerate of the happiness of others, and it is reflected back to her as a looking glass.

She never permits herself to grow old, for by cultivating all the graces of heart, brain, and body, age does not come to her.

She awakens cheerfully in the morning and closes her eyes thankfully at night.

She believes that life has some serious work to do, and that the serious work lies very close to the home, everyday duties, and that kind words cost nothing.

She is always willing to give suggestions that will help some less fortunate one over the bad places in life's journey.

She is ever ready to talk about a book, a picture or a play, rather than to permit herself to indulge in idle words about another.

She is her own sweet, unaffected, womanly self; therein lies the secret of her popularity.—Woman's Life.

Mothers everywhere praise One Minute Cough Cure for sufferings it has relieved and the lives of their little ones it has saved. A certain cure for coughs, croup and whooping cough. Makes breathing easy, cuts out phlegm, and draws out the inflammation. It should be kept on hand for immediate use. Sold by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

### Holton's Final Answer.

Washington, D. C., March 8.—District Attorney Holton put in his final answer to-day to the charges filed against him in order to defeat his confirmation for district attorney. It is said that Mr. Blackburn has other charges to make against the district attorney, but it is certain that no action will be taken by the sub-judicial committee, which is considering the charges, until the return of the congressman, and there will be ample time for Mr. Blackburn to be heard further. In his answer today Mr. Holton denies absolutely that he charged the government a higher rate than he paid for his hotel accommodations at Asheville. Says he paid \$4 a day, and by way of retaliation avers that Mr. Blackburn paid same when assistant district attorney. Other charges relating to favoritism in the prosecution of violators of Federal statutes are answered by Mr. Holton in great detail. The transcript of several court records are filed in answer to some of these charges. The district attorney brands as false the allegations that he said he would not act on a report made by Deputy Collector Albright with reference to conditions in Wilkes because it would result in injury to the Republican party.—Raleigh Observer.

### Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in His House.

"We would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand continually in our home," says W. W. Kearney, editor of the Independent, Lowry City, Mo. That is just what every family should do. When kept at hand ready for instant use, a cold may be checked at the outset and cured in much less time than after it has become settled in the system. This remedy is also without a peer for croup in children, and will prevent the attack when given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, which can only be done when the remedy is kept at hand. For sale by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

### A Forest Reserve.

Charlotte, N. C., March 3.—A number of representative citizens from various Southern States attended the meeting held here today in the interest of an establishment of a government forest reserve in the Appalachian mountains.

Governor R. B. Glenn, of North Carolina, presided and made a short address. Other speeches were made by Gifford Pinchot, chief forester of the United States; Alfred A. Kerman, State forester of Massachusetts; Alfred Gaskill, United Forestry Department, Governor Terrell, of Georgia; F. H. Hewell, chief hydrographer of the United States; A. T. Smythe, Charleston, S. C.; J. F. Hayes, Toxaway, N. C.; Dr. Gil Wylie, New York; Dr. G. A. Schenck, chief forester of the Biltmore estate, Asheville; Prof. Joseph Hyde Pratt, University of North Carolina; F. C. Bates, New York; W. S. Lee, Jr., Charlotte; Prof. Y. Collier Cobb, University of North Carolina; J. Elwood Cox, High Point, N. C.; H. D. House, professor of Botany, Clemson College, S. C.

All recognized the importance of preserving the Southern forests. At the night session resolutions urging action by Congress were adopted.

### The Breath of Life.

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O, its grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by J. E. Shell druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Advertising is to the merchant what plowing and sowing are to the farmer.—Imagine a farmer trying to raise a crop by sitting on a fence looking over his farm and wishing for a nice crop of wheat or corn to spring up on it—ridiculous isn't it?—but not more so than the merchant who hides a stock of goods away in a storeroom and then sits down on the counter, hoping that the people will come in and buy.

Two negroes shot a white man at Springfield, Ohio, last week in a difficulty. This action on the part of the negroes so enraged the white people that a regular race war was begun. Negroes were beaten and their houses burned in many parts of the city. Eight companies of the State troops were called out, and it was with difficulty the mobs could be controlled.

### Wholesome Counsel for a Young Man.

The editorial writer in the Chicago Advance, who writes under the nom de plume of "Grapho," gives this wholesome advice to young men in an article of some length:

"I have looked at Niagara with rapt admiration, but I have never said Don't to it. I look at the young with far greater admiration, and I am not going to say Don't to him, at least, not this time.

"No, young man, I say, Do. Do your best. If you are in school, do your best; if you are in a shop, do your best; if you are a clerk, do your best; if you are running an engine or holding a plow, do your best; if you are some girl's best fellow, do your best. The American girl is worthy of the best fellow that walks the green earth.

"Read the best books and the best magazines and the best newspapers. Associate with the best people. Take counsel of your mother, for she loves you with the love of an angel. Talk matters over with your father, for he is leading you with his heart strings. Think the best thoughts. Cherish the best ideals. Admire the best heroes. Walk up and down the pages of history with its noblest and truest men. Fix your eye on the brave spirits who stood in the storms, who faced the wrath of men and did not quail, who went into the fire and smiled at the flames, who took the world's welfare on their great hearts and bore the race upward.

"Go deep into the thought of the men and women, who, whether in philosophy, poetry or romance, have interpreted to us the mysteries of our striving, of the fever and the fret of this daily life. And look deeper still into the law of being which declares itself every day. Listen to the daily story of human transgression and penalty and woe as you would to a blast of the trumpet calling the dead to judgment. Be quick to hear and quick to do the commands, whether spoken amid the thunders of Sinai or the wail of human experience.

"Be brave, be strong. Be a man. Be a follower of the one perfect Son of Man."

### Judge Waddell Declines.

Asheville, March 3.—Some doubt is expressed here as to whether the cases against Congressman Spencer Blackburn will be called at Greensboro the middle of next month, according to the programme arranged by counsel for the government and the defense in open court here last week. When the middle of April was selected as a time for the trial of the cases it was believed that Judge Waddell, of Richmond, would be trial judge. It was stated at the time that Judge Waddell was acceptable to both sides and that both the government and Mr. Blackburn would like for him to sit during the special term. It is learned now, however, that Judge Waddell has declined to try the cases. It is also learned that April is a busy month with the district and circuit judges eligible to sit at Greensboro and that thus far an available judge has not been secured. Judges Goff and Morris have both been mentioned as trial judges for the Blackburn cases as has also Judge Kellar, who presided at the trial of William E. Breece at Charlotte last year. It is said that all three of these judges will be very busy during April and that there is doubt as to their having the time to preside at a special term. The belief obtains in certain quarters here that the Blackburn cases will not be tried in April.—Charlotte Observer.

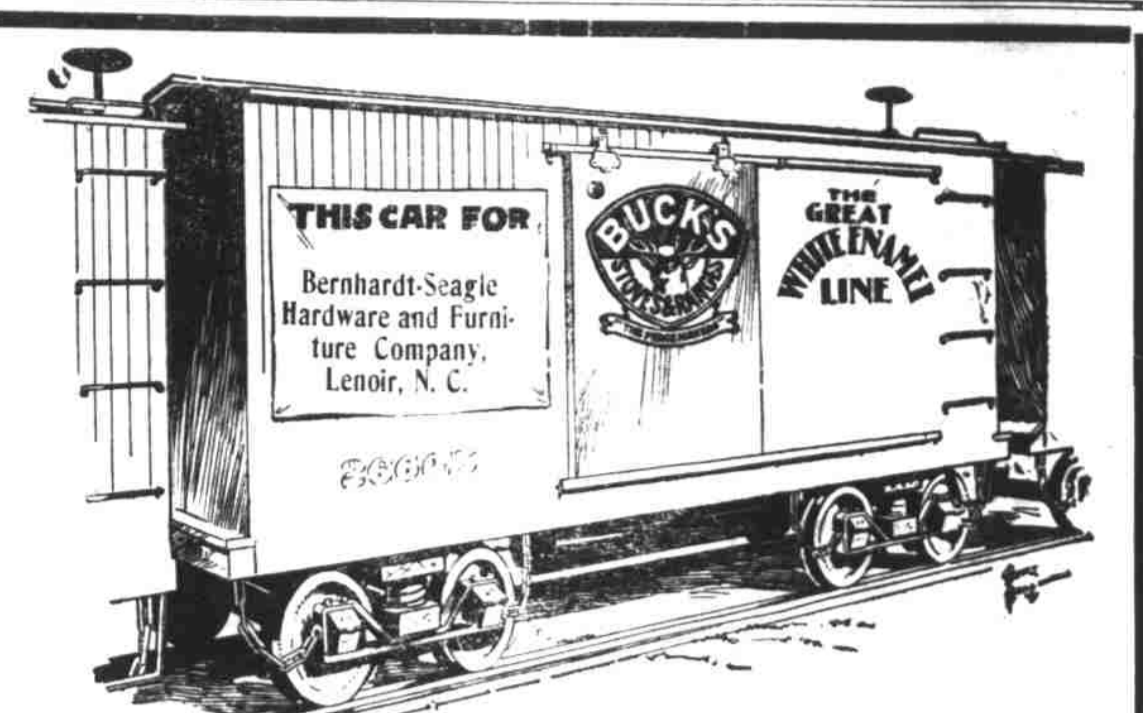
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All of these diseases are attended by intense itching, which is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve and by its continued use a permanent cure may be effected. It has, in fact, cured many cases that had resisted all other treatment. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

### 800 Fishermen on Ice.

Helsingfor, [March 4.—It is feared that 800 fishermen, with their families, who are afloat on the ice in the Gulf of Finland, are doomed to perish. A fortnight ago about 1,000 persons, who had with them their horses, were fishing off the East Land, when the ice parted and was driven by a storm into the Baltic sea. Later the ice split, the wind changed to the east, and yesterday a block on which were 200 persons came ashore at Fredericksham. The fate of the others is unknown.

The Carpenter Mfg. Co., Matting Factory at Stanley, N. C., was destroyed by fire last week, loss \$10,000, no insurance.



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