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Dots and Dashes.

A woman's ambition is to look like an angels without being one.

Turkey is talking about declaring war on America. Just think of it.

Lemons, Bananas and Apples, at the Bazaar.

The rations for the army now cost the United States over \$20,000,000 a year.

The Vermont Legislature has passed a bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes in that State.

The most effective little liver pills made are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They never gripe. J. E. Kaufmann.

Crackmen tried to blow open the post office safe at Mayesville, S. C. last week, but were foiled.

There is such a thing as having such a clear conscience that we waste time admiring ourselves in it.

For custards, pies or cake use delectated coconut, ready prepared with milk and sugar. You find it at the Bazaar.

The annual conference of Virginia subscribed \$1,381.30 to rebuild the Methodist Church at Galveston, Texas.

The proof that a woman is superior to a man is that she doesn't look uncomfortable when she has got her best clothes on.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are dainty little pills, but they never fail to cleanse the liver remove obstructions and invigorate the system. J. E. Kaufmann.

The average woman loves to be dressed and hates to die; the average man doesn't mind dressing, but hates to be dressed.

Secretary Loong of the United States Navy, has announced himself in favor of the general extension of woman suffrage.

If you would have an appetite like a bear and a relish for your meals take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They correct disorders of the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free, at J. E. Kaufmann's drug store.

Columbia, S. C. is likely to be raised to a first class port office. For three months this year the business went \$3,000 over the same period last year.

The 53,000 votes cast in the recent general election in this State cost the State of South Carolina in round numbers \$21,000, a little over 40 cents apiece.

Don't use any of the counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Most of them are worthless or liable to cause injury. The original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a certain cure for piles, eczema, cuts, scalds, burns, sores and skin diseases. J. E. Kaufmann.

Four bales of cotton were stolen from an A. C. L. car at Sumter, S. C., the other night. The car was broken and the bales rolled out and hauled off in two loads.

A Tennessean turned up in Columbia last week demanding of the Secretary of State \$2,000, which some lawyer had made him believe was waiting for him.

When you need a soothing and healing antiseptic application for any purpose, use the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and skin diseases. It heals sores without leaving a scar. Beware of counterfeits. J. E. Kaufmann.

If a woman can't get a man to kneel to her when he proposes she always counts on making him do it later by catching him at something.

The Southern Railroad has brought the Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis Railroad for \$4,030,000 and will take control January 1st.

PISON'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION. Best Cough Syrup. Guaranteed. Sold by all Druggists.

The government now proposes to cut a ship canal through North Carolina as well as to avoid the rounding of Cape Hatteras, the most dangerous point on the South Atlantic coast.

Senator C. K. Davis, of Minnesota, whose death was reported recently was the victim of poisoned dye in a sock, which infected his foot and poisoned his whole system.

Help is needed at once when a person's life is in danger. A neglected cough or cold may soon become serious and should be stopped at once. One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures coughs and colds and the worst cases of croup, bronchitis, grippe and other throat and lung troubles. J. E. Kaufmann.

Chicago now contains a greater population than all the cities of the United States contained in 1840, and New York City now has a greater population than all the cities together had in 1850.

CANCER

Suffers from this horrible malady nearly always inherit it... not necessary from the parent... for Cancer often runs through several generations.

To cure Cancer through the stomach and the venous system, the blood must be purified from the blood... every vestige of it driven out. This S. S. S. does, and is the only medicine that can reach deep seated, obstinate blood troubles.

Cancer begins often in a small way, as the following letter from Mrs. Shirer shows. A small pimple on the left side of my face. It gave me no pain or inconvenience... I forgot about it till it had become a large wart.

It is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable. Send for our free book on Cancer, containing valuable and interesting information about this disease, and write our physicians about your case.

When the stomach is tired out it must have a rest, but we can't live without food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digests what you eat" so that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health.

Twenty-five persons were made sick at Chattanooga recently by drinking water from a well charged with arsenic. It resulted from a neighborhood quarrel. One of the families put in the poison for spite.

Now is the time when croup and lung troubles prove rapidly fatal. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results is Ose Minute Cough Cure. It is very pleasant to take and can be relied upon to quickly cure coughs, colds and all lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. J. E. Kaufmann.

Nearly \$800 from five acres of pears is what one farmer in Darlington county, S. C., has made this year. Strange to say this was not on cotton, but it only goes to show that there are many things of value in this favored Southland besides cotton.

No one can reasonably hope for good health unless his bowels move once each day. When this is not attended to, disorders of the stomach arise, biliousness, headache, dyspepsia and piles soon follow. If you wish to avoid these ailments keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when required.

Miss Kate Miller, of Fredricksburg, Pa., is probably the oldest factory "girl" in the United States. She recently celebrated her 81st birthday, and for the last twenty years has worked in the same establishment. She never misses a day, turns out a full quota of work, competing with girls sixty years her junior.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N. H., who says, "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure made a well man of me." It digests what you eat and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble. It gives relief at once even in the worst cases, can't help but do you good. J. E. Kaufmann.

A prominent Charlestonian, who desires his name to be withheld from the public at present, has contributed \$1,000 to the Mount Pleasant Lutheran seminary and an equal sum to the Newberry Lutheran college.

Bucksal, N. C., May 16, 1898. Gentlemen—Four years ago I was helpless with a misery in my back. I could not return myself in bed. I was treated by my physician, but he did me no good. I took one bottle of Dr. Baker's Female Regulator and it cured me. I think there is no medicine on earth like it.

An example of the chances in the United States for the bright and energetic young men who stay in one place is furnished by the success of Charles M. Hayes. At the age of 19 he was a clerk in a railroad office at St. Louis, his salary being \$40 a month. That was 23 years ago.

Mr. Hayes has become president of the Southern Pacific Railroad, which is the largest system but one in the world. He will have a salary of \$55,000 a year and will be the highest-salaried railroad man in the world.

A fine lot of Gunn's Pills for sale cheap by the pair. I quote at the Dispatch office.

JACK TAR'S GROWL

A Story Illustrating the Sailor's Habit of Grumbling. The author of "From Edinburgh to the Antarctic" writing of the sailor's habit of grumbling, says: "The dinners are all the same—that is to say, Monday's dinners are all alike, and what we have today we shall have this day six months hence. Jack's forefather this day 100 years ago had the same menu and made the same uncomplimentary remarks about the dishes, and 100 years hence on this day Jack's children will growl over their salt horse and plumsauce stuff." The author also tells this "joke" to illustrate that Jack's habit of grumbling can't be cured and must be endured.

Once upon a time there lived a skipper whose wife said to him that if she went to sea the poor men would never find fault with their food. Her husband took her with him on a voyage, and the good woman attended to the cooking in the galley herself.

The sauce was thick with fresh vegetables, the bread was white and without weeds, the meat was good, and the stuff was almost half plums, but still the men growled.

Then the skipper's wife thought of the hens she had brought on board in egg for her husband's breakfast. She took them out of the coop, wrung their necks with her own fair hands, plucked them, roasted them and sent them to the fore-castle on the cabin china.

"Now the men," she said to herself, "will know how much we think of their comfort." At eight bells she stole forward to the fore-castle to listen to the praise of her skill as a cook.

"The little dialogue with which the Proceedings were enhanced. Here's a little dialogue that was overheard in a \$24 a month Capital hill mansion one evening last week: She—Why, oh, why, did I ever marry you?"

He—Because I was a good thing. She—You are becoming positively coarse.

He—Association. She—You pay no attention whatever to my little wishes.

He—What's the use of chasing a car after you've caught it? She—I believe you have been drinking again.

He—No such luck. She—I'm in a rag. He—Well, we'll do a sketch. So'm I. She—Haven't been to the theater for two weeks.

He—You're a sad story. She—Brute! He—Ours is a peaceful home.

She—Are you going down town tonight? He—If I can swing you for car fare.

She—I have only \$3 in my purse. He—Hetty Green!

She—I saw a pair of reduced \$88 patent leathers today, induced to feel that I must and shall have.

He—Do you see any men's brogans for \$1.50? She—Why don't you get shavard? He—Waiting for pay day.

She—Don't you know the rent and the gas will be due this pay day? He—Then I'll cut out the shavard.

She—I wish I had never left mamma, so do.

He—Others, others! She—I have a good notion to go right back to her this minute.

He—Have you got an umbrella? She—Oh, you—you—g-g-g-government e-c-lek! (Tears. Curtain.)—Washington Post.

The Neglected Voice. The voice is the most common and at the same time the most complex of human faculties. When we listen to it, we realize nothing of the many influences at work in its use.

An unexpected result. "You know how superstitious Bloxham is?" "Is he?" "Yes; he picked up a pin in the street the other day with the point turned directly toward him."

"Go on." "An hour afterward he received a telegram announcing the death of an uncle from whom he hadn't heard for several years."

"And the uncle died immensely rich and left him all his property?" "Not much! He had to pay the funeral expenses."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Humor in Them. Giles—I don't like that barber's funny anecdotes.

Miles—Why, what's wrong with them? Giles—The illustrations are painful. Miles—The illustrations? Giles—Yes; he uses original cuts—Chicago News.

Easy. Bentam—There isn't room here to swing a cat.

Mrs. Bentam—Then we won't have a cat—Brooklyn Life.

POTASH. No crop can be grown without Potash. Supply enough Potash and your profits will be large; without Potash your crop will be "scrubby."

John Brownfield, the negro barber, who killed a special deputy in Georgetown, S. C., which caused the Georgetown riot some time ago, has been convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and the grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of the grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by J. E. Kaufmann.

A wheat growers' association has been formed in Laurens, S. C. After discussing the methods of wheat culture they decided to offer four prizes for best crops raised by members of the association.

Palmetto Collegiate Institute, FOR BOYS AND GIRLS. PREPARES FOR TEACHING COLLEGE OR BUSINESS. High School, Intermediate and Primary Courses.

The First National Bank of Batesburg. TRUSTEES: DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, Y. Washington, D. C. October 13, 1900.

WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Batesburg" in the town of Batesburg, in the county of Lexington and State of South Carolina, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking; Now, therefore, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Batesburg" in the town of Batesburg, in the county of Lexington and State of South Carolina, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in section Fifty-One Hundred and Sixty-Nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

THE 3 SPIRITTINE REMEDIES. Endorsed by some of the Leading Medical Profession. No Quack or Patent Medicine. NATURE'S PURE REMEDIES. Admitted into the World Columbian Exposition in 1893.

PARKER RYE. NONE PURER. NONE BETTER. ASK FOR IT AT ALL DISPENSARIES.

TAX NOTICE. I WILL ATTEND THE FOLLOWING mentioned places for the purpose of receiving taxes for the fiscal year 1900, viz: Balance of the time at Lexington, S. C., until December 31, 1900, when the books will close.

TAX LEVY. For State Purpose... 5 mills. For Ordinary County... 34 mills. For Special County... 1 mill. For School... 3 mills.

ARE YOU SICK, SUFFERING, AFFLICTED IN ANY WAY, AND NEED MEDICINE? If so, you will find in the Drug and Medicine Department at the Bazaar, Standard Medicines for all Complaints, Diseases, Etc., which will give relief and cure you.

GRAPHOPHONE. A REAL Graphophone. \$5.00. Columbia Phonograph Co. Dept. 30. NEW YORK, 1545 Broadway.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM. It restores a luxuriant growth of hair, cures itching scalp, and gives the hair a beautiful color. One cent.

DIVINE SERVICES. LEXINGTON CIRCUS M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Rev. J. N. WRIGHT, Pastor. 1st Sunday, Red B. N. H. 11 am. Nich 4 4 1/2 pm. 2d Sunday, Horse B. N. H. 11 am. Nich 4 4 1/2 pm. 3d Sunday, Station 11 am. 4th Sunday, Lexington 11 am. Horse B. N. H. 4 1/2 pm. 5th Sunday, Red B. N. H. 8 30 pm.

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