

The Lexington Dispatch.

Wednesday, December 9, 1903.

Mixed Pickles.

Many men want to be great and few try to be good.

Most women take too much medicine and some men don't take enough.

Mrs. Lula W. Bremer committed suicide on Thursday in Chicago because she had lost her beauty.

The estimate of the cotton crop by the members of the Norfolk Cotton Exchange is 10,700,000 bales.

The science hall of the University of Georgia, at Athens, burned down on Thursday. The loss is \$43,000.

Some people are so naturally wicked they don't get any worse even when they go into politics.

If a man knows how to make his garden grow his wife can believe he knows how to do most anything.

You can never make a girl who knows how to make an angel, believe she wouldn't be a useful wife.

An ostrich's egg weighs about four pounds, equal roughly to forty hen's eggs.

Apples are so cheap and plentiful in some parts of Missouri, that it doesn't pay to gather them.

A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure in time. The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The day will come when there will be no Central or South American Republics. The stars and stripes will wave over them all.

Foley's Honey and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets—a complete, pleasant, scientific treatment for constipation and biliousness. 25 doses, two medicines 25c.

Four gowns made abroad for Miss May Golet, who is soon to wed the Duke of Roxburgh, have reached New York. Their cost is estimated at \$20,000.

The man who owes you money may or may not think a great deal of you, but it is certain that the man to whom you owe money thinks of you a great deal.

Burglars at Marion, Ind., attempted to cut off a young lady's fingers to secure her diamond rings. She screamed and the burglars fled.

William Rawlinson, a prominent real estate agent of Augusta is missing. No explanation can be given for his absence. The police are searching for him.

A negro died in Savannah after drinking a quart of corn liquor on a wager. He drank it in a bar and then walked out, and in a few minutes he was a corpse.

There are now somewhat over 100,000 students in our colleges, universities and technical schools, and somewhat over 50,000 students in our professional schools of theology, law and medicine.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach River Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The Brogan Mills, of Anderson have made application to the Secretary of State for an increase of capital from \$500,000 to 1,000,000. The name has been changed from the Brogan Cotton Mills to Brogan Mills.

One of the rarest and most expensive of gold fishes is the brushtail, a pair for which sell for £200. Probably there is no other living thing of its size and weight that is worth so much money.

Henry Bailey, son of a prominent planter, was packed in a bale of cotton at the ginney of John Glaze, near Lemons, Miss. Young Bailey had come to the gin with several wagon loads of cotton, sent by his father, and in some manner fell into the press without being noticed. His absence was only discovered by a shoe heel seen protruding when the bale was removed from the press. The lad was crushed beyond recognition, but his clothing made the identification complete.

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills

have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and

IMPARTING VIGOR to the kidneys, bladder and LIVER. They are adapted to old and young.

Billy Felix's Letter.

We have been having ideal fall weather for the past two weeks. Jack frost has been in evidence of late very much, and many a grunter grunted his last grunt and now our tables are adorned with puddings, sausages, hoghead cheese, etc.

The Editor has come and gone and we hope he is much better financially than when he left home.

Our Union meeting was very good and well attended notwithstanding the cold weather and the disappearance of the program in this paper.

We have been presented with a lot of the finest turnips we have seen this season. They were grown by our jolly Agent Mr. G. A. Goodwin.

We have been informed that he raised some weighing five and six lbs. each. Had his eighteen months pig been prepared for eating purpose and the Editor had known such turnips were here, me thinks he would still be camping around Gaston as Gen. Grant did around Richmond.

The next Union will be held with the church at Swansee, the program of which will appear in due time.

A young man been out courting, his mule got loose and last we heard of him he had not caught him yet. Should he have as hard a time catching the girl—well poor fellow may die a bachelor.

During the early fall we have been presented with some fine melons by our various friends. The largest was given by Mr. David Moor, the latest by Mr. Arthur Guigard. The latest as late as Nov. 15th. It was cool, sweet, juicy, crisp and delicious.

Much small grain has been sown and more to follow. Fall oats have been killed by the recent cold.

Many a gobbler gobbled his last gobble Thanksgiving Day: but not many people were able to gobble them.

The health of the Felix's family is normal.

With success to the Dispatch I am
Billy Felix
Gaston Nov. 30 1903

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The Camden Bank.

Charleston, Dec. 1—The statement of the Farmers and Merchants bank of Camden, the president and cashier of which killed themselves on the same day, is not encouraging. The depositors and creditors will get their money eventually but \$72,000 belonging to the stockholders will not be realized. On the day of the double tragedy when the bank was closed the cash in hand was \$171 99.

She Has Reformed.

He was deep in his paper and did not want to be interrupted, but of course she didn't care anything about that.

"Did you read about the young couple that went through the marriage ceremony just for a joke?" she asked.

"No," he replied. "What of it?"

"Why, after it was all over they discovered that it wasn't a joke at all."

"Oh, every one who tackles the marriage question finds that out." He wasn't interrupted again for a full hour. Liver spots have spoiled many pretty complexions, and nothing so completely removes them as Ramon's Tonic Regulator. Just a mite of this pleasant vegetable powder on retiring paints the bloom of health on the cheeks. Large tin box 25c.

New Weekly Newspaper.

Two Well Known Newspaper Men to Start One Here.

Columbia Evening Record 2d.

Mr. T. Larry Gantt, of Spartanburg, and Mr. Eibert H. Aull, of Newberry, propose to establish a weekly newspaper in this city sometime next month. They have had the matter under consideration for some time and are convinced that a paper of the character they propose to make it will be a paying proposition. It is to be a paper to cover all the news of the day, and contain besides special articles of general interest. The promoters think there is a good field for such a paper. The name will probably be "The Palmetto Capital". A printing plant will be purchased, including a linotype machine. It is understood that Mr. Gantt will be the editor and Mr. Aull the business manager.

Coughing Spell Caused Death.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat Dec. 1, 1901" Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him 25c, 50c and \$1.00 Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Time to Pray.

A preacher at the conclusion of one of his sermons said, "Let all in the house who are paying their debts stand up" Instantly every man, woman and child, with one exception, rose to their feet. The preacher seated them and said, "Now every man not paying his debts stand up" The exception noted, a careworn, hungry looking individual, slowly assumed a perpendicular position. "How is it, my friend," asked the minister, "that you are the only man not to meet his obligation?" "I run a newspaper," he meekly answered, "and the brethren here who just stood up are my subscribers, and"—"Let us pray," exclaimed the minister.

The Lone Star State.

Down in Texas, at Yockum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips east to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here, take one of these Little Early Risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning feeling good." For the "dark brown" taste, headache and "hat logy" feeling DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills to use. Sold by all druggists

Heavy Shipment From Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 1—Forty five hundred bales of southern cotton, the largest shipment of cotton ever carried by one of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha boats from Seattle, will leave on the Rio Juno Maru tomorrow. It is worth about \$250,000. The vessel also takes 3,000 tons of flour worth \$120,000.

Heart Fluttering.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right 50c. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Baily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also it used for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

A Handsome Depot.

It is said that the Seaboard will soon build an elegant passenger depot in Columbia, on Gervais street, and add other improvements to their system.

Advance in Price.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 4—An advance in the price of cotton goods ordered by the Cornwall and York mills here is not an exceptional move in the trade. It now develops that an advance is being made by cotton mills throughout Canada on account of the increasing value of raw material. The Gibson mills of Marysville, the largest in eastern Canada, have ordered an advance, and the mills at Moncton and Milltown in this province and those of Nova Scotia will meet the increase.

Don't be imposed upon by taking substitutes offered for Foley's Honey and Tar. The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The best all-round liniment—for both man and beast—is Ramon's Nerve & Bone Oil. Try it: 25c.

Your Train.

"And now, madam," said the professor, "having seen you safely aboard your train I can only wish you a pleasant journey—but don't let anybody step on it."

"Oh what, professor?" she asked. "Your train, madam," rejoined the professor, gallantly lifting his hat as the cars began to move.

Bilious Colic prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box 25c

The superintendent and a shift boss of a mine in Colorado were killed by an explosion and foul play is suspected

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