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The Lexington Dispatch.

Wednesday, January 15, 1908.

Shady Grove News.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

Cake walks and card parties have been the order of the day for several weeks.

It seems that the members of the Farmers Union are not going to succeed in getting 15 cents for their cotton, but we are going to hold right on until that price is reached.

Mr. J. E. Haltiwanger has returned to his home here, after spending several days with his son at Sally, and visiting other relatives at Pelion and Batesburg.

Mr. W. W. Amick is on a business trip to Charlotte, N. C.

Miss Lela Fulmer, who is teaching the Broad River school, spent the Christmas vacation with her parents near Hilton.

Rev. J. C. Holly, preached a very appropriate sermon to a large congregation at Shady Grove Sunday a week ago. S. J. Jan. 11.

The Weekly Newspaper.

The country weekly has far more influence in proportion to its circulation than the city daily: first, because it has behind it a person who is known to the readers and whose character adds force to his words; second, because the weekly is read with more care. The country weekly comes much nearer reflecting the sentiment of the community than the large daily. In fact, in every contest between the unorganized masses on the one side and organized wealth on the other, the big newspapers are generally on the side of organized wealth, and this fact has become so notorious that candidates are often elected with practically all of the daily papers against them.—The Commoner.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.

Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty five cents a bottle. Guaranteed under the Food and Drug act, June 30, 1906. Serial number 1908. It is the best of all.

Homicides in The State.

Rev. Lewis J. Bristow of Williamston, S. C., has been keeping an account of homicides in South Carolina for the past six months. He makes the following report as the result of his efforts:

Total number of homicides, 158. Whites 79; colored 79; of the slayers, whites are 70 and negroes 85, unknown 3.

Of the dead, 121 were killed by guns or pistols, 18 by blows from rocks, bricks, and pieces of wood; 17 by knife cuts and 2 by blows from axes.

Of the 158 homicides, 82 were committed in prohibition counties and 76 in counties where there were dispensaries.

He advocates drastic punishment as a preventative of homicides.

—Edgefield News.

Bank Foolishness.

"When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the King of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at Kaufmann Drug Co. and Derrick's Drug Store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Negro to Contest Lever's Seat.

Formal notice was made in the House of Representatives on Jan. 9th, of the fact that Aaron Prioleau and the other negroes who have been contesting the seat of Representatives Legare, Lever and Patterson, mean to keep up the fight. According to law the clerk of the house made public a communication to the effect that all three of the contestants in the 1st, 2nd and 7th districts had complied with the law in the matter of filing testimony, etc.

The committees on elections have never considered these contests in a serious light, and though they are compelled to go through the form of hearing long-winded arguments every year or two from the South Carolina negroes and their attorneys. There is very little chance for any of the present Representatives to be unseated unless more damaging evidence is brought out hereafter than has already been produced.

To stop that pain in the back, that stiffness of the joints and muscles, take Pineules. They are guaranteed. Don't suffer from rheumatism, backache, kidney trouble, when you get 30 days' treatment for \$1.00. A single dose at bedtime proves their merit. Get them to-day. Sold by Kaufmann Drug Co.

The Joy of Life.

I do not wish for riches vast,
Nor fame or high estate;
I do not care when I walk past,
To have men call me great.
The joy of life is all I ask,
In perfect peace to dwell;
Beneath the summer sun to bask,
To live and dream a spell.

Good health is but my one desire,
With just a friend or two;
A wife to love me and inspire,
In what I have to do.
The joy of living is enough,
No greater boon can be;
Then, though my roads be e'er so rough,
Content shall dwell with me.

For one need not be rich or great,
Or even known to fame;
'Round humble cot or vast estate
Earth's glories are the same.
The same sun shines on us all,
The same stars gleam at night;
The flowers that deck the garden wall
The poorest man may sight.

Then grant to me the joy of life,
And I'll not ask for more;
For in the heat of bitter strife,
I know when it is o'er.
Beneath God's sky I'll take my rest
And glory in its blue;
With peace and love within my breast
As God meant we should do.

—Detroit Free Press.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says, "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by Kaufmann Drug.

40 Passenger Trains a Day.

The Columbia union station schedule in effect at 12:01 a. m., January 5, 1908, shows 40 passenger trains in and out of the station daily. Of these 32 are over the Southern railroad lines, eight over the Atlantic Coast Line. The eight trains over the Seaboard Air Line arrive and leave from the Seaboard station on Gervais and Lincoln streets. Passenger service over the Columbia, Newberry & Laurens railroad is rendered by Atlantic Coast Line trains Nos. 52 and 53.

It will be unnecessary for you to go through a painful, expensive operation for Piles if you use Manzan. Put up in collapsible tube with nozzle, ready to apply to the soreness and inflammation. For any form of Piles, prices 50c. guaranteed.

Lexington Needs Blacksmith.

There is a fine opening in Lexington for an all-round blacksmith, one that can do all kind of iron and wood-work and shoe horses. Such a man could make big money here.

Pinesalve Carbolyzed acts like a poultice, draws out inflammation and poison. Antiseptic, healing. For chapped hands, lips, cuts, burns. Sold by Kaufmann Drug Co.

It would be interesting to have the baby's opinion of papa's mother-in-law joke.

Headache Every Month

You may think, because you have long had it, that you must have a headache every month, being a woman.

But if you think so, you are wrong, since a headache is a sign of disease of your womanly organs, that thousands of other women have been able to relieve or cure, by the use of that wonderful, woman's medicine,

WINE OF CARDUI WOMAN'S RELIEF

"I recommend Cardui to all sick women," writes Mrs. A. C. Beaver of Union, Tenn. "I suffered with headache, bearing-down pains, feet swollen, pains in shoulders and many others. At last I took Cardui, have gained 20 pounds and have found it the best medicine I ever used for female troubles."

At All Druggists

WRITE FOR FREE ADVICE, stating age and describing symptoms, to Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. D 37

OVER TWO THOUSAND VISITORS A DAY

Cooper Explains Reason for Remarkable Average of Boston Callers.

During L. T. Cooper's recent stay in Boston, it is estimated that sixty-five thousand people talked with him and purchased his medicine. This is an average of over two thousand a day.

His success was so phenomenal as to cause universal comment both by the public and the press. There must be a reason for this. Here is the reason given in his own words by Mr. Cooper when interviewed on the subject. He said:

"The immense numbers of people who are calling on me here in Boston is not unusual. I have had the same experience for the past two years wherever I have gone. The reason is a simple one. It is because my medicine puts the stomach in good condition. This does not sound unusual, but it is in fact the key to health. The stomach is the very foundation of life. I attribute 90 per cent. of all sickness directly to the stomach."

"Neither animals nor men can remain well with a poor digestive apparatus. Few can be sick with a digestion in perfect condition. As a matter of fact, most men and women today are half-sick. It is because too much food and too little exercise have gradually forced the stomach into a half-sick condition. My medicine gets the stomach back where it was, and that is all that is necessary."

Among Boston people who are staunch believers in Mr. Cooper's theory, is Mr. Frank D. Brown, of 57

Bloomington street, Chelsea, Mass. He says:

"For five years I have sought relief for indigestion, stomach trouble and dyspepsia, spending nearly all my wages with doctors and obtaining no results. I had dull pains across my back, radiating to the shoulders. I had splitting headaches, which nothing seemed to cure. There was a gnawing and rumbling in my stomach and bowels. I was troubled with vertigo and dizziness, and at times almost overcome by drowsiness."

"I felt tired and worn out all the time, my sleep was not refreshing, and I would get up in the morning feeling as weary as when I went to bed. My appetite was variable—ravenous at times, then again nauseated at the sight of food. Sometimes my face was pale, at other times flushed. I was constipated and bilious, and had catarrhal affection in nose and throat, which caused me to hawk and spit a great deal, especially in the morning. I heard so much of the Cooper remedies that I decided to try them. After taking one bottle, a tapeworm 50 feet long passed from my system. I felt better almost immediately. All my troubles disappeared as if by magic, and my improvement was rapid. I now feel entirely well, and can honestly recommend Mr. Cooper's medicine to anyone who suffers as I did."

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