

LIGHT IS ENERGY.

If the Rays Are Not, Absorbed They Will Travel Forever.

If one could get an inclosed room with perfectly mirroring walls and light an electric bulb in it for a second and then suddenly annihilate the bulb the light would go on reflecting back and forth forever.

However, if the bulb had been left in the room after being extinguished it, being dead and not a perfect reflector, would finally have absorbed all the light back and have converted it into heat.

If light from an object is not absorbed it, being energy, travels on forever. Take a church steeple with the sun shining on it and no clouds above. The light reflected from the steeple will go out into space and travel forever unless it strike some matter in space.

If this celestial observer were very far away the light of course would take some time to get to him and he could not possibly see the steeple as soon after the sun struck it as could an observer on the earth.

In the regions of space there are rays of light that were reflected from people and buildings ages ago. If some one were there to catch these rays he could actually see things that long ago ceased to exist except as light rays.

Astronomers do actually see such things, for they can look at stars whose light has taken forty years to get to the earth. If these forty year stars were to go out no one on the earth could possibly see them go out for forty years.

This fact demonstrates more plainly than any other that what one sees is light and not objects. A friend's face, for instance, is not seen. Nothing is seen but the light reflected from that friend's face.

The Arabs of Syria.

Among the Arabs of Syria a man changes his name after the birth of his eldest son, assuming the name which has been bestowed upon the heir, with the prefix Abu, meaning "father of." Thus, if the son is called Fudle Allah, "God's bounty," the father will henceforth be known as Abu Fudle Allah, "father of God's bounty."

What Intermittency Means.

Intermittency is that form of irregularity in which the pulse appears to drop a beat occasionally. In some instances it occurs regularly and two or three times per minute for several hours.

Rough on Both.

Patrick's face was so homely that it had been described as an "offense to the landscape," and he was as poor as he was homely.

Saved by His Wits.

The Duke of Weittington once met by accident an officer in a state of inebriety.

The officer drew himself up, gave the military salute and replied with great gravity, "I would not condescend to speak to the brute." His wit saved him his commission.

HARVIN HAPPENINGS.

Progressive Business Men--Visitors from the Antipodes.

Harvin, July 12:—Everybody hereabouts is elated over the fact that the Hon Jno L McLaurin, State Cotton Warehouse Commissioner, will speak at Alcolu Friday next, July 16.

That ever progressive and alert firm, D W Alderman and Sons Co of Alcolu, has nearly completed a modern up-to-date ginnyery which will be operated by the steam produced at their great nest of boilers which produces the great power that operates their immense saw and planing mills.

Capt John Bagnal Brogdon, Harvin's progressive mill man, is now grinding corn and grits from the grain that is produced in this section and furnishing same in even weight, commercial size sacks to the stores at Alcolu, Brogdon and some of it is even going to the Sumter market.

Mrs Emma Faunce Ross of Philadelphia, Pa, who has been visiting Miss Kitty McFaddin, has left for Sumter where she will spend the week-end with Mrs Jake Harvin on Bartlett street.

Mrs Nathaniel Gist Gee of Southchow, China, accompanied by her husband, Prof Nathaniel Gist Gee, and three children, is on a visit to her parents in America.

Miss Hattie Tuttle of Creelyville is spending some time with Mrs Alexander Manigault Keels at Harvin.

Death of Mrs Chas. Boyd.

Trio, July 12:—Our whole community was saddened on the morning of June 25 when it learned of the death of Mrs Charlie Boyd, which occurred at her late residence at Spring Gully.

We bow in humble submission to our Father's will, and say sleep on and take thy rest. W.

Shipping Tomatoes.

For distant markets, gather fruit just as soon as the blossom ends turns yellow and slight traces of pink are apparent.

In shipping, the best results are obtained when the stems are removed and the fruit is wrapped in "white news" or any type of soft paper.

Beauty More Than Skin Deep.

A beautiful woman always has good digestion. If your digestion is faulty, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. Obtainable everywhere.

A Case of Blackmail

By SADIE OLCOTT

Pietro Caracali was deliberating on a plan to extort money by sending a threatening letter to some one who could afford to hand over the cash to avoid trouble, when chance gave him a fine opportunity.

Pietro was of an enterprising turn of mind, arguing that one can never tell when a secret may be picked up which may be turned into money.

Pietro climbed the fence with the agility of youth and, creeping through such plants as adorn gentlemen's estates, made his way toward the couple, who were moving to a rear corner of the grounds.

Pietro did not need to be the adept he was at theorizing to feel sure that this young couple were going to bury the body of a child contained in the box they had with them.

Pietro believed that he had a valuable secret. If he was right in his inference that the body of a child had been buried those who had interred it would undoubtedly give a large sum for the preservation of the secret.

Pietro thought of going to the house and making inquiries of the servants that would help him in determining what the secret burial meant, but he was farseeing and looked forward to a possible future arrest, in which case to be identified as having prowled around the place, the denizens of which he proposed to bleed, would prove a great disadvantage to him.

He learned the name of the owners of the place, then wrote a note mentioning what he had seen and offering to keep the secret on payment of \$5,000, giving an assumed name to be addressed at the general delivery of the postoffice.

A fortnight later, not having heard anything further in the matter, he wrote again, demanding immediate payment or the police would be notified that a crime had been covered up.

This looked to Pietro like a bona fide offer. He had not thought that the parties would likely provide against being called on for blackmail in future.

At the time appointed a man appeared on the scene and, seeing another in a brown suit and a book in his hand, asked him if he were the party to be paid for keeping a secret.

Pietro, instead of having provided for his freedom for five years, had provided for his board at the expense of the state for an exact term. No explanation was made as to the secret of the burial, for none was needed.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

There's an old proverb: "Having your wants quadruples your wealth!" Over almost everything except our virtues, there might be written this condemnation: "Too much." WE ENEE BANK KINGSTREE, S. C.

DEATH TO THE FLIES. Powdered Hellebore Advised as Effective Weapon.

There is no longer any excuse for permitting flies to breed in anything like the numbers in which they have bred in the past.

The Federal department of agriculture recommends sprinkling on manure a solution prepared by adding 1/2 pound powdered hellebore to 10 gallons water.

Coloring Matter in Butter.

A reader asks: "What is the most desirable coloring for butter? What amount is best and how should it be used?"

Butter color is a regular article on the market and is sold by all dealers in dairy supplies.

The amount used varies from none to about two ounces for every 100 pounds of butter fat.

The coloring should be diluted in a small amount of cold water and added to the cream before churning.

Diarrhoea Quickly Cured.

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted for over a week," writes W C Jones, Buford, N D.

Report of Treasurer of Town of Kingstree.

Report of Receipts and Disbursements by the Town of Kingstree for Quarter Ending June 30, 1915.

Table with columns for RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS, listing various items and amounts.

Kingstree Elec Light & Ice Co \$ 644 80 Street work 363 75 Germania Savings Bank 1,050 00 Sinking Fund 350 00

WALTER STEELE, Treasurer. July 6, 1915.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.

Church Notes

The public is cordially invited to attend any of the services of the various churches of Kingstree.

Baptist Church. REV W E HURT, PASTOR. Services every Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock and evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Episcopal Church. REV H D BULL, MINISTER. Services for 7th Sunday after Trinity, July 18: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday-school, 10 a. m.;

Methodist Church. REV D A PHILLIPS, PASTOR. Preaching every Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church. REV P S MCCHESNEY, PASTOR. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school 4:30 p. m.

Arrival of Passenger Trains at Kingstree.

The Atlantic Coast Line railroad has promulgated the following schedule, which became effective Monday, June 1, 1914:

Table with columns for NORTH BOUND and SOUTH BOUND, listing train numbers and arrival times.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid,

DR. F. J. INMAN, EYE SPECIALIST. FLORENCE, S. C. will be at the Kingstree Drug Co.'s Store on Thursday of Every Week. Special Attention Given to Fitting Eye-Glasses.

Legal Advertisements.

Notice of Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of July, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, I will apply to P M Brockinton, Judge of Probate of Williamsburg county, for Letters Dismissory as General Guardian of the person and estate of T B Tanner.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that at 12:00 o'clock, noon, on the 9th day of August, 1915, the undersigned will apply to the Judge of Probate of Williamsburg county for his final discharge as Administrator of the estate of W L Carter, deceased.

Registration Notice.

The 14th of September being election day on State-wide prohibition, the registration books will be opened from the 2nd of August, being the first Monday in the month, until the 14th, every day.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the town of Kingstree, S. C., will, by the undersigned, be opened in the office of the Kingstree Hardware Company, on Hampton Avenue of said town, on the 1st day of July, 1915, for the registration of voters and qualified electors within the limits of the Town of Kingstree, S. C., who under the Constitution and laws of the State have the right and privilege to become qualified voters within the limits of said Town, said books of registration to be kept open for a period of eighty days and to be closed on the 18th day of September, 1915.

HALL'S CATARRH CURE. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

We'll Help You Through your tire troubles, as we keep a full line of tires. We do all kinds of up-to-date repairing of cars in a manner that always gives perfect satisfaction. Kingstree Garage. L. T. THOMPSON, Mgr. THE BAILEY-LEBBY CO. RUBBER ROOFING CHARLESTON, S.C. Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.