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# WILMINGTON.

### DR. JOHNS' EXPERIENCE.

His Thrilling Escape from Wrightsville Beach—Admits He was Scared.

Dr. E. S. Johns of the University of South Carolina was at Wrightsville Beach during last Monday's storm and had an escape from death that was remarkable. Dr. Johns consented to tell about his experience and gives a graphic description of the gale as it worked.

"Wrightsville Beach," said Dr. Johns, "is a beautiful beach on the east coast of North Carolina. It lies about a mile and a half from the mainland, separated by a sound, which is crossed every half hour, or a railway trestle, by electric cars, and from the city of Wilmington nearly a mile. It is a little less than a mile long and is called the Hammocks. The beach is a delightful summer resort and at the present season is crowded with visitors. At this time the larger hotels were closed, but many of those who were still open to guests of whom there were 200 were now on the island."

"I was lodged at the Ocean View hotel, near the lower end of the beach. There I had been enjoying this beautiful spot, and feasting on the delicacies of the sea. I had never enjoyed more delicious days and at night the soft, sweet murmur of the breaking waves reminded me of my childhood on the Atlantic coast of Virginia. The last evening the wind blew from the north and the waves were very high. I had been to a fashionable resort on the beach, which was only a few steps away. Nearby were many places of public amusement. But this morning, so desirable in every respect, was now the part of the beach—hence earliest and most completely exposed to danger."

Sunday, the 24th, the weather was cool, and a high wind blew from the north, and rising tides. But at bedtime everything seemed to indicate a clear morning. From my window, with admiration but without anxiety, I watched the angry surf, and in due time I went to bed and to sleep, dreaming of the good things I should have for breakfast the next morning."

"About 5 o'clock—just after dawn—I was awakened by a sharp knock at my door. 'Get up,' was the word, 'a storm is on the beach, we must leave at once.' I got up, and from my window was grand and awful. The waves were dashing clear under the porch. I made what haste I could to pack the necessary things, and my wife, who I had never known before, was with me. I knew not where. The waves were sweeping clear across the island—narrow, at that point—and rising nearly to the floor of the porch. The street car track was broken and the plank walk leading up to the beach had partially washed away. A horse, which had been left to watch the house, but he like myself, concluded that it was time to leave. I hired him to take my valises and we started up the beach to go to the mainland, but only seeing a higher ground. The wind, laden with salt spray, which though not frozen cut like steel, was blowing so hard that it was almost difficult to walk or stand. Both the car track and the plank walk were in places torn up or overflown. Here we had to wait the subsidence of the water, and rest and wait for a while. Moreover, we knew not where to go, to look for our friends from the hotel. Had I known I should have gone to the mainland, this story would not have been told."

"In this uncertainty, when about half way up the beach, I came to a street car about to start for the mainland. It had just started, but when reflection caused me to get aboard. The car started. When it reached the upper end of the beach, where the tracks turn across the sound, most of the passengers got off, deeming the trestle too dangerous. The rising tide was by this time washing over the trestle and the waves were dashing above my head. I was called to me to get off, but I knew not what folly caused me to stay. I knew it was not courage, for I was not frightened. I thought it was duty. In the moment and the conductor, who I felt sure knew their responsibility and would not waver in the face of danger. As my wife and I stayed with a few others and then followed the most intense 15 minutes of my life, which I can never no, never, forget."

"The spray-laden wind was blowing a gale, which would have overturned any other than an open car. The water was heaving over the track; the waves were rushing on only through the little cut in the car, drenching us with cold spray, and I was intensely conscious of the danger. But, still worse, just in the middle of the large crowd, the trolley wire slipped and the car stopped still. By extraordinary exertion the conductor—I wish I knew the driver's name—managed to get up and started the wire. After this moment of imminent danger and intense anxiety, the car moved forward and in a few minutes we reached the beach, where an ambulance crew was waiting one approach. During these few minutes, I had been a case of imminent danger. I had no time to think—there was really nothing to be

### PAUL O. STENSLAND LANDS.

Chicago Bank Embroiler Arrives in New York From Tangier—Makes Partial Confession.

New York, Sept. 24.—Paul O. Stensland of Chicago, bank embroiler, who arrived from Tangier, Morocco, today on the steamer Prince Adalbert, was brought to this city at 6 o'clock to police to Chicago tomorrow morning. He had made a confession to him while en route from Tangier. Theodore Stensland, the banker's son, immediately afterwards issued a statement in which he said that his father would plead guilty to the charge of the indictment charging violation of the Illinois State banking laws after he had examined the indictment. He would not plead guilty of forgery, but would reveal everything leading up to the wrecking of the Milwaukee Avenue bank in so doing would he not plead guilty of forgery. He would not plead guilty of forgery, but would reveal everything leading up to the wrecking of the Milwaukee Avenue bank in so doing would he not plead guilty of forgery. He would not plead guilty of forgery, but would reveal everything leading up to the wrecking of the Milwaukee Avenue bank in so doing would he not plead guilty of forgery.

Stensland arrived in New York yesterday and showing much evidence of the stress which he had undergone, his attendant brought him extraordinary gifts from his native country, which he presented with frequent tears for freedom down the west African coast, and his final capture in the city of Tangier, Morocco, where the United States authorities were permitted to remove him by the government of Morocco. There was an affecting meeting between father and son on board the tug Carverie Moran, which the prisoner boarded at quarantine.

Stensland denies the report that he had committed suicide while in Morocco. He says that a sudden fainting spell there was interpreted as an attempt at self destruction by the Moroccan authorities. The Prinz Adalbert was several hours later than expected in arriving at quarantine, and it was 4:30 o'clock when the health officers boarded the steamer. At that time the decks of the Prinz Adalbert were lined with passengers, prominent among them being the State's Attorney Olsen and John C. McFadden, managing editor of the Chicago Tribune, who had accompanied the State's attorney to bring Stensland back to America. The first scene of Stensland was when he was taken from a stateroom window at his son.

No little excitement and commotion attended the departure of Stensland. The State's Attorney Olsen and Mr. Keeley from the steamer, a sign which they were permitted to take at quarantine by special ruling of the authorities. All the baggage of Stensland was transferred at the same time, and it was noticed that the trunks of the indicted bank president all bore in print the full name of Stensland.

Stensland was pale and seemed very weak as he passed slowly from the steamer to the tug and then into the cabin. Here he was formally placed under the guard of New York detectives, and here also after a few moments he received his son. Both father and son were completely overcome and made an effort to restrain their emotions. The elder Stensland was quite unable to talk, and when he did so it was in tones so low that he could scarcely be heard.

Just before the boat reached the city the young Stensland gave out a statement on behalf of his father. "He wants it understood," said the son, "that his father goes out first of all to the depositors, and second to his own family. He was treated with extraordinary good will and kindness by the State's Attorney, Mr. Keeley and his willing to abide by their advice absolutely."

"My father will examine the indictment which have been returned against him and will plead guilty to such of these as he thinks he should plead guilty to. Moreover he will turn the State's evidence in the case of other depositors who have been injured by those persons who should be indicted. He is not guilty of forgery, he says, but he will offer a plea of guilty to the charge of forgery which in a general way are based upon technical matters of the Illinois statutes, which without the meaning of the law constitute the crime of embezzlement."

### Railroads Charged With Negligence.

Special Agent Phillips today says that at the coroner's inquest in the Tennessee town today testimony was heard that about 15 men were standing near the car of dynamite which exploded Friday morning and all are supposed to have been killed. None of them is known.

A country woman living near Jellico stated the place, searching for five children to whom she gave permission to go to Jellico Friday and attend a circus. It is feared that they were also killed by the explosion and that the fall of the dead will never be known. The body of an unknown girl, probably two years old, was found today in a field a half mile from the scene of the explosion. It was perfectly nude, but not mangled.

Mayors Baird and Stewart of the two Jellico towns filed a general appeal today. The Knoxville board of trade held a general citizens' meeting tonight at which subscriptions were taken for the explosion sufferers. Many of the poor at Jellico are destitute of food and clothing and will suffer unless the situation is immediately relieved.

The coroner's jury in Jellico, Ky., finished its investigation today and rendered a verdict that the explosion was due to the criminal negligence of either the Louisville and Nashville Southern railroad, or both, or their employees.

### "To Catch a Felon"

Says Sam Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "Last Monday night I was in the arms of Salva and the Salva will do the rest." Quoted here for Burns, Golts, Soren, Seale, Wounded at Ezzema, Salt Haven, Chapped Hands, Fore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at the Chester Drug Co's and Anderson & Guy's Drug Store. Guaranteed.

### Amos Owens is Dead.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 21.—News has reached here of the death at his far away home in the western North Carolina mountains of the famous Amos Owens, of the Amos Owens Cherry Tree Company fame. This notorious case was tried here in 1902. It was figured that the evidence against the man of the Owens family, who lived on Cherry Mountain, was used as a witness only. He was an old-time blockader and served some years at Albany. It is said that Owens was released he wrote to his wife to have plenty of corn mashed ready for resuming business upon his return. Owens was about 70 years old.

Good for the cough, removes the cold, the cause of the cough. That's the work of Kennedy's Cough Cure, Honey and Tar—the original laxative cough syrup. Contains no opiates. Sold by all Druggists.

### Raleigh Dispensary Submitted to Vote.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 24.—The Raleigh dispensary, which produces an annual net profit of 400,000, is to run the gamut of a popular election. In a decision today in the superior court, Judge Webb granted a petition for mandamus to order an election. Under the terms of the election, the Wattle and Ward acts under which North Carolina rural districts are under prohibition and a number of the cities have dispensaries, seemed to have been satisfied with the second. Last spring a petition to order an election on prohibition was presented to the Raleigh board of aldermen, but was refused upon the ground that there was no provision in the law for submitting the question of prohibition where by a previous vote of the dispensary had been established.

The city attorney gave notice of appeal from Judge Webb's decision.

### The Breath of Life.

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the porcupine, also has the largest lungs. Power is made by power, and power is made by power. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. The olden times were not so ignorant as those persons who should be indicted. He is not guilty of forgery, he says, but he will offer a plea of guilty to the charge of forgery which in a general way are based upon technical matters of the Illinois statutes, which without the meaning of the law constitute the crime of embezzlement."

### "ON THE WAR PATH."

Some Features of the Pleasure-Ground of the Jamestown Exposition.

Chicago had her "Midway," St. Louis her "Flicks," Portland her "Trail," and the Jamestown Exposition which will be held on the shores of Hampton Roads, near Norfolk, Va., in 1907, will have a "War Path." The scenic amusements have much to do with making an exposition attractive, and after a long weary day of sight-seeing among the exhibits it is a relief, and a recreation, to turn to the great wide way where the lights glitter, the merriment and the music of the day are heard, and the people are allowed to relax and enjoy themselves.

The War Path occupies a beautiful space fronting upon the military parade ground and is 125 feet long by 20 feet wide. There are several parallel streets separated by a central block on both sides of which are concessions, thus making a total frontage of more than a mile, including the bazaars at either end. The streets are eighty feet wide and paved with brick. An arcade covered by a glass dome, which at night will be aflame with lights, divides the central block into two equal parts and makes a convenient passage way between the streets.

A miniature elevated railroad runs along three sides of the War Path affording rapid and cheap transportation as well as a charming and comprehensive view of the great city of Richmond.

### Has Stood the Test 25 Years.

The old, original Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

### It's Just Fishers' Talk.

If Senator Tillman really did say that he was satisfied with the second primary, so far as it affected the dispensary, he is the easiest man satisfied that ever went a-fishing—Anderson Mall.

### Dies From Prize Fight.

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### A Bath cleanses the skin and rids the pores of refuse.

A bath makes for better fellowship and citizenship. Not only should the outside of the body be cleansed, but occasional use of a laxative or cathartic opens the bowels and clears the system of effete matter. Little Early Risers. Pleasant little pills that do not grip or sicken. Sold by all Druggists.

### We seem to be in danger of annexing Cuba before we know it.—Orangeburg News.

### Joe Fretwell Urged to Oppose Lattimer.

Anderson, Sept. 24.—Friends of Mr. Fretwell of this city are urging him to make the race for the United States senate two years from now to succeed Senator Lattimer. Mr. Fretwell has just returned from a trip to the North and while there he says that he was strongly urged to enter the race and was assured of strong backing.

### Well Worth Trying.

W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney of Pittsfield, Vt., says: "Next to a pension, the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Life Pills. He writes: 'They keep my family in good health, constipation and biliousness.' Guaranteed at the Chester Drug Co's and Johnson & Guy's Drug Store."

### He Was Realistic.

A newly enrolled volunteer was rather alarmed during his first experience of sham fight, especially as he heard the colonel in command declare that everything was to be done "the same as in actual warfare." No sooner was the first blank cartridge fired than the frightened soldier dropped his gun and took to his heels.

"Why are you running away?" shouted his captain as the man dashed by him.

"It's all right, sir. I'm doing the same as I would do in actual warfare," said London answers.

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- Extra Nice Tumblers at 15c Set
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Affairs in Cuba are in bad shape and the indications are that the United States will have to take charge.

Farmers are all reminded that Monday is an important day. They should attend the Cotton Growers' meeting and combine their wisdom.

The race trouble in Atlanta seems to be over and everything is reported quiet. The trouble was all caused, as usual, by the worst elements of both races.

Tomorrow, Saturday, is "work day" for the farmers, that is, you are asked to get up what you make tomorrow to the orphanages or to children who are without parents or friends to take care of them. If you get up tomorrow you can give another good day's work.

If you want the next macadam road to pass your place or lie between you and market, you will have to get busy at once. Just think what it would be worth to you to have a road around better than you have ever had at its best. To many it would be worth more than a third of the farm's value.

The North Carolina University freshmen who shot a fellow student should be warned that the penalty with a nurse instead of a pistol—Newspaper.

It appears to us as if he should have brought a policeman to take care of the other fellows; he seems to have been able to take care of himself.

Tom Dixon's play, the Clansman has been ruled out of Macon, Montgomery and Birmingham, on account of its bad effect on race feeling, and Columbia will probably take the same action. There can be little doubt that the Clansman is on the stage for purposes only, and that its effect is pernicious.

**Tillman Fox.**  
Cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Henry Sturmlings Tillman, of Trenton, S. C., son of Senator B. R. Tillman, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Fox, of Concord, N. C., who is known in South Carolina as a thoroughly delightful and charming young woman. The marriage is to take place at the bride's home on October 4. The couple are now at Greenwood, where Mr. Tillman is practicing law. He graduated at Clemson in 1893 and took a law course in the Washington and Lee University, Virginia. Columbia Cor. News and Courier.

**Name, "Clonca."**  
John Robinson's circus has a monster lion named "Ben Tillman" and a ferocious tigris named "Carrie Nation." They occupy the same cage and while the show was at Norfolk, Va., a few days ago a cub was born, which has the head of a lion and stripes of the tiger. Evidently this cub should be christened "Ben Tillman," a product of prohibition and dispensary ideas.—Spartanburg Journal.

**Bad Year for the Octopus.**  
Months ago, Sept. 20, a 500-pound octopus was caught yesterday by a fishing party in Mississippi sound and killed, after a battle of eight hours. The octopus weighed the boat of the party down, forcing it to anchor. This 500 pound octopus is not the biggest fish in the sea, to be sure, but its ability to row a boat stem foremost for ten miles indicates some ability. But the South Carolina octopus, which is believed to be an extremity, has towed the ship of state backward thirteen years.—Spartanburg Journal.

**Bible 332 Dollars.**  
Mr. P. M. Ryne of Dallas has a large old fashioned Bible printed in German script that is dated in 1564 and it looks very much that old, but it is well preserved for its age. It is a very large book and has all kinds of pictures of representatives of Bible scenes in it. It was brought to this country by the Pionk family, the fore parents of Mr. Ryne, and has gone from one generation to another. There are many old books of this kind in the country but this one seems to be distinguished for its venerable age and picturesque vignettes.—Gastonia News.

**Wife of 'Big Men.'**  
Worship this year failed the pain for the "wall man" and there is little doubt but that she is easily winner. Mr. M. P. Orr, of Greenville, a recent acquisition to the Freshman class, stands six feet eight inches in his stocking feet. Mr. Orr is but eighteen years of age and it is said has not started growing yet.—Spartanburg Herald.

And Wofford can also "claim the palm" for the "heavy man," for one of the Pylar boys who went to the college last week from the Faber-nucle section of the county weighs 240 pounds, though he is but seventeen years old.—Lancaster News.

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**Address of Rev. S. T. Creech.**  
Quite a number of brethren gathered at Toxaway Hall Thursday night to hear Rev. S. T. Creech deliver his address to the Rebeccas, as was announced a few days ago. The address is given a synopsis of the address: Mr. Creech said in the outset as this was the first session of the kind, he wished to say that he felt that he was a pioneer along these lines.

Mr. Creech illustrated the grand and noble work being done by the sisters of this organization. He also brought to mind the fact that generations past, woman was considered nothing more than a helpmate to the man, but that the great and honorable deeds were performed by the men, but today we find women occupying the highest and exalted positions of life, partly through the influence of this noble order.

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He next took up the emblems of the order and described them and the teachings of each. 1st, the Hee-tive, which teaches industry and shows that there is work for every member to be engaged in and that there should be no idleness in this kind of order. 2d, the Goodness for future use while at the same time there are some people that care only for the present time and provide nothing for the future; and this emblem of the Rebeccas teaches their members to be industrious and provide for the future.

3d, the Dove is the emblem of friendship and love. It is to be shown to all with whom we come in contact. He also spoke of woman's temper and stated that the more tempera woman had, the more work she would do for the Rebeccas. He was guided by the love of God which would enable her to obey the commands of the Lord and perform the work laid out for her. 4th, the Moon and Stars, which teaches truth; as the moon and seven stars reflect their light. It should be the desire of every member of the "great order" of Rebeccas to reflect their light to the outside world, the great and everlasting good and noble work of the order, that others should be benefited thereby.

5th, the Lily is the symbol of purity. It signifies very simply the uprightness of life in which their members should be engaged, and one living in this world has a heart full of love and purity and tenderness.—Anderson Daily Mail.

**Installation at Richburg.**  
Rev. J. J. Brown, of Fort Lawn, has been called as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Richburg and will be installed Saturday afternoon. The commission appointed to take part in the exercises will meet at the church at 11 o'clock a. m. Rev. S. J. Cartledge will officiate at the services. G. B. Brown will charge the people and Rev. J. T. Dendy the pastor. Messrs. R. L. Hicklin and W. A. Drennan are the elders appointed to meet with the commission. The services will begin Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. J. T. Dendy, of Kernaw.

**HAFNER BROS.' big sale will commence Monday, Oct. 1st, and continue for 30 days.**

**Revival Meeting.**  
Interest keeps increasing and the attendance at the tenting services is about all that can be accommodated with chairs in the aisles. The morning services are well attended also, is very interesting and profitable. We can hardly imagine more nearly perfect attention than is given Dr. Wharton. Many persons, mostly young but some fathers, are being led into the church.

Sabbath afternoon at 4 o'clock Dr. Wharton will address the men and boys, as announced in another column. A understanding that the meetings will continue until Wednesday.—As yet that Dr. Wharton will deliver a lecture Thursday evening on a trip abroad.

**For Governor of New York.**  
In the New York state convention, Wm. R. Hearst was nominated for governor on the first ballot, receiving 105,000 votes to 124 for Suizer and 17 for Dr. In the republican convention, Charles E. Hughes, of the Frazer Lyon of New York, was nominated for governor by acclamation.

Mrs. Russell Sage is a descendant of Miles Standish. Her maiden name, Olivia, was also that of her paternal grandfather, Olivia Standish. Notable names in the family are of great interest. In hamamity, she has reached the age of 76 years without ever having been married.—Fairfax Enterprise.

**The Jury in the case of G. Wash Hunter, of Laurens county, on second trial, made a mistrial.**

**Woman's Foreign Missionary Union.**  
The Women's Foreign Missionary Union of Bethel Presbytery will meet in Chester on Oct. 2nd, continuing two days. There will be three sessions daily—10 a. m., 3:30 p. m. and 7 p. m. The ladies of the various churches are invited to attend the morning and afternoon meetings, while the night meetings will be for delegates in full. The roll of delegates is not complete, but those already heard from are:

Rock Hill—delegates—Messdames Mrs. J. H. Fowler, James White, James Reid, Miss Sallie Gilpin. Alternates—Misses Lizzie Hall, Mary Marshall, Beadie Brown. Yorkville—Mrs. W. H. Herndon, Mrs. E. E. Gillespie. The roll of delegates is not complete, but those already heard from are:

Pleasant Grove—Messdames C. G. Brown, J. L. Miller. Blackstock—Mrs. C. G. Mayes, Miss Annie Blair. Lowndesville—Messdames J. A. Hope, E. L. Guy, Florence Anderson. McCormick Mill—Two delegates, names not given. Blackstock—Two delegates, names not given.

**PROGRAM.**  
October 2nd, 10:00 a. m.—Devotional Exercises—Rev. S. J. Cartledge. Enrollment of Members. The Union, Its Purpose and Work—with the duties they owe to their home and family. He next took up the emblems of the order and described them and the teachings of each.

3:30 p. m.—Prayer for the Missionary Work, at Home and in the Field. Report of Executive Committee. Report of Corresponding Secretary. Report of Treasurer. Unfinished Business. New Business. Free Discussion of Work Among the Churches.

5:00 p. m.—Popular Meeting. Address by Rev. W. A. Hafner. 7:00 p. m.—Devotional Exercises—Rev. J. H. Herndon. Informal Conference with Rev. J. S. Cartledge, Secretary of Foreign Missions. Lady Missionaries. Letters from the Field. Hymn. 3:30 p. m.—Devotional Exercises—Rev. W. L. Lingle, D. D. Talk on Missionary Study—Rev. W. L. Lingle, D. D. Talk on "Programs for Missionary Societies."

**ASK any "JAP" that you may see, "Why the Great White Bear didn't had to climb a tree. The Yanks, God bless the Yanks, they gave us Rocky Mountain Tea. Awful Tragedy near Abbeville. The people of Abbeville were shocked Sunday morning when it was reported that Mr. Jim Bots had killed his son-in-law, Mr. Thomas Gaston, about 2 miles from town. From what could be learned, Mr. Bots went home Saturday night, as usual, after they had eaten supper with Charles Bots, father of Jim Bots, and Thomas Gaston was in the room playing with Mr. Gaston's children. Jim Bots went up stairs and got into bed, pulled off his shoes, slipped to the door and shot Mr. Gaston, the load taking effect in the neck, killing him instantly. Mr. Gaston married Mr. Bots's daughter about three years ago and has been living with her father, as her mother was dead. Both families are highly respected and well-to-do people.—Greenwood Journal.**

**Wise two strong men come to blows, even if they are well matched. It is not a pleasing sight, but if the case is serious, it is better to see the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, he will look better and feel better in the morning. It will save you the trouble. WIT'S. Good for everything a salve is good for, including piles. Sold by all Druggists.**

**"Woman Sufferers."**  
In the Chester Ledger of Sept. 18th our good brother Bigham said a timely word about the absence of ladies' names from the Bryan Reception Committee. He further asked Mrs. Bryan to step over in Chester on a promise that the Ladies should have some of the pie. And he invited the editor of the Enterprise to send an address on the names of woman sufferers and grievances. We regret that the invitation reached us too late for our acceptance.—Fairfax Enterprise.

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**Wyles Mill Letter.**  
Wyles Mill, Sept. 25.—All are busy having cotton picked. The cotton will be light, for the wet weather ruined it. Miss Ella Jordan left for Orangeburg college last week. Miss Doll Nunney went to Limestone college and Mr. Jess Pittman to Greenville. Miss Cora Thomas is home from Spartanburg, Texas, where she has been with her uncle, Mr. John Thomas. We are all glad to see Miss Cora's pleasant face again. Mrs. F. A. Nunney and Mrs. S. D. Thomas visited near Harmony a week ago. Miss Estelle Ferguson is spending this week with relatives near Rodman.

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