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## "The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought can be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. **Purify your blood** can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, its cures and purifies the blood, thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

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#### Opening of the Public Schools

The Clerk of the City School Board will be at the Armory Hall for the purpose of issuing permits for entering the Public Schools, which open on SEPTEMBER 6, as follows: For white children—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 6, 7 and 8, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. For colored children—Thursday and Friday, September 9 and 10, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Enter the State Laws, all children before entering the Public Schools must be properly vaccinated. In order that the schools may be properly organized, permits will be issued after the 11th of the month. Those wishing to secure permits for their children will bring their city capitation tax receipts for the year 1909. au.26.10t

## NOTICE

Having decided to retire from the Livery Business, we have sold all interest in the CHATHAM STABLES to Mr. Jas. M. Duncan, of Alexandria. Appreciating the liberal patronage given us and wishing a continuance of same to our successor, we are Very truly, Harry Hammond, W. M. Reardon, Jr., Proprietors.

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## THE ESSEX MONUMENT.

As heretofore stated the monument to the Confederate dead of Essex county was unveiled at Tappanhook on August 25. The following poem is by Rev. Everard Meade, rector of Pohick church, Fairfax county, which was read by him on the occasion of the unveiling.

"A quaint old Virginia town, whose founding Dates back to times Colonial, lies On a beautiful river—a highway of trade. In her ships much to the world she supplied. Her very name tells of a race long gone Who through many moons lived, hunted, fished in the water and o'er hill 'Till the pale-faced man came and drove him out. Took his land and settled it at will. This town and its environs was settled By English people, cultured, college-bred, great, Whose eloquent sons stood up to speak In legislative bodies national and state. This people lived their life of quiet And of ease—a prosperous, hospitable race— Reared children, generous, learned, refined. But in a crisis, in a state or country, took high place. For to one day some fifty years ago At the North a dark cloud they saw And farmers, lawyers, merchants, doctors, Even schoolboys, quit work to learn the art of war. And when a foeman dared put foot on soil of mother State They, five hundred strong, proudly marched away 'Mid shouts and prayers and tears to battle For truth and right—all ready for the fray. And when 'Grim visaged war had smoothed Her wrinkled front' and cruel strife did cease, Home came the remnant, went to work and showed the world That more renowned than those of war are the victories of peace. But now today these men come to their own, For on this 'sou-be-shone' spot stands for all time A block of stone, statue crowned to tell a story of valorous deeds, Such as has ne'er been told before in prose or rhyme. For here's his monument—his memorial, Let us forget this grand, grand old man, The Confederate soldier, God bless him Proud of his title, glad to tell his children 'I'm a veteran.'"

## COMMUNICATED.

### A MODEL HUSBAND.

Never spoke a cross word To his loving wife, Never told a fib or story In all his mortal life. Never blamed the weather, He it rain or shine; Always in his little bed A few minutes after nine. Never played he poker, Never gambled any; When the church box came his way, He always had a penny. He never was a "jiner," Never stayed out late at night; Nor did he in all his life, Ever come home tight. But in a world so crooked He seemed almost to loam, The angels they took pity, And called this good thing home. But still there were some people Who had the nerve to say That the devil sinned his fathers When he tried to fly away. There'll be nothing gained by pointing, And you'd better have your fun While you're living do your shouting, When you're dead you'll need no "mon."

You and you'll live a great deal longer, But whether you do or not, You'll be a great deal stronger In the boiling political pot. You cast your vote for Tucker, For him your strength was spent; And now you'd be a nacker To cast a vote for Keat. Stand by the party leaders Who handle all the "pie" With a great big Mann and a "Dieky" Bird The State will never go "dry."

### SHOT SISTER BY MISTAKE.

Miss Edna Slaughter, a member of one of the most prominent Orange county, N. Y., families, was shot and seriously wounded by her brother, Eugene Slaughter, at their home yesterday, and is in a serious condition. The shooting was accidental. Mr. Slaughter was aroused by a noise, and thought that burglars were trying to enter the house. Arousing his sister Edna, both kept watch for a time, when, not hearing anything more, they again retired. Miss Slaughter was not satisfied, however, and made her way alone downstairs. A moment later Mr. Slaughter heard a noise, and taking his revolver, crept downstairs. Seeing a figure in the darkness, he fired. The shot took effect in Miss Slaughter's neck, and she fell to the floor. Striking a match to look at the supposed burglar, Mr. Slaughter found his sister. The bullet passed close to the jugular vein, and the young woman nearly died from the loss of blood before physicians arrived.

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Remnants and Odd rolls. Short lengths containing from 2 1/2 to 21 yards at 10c a yard 40 yards, 30 and 35ct quality, \$1.50 per roll 40 yard 's, 25 and 27ct quality, \$5.00 per roll 40 yards, 20ct quality, \$6.50 per roll 40 yards, 17ct quality, \$5.65 per roll. M. RUBEN & SONS 601 King St.

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