



**NURSING MOTHERS**

Particularly need the pre-digested nourishment in SCOTT'S EMULSION. It creates strength and rich, active blood. It insures abundant nourishment and keeps baby growing.

A weekly Democratic journal devoted to the material, educational, political and agricultural interests of Halifax and surrounding counties.

Advertising rates reasonable and furnished on application.

A New York bigamist declared that he had forgotten he had a first wife. What an amiable woman she must have been.

When he gets through with the Panama job, Col. Goethals might try to connect the Republican and Bull Moose parties.

After the exhibition California is making of itself, what does it need with a Panama-Pacific Fair to advertise the State.

The government will find that it will have its hands full if it attempts to correct all the unwise things that those Western States do.

The Creek Indian who is receiving \$12,000 a month in royalties from Oklahoma oil lands has become the Rockefeller of his race.

As a "sinking" illustration that the spirit of '61 and '65 is not dead General Julian S. Carr and Major Hamilton engaged in a personal encounter in Durham on memorial day.

A Massachusetts judge has ruled that employees have a legal right to insist on their union being recognized by employers. And the legal right to recognition implies legal responsibilities.

A French Countess has made the discovery that the conformation of an infant child's toes will tell whether it is going to grow up a criminal. This beats Berrillon and Lombroso and all the rest.

The New Jersey bosses have defied Woodrow Wilson more than once before, as they are defying him on the jury reform issue, and every time they have been beaten by the forces of public opinion and decent government to which Mr. Wilson appealed.

On his honor as a prophet, Representative Payne predicts that if the Democrats pass the Underwood tariff bill the country will drive them from power and restore Republican control. He speaks from painful experience and ought to know. It is barely four years since he was hard at work on the Payne tariff bill, and only six months ago the country drove the Republicans from power.

Still, if Mr. Payne is so sure that the Underwood tariff will result in the country driving the Democrats from power in 1916, why waste his time in agony and grief? When the bill comes up for passage, why not move to make it unanimous?

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases of the country put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure.

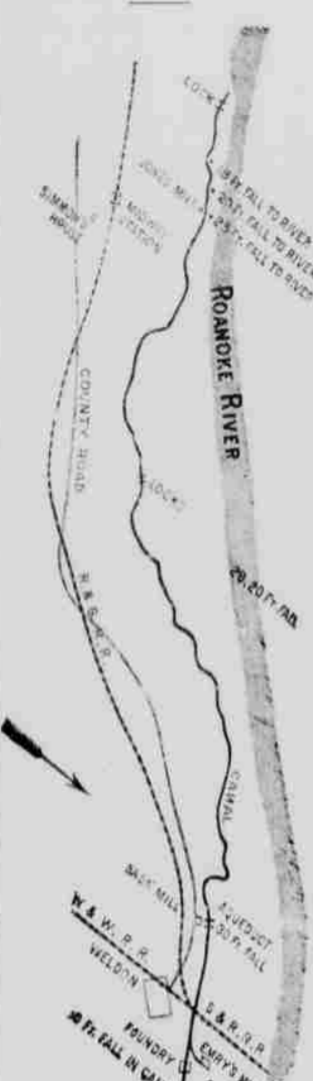
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pill for Constipation.—Adv

We once knew a weather fore-caster who sometimes forgot his umbrella.

Why Use L. & M. Semi-Mixed Real Paint Because it's economical. Because it is pure White Lead, Zinc and Linseed Oil. Because it's the highest grade quality paint that can be made. Because when the user adds 3 quarts of oil to each gallon of the L. & M. Semi-Mixed Paint, it makes 1 3/4 gallons of pure paint at a cost of about \$1.40 per gallon. This saves the user about 50 cents a gal on all the paint used. The L. & M. is and has always been the highest grade and most perfect paint produced. Sold by E. Clark

**BIG WATER POWER SALE.**

Roanoke Navigation and Water Power Company Change Hands — A Big Deal Which Means Much for Weldon.



George C. Green, receiver for the Roanoke Navigation and Water Power Company, last week closed a big deal in which he transferred all the rights, privileges and appurtenances of the aforesaid company to the Roanoke River Development Company, which owns the water power at Thelma, near old Gaston.

The Roanoke River Development Company is a corporation with millions of dollars to back any enterprise they may undertake, and we are told that the sale of the old Roanoke Navigation and Water Power Company to the Roanoke River Development Company means much to Weldon and territory under the control of this company.

Years ago Weldon people—now gathered to their fathers—dreamed of great things for Weldon on account of our splendid location, our magnificent water power, climate and railroad facilities. Some never lived to see the beginning, others passed away while the fruition of their dreams appeared to be fulfilling, and others lived to witness a partial development of the water power here. They saw a large corn mill go up, a big grain elevator constructed, a cotton seed oil mill, two electric light plants, two cotton mills and other improvements, and the future appeared rosy. But later they saw the cotton seed oil mill swept away by flames, they witnessed the closing of the corn mill, and finally the destruction of the canal by a great freshet in 1912.

But the people still had faith. The property was placed in the hands of George C. Green, attorney, as receiver, and with that splendid business tact for which he is noted, he has made a sale which means a renewal of hope for Weldon people, and great gain for the Roanoke River Development Company. It places them in possession of a fine water power and we learn that they will spend quite a sum in developing it and making it a valuable asset for the owners. Here's hoping for progress and development all along the line.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.—The following is a list of letters remaining "uncalled for" in the Weldon post-office: W. T. Cullum, Buddie Debow, G. W. Hale, P. Himmelfart, David C. Joyner, Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, Miss Lenora Scott, Ruffin Satterwhite, T. B. Walker, Mamie Wilson, (colored.)

Persons calling for above letters will please say "advertised," giving date of advertising. JOHN O. BURTON, P. M., Weldon, N. C. May 12, 1913.

CUT OUT THE WASTE.—The high fire insurance rate in this state is due to the large fire waste. Cut out the waste, the risk is reduced, the fire loss is reduced and consequently the insurance rate can be reduced. The companies operating in North Carolina last year paid out \$1,896,606 in fire losses and made 5 per cent. clear above losses and expenses. All business firms are compelled to carry fire insurance, and if the fire loss can be reduced, they will save much money.

Allow no breeding places on your premises for flies and mosquitoes.

**MRS. JOSEPHINE DANIELS**



Mrs. Daniels, wife of the new senator of the navy, before her marriage in 1883 was Miss Addie W. Bagley. She has resided most of her life in Raleigh, N. C.

**STONEWALL JACKSON.**

Beautiful Tribute to This Great Southern General By a Northern Newspaper.

The New York World, always fair and ever ready to recognize true worth, be it north, south, east or west, Monday, May 5th, paid the following beautiful editorial tribute to Stonewall Jackson.

"Fifty years ago Friday, May 2, 1863, there fell mortally wounded at Chancellorsville one of the great captains of the English speaking races.

Lee, who called Stonewall Jackson his strong right arm, once said he would have won Gettysburg if Jackson had been there. Be that as it may, the almost uninterrupted victories of the Army of Northern Virginia ended when Jackson passed away. Chancellorsville marked the floodtide of the Confederate arms. Two months later came Gettysburg, and from thence on to Appomattox Lee's forces, despite all their marvelous courage and tenacity, were never again invincible.

Jack's place in military history is unique. Most great reputations were made by long years of service. His career was compressed into a scanty twenty-two months from that day in July, 1861, when Lee pointed out to him "standing like a stone wall" at Bull Run, to the early May day in 1863 when he marched his corps around the front of Hooker's army, smashed in its right flank and gave the Confederacy its most brilliant victory, only to fall under the fire of his own men.

A terrible partnership was that between the Cavalier and the Puritan; between Lee, who embodied the chivalry of Virginia, and Jackson, who was a direct spiritual descendant of the men that fought with Cromwell at Naseby. In all crises the two men seemed to fight with a single brain and a single purpose, destitute alike of the jealousy and intrigue that all but wrecked the Army of the Potomac.

Jack's presents a strange, appealing figure on the pages of history. He was as gentle and gracious as Lee, as silent and taciturn as Grant, as daring and audacious as Stuart or Sheridan, as relentless as Sherman, and with it all there was an intensity of religious fervor that belonged to the seventeenth century rather than the nineteenth. The war to him was a holy war. He went to battle with a prayer on his lips, and he went from battle to give thanks to God who had crowned his army with victory.

Appealing from his native sod in forma pauperis to God, "Lay bare thine arm—stretch forth thy rod,

Amen!" That's Stonewall's way. Even the bullets that struck him down he regarded as providentially directed by a definite, Divine purpose. There is no more mendacious phrase than that of a "born soldier," but here was a man who was beyond question a born soldier who hated war, who was dazzled neither by ambition nor glory, who fought for principle alone and whose military genius was elemental. Peace to his ashes. A united nation can be proud that he was numbered among her sons."

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

**RUB-MY-TISM** Will cure your Rheumatism Neuralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts and Burns, Old Sores, Stings of Insects Etc. Antiseptic Anodyne, used internally and externally. Price 25c.

**Stiff Joints Sprains, Bruises**

are relieved in cases by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Don't rub, just lay on lightly.

"Sloan's Liniment has done more good than anything I ever tried for my back. I got my back hurt so badly that I had to stop work right in the middle of the year. I thought at first that I would have to give up my work, but I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and cured my back." WILSON WILKINSON, NORTH ALEX.

**Good for Broken Sinews** G. G. Jones, Raleigh, N. C., writes: "I used Sloan's Liniment for broken sinews in the knee cap caused by a fall and to my great satisfaction was able to resume work in less than three weeks after the accident."

**SLOAN'S LINIMENT**

**Fine for Sprain** Mr. Henry A. Vogel, 54 Somerset St., Portland, Me., writes: "A friend related his case so badly that I went to look. He laughed when I told him that I would have him out in a week. I applied Sloan's Liniment and in four days he was working and said Sloan's was a right good Liniment."

Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 Sloan's Liniment for sprains, bruises, sore throats, sore eyes, and other ailments.



Dr. Earl S. Sloan Boston, Mass. U.S.A.

**SENATOR LEE S. OVERMAN**



Senator Overman of North Carolina is chairman of the senate committee of patronage which passes on the jobs to be given out by the senate. His office is besieged by hordes of office seekers.

**WELDON 33 YEARS AGO.**

From the Roanoke News, May 15, 1880.

Judge C. M. Fenner, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, is a nephew of the late John H. Fenner, of Halifax. Judge Fenner's father moved from this county to Florida.

A party of gentlemen went over to General Person's pond Tuesday to spend the day fishing. They were met at the pond by General Person who always knows what to do to make his friends feel comfortable.

Last Sunday about one mile from town, a difficulty occurred between two white men, Pruden and Smith. Smith shot Pruden in the breast, the ball taking effect and glancing upward. No serious damage was done as the ball did not penetrate the lungs.

The following vestry of Grace Church has been elected for the ensuing year: J. B. Tighman, senior warden; J. T. Evans, junior warden; A. Prescott, treasurer; W. H. Capell, secretary; T. A. Clark, W. H. Day, R. S. Hall, R. P. Spiers, L. M. Long, R. F. Butler, W. W. Hall.

**ANNUAL REUNION**

United Confederate Veterans, Chattanooga, Tenn., May 27th-29th, 1913.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company offers the very low rate of \$11.65 from Weldon to Chattanooga, Tenn., and return, on account of the annual Reunion of United Confederate Veterans. Tickets will be sold May 24, 25 and 26, limited to reach original starting point returning not later than midnight of June 5th, 1913, except by deposit of ticket with Special Agent, 703 Broad Street, Chattanooga, and payment of fee of 50c, at time of deposit, limit will be extended to June 25th.

For schedules, reservations or other information, apply to local Ticket Agent, or W. J. Craig, P. T. M., T. C. White, G. P. A., Wilmington, N. C.

**WALTER H. PAGE**



Mr. Page is the new ambassador to Great Britain. He is editor of "World's Work" and president of the publishing house of Doubleday, Page & Co. Mr. Page is about fifty-eight years old and has never held office before, except as a member of the Roosevelt country life commission. Mr. Page is from North Carolina and has been in the newspaper business all his life.

**OUT OF THE FIRE.**

Wanted: One Thousand New Daily Subscribers to the Old Reliable.

The News and Observer plant was destroyed by fire on April 24. But it did not miss a single issue. It appeared the morning after the fire, fresh and resolved to give the news to North Carolina folks.

Work begins at once to rebuild. New machinery has been ordered, and the News and Observer will be better than ever, and try more than ever to serve the people of North Carolina.

The News and Observer needs one thousand new subscribers. The price is six dollars a year. Will YOU not help that paper to rise from its ashes superior to the flames by enrolling yourself as a subscriber?

Address: NEWS & OBSERVER, Raleigh, N. C.

**MOTHERS' DAY.**

(TUNE—I Love to Tell the Story of Jesus and His Love.)

I love to think of Mother, her voice so low and sweet, As she prayed that God would keep me, would guide my wandering feet Along life's rugged pathway, with its pitfalls and its snares I know that God is guiding, in answer to her prayers.

**CHORUS.**

I love to think of Mother, And oh how much I love her, Though I roam the wide world over Her love will follow me. I love to think of Mother, the hymns she used to sing, I hear them now in fancy, in memory they still cling. Though years have swiftly glided, and now she's old and gray, Her love for me I'll cherish, keep green on Mother's Day.

I love to think of Mother, her tender love for me, When I, a wayward child, was thoughtless as could be; In sickness and in sorrow, she was so meek and mild, She's prayed the Lord to spare me, spare me, a wayward child.

**ENDORSED AT HOME.**

Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Weldon Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be produced. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Weldon adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it:

J. T. D. Rawlings, Second St., Weldon, N. C., says: "You are welcome to use my name as a reference for the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills as I have tested this remedy and have found that it is reliable. I had backaches and pains through my kidneys and was bothered by irregular passages of the kidney secretions. I finally got Doan's Kidney Pills at Cohen's Drug Store and it was not long before they gave me entire relief."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**CREDIT**  
A Bank account increases your credit. The thrifty man can always borrow more than he has in bank. Paying by check creates a better impression. Remember us when you have money and we will remember you when you need money.  
**WELDON BANK & TRUST CO.,**  
WELDON, N. C.

The Store of Quality. **R. E. Draper Co.** Honest Goods At Honest Prices.  
**Good Clothes**  
never made brains, but they gave many a fellow the opportunity to prove he had them, and it is brains now, that make our custom-tailored suits so popular. Only master hands and minds can put that touch of individuality—that air of refinement—that New York stylishness and richness in a Spring Suit for you. Only a tailoring establishment showing over three thousand fabrics could give such a wide range of patterns and weaves as we have to select from. Our illustrations of Spring styles and 3000 actual fabrics are still awaiting your inspection. Come and see them.  
J. L. Taylor & Co. NEW YORK - CHICAGO

**SECURITY!**  
Protect your home with the best policy. You may need fire insurance but once in a life time. At that crucial moment you want the best. Think of this when you insure. We write it; you need it. The best costs no more than the safest.  
**Rowe & Stainback**  
Big Reductions in Clothing, Hats, etc