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WELDON 33 YEARS AGO.

From The Roanoke News, Sept. 3, 1885.

Miss Lula Hutchinson, of Mecklenburg county, Va., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mullen returned home from a trip to the mountains last week.

Misses Annie and Maggie Comigland, who have been visiting relatives in Northampton county, returned home last week.

Mr. Fergus Reid, of Norfolk, well and favorably known in this community, was in town Tuesday.

CITIZEN'S BANK

at Halifax, in the State of North Carolina at the close of business Aug. 30, 1918.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts	\$22,044.52	Capital stock paid in	\$7,800.00
Overdrafts	448.22	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	125.28
U. S. Bonds and Liberty Bonds	100.00	Dividends unpaid	56.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,222.13	Notes and bills discounted	15,000.00
Revenue stamps	10.00	Deposits subject to check	2,708.12
Due from National banks	289.30	Savings deposits	686.12
Silver coin including all minor coin currency	37.21	Cashiers' checks outstanding	60.17
National Bank and other U. S. Notes	240.00		
Total	\$24,281.38	Total	\$24,281.38

State of North Carolina, County of Halifax, 1918.

I, C. H. Hale, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. H. HALE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Sept. 1918.

W. F. COPPEDGE, Notary Public.

THE ROANOKE NEWS

THURSDAY, SEPT. 12, 1918.

Published Every Thursday.

THE LONG AGO.

Notes From An Old Diary By J. B. T.

Dec. 9, 1859.

Could we but know that future days The sweets of life would bring, We'd calmly rest, we'd sweetly dream

And of that future sing. But human wisdom he can tell Of forepart what's in store, Then preparations fully make Leave nothing to deplore.

Oh, these school boys! Will they never end? I am studying physiology, and getting on right well, but when I branch off on anatomy, it's r'n subject, and get to thinking about it, my mind becomes confused, and it gets on my nerves to that extent, I can scarcely bend my elbow, or sit down, it is to me a very unpleasant thought, but all who are trying the hill of life to climb, and pluck only flowers from its rugged sides, will in attempting to go forward, realize that thorns, as well as flowers, must be encountered, and that "all that glitters is not gold," thus this repulsive study, will prevent my ever becoming a surgeon; could I more readily understand, success would perhaps crown my efforts; it is well that every one is not woe-filled stupid, as my poor little self.

I feel sorry for boys, you know if they are once called bad, all lose confidence in them; they "must stem the tide alone" through a certain youthful period; then transformation usually takes place when they get into long pants and this is the time to retrieve themselves—they generally do this, and are quickly transformed into polite, gentlemanly youths stepping into society, almost forgetting the stigma "bad boy," that once rested upon them.

Had I not the sweetest mother that ever imprinted a kiss of affection upon the brow of an only son, I might go astray, but when I think of her love, and the esteem she bears me, I cannot do wrong, and betray a trust so explicitly bestowed; oh, mothers! seek to gain the confidence of your boys, that you may become truly an "advisory board" in their behalf—their affectionate companion—discuss with them their troubles, kneel by their sides, and ask the God of love to keep them from temptation, and guide them in ways of life eternal. Oh, Mother mine! A subject long I've pondered. And tried to fit in rhyme, Could never do it justice.

Made failure every time. If one be good at guessing He'd aptly guess no other. The one that strikes a tender chord The world knows, this is mother.

Dec. 11, 1859.—Well, the big comet that created such a sensation is now a thing of the past, but it has not disappeared without creating a profound impression; the superstitious world may not be entirely wrong in its deductions that such phenomena sometimes forecast events that revolutionize the world; may the startling appearance of this gigantic Heavenly body prove nothing more than a "freak of nature" seeking a more congenial orbit, but it's unusual brilliancy, its immense size and apparent nearness to earth, caused closer scrutiny, and perhaps more generally observed than any of its predecessors.

Dec. 12, 1859.—We were glad to see from the last issue of the Richmond Examiner that John Brown, the notorious insurrectionist, of "Harper's Ferry" fame, who was hanged just ten days ago, had only a few accomplices, while it was feared originally, that he had quite a following which might cause a deal of trouble.

Report

OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF WELDON, AT Weldon, in the State of North Carolina at the close of business Sept. 30, 1918.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$217,000.00	Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	1,352.21	Surplus fund	20,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Liberty Bonds	21,480.65	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	948.15
North Carolina State bonds	10,000.00	Dividends unpaid	56.00
All other Stocks, Bonds, etc.	15,000.00	Notes and bills discounted	15,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00	Deposits subject to check	153,000.12
Due from National banks	30,706.29	Savings deposits	95,000.00
Cash items held over 24 hours	220.00	Accrued int. due depositors	
Checks for clearing	322.88		
Gold coin	250.00		
Silver coin, including all minor currency	1,425.34	Total	\$310,014.28
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	10,270.00		
Total	\$310,014.28		

State of North Carolina, County of Halifax, 1918.

I, L. C. Draper, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. C. DRAPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of Sept. 1918.

J. B. ZOLLDOFFER, Notary Public.

Report

OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF HALIFAX, AT Halifax, in the State of North Carolina at the close of business Aug. 30, 1918.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$108,304.10	Capital stock paid in	\$13,000.00
Overdrafts, uncured	406.18	Surplus fund	6,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Liberty Bonds	1,400.00	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	1,511.63
War Savings Stamps	1,210.82	Dividends unpaid	56.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,028.88	Notes and bills discounted	15,000.00
U. S. real estate owned	2,106.67	Bills payable	8,000.00
Due from National banks	3,782.36	Deposits subject to check	27,900.00
Due from State banks & bankers	3,471.69	Savings deposits	27,210.52
Cash items held over 24 hours	319.78	Cashier's checks outstanding	138.16
Checks for clearing	319.78	Due to banks and bankers	
Gold coin			
Silver coin, etc.	142.22	Total	\$183,099.37
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	2,536.00		
Revenue stamps	41.60		
Total	\$183,099.37		

State of North Carolina, County of Halifax, 1918.

I, Fletcher H. Gregory, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FLETCHER H. GREGORY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of Sept. 1918.

W. F. COPPEDGE, N. F.

Correct Attest: N. L. STEEDMAN, M. GARY, W. T. KURE, Directors.

Trustee's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the powers conferred on the undersigned Trustee in a deed of trust dated the 24th day of April, 1917, which deed of trust is duly recorded in book 280, page 83, Office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax county, the undersigned will, on the 1st day of October, 1918, at the postoffice door in Weldon, N. C. sell for cash to the highest bidder FOUR certain lots in the town of Weldon, N. C. and described as follows: Lots Nos. 68, 69, 100 and 101 on a certain map or plot recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax county, in Plot Book 1, page 103, and being a part of those certain lots or parcels of land heretofore conveyed to C. A. Wyehe, W. F. Horner and S. B. Pierce and J. M. Mullen and wife. This the 29th day of August, 1918.

W. L. KNIGHT, Trustee.

Time of Sale—12 o'clock M.

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After Doctors Failed, An Old Fashioned Remedy Put Him On His Feet

"I suffered for three years with a weak and rundown system. For two years I was unable to go to work, and a part of the time I could scarcely walk," declared Mr. A. J. Terry, a well-known resident of Burlington, N. C.

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