

AYER'S THE PILL THAT WILL CURE HEADACHE INDIGESTION BILIOUSNESS CONSTIPATION

THE ROANOKE NEWS, THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1898.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

WARTALK. MARCH winds. PLANT tobacco. FROSTY mornings. HAVE you enlisted? PARKERS your lands well.

WE'll be glad when this croak was over. FABLY vegetables from the south are being shipped north by the car load.

WHAT the very young man don't know he thinks he knows and it answers the same purpose.

Ward comes from all quarters that the nearest and most satisfactory dye for coloring the beard a brown or black is Blackingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

EX-GOV. BELL DEAD.—Ex Governor Bell, formerly of Texas, died at his home at Littleton last Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He was about 90 years old.

America's greatest medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which cures when all other preparations fail to do any good whatever.

If your blood is thin, appetite poor, or you have a cold, night sweats or a gripe take Roberts' Tastesoll Chill Tonic—25c per bottle at Cohen's drug store.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Halifax Superior court was in session Monday and Tuesday. It was two weeks' term but the most important cases were continued and the calendar was finished up in two days. Judge Brown presided.

While no physician or pharmacist can conscientiously warrant a cure, the J. C. Ayer Co. guarantee the purity, strength, and medicinal virtues of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It was the only blood-purifier admitted at the great World's Fair in Chicago, 1893.

AURELIAN SPRINGS MARRIAGE.—On last Sunday, the 6th, near Aurelian Springs, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Willie Short was united in marriage to Miss Alice Keister, a daughter of Mr. William Keister. Rev. J. A. B. Kilpatrick performed the ceremony.

CHILD PAINFULLY BURNED.—A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wills, was painfully burned at her home at Brookleyville last Monday. The child, however, is not seriously injured, we are glad to learn. She was standing by the heater in her mother's room and her clothing caught on fire.

GONE NORTH.—Mr. M. F. Hart left Monday for the northern markets to purchase spring goods. Mr. Hart is one of our most progressive business men and he always displays excellent taste in the selection of his merchandise. He will let the public hear from him through these columns when he returns.

PLEASURE MEETING.—The members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union here are arranging for a pleasure meeting on Friday evening the 18th. The place of meeting has not yet been decided on, but notice will be given next week. It is expected that the meeting will be both interesting and profitable to all who attend.

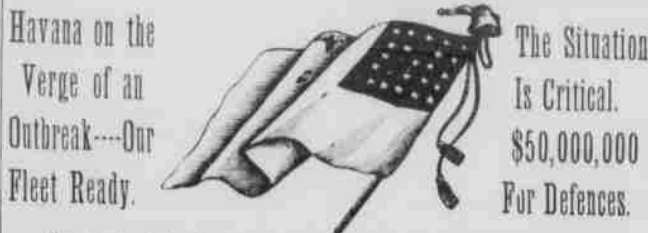
MISSIONARY RECEPTION.—The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a Missionary Reception at Mrs. Whitfield's, Friday evening, from 8 to 11 o'clock. There will be a musical and literary program for which the small amount of 10 cents will be charged at the door. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake, served free.

ROBERTS' CHILL TONIC.—We had the pleasure of a call last Friday from Mr. E. R. Roberts, of the Roberts Drug Company, of Suffolk, Va. This firm is manufacturing an excellent chill tonic, which is highly recommended. They have arranged with Mr. W. M. Cohen for the sale of this valuable remedy at his drug store. You will find notices of the same in this paper.

GREENA GREEN AFFAIR.—Another Virginia couple landed here Tuesday in search of a marriage license. They were Mr. S. J. G. Money, and Miss M. J. Bradrap, both from Chesterfield county, Va. They procured a team and drove to Halifax, obtained their necessary papers and on their return they applied to Rev. R. G. Kendrick, who very neatly tied the matrimonial knot. The happy pair returned home on the afternoon train.

To those who drink whiskey for pleasure, HARPER Whiskey adds zest to existence. To those who drink whiskey for health's sake; HARPER Whiskey makes life worth living. Sold by W. D. Smith, Weldon, N. C.

GEN. FITZHUGH LEE IN DANGER.



Havana on the Verge of an Outbreak—Our Fleet Ready. The Situation Is Critical. \$50,000,000 For Defences.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee is said to be in great danger, but he is conducting himself with great courage. The latest from headquarters show that our relations with Spain are strained to the utmost tension and hostilities may break out at any moment.

There is nothing that causes women greater discomfort and misery than the constantly recurring headache. Men suffer less with headache. "My wife's health was very indifferent, having headache continually, and just two packages of Simmons Liver Regulator released her from all headache and gave tone and vigor to her whole system."

NEW SPRING DRESS.—Our highly esteemed exchange, the Henderson Gold Leaf, published by Thad. R. Manning, comes out in a bright new spring dress of type, and shows unmistakable signs of being prosperous.

A LITTLE BOY'S TROUBLE.—My little boy has been troubled every spring for the past four or five years by an eruption covering his body and limbs. It was so bad he could not get on his shoes and stockings. Last spring I heard of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and by taking this medicine he was entirely cured."

NOW IS THE TIME.—To purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. March April, May are the trying months of the year. At this season your blood is loaded with impurities which have accumulated during the winter and these impurities must be immediately expelled.

PICTURES OF OLD PLACES.—One of our handsome young townsmen has recently been making some excellent photographs of the old historic "grove home," at Halifax, the house in which General Tarleton had headquarters during the Revolution, and also some good pictures of the court house and other old places around Halifax.

REV. DR. GIBBS' VISIT.—Rev. J. T. Gibbs, D. D., presiding elder of this district, preached in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He delivered a most excellent sermon on missions and a large congregation was out to hear him.

C. C. ALLEY.—One of the most reliable and progressive confectionery houses, whose traveling salesman look after the trade of this section, is that of C. C. Alley, of Petersburg, Va. He was raised up in the business, his father before him having long been one of the most honored men in that branch of mercantile pursuits.

HALIFAX ITEMS.—Miss Mary E. Wilkins passed through Halifax Monday en route to Tillery. Miss Jessie Gregory has returned from a delightful trip to New York. Miss Julia Phillips, of Suffolk, Va., is visiting Mrs. O. G. Calhoun.

To CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

One second-hand engine and putting for sale, way below value. Apply to A. L. Staiback, agent.

AARON AND HARPER PARDONED.—Governor Russell has pardoned George Harper and John Aaron, the two colored men who were convicted in the Halifax inferior court about six years ago, charged with mutilating Dick Burt and with burglary.

The case created a great deal of interest and was ably conducted on each side, the men being from the most respectable colored families in the county. Their homes being at Heathsville. Boss Fenner, a codefendant, turned State's evidence and on his evidence, which was tolerably well corroborated, the men were convicted and sentenced to fifty years in State's prison.

DEATH OF J. A. BURGWIN.—Mr. J. A. Burgwin died at his home at Jackson last Sunday morning, of pneumonia, aged about 47 years. Deceased was one of the most highly esteemed citizens of Northampton county, and his death was almost a sudden one, as he was sick only three or four days.

R. W. BROWN, Esq.—On the first page we present to our readers a picture and sketch of Mr. R. W. Brown, of Roanoke Rapids. Mr. Brown has long been in public service and in all his dealings with the county and in private he has been upright, just, and honorable.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. In Which You Will Find a Brief Mention of Friends and Acquaintances. Captain W. H. Day was in town last Sunday. Mr. Dan Gilliam, of Tarboro, was here Sunday.

Mr. W. B. Green went up to Louisburg Tuesday. Mrs. H. L. Harvey is visiting friends at Chester, Va.

Miss Olin Hopton, of Littleton, is visiting friends in town. Mrs. W. B. Green returned home from Richmond Monday night.

Mr. B. O. Burton, of Raleigh, spent a few hours here Monday evening. Mrs. Hartness Pope, of Courtland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tarrentine.

Mr. L. H. Keen, of Wilmington, spent Sunday in town on a visit to relatives and friends. Mrs. Ruby Vinson, of Ringwood, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Paul Garrett, at Chockyoite.

Mr. F. H. Gregory, one of Eofield's most popular young men, paid this office a pleasant call last Saturday. Mrs. Martin and little daughter, of Reidsville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Dunn. Mrs. Dunn is delighted to have her mother and sister here.

Mr. J. W. Chapman has been transferred by the Seaboard Air Line from this place to Chester, S. C. Mr. Chapman made many friends here who regret his departure. Judge Thomas N. Hill, of Halifax, who is chief counsel for the fertilizer company, ably argued the case before the Supreme court at Washington, D. C., last week.

Roberts is the Chill Tonic you want because it cures and is 25c as pleasant as a Florida orange. Price 25c at Cohen's drug store. No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed to relieve constipation, makes weak men strong, blood pure.

ROANOKE RAPIDS. A New Batch of Items From This Progressive Town. Rev. J. T. Gibbs, D. D., preached here Saturday night and Sunday morning.

DEAD COWS RESPONSIBLE.

Speaking of verdicts for heavy damages against railroads, Captain W. H. Day in Sunday's News and Observer is quoted as having made the following very timely and sensible remarks. "There is always a cause to be found for them. And very often," he added, "these causes are to be found in the most trivial things. Somebody's hog or cow has been killed in that section, perhaps, and the railroad has not made prompt and satisfactory settlement."

The Twilight Social club of Roanoke Rapids, will give an entertainment at the school house on the 16th at 7:30 p. m. The proceeds will be given to the Baptist church. Several of our citizens were absent last week attending court.

Mr. George T. Fitzgerald spent last week with friends near Halifax. Among other advantages that our town possesses that I did not mention last week in my communication, is that we have a hotel, a nice postoffice, a resident physician and a good board of town officers.

A white convict who escaped from the Northampton farm was captured here on Friday by the ferryman with the assistance of Mr. G. W. Green and placed in charge of Mr. L. F. Rooke who took him to the State farm. Mr. Willie E. Coppedge, of Halifax, was in town a few days ago.

Very little sickness in town. Col. T. L. Jones, of Henderson, is located with us. He is a clever gentleman. Messrs. Hoover & Crawford have bought an incubator and will go into the chicken raising business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jacobs went to Durham last week. FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY. The Cooper Marble Works Presented With a Loving Cup.

The Cooper Marble Works, No. 159-163 Bank street, yesterday celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its existence. The occasion was one of utmost pleasure. The day marked the close of a half century of honest dealing with the public, and found the firm in a prosperous condition with a still growing business, enjoying the confidence of its Norfolk friends and the esteem of its employees.

There has always been a close bond between the Couper's and those who work for them, and they never let a good man go when they get him. When a good man gets here, he never wants to leave. These there now have been in the services of the firm five to fifty years.

MOTHERS. Prepared especially for you, which we mail free. It treats of the stomach disorders—worms, etc.—that every child is liable to and for which Frey's Vermifuge has been successfully used for a half century. One little child we cured in ten days. 25c per bottle. Sold by Dr. W. M. Cohen, N. C.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF WELDON, TAKEN FROM THE REPORT MADE TO THE STATE TREASURER AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, FEBRUARY 18, 1898.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Assets include Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.

Wanted—Trustworthy and active gentlemen or ladies to travel for rentable, established home in North Carolina. Monthly \$25.00 and expenses. Position steady. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. R. Chicago.

WATT, RETTEW & CLAY.

STATIONERY 600 page tablet paper 5c. Half lb. package Octave Writing paper, 5c. Envelopes 1c. a package. 24 sheets fine paper, all tints, with envelopes to match, 10c.

LADIES' NECKWEAR Fickle Fashion has bid band bows good bye. Nothing but puffs are to be worn by the elect. Full new lines are here. Satin 50c.; white lawn and corded pique beauties, 19c.

ART NOVELTIES White enamel Photo Frames, with glass. Under the glass a mat of stamped linen which is to be embroidered. This is the second lot the first went like the wind. New Stamped Centre Pieces, 4, 5, 8, 10, and 12 1/2c.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED. Watt, Rettew & Clay, The Great Gray Store, ON MAIN AND GRANBY, NORFOLK, VA.

Advertisement for SANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets. Cure Constipation. Regulate the Liver. All Druggists.

Advertisement for NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES! EVERYTHING NEW AT H. D. Allen & Co's.

Advertisement for THE BANK OF WELDON. STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF WELDON.

Advertisement for Pianos Tuned. I am ready to tune pianos on short notice, and will guarantee a perfect tone.

Advertisement for WOODS' SEEDS. WOODS' SEEDS are specially grown and selected to meet the needs and requirements of Southern Growers.

Advertisement for PISO'S SECURE FOR CONSUMPTION. A remedy for tuberculosis.