

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It. How To Find Out. Fill a bottle of common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours. A sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. If it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

**What to Do.**

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidney, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant feeling of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. You may get a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail.

Address Dr. Kilmer & Sons of Swamp-Root, Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

### THE ROANOKE NEWS.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1903.

### TOWN AND VICINITY.

The first spring month is with us. Love quotes poetry while seeing prose. Now is the winter of our discontent as an end.

If you eat at the Sater house you get the best.

Large crowds in attendance at court each day.

Even the women of few words are continually warning them over.

The early spring catches the small boy digging fishing worms.

It takes a smart man to conceal from a woman what he does not know.

An epitaph is a mixture of the wit of the living and the virtues of the dead.

Only one little snow during the past winter months, and that was on Christmas day.

There's sunshine enough in this world to make even its winters blossom like May.

March came in like a lamb, and if she goes out like a lion she will reverse the usual order.

Talk is cheap, but when a young man is in love he naturally thinks the chief talker a little dear.

It sometimes comes to pass that the favors thankfully received are soon unthankfully forgotten.

Lots of folks who complain that they can't get in the swim have never learned the art of swimming.

There's always a bird singing in the wilderness; but it nevertheless a good idea to get out of the wilderness.

We don't want to spring a chestnut on our people, but we hear that the ice factory is really to be built this spring.

"In winter hit's too cold ter work," says a colored philosopher, "and in summer de sun's des hot enough fer sleepin'."

MAKE your own selection for a tailor-made suit measured by an experienced tailor at Garrett & Stainback's, next Thursday the 5th.

GARRETT & STAINBACK will have an experienced tailor and full line of large samples at their place on next Thursday the 5th. Fit guaranteed.

Don't shoot before you get out of the season, there are a few winter days tacked on to March, remember, and we will not have spring officially before the vernal equinox.

FOUND.—A ladies' cape was picked up on the bridge at Chockyotte a few days ago. The owner can get same by calling at W. B. Tillery's and identifying property.

SHOULD POOL NO ONE.—Just about planting time cotton goes up with a rush. This should not fool our farmers into neglecting hog and hominy. Cotton will be low enough this fall, and Halifax county farmers should be sure to raise home supplies, and then make cotton for a money crop.

THROWN FROM HIS BOOBY.—Mr. A. F. Stainback's horse ran away with him Sunday afternoon, while he was driving along First street, on his way to Chockyotte. He was thrown from the buggy and slightly bruised, but fortunately his injuries were very slight, and the buggy was not badly damaged.

EVERY CHURCH or institution supported by voluntary contribution will be given a liberal quantity of the Longman & Martinez Pure Paints whenever they are painted.

NOTE: Have done so twenty-seven years. Sales: Tens of millions of gallons; painted nearly two million houses under guarantee to repaint if not satisfactory. The paint wears for periods up to eighteen years. Linseed Oil must be added to the paint. (Done in 1.25 minutes.) Actual cost there about \$1.25 a gallon. Samples free. Sold by our Agents, A. R. Zollieffer.

TO CURE COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

**HANDSOME DISPLAY.**—Mrs. P. A. Lewis had her first spring opening yesterday and had on exhibition some beautiful new shapes and designs, which were very much admired. She was showing some of the celebrated Contemeri gloves, which are the most beautiful goods on the market. The goods will also be on exhibition today. Call and examine.

**WILL START BAKERY.**—We are pleased to learn that Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Bridgers, of Newport News, will in future make their home in Weldon, and that Mr. Bridgers will in a short time open a first-class bakery here. A bakery is badly needed and it can be made to pay handsomely. Mr. Bridgers will employ experienced bakers and will give the people of Weldon the very best of everything in that line. We hope he may succeed well in the enterprise.

**ADVERTISED LETTERS.**—Miss Eugie Baily, Mr. Jim Beard, Miss Mollie Birt, Miss Mary Birden, Miss Josie Jones, Miss G. W. Lancaster, Mr. W. C. Lawry, Mr. J. H. Richards, Rev. C. W. Watson, Mr. Jimmy Wood.

Persons calling for above letters will please say "advertised," giving date of advertising.

J. O. BURTON, P. M.,  
Weldon, N. C.

**WE CAN ALSO GROW LEMONS.**—Halifax soil can produce almost anything, and now it is found that lemons can be grown here to perfection. Sheriff J. A. House, who was here Sunday on his way to court, brought down a lemon which grew in his yard that just relegates to the shade anything we have ever seen in the lemon line before. It weighs 29 ounces and would furnish lemonade for an entire picnic party. It is now on exhibition at Mr. P. N. Stainback's store and is a curiosity.

**MARCH WEATHER.**—The wise weather prophets say we are to have rough, stormy and generally March-like weather up to the 8th. Then we may look for heavy rains with disastrous floods up to the 11th. After that a cold wave will come down upon us. The mild period will set in 17th to 21st, and stormy conditions will prevail up to the 26th. A warm wave will begin about the 27th and for the next few days, up to the 31st, there will be a hot time in the old and the new towns, with the temperature running up from 80 to 88 in some sections.

**SERVICES CLOSED.**—The evangelistic services which have been in progress at the Baptist church for the past two weeks closed last Thursday night.

The pastor was ably assisted by Rev. E. W. Winfrey, D. D., of Virginia, who preached some excellent sermons during the series of meetings and much interest was manifested by the congregations attending every service and there were several conversions and a general spirit of revival among all who attended and enjoyed the services.

**STATE VS. SPIVEY.**—Last week the Raleigh papers stated that the Supreme court had granted a new trial to Vance Spivey, under sentence of death in Halifax jail. It was found later that a mistake had been made. The Supreme court affirmed the judgment of the Superior court and Spivey will pay the death penalty, unless the Governor intercedes and commutes the sentence to life imprisonment. Mr. T. C. Harrison, attorney for Spivey, will make an appeal to the Governor for Executive clemency.

**MANY VALUABLE PRESENTS.**—The large number of handsome and valuable presents received by Miss Mary Zollieffer, who was last week married to Mr. Waverly Fitzhugh, deserve special mention. It is safe to say that no bride who has ever gone out of Weldon was more lovingly and substantially remembered. It would be almost impossible to name the various articles received, which amounts in value to over \$1700.00. Among the most gifts received were: A solid silver service, solid silver knives and forks, with pearl handles; silver spoons of all kinds; handsome rugs; two horses; a fine phaeton; silver mounted harness; silver trays; out glass-ware; china of all descriptions for the table; a handsome bed room suit of furniture; tables, writing desk, china press, jewelry and jewelry of various kinds, pictures in costly frames, and over \$700 in checks. No one could properly form an idea of these presents who did not see them on exhibition at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Zollieffer, on south Washington avenue.

**LETTER TO W. R. HARVEY.**  
Littleton, N. C.

Dear Sir: Here's what "fewer gallons" means:

Mr. N. Avery of Delhi, N. Y., owns two houses exactly alike. He painted one with a mixed paint—took twelve gallons. Painted the other one with Devco—bought twelve gallons and had six gallons left. Same painter—George Gilbert.

The secret is Devco Lead and Zinc is one hundred per cent. paint; the mixed paint was about fifty per cent. paint and fifty per cent. adulteration.

Here is an analysis of a mixed paint sold to your neighborhood:

Lead, zinc and color 41 per cent.  
Lime and China clay 59 "

You see 59 per cent. is adulteration. What is it for?

To fill the can; to take unfair advantage of your very natural and right desire to make your house-painting cost as little as possible.

The cheap paint is Devco Lead and Zinc, because it is all paint—no expense for anything else—J. It does not waste your money.

Yours truly,  
F. W. DRYDEN & Co.,  
New York.

**DECIDED IMPROVEMENTS.**—Visitors to Halifax court this week can but notice the decided improvements made in the rearrangement of the bar, the jury box and the general excellent plan carried out so admirably by Mr. S. M. Gary, clerk of the court, in whose hands the matter was left. There are twelve of the most comfortable revolving chairs for the jurors and the box is now on the presiding judge's left instead of his right, as it was for the past century. Mr. Gary has not quite completed the interior of the building, as he has plans drawn for opera seats for the room outside of the bar, for witnesses and others who may be attracted to the court house during the trial of important cases.

**JUDGE PEEBLES SENDS SUITOR AND JUROR TO JAIL.**—A special from Clinton to the Charlotte Observer, dated February 27th, says:

Judge R. B. Peebles, who closed a two-weeks term of Sampson court today, created a sensation in the last hours of the term by sentencing a suitor and a juror to jail for 30 days. S. R. Odom, a party to a land suit, invited two of the jury trying his case to go home and spend last night with him. Herring went but Matthias declined. The jury brought in a verdict contrary to the instructions of the judge, who promptly set it aside, dismissed the jury, and sentenced Odom and Herring to jail for 30 days. Matthias was fined \$20 for conversing with Odom pending the trial of the case. An appeal was made to Judge Peebles to reduce the penalty of Herring to a fine, but he positively refused to do so. Herring is a farmer and one of the most prominent families in the county. It is said that he accepted Odom's hospitality without realizing the impropriety and his confinement in jail is considered a harsh penalty. Public sentiment here does not endorse it and it is the subject of much adverse criticism.

**COUNTY AFFAIRS.**—The board of County Commissioners met in regular session at Halifax Monday, all members of the board being present as follows: B. A. Pope, chairman; W. R. Harvey, and J. W. Northampton, Mr. T. C. Harrison appeared before the board and stated that at a recent meeting held in Weldon a committee had been appointed to confer with the county boards of Halifax and Northampton for the purpose of asking county aid towards a bridge over Roanoke river. He had seen the Northampton board and they had appointed their chairman a committee of one to meet with a like committee from the Halifax board and Weldon town board. He did not ask any action on the part of the commissioners towards the bridge at all. He simply appeared before them to ask that a committee be appointed to meet with the Northampton committee and a committee of the town board of Weldon at some convenient time and place to discuss the matter and make such recommendations as they might hereafter think proper. On motion of Mr. W. R. Harvey, Mr. B. A. Pope, chairman of the board, was appointed a committee of one to confer with the other committees.

**HALIFAX ELECTION IN 1848.**—Mr. C. H. Whitaker, of Brickleyville, found among his father's old papers, a few days ago, a copy of the Weldon Herald-Extra, dated Weldon, N. C. August 4, 1848. This Extra is 7x10 and printed on one side only. It gives the returns of the election in Halifax and Northampton counties as follows:

"Old Halifax, true to herself and her principles, has elected a Whig Senator, two Whig Commoners, and thrown in her mite towards the election of a Whig Governor.—A Whig gain of two."

Then follows a list of the candidates as voted for by townships, the townships then being as follows: Halifax, Gary's, Webb's, Perkins', Brinkley's, Harvey's, Esdaill, Hartsville, Crowell's, Greenwood, Rosemeath, Allen's. Weldon was then Gary's precinct. The candidates voted were, A. Joyner, for senate, who defeated L. H. B. Whitaker; R. H. Smith and W. L. Long, for the commons, who defeated M. C. Whitaker, and J. Batcher. W. W. Brickell was elected sheriff without opposition. For governor the vote was Charles Manly 601, D. S. Reid 507.

The Extra then goes on to say: "In Northampton however we regret to state that the Whig Candidate for the Senate, has been defeated by about 30 votes and Person (Dem.) has beaten Barnes, (W) about 30 votes in the commons, Peebles (W) is elected. A Whig loss of two, which balances our gain in this county. We have not been able to procure a statement of the polls. More soon."

**HOW'S THIS?**

We offer One hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

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Sold by all Druggists 75c.

Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devco.

**GARRETT & Co's. BUSINESS EXPANDING.**—Messrs. Garrett & Co., of Chockyotte, whose wines have gained an international reputation for purity, are all the time extending their business into new territory, but when they made a sweep a few days ago, through their New York salesman, by booking a good order for the North Pole, it opened the eyes of the manager and at first he thought it a joke. But it was no joke at all. There it was in cold black and white with route of shipment carefully mapped out. Mr. Garrett then hurriedly wired his New York salesman: "Order received for shipment to North Pole, are you still with us; in love, or have you had brain fever?"

Book came the reply: "Order O. K. I am still with you and as cool as the N. Pole itself, and don't know the definition of love." This reply pleased the manager very much and the goods are now being carefully packed for the long haul.

This order calls for the finest products of the winery and in securing it Garrett & Co. have the distinction of having received an order for the most remote point to which any goods have ever or ever can be shipped.

**MORE RIOTS.**

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, an effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels Malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by W. M. Cohen, Druggist.

**HALIFAX SUPERIOR COURT.**—The March term of Halifax Superior court began at Halifax Monday, Judge Frederick Moore, of Asheville, presiding.

The grand jury was drawn as follows: C. D. House, foreman; E. W. Liles, W. M. Cullum, W. H. Cole, Geo. W. Morgan, B. Y. Harris, W. A. Harvey, D. B. Anderson, J. A. Dickens, Nick Brown, D. B. Dickens, H. L. Hassell, A. S. Glasgow, C. C. Wallace, J. J. Draper.

Judge Moore's charge was one of the strongest and clearest ever delivered in Halifax Superior court. It was able and full. He went carefully into the various degrees of crime and dealt at length and with force and vigor upon the terrible results of carrying concealed weapons. He called the attention of the grand jury to burglary, arson, rape, murder in all its degrees, and the crime of inf. and a., which was demoralizing, and called upon the grand jury to present any cases of this kind they might know of. He then passed rapidly over the smaller offences and wound up by instructing the grand jury to do their work conscientiously without fear or favor. The court then took a recess for dinner.

At the afternoon session Solicitor Daniel was ready with the state docket and at once the court got right down to business and thrashed out rapidly all the work in hand for the day. It is expected that the criminal docket will be finished up by Thursday or Friday and the civil docket will be taken up. The first case on the civil calendar is an important railroad suit, Bishop vs. the Seaboard Air Line.

**IT SAVED HIS LEG.**

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by W. M. Cohen druggist.

**SOLICITOR DANIEL HONORED.**—Solicitor W. E. Daniel, one of the foremost prosecuting lawyers in North Carolina has been employed by the prosecution managers in the Haywood-Skinner case, which is to come up at Raleigh at the next term of Wake Superior court for the trial of criminal cases.

It will be remembered by our readers that on Saturday February 21st, Ernest Haywood shot and killed Ludlow Skinner, in Raleigh.

The prominence of both families is marked. Haywood is a grandson of the late State Treasurer John Haywood and one of Raleigh's leading lawyers. Skinner was a grandson of the late Mr. Ludlow, of New York, and a son of Rev. Dr. Thomas Skinner, of Raleigh, one of the best known Baptists in the South.

Skinner's wife is a daughter of the late Major John C. Winder.

It is considered that complications between the families of the two men are at the bottom of it. It has been common report going for some months that Haywood and Mrs. Gertrude Winder Tucker, widow of the late William R. Tucker, and sister-in-law of Skinner, were secretly married in New York several months ago. This he denied: Mrs. Tucker was treated in a Baltimore hospital recently, and it is out of these conditions that the shooting has grown, though there can be no comprehensive statement of the case until developed in the trial.

The best legal talent in the State will appear in the case and it will be a battle of legal giants.

The prosecution in securing the services of Solicitor Daniel showed wisdom. Mr. Daniel has few equals as a criminal lawyer and certainly no superiors in North Carolina. He is able, learned in the law, watchful and searching in cross examinations and powerful and convincing in argument. The prosecution scored a point when they secured him.

### PURELY PERSONAL.

**PARAGRAPHS OF INTEREST CONCERNING THE TRAVELS OF YOUR FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES.**

Mr. B. F. Tillery, of Durham, was here Monday.

Judge J. M. Mullen, of Petersburg, was here Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Slinger, of Oxford, Pa., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Henry Farber has returned home from a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. C. L. Clark has been spending the past few days at home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Bridgers went down to Seaboard Saturday on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Bell Fitzhugh have returned home from their bridal trip North.

Mr. A. C. Zollieffer and sons, of Henderson, were here last week to attend the Fitzhugh-Zollieffer wedding.

Rev. J. E. Flow, of the Union Theological Seminary, Richmond Va., preached at the Presbyterian church here Sunday night.

Mr. Edwin T. Zollieffer and Miss Jessie Edwards went to Richmond Saturday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh, who were on their way home.

Mr. Jonas Cohen has accepted a position as traveling salesman for Garrett & Co., and will travel Eastern North Carolina, and portions of Virginia.

Mr. W. B. Harrison, who has been engaged in the drug business at Littleton has closed out his business there and will open a drug store in the city of Greensboro, Mr. Harrison was here this week on his way to his new home. Our best wishes go with him.

**MISERY likes company; but when you see it coming down the road, just make up your mind that you don't feel social.**

**STATE HAPPENINGS.**

AS GATHERED FROM OUR STATE EXCHANGES.

Report has it that in the near future at least 800 men will be stationed at Ft. Caswell.

The members of the Murphy M. E. Church, South, will remodel their brick church building at a cost of \$2,500.

The Greenville Reflector opposes the bill introduced by Representative Doughton to provide for the issuance of \$40,000 in bonds with which to meet appropriations.

The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce is strongly in favor of North Carolina making a worthy and creditable exhibition at the World's Fair at St. Louis which opens, in May, 1904.

Winston-Salem has captured the next convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of North Carolina.

The convention will open Saturday evening, March 7th, and close the following Tuesday evening, March 10th.

**Children**

Best for the "Sunny South," because they are specially grown and selected with a full knowledge of the conditions and requirements of the South. Twenty-five years experience and practical growing of all the different vegetables enables us to know the very best, and to offer seeds that will give pleasure, satisfaction and profit to all who plant them.

Wood's New Seed Book for 1903 (Mailed on request) is full of good things, and gives the most reliable information about all seeds, both for the Farm and Garden.

T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, Richmond, Va.

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When mothers are worried because the children do not gain strength and flesh we say give them Scott's Emulsion.

It is like the penny in the milk because it works and because there is something astonishing about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply a milk of pure cod liver oil with some hypophosphites especially prepared for delicate stomachs.

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