

Tired Out

"I was very poorly and could hardly get about the house. I was tired out all the time. Then I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and it only took two bottles to make me feel perfectly well."—Mrs. N. S. Swinney, Princeton, Mo.

Tired when you go to bed, tired when you get up, tired all the time. Why? Your blood is impure, that's the reason. You are living on the border line of nerve exhaustion. Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and be quickly cured.

Ask your doctor what he thinks of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He knows all about this grand old family medicine. Follow his advice and you will be satisfied.

J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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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.

The prince of Wales will not attend the St. Louis exposition, as announced.

The Postoffice Department is going to have the postal cars made fire-proof.

The way Mr. Bryan continues to carry on leads us to infer that a democratic "harmony" dinner would stick in his throat.

Mrs. HETIE GREEN says God blesses her in her lawsuits, but she doesn't neglect the precaution to employ j. m. up lawyers.

It is said that 700 different dialects are spoken by the natives of South Africa and this doesn't include any of the monkey dialects.

AFTER Mr. Willie K. Vanderbilt got tired of fooling the foreign newspaper correspondents, he stopped quietly off with the Widow Bathford and had the knot tied.

A Chicago girl refused to receive the photograph and message of her lover, who had committed suicide, saying she didn't care for him since he had made such a fool of himself.

MR. BRYAN now informs the party that Mr. James Williams would be an acceptable democratic nominee for the presidency. We haven't a doubt of it, for we know several Jim Williams and they are all good fellows—but which one does he mean?

AMERICAN girls prove themselves "proud queens of liberty" wherever they go. One "squelched" a dapper French "masher" on the streets of Paris the other day and another had refused an offer of marriage from the Sultan of Julo.

It will be observed that the south has never gone to the extent of providing new names for the negroes, as the United States government is now trying to do for the Indians. George Washington Henry Clay Abraham Lincoln Ulysses Grant Jones is still permissible as an ordinary every-day negro cognomen down this way.

There appears upon the horizon something like a ray of hope for the million "Uncle Tom's Cabin" has been debarred from New York libraries; northern men have had a love feast at Richmond and eulogized Lee; and the United States Supreme Court has handed down a decision favorable to the South. Surely a better day is dawning.

A man with an income of \$150 per annum advertised in an English paper for a wife. He received 500 answers from women who were willing to share his mite of a salary. All of which goes to show that some marriages are not made for money, that some men are loved for themselves and that there are loads and loads of women who will take all sorts of chances just to get married.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases 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 surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Prop., Toledo, Ohio.

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.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Asthma, etc.

STATE HAPPENINGS.

AS GATHERED FROM OUR STATE EXCHANGES.

The Charlotte News wants a union depot.

Waynesville has voted \$50,000 of bonds for street improvements.

Rev. F. G. Hartman has been installed as Presbyterian pastor at Greenville.

A club is being organized at Salisbury to place a napha launch on the Yadkin river for pleasure purposes.

Senator Simmons will deliver an address before the North Carolina Society at New York, May 29. His subject will be "The Race Question."

A fire in the business portion of Benson, Johnston county, consumed the larger part of 15 stores and houses being burned at a loss of nearly \$75,000.

William Brown, near Lumbax, was relieved of \$16,000 last week, which he had laid away for a "rainy day." His two boys have left the country, and it is pretty certain that they carried the money with them.—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

Governor Aycock has sent out 1,000 personal letters to prominent persons in all parts of the State, urging them to subscribe money toward a North Carolina exhibit at the St. Louis exposition, it being necessary that \$10,000 in private subscriptions be secured before the \$10,000 State appropriation is available under the act of Legislature.

LETTER TO WELDON SHOE CO. Weldon, N. C.

Dear Sir: You know all about shoes. How many customers have you who know anything about 'em?

You have bought and sold shoes for years, and have learned what you know by your customers' liking one sort, and not liking another. They find out by wearing 'em.

So with paint; but we go deeper. We are 149 years old in the business, and we make, not buy—we make a good deal of paint.

We paint a good share of the railroad and steamer property in the United States, and may as well paint the private property. Yours as well as anybody else's.

Devote Lead and Zinc is your paint. Costs half as much as mixed paint or lead and oil because it takes fewer gallons and wears twice as long.

Brook Bros & Co., Williamsport, Pa., write:

Mr. E. A. Rathmel had used 11 gallons of a well-known mixed paint for his house; he repainted it this year with Devote Lead and Zinc; bought 11 gallons and had 5 gallons left.

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

THE American Grocer figures out that the average annual consumption of intoxicating stimulants in the United States is 194 gallons for each individual and that the cost is \$17.33 per annum for each citizen.

A SURE THING.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMatre of Shepherdstown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's Discovery cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by W. M. Cohen, Druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c. \$1.00.

A commercial and savings bank, with a capital of \$5,000 is to be established at Cornhusk, the mill village near Davidson.

A STARTLING TEST.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehospay, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months. Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at W. M. Cohen's Drug Store.

Take the weather as you find it: Hot or cold—Why, never mind it! Still the roared world sings!—
No snowflake hides a rose!
Roses just are layin' low—
Sweeter still for all the snow!

Summer whippers
Right along
Of a world
Of flowers 'n' song!

QUICK ARREST.

J. A. Gullege of Verbena, Ala was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Backley's Anemia Sale quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. at W. M. Cohen, Druggist.

TO CURE COLD IN ONE DAY
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ANY CHURCH in this section of the State supported by voluntary contributions will be given a liberal quantity of the Longman & Martin's Pure Paints whenever they paint.

Note: Have done so far 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 two minutes). Actual cost then about \$1.25 a gallon. Samples free. Sold by our Agent A. R. Zollieffer.

SALE FOR TAXES.

I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court house door in the town of Halifax, Monday June 1st, 1903, for taxes, the following described real estate in Fayetteville township, Halifax county, N. C.:
A. L. Holston, 77 acres, taxes and cost 2.51.
J. C. Harlow, 50 acres, taxes and cost 3.15.
Cary Neville, 80 acres, taxes and cost 2.88.
Mrs. A. M. Moore, 125 acres not listed, taxes and cost 7.70.

C. M. HAWKINS,
Tax Collector Fayetteville Township.

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The Master Stroke of GOOD BAKING is only realized when you taste our delicious Bread, Cakes and Pies.

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R. N. BRIDGES,

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NOTICE.

Pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at the session of 1903, entitled:

"An Act to establish Graded Schools in the town of Weldon" and by authority of an order of the Board of Commissioners of the town of Weldon passed at a called meeting of said Board on Wednesday, Apr. 15, 1903, notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the qualified voters of the school district hereinafter described. Said election to be held in the town of Weldon, N. C., on Tuesday, the 16th day of June 1903, at which election certain provisions of the Act above referred to will be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of said school district.

The qualified voters approving the issue of bonds provided for in section 3, and the levy and collection of the particular taxes provided for in section 7 of the said Act shall deposit a ballot containing the written or printed words: "For Schools," and those disapproving the same shall deposit a ballot containing the written or printed words: "Against Schools."

Those electors who reside within the following described boundaries, within which is located the school district, are entitled to vote in said election, said boundaries being as follows:

Commencing at a point where the western line of the land of G. W. Fulgham intersects the southern boundary of the canal of the Roanoke Navigation and Water Power Company; thence along the line of said land of G. W. Fulgham to the line of the land of the West Weldon Land and Improvement Company, thence along the western boundary of the West Weldon Land and Improvement Company to the public road leading from Tilghman's Cross Roads to the town of Weldon, thence along the said public road towards Weldon to a point where said public road crosses the Seaboard Air Line Railway, thence along the track of said Seaboard Air Line Railway to Chockayotte creek, thence up Chockayotte creek to the southern line of the Glenview tract of land owned by the heirs of G. W. Daniel, deceased, thence along said line to Long's Bayou, thence down said Bayou to Roanoke river to a point thereon opposite the first station, Fulgham's line, thence a straight line from said point to the beginning.

Notice is also given that there will be a new registration of those entitled to vote in said election of the qualified electors residing in said school district to commence on the 15th day of May 1903, according to law, and under the act of the Legislature above referred to; the territory within the school district outside of the corporate limits of the town of Weldon constitutes one ward and the town of Weldon constitutes the other.

C. B. Cole is appointed Registrar for the outside ward and E. S. Gary for the ward of the town of Weldon.

Those living in the outside ward will vote at the office of Garrett and Company, at Chockayotte, and those in the ward of the town of Weldon will vote at the town hall in said town.

The provisions of the said Act which are to be submitted to the vote of the qualified voters of said School District are as follows:

"Section 3. That the Board of School Trustees hereinafter provided for shall be, and is hereby authorized and empowered, to issue bonds of said School District to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars, of such denomination and of such proportion as said Board of Trustees may deem advisable, bearing interest from date thereon at a rate not exceeding six per centum, with interest coupons attached payable semi-annually, at such time and such place or places as may be deemed advisable by said Board of Trustees. Said bonds to be of such form and tenor and transferable in such way, and the principal thereof payable or redeemable as follows:

Five hundred (\$500) dollars on the 1st day of January 1910 and five hundred annually thereafter until all are paid, at such place or places as said Board of Trustees may determine. Provided that said Board of Trustees shall issue said bonds at such time or times, and in such amount or amounts as may be required to meet the expenditure hereinafter provided for in section four of this Act."

Section 7. That for the purpose of providing for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon and of defraying the expenses of the public graded schools provided for in this Act, the Board of Commissioners of the town of Weldon shall annually and at the time of levying municipal taxes or as soon thereafter as practicable commencing with the fiscal year beginning the first day of May 1903 levy and lay a particular tax on all persons and subjects of taxation within the limits of said school district on which said Board of Commissioners may now or hereafter be authorized to lay and levy taxes for any purpose whatsoever, said particular tax to be not more than thirty-three and one-third cents on the one hundred dollars assessed valuation on property and not more than one dollar on each taxable poll.

This the 1st day of April, 1903.

J. T. GOUGH, Mayor.
W. T. SHAW, Clerk.

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- 4 It contains no harsh expectorants to strain the lungs or astrinents to dry the secretions and cause constipation.
- 5 It prevents Pneumonia and Consumption, strengthens the lungs and cures LaGrippe and its after effects.
- 6 It will cure Consumption and Asthma in the early stages and give comfort and relief in the most hopeless cases.
- 7 It is pleasant to take and at once produces a soothing and strengthening effect on the lungs.

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The following letter from A. J. Nushbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, and eight doses cured me."

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Robert J. Miller, proprietor of the Read House Drug Store, of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is more merit in FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR than in any other cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined."

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