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Almost everybody who reads the newspaper is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medicinal triumph of the nineteenth century, discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, urine acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

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11-23-1903.

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CONFERENCE THIS WEEK.—The North Carolina Conference is in session this week at Goldsboro, Bishop Cavdler presiding. Presiding Elder Willis, Rev. W. W. Rose, of Weldon, and other ministers and lay delegates went down to attend. It is feared that not many, if any, changes in this district are contemplated.

DEATH OF LITTLE BOY.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flough died at the home of his parents, near Garysburg, Tuesday, aged two and a half years. The afflicted family have our sympathy in their bereavement.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.—William Thompson, colored, was before Justice B A Pope, Tuesday morning, on the serious charge of criminal assault upon Josephine Clanton, colored. After hearing the evidence and argument of Mr. T. C. Harrison, who appeared for the defendant, the court was of the opinion that there was no evidence to warrant him in sending the case to the grand jury and the prisoner, Thompson, was discharged.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.—Mr. Devoe Bell, Mr. James Mitchell, Mr. Jack Wiggins, H. C. Helm, Miss Aubrey Jackson, Samuel Knight, James Maddrey, Wheeler Martin, Miss Alice Mitchell, Charlie McDouglas.

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AN ADDRESS AT THE M. E. CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY BY MRS. CARLAND.—Mrs. Carland, State President of the W. C. T. U., will speak in the Methodist church twice next Sunday, to the ladies of the town in the morning, and a general address at night. A large attendance is desired at both services.

MARRIED.—Mr. W. B. Stamper and Miss Esther Dickens, both of this town, were united in marriage on Wednesday evening of last week at 8 o'clock. The ceremony took place at the residence of Mrs. Robert Clanton, on Elm street, and was performed by Rev. P. N. Stainback. The bride is quite a pretty and attractive young lady. Mr. Stamper has been acting as steward at the Atlantic Coast Line hotel.

FINE SHOWING.—Rev. W. W. Rose goes up to Conference from the Weldon Methodist Episcopal church with the best report the church has ever made. The collections for all purposes for the conference year amounted to \$2,380.50. There was not an increase in membership of 12, making a total membership of 162. This shows an average of a little more than \$14.00 per member paid in, which is very hard to beat.

PAY UP PROMPTLY.—All those who have not as yet paid in any thing on the subscriptions to the cemetery fund most earnestly requested to come forward at once and pay at least one half of the amount of their pledges. The committee is hard at work in their efforts to beautify Cedarwood cemetery and as it is entirely "a labor of love," those who promised to pay should not wait to be called upon. This is a matter in which every citizen of the town is interested, and it will be appreciated by the committee having the work in charge if those who have not paid will at once hand in their dues either to Mrs. L. T. Wilkins or to Mr. Raleigh T. Daniel.

HER BRIGHTEST GEMS.—At this season of thanksgiving, when the offerings in all the churches will be for the orphans and the destitute of the State, it may be well to remember that the first orphan asylum was established at Oxford by Mr. John Mills, supported by the Masons. Since that time orphanages have been established at Charlotte, by the Baptists; at Raleigh, by the Methodists; Barium Springs, by the Presbyterians; at Goldsboro, by the Odd Fellows; the Friends at Aroldale, and the Catholics at Raleigh.

There is not one of these institutions that does not need large Thanksgiving donations to carry on their noble work.

GIVE THANKS TO-DAY.—Today will be generally observed throughout the United States as a day of thanksgiving to Almighty God for the blessings of the past year, and appropriate services will be held throughout the land.

The Lord has abundantly blessed the soil and the earth has yielded a rich harvest and there is plenty in the land. It is our duty, and should be a pleasure, for all to assemble in their respective places of worship to-day and give thanks for the blessings we, as a people, enjoy. While many may not have all the comforts of life, it should be remembered that thousands are without even the necessities of life and depend on the charities of our noble institutions. Therefore our greatest comfort and happiness to-day should consist in giving liberally to the poor, the destitute and the little orphans.

SUPERIOR COURT.—The November term of Halifax Superior court begins next Monday, the 30th. It should be called a December term, as it will run for two weeks and with only one November day in the entire term. The first three or four days will be taken up in the trial of jail birds and other criminal cases, and then the lawyers will tackle the civil docket. Judge Charles M. Cook, of Louisburg, by exchange with Judge Justice, will preside.

Solicitor Daniel will be on hand with his usual energy to represent the State and it may be safe to say that the interests of the commonwealth will be well looked after. Clerk Gary, affable and obliging, will have everything in shape, and with our reliable sheriff and his deputies to keep order the work of the court will run smoothly. It is almost needless to add that at the Sater House the best of everything to eat will be served in the very best order and the comfort of guests will be the first consideration. In fact, the approaching term of the Superior court is going to be a love feast for all.

MUCH TO BE THANKFUL FOR.—The News and Observer of Sunday, with its usual enterprise, published a splendid Thanksgiving number. It contained two pages of short letters from leading ministers, teachers, men prominent in State politics and others in reply to an inquiry sent out by the News and Observer as to what we should be thankful for.

The following, from the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church here, was among the letters published:

To the Editor: As there are more days of sunshine than cloudy days in a year so there are more blessings in the average life than ill. For these we ought to be thankful. It is easy to overlook these constant everyday blessings, and only think of our misfortunes. Some one has said, "We write our lills on the rock and our blessings on the water."

We should be thankful as a nation for our continued faith in God and things which are spiritual, for peace at home and abroad, and for a sufficiency of the fruits of the earth for our actual needs.

W. W. ROSE, Methodist Pastor.

Weldon, N. C., Nov. 19.

LITTLETON LETTER.—A special from Littleton says that the cotton market at that place is booming and that a large number of bales are being received. The fact is also noted that an expenditure of about four thousand dollars is being made in improvements in Littleton Female College. A twelve thousand gallon water tank is being erected on a seventy-foot steel tower, and water will be pumped into it from wells. When this work is finished the college will be equipped with splendid fire protection. There will be seven convenient hydrants with simple hose for fire fighting purposes, and good pressure will be had from the new tower. In addition to this feature the improvements include modern sanitary plumbing, additional toilet rooms with hot and cold water on each floor furnished from a 168 gallon boiler.

This excellent school is experiencing a most prosperous era. There are now enrolled 163 boarding pupils and about 28 town pupils. This is 20 per cent increase over last year, and last year the attendance was 20 per cent better than the previous year. President Rhodes will attend the session of the annual conference next week at Goldsboro.

CAPT. O. P. SHELL.—Captain Oliver P. Shell, who died at Dunn, a few days ago, was a native of Halifax county. In his early childhood his father died, and he and his mother were left to fight the hard battles of life alone. After a few years his mother was united in marriage to Rev. Thomas Wilcox, and a little later Mr. Shell accepted a position with a prominent business man in his native county.

In the early part of the Civil War he entered the Confederate army, and faithfully served his country as a soldier until the war closed. He then settled in Warrenton, where he remained until 1901. In the thirty-five or more years that he had charge of transportation between Warrenton and Warren Plains he never missed a trip and never failed to make connections.

Captain Shell's first wife was a Miss Daniel, of Halifax, who only lived a short time, and died without issue. His second was a Miss Turnbull, of Warrenton, who, together with their six children, three sons and three daughters, survive him. He lost one son during the war with Spain. His remains were taken to Warrenton for interment.

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Mrs. E. W. Brown, of Petersburg, was here on a visit to relatives last week.

Miss Jennie Edwards went over to Northampton county, Tuesday, on a visit to Mrs. S. A. Thomas.

Miss Lucy Forbes, of Greenville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Barr, returned home Monday.

Miss Kate Cohen, who has been having a delightful visit to friends in Washington, D. C., will return home to-night.

President J. M. Rhodes, of the Littleton Female college, was here Tuesday on his way to Goldsboro to attend Conference.

Mr. W. T. Baugh, of Petersburg, was here Tuesday in the interest of the popular and reliable confectionery house of C. C. Alley.

Mr. John R. Pettit, one of the most successful farmers in Halifax county, paid us a pleasant call last week. Mr. Pettit makes good crops every year.

Mrs. J. T. Gooch spent several days in Henderson this week. This morning she expects to accompany a party of friends to Richmond to witness the great Virginia-Carolina football game.

Mr. H. T. Bonney, cashier of the Bank of Littleton, passed through Friday on his way home from Norfolk. He stated to a News reporter that his bank was doing a fine business.

Rev. W. W. Rose, pastor, and Dr. D. B. Zollieffer, a leading layman, of the Weldon Methodist Episcopal church, left Tuesday for Goldsboro to attend the annual session of the North Carolina Conference.

Mr. Knox E. Kilpatrick has moved his family to town, where they have many friends. Mr. Kilpatrick is one of the most conscientious magistrates in Fauquier township, and he will always measure up to his full duty as he sees it.

FOR each big man at the top there are a million little ones at the bottom.

Joy's but a dream, Dim sorrows to weavo, (Lord, make us thankful For what we receive!) Hope's but a rainbow—Too soon does she leave (Lord, make us thankful For what we receive!) Holiday weather—So, why should we grieve? (Lord, make us thankful For what we receive!)

Wanted Bookkeeper and Salesmen.

Wanted by a large general store in fine town, by January 1st, a No. 1 Bookkeeper and two experienced salesmen, young men who have several years experience in large country stores preferred. For firm name, terms and particulars call on or address, enclosing stamp,

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The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are! Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

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Reserved seats 75 cents.

STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION

THE BANK OF WELDON,

TAKEN FROM SWORN REPORT MADE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION COM'R AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOV. 17TH, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$79136 25

Overdrafts, 2132.08

Halifax county bonds, 10500.00

Furniture and fixtures, 500.00

Due from banks, 21632.32

Cash, 9678.58

\$123,079.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$20,000.00

Surplus, 8500.00

Undivided profits, 513.08

Deposits subject to check, 94566.15

\$123,079.23

I, W. R. Smith, cashier of The Bank of Weldon, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. R. SMITH, Cashier.

Correct-Asst: W. M. Cohen, D. B. Zollieffer, W. E. Daniel, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th of Nov., 1903.

R. S. TRAVIS, Notary Public.

NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Samuel Hale, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 5th day of October, 1904, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Persons indebted to said estate will please settle with me at once.

This 5th day of October, 1903.

S. G. DANIEL, Administrator.

Littleton, N. C. Oct. 5, 1903.

NOTICE.

The undersigned has opened a law office at Weldon, Gooch building, First street. Will attend Tuesday's Thursday's and Saturday's.

THOMAS N. HILL, This May 7th, 1903.

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