

STATE HAPPENINGS.

AS GATHERED FROM OUR STATE EX CHANGES

Highly begun to tell of her free attractions fair week.

At a rally on Sunday at the First Baptist church, of Raleigh, \$1,231 was raised for a new church building.

Fifty convicts employed on the Guilford county roads have been returned to their homes as the roads are opening too short for a full day's work.

Fire destroyed the two elevated tracks at the Empire Steel Works near Greensboro, entailing a loss of \$5,000. The works have not been in operation during the past year.

The plant of the Elm City Lumber company operating at North Harlowe twenty miles below Newbern, was destroyed by fire Monday. The damage was estimated at \$4,500.

Ben Clark, colored, who killed Chief of Police Hamrick, at Shelby, was convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury being out only four minutes. He is to be hanged October 28th.

Three young white men who were arrested at Wilmington a few days ago on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Sam Carter, colored, have been discharged, the grand jury failing to find a true bill against them.

The consignment of new locomotives for the Southern Railway is arriving at Specor. They are passenger and freight engines of the latest type weighing 180 tons each. There will be nearly 100 altogether, making one of the largest shipments ever received by a railroad.

J. B. Blackley, the horse-trader who has been on trial for several days on a charge of embezzling \$4,500 from J. M. McAdow, of Agricola, Kansas, was convicted in Wake Superior court Wednesday and sentenced by Judge Ferguson to a term of five years on the county roads.

The Guilford Board of County Commissioners in session unanimously agreed to take steps towards erecting and maintaining a work house for youthful and female criminals. A committee was appointed to visit the work house in Durham county, at an early date, and investigate the building there and the manner of operations for the guidance of the Board in making plans.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, it has a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

The public is giving a great deal of attention to that part of Judge Parker's letter of acceptance which related to Government expenditures. This is always a warm question if it is properly agitated. Heavy expenditures make high taxation. The more costly the Government establishment the more friction is there on the tariff and other economic questions.

This election will be determined by the German and Labor vote in the close States. If the Democratic party gets as much of the vote of these two classes as it got in 1892, Parker's election is certain. The activity and earnestness of Mr. Hearst will tell powerfully among the labor vote, for he has big influence with very many who were disposed to care nothing about the result this year.

THE LADIES favor painting their chignons, and therefore we urge every Minister to remember we give a liberal quantity of the Longman & Martin's Paint toward the painting. Wears and covers like gold. Don't pay \$1.50 a gallon for Linsed Oil (worth 60 cents) which you do when you buy other paints in a can with a paint label on it.

8 & 6 make 14, therefore when you want fourteen gallons of paint, buy only eight of L. & M., and mix six gallons pure Linsed Oil with it, and thus get paint at less than \$1.20 per gallon. Many houses are well painted with four gallons of L. & M. and three gallons of Linsed Oil mixed therewith. These Celebrated Paints are sold by A. R. Zollicoffer, Weldon, N. C.

In Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho, women can vote for president and for all officers on the same terms as men. In eighteen other States they possess school suffrage. In Montana and Iowa they vote on the issue of municipal bonds.

For eruptions, sores, pimples, kidney and liver troubles, constipation, indigestion, use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Carries new life to every part of the body. Tea or tablet form. 35 cents. For sale by W. M. Cohen.

A MATTER OF HEALTH



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

THE ROANOKE NEWS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1904.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

REGISTRATION books open. LAZINESS always lays the blame on luck.

SOME people set as though a smile cost money. Good cheer puts love's gifts into baskets of gold.

EVEN the babies are saying, "I want'er go'er We'll go fair."

THINGS at the fair grounds are getting in great shape.

SOME people never think—they use predigested thoughts. It remained for republican prosperity to make flour a luxury.

THE further a man gets away from a dollar the bigger it looks.

WORK is a good thing for insomnia, but it is a hard prescription to take.

A slip of the tongue may result in a compound fracture of the reputation.

TO-DAY will be a lucky day for the man who remembers to pay for his paper. It's a poor rule that won't work both ways, but some men won't work either way.

HON. LEE S. OVERMAN, United States Senator, will speak at Weldon Thursday night, October 20th.

It is in doubt as to how you stand with this paper, just send us \$1.00, \$2.00 or \$3.00 and call for a statement.

YOUNG men who have become 21 since last election can now proceed to register for the November election.

Col. 'win' de's a blowin' higher—Like ter hear him bawl! Pile dem oak logs on de fire—Swing yo' partners—all!

Don't be afraid you will overpay your subscription. An overpaid subscription always looks nice opposite your name on our books.

HON. R. B. GREEN, Democratic candidate for Governor, has accepted the invitation to deliver an address at the fair, Friday, October 28th.

An emblem of mourning was last week placed on the front of the postoffice building here on account of the death of Postmaster General Payne.

BRIGHT lights twinkling in a thousand cabins; fiddles making so merry that even 'possums in the woods are dancing; but, then, they don't know what's in store for them!

From indigestion, aches and pains, Your system will be free, If you'll but take a timely drink Of Rocky Mountain Tea. For sale by W. M. Cohen.

CHRISTIAN Scientists are said to claim the power to make hair grow on bald heads by giving the barren pate a few rapt "thoughts." Did you ever see a bald Christian Scientist?

WHERE a stimulant is indicated, the doctor prescribes good, pure whiskey. I W. HARPER is the ideal liquor—none better. Sold by W. D. Smith, Weldon, N. C.

EVERY business house in Weldon should be decorated during fair week. If not interested in the fair every business man of Weldon is deeply interested in the town, so let's present a pleasing appearance fair week.

Lou Stanhope, St. Louis: "I used to have a horrid complexion. I took Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea and called the prettiest girl in the city." Tea or tablets. 35 cents.

HERE is an original plantation refrain which strikes the season favorably:—"De punks in de frosty dew, De turkey gittin' bigger, White man got de 'possum, too—Heaven help de nigger!"

If baby's health is dear to you, Then let me tell you what to do. Her pain has racked its tender frame, Just let "TETHINA" ease the same. "TETHINA" Allays Irritation. Aids Digestion. Overcomes and Counteracts the Effects of Summer's Heat. Regulates the Bowels and makes teething easy, and costs only 25 cents.

ADVANCE AGENT.—Mr. Philip Harris, the clever and genial advance agent of the Miles Orton's Show, called in to see us last Monday. Mr. Harris is one of the cleverest young men in the show business and is quite well known here and highly esteemed by those who have had the pleasure of meeting him.

HEARD OVER IN VIRGINIA.—Little Virginia Girl—My mamma belongs to the F. V. V. and she's going to take me to the World's fair.

Little North Carolina Cousin—"That's nothing. My mamma is president of the R. S. V. P. club and she is going to take me to the Weldon fair!"

ACCEPTS POSITION OF TELLER.—Mr. J. L. Waller has been elected teller at the First National Bank, vice Mr. W. B. McNeal resigned. Mr. Waller is a splendid and prominent young business man, having "been" in various places in trust for Garrett & Co., and the Roanoke Mills Company before he moved to Weldon. His selection by the board of directors is a most excellent one in every respect.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.—J. J. Allen, P. F. Dixor, Miss Angeline Eppes, Miss Sedy Ford, Mrs. Petry Hawkins, Gray Leonard, Daniel Mills, Lizzie Parker, R. L. Pope.

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

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

10-13-1904.

RECENT CHANGES.—Mr. J. A. Mungrove, who has for the past few months, been chief clerk at the Atlantic Coast Line hotel here, has resigned that position to accept the office of auditor for the Norfolk and Weldon Steamboat Company, and has entered upon the duties of that office. Mr. Mungrove is a splendid business man and his selection for the position is in every way a most excellent one.

For the present Mr. Aljos Speers is acting as chief clerk and Mr. Ellis Moore is filling the position of night clerk at the hotel.

HAWKINS-LEON.—Invitations have been received by friends here to the wedding of Miss Emily Annis Long to Mr. Cornelius Sibby Hawkins, on Wednesday October 19th, 1904, at Christ church, Swanton, Massachusetts.

Miss Long is the younger daughter of the late Janus Long, of Halifax county, and a grand daughter of the late Col. N. M. Long, of Weldon. She has, for a year or more, been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Benedict, in Massachusetts. The groom-elect is prominent in social and commercial life of Fall River, Massachusetts, and is a highly esteemed and popular gentleman.

MILES ORTON SHOWS COMING.—The Miles Orton's Southern Shows Amuse Program is long and varied. It includes famous males and females. Renowned clowns and jesters, intrepid acrobats, noted strong men and women in herculean feats of strength. French lady acrobats, phenomenal gymnasts, champion leapers and tumblers. Tiny daring little Orton children artists, wonderful troupe of trick dogs and ponies, innumerable notable features and astonishing athletic marvels that bewilder their beholders.

Don't forget the day and date, Oct. 17th.

The champion high dive of the world by Capt. David Lutz for each performance, free to every one.

IMMENSE FORTUNE.—It is reported that a North Carolina family is about to come into possession of an immense fortune in New York City, and the most pleasing part of the good news, to Halifax and Franklin county people, is that Mrs. T. C. Harrison, of this town, formerly Miss Frances Green, of Franklin county, is one of the heirs.

The story goes that Andrew Hartsfield in the year 1795 leased a tract of sixty acres of land on Manhattan Island to the city of New York, for 99 years for a mere song and that the property is now valued at \$100,000,000, and that the heirs should come in possession of it.

Mrs. Harrison's father was a grandson of Andrew Hartsfield and her share of the property would be considerable.

FAIR TIMES, GOOD PEOPLE.—Just a few more days and the big gates at the fair grounds will swing wide to admit the multitudes. It's going to be a "reword breaker," (sure) and the people from everywhere and of every kind will flock here and there will be joy in every heart, a sparkle in every eye, buoyancy in every step and folks of every kind will meet folks of all other kinds, the fairest, the sweetest, the most bewitching creatures that eye ever rested upon. There will be other attractions for people who have had their day in love making, and the management promises that there shall not be one dull moment from the rising of the sun on the 25th until the going down of the same on the 28th.

LETTER TO C. E. RISHOP, Weldon, N. C.

Dear Sir: There are three five ways of badness in paint: (1) stuffed-out with chalk, or something like that; (2) hazy, better than chalk, but no covering to it; nobody knows it's there; (3) beaute in the oil, or water, or other such stuff; (4) too thin—too much liquid, whatever it is, for the solid; (5) short measure; Now will you buy by the price per gallon?

We furnish our agents with a state chemist's certificate of analysis that tells what's in Devoe.

Yours truly, F. W. DRYON & CO., P. S. E. Clark sells our paint.

TRACK IS FINE ORDER.—Mr. J. T. Pope, who is superintending the work of getting the race track in order at the fair grounds, informs us that the track is in perfect condition and will be the finest ever. Mr. Pope knows a good track when he sees it and knows just how to put one in thorough order. He says the rings and spars for the tournament, which is to take place Friday, 28, have arrived and the knights are entering for the interesting contest. The successful knight not only has the privilege of wearing the armor of the tournament, but he will also get \$25.00 in cash.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.—Senator Lee S. Overman, Congressman Claude Kitchin and the County candidates will speak at Aurdian Springs, Thursday, October 20th. There will be barbecue for 1000 people. On the night of the 20th, they will speak in Weldon. At Ringwood, Friday, Oct. 21st. At Littleton, Saturday, Oct. 22nd.

Only a few of our people know Senator Overman personally. He is a man of the most pleasing personality, one of the best speakers in the State and our people will be delighted to see and hear the Senator from the west Congressman Kitchin we all know, and his reputation as a speaker extends over many States. Come and hear the issues of the campaign discussed by our home folks and the distinguished visitors.

MRS. THOMAS A VISITOR HERE.—Mrs. Susan A. Thomas, of Northampton county, is here on a visit to Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Zollicoffer. Mr. Thomas is greatly beloved by a large circle of relatives and friends in Northampton and Halifax counties. This is her first visit to Weldon in twenty-three years, and she is greatly pleased with the many improvements here since her visit of nearly a quarter of a century ago. Mrs. Thomas is an earnest Christian woman, and a devoted Methodist, but with love and charity for all. She is the mother of Mrs. D. B. Zollicoffer, who is her only child, and her visit to the home of her daughter here is greatly enjoyed by Dr. and Mrs. Zollicoffer and her grandchildren.

Mrs. Thomas has many friends in Weldon who will be glad to see her in town, and will wish for her many long years to enjoy the companionship of her loved ones, who feel that her presence in their Weldon home is a benediction to the entire household.

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Mrs. H. G. Rowe spent several days in Richmond last week.

Mrs. O. W. Pierce and children are visiting relatives in Wilson.

Mrs. P. N. Stainback returned home Friday night from Richmond.

Mrs. W. J. Ward went down to E. S. S. Saturday on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Sledge and her daughter, Miss Ida, are visiting relatives in Norfolk.

Mrs. R. S. Travis, Mrs. W. R. Smith and Miss Annie Travis spent Friday in Richmond.

Messrs. J. H. Jordan and Nat. Chichester, of Brickleyville, were in town on business Friday.

Mrs. Eva Davis returned home Saturday from a visit to the family of Mr. George W. Davis, at Arois.

Messrs. J. E. Ryan, of Tillery, and B. Ryan, of Raleigh, were here Monday on their way to the World's fair, at St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans and Master Wilson Battle Tillery spent several days in Petersburg last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown.

Rev. J. W. Morgan and Mr. J. L. Harris, who have been attending the Tar River Baptist Association at Maple Springs, in Franklin county, returned home Friday.

Mr. J. E. Dickens, of Smithfield, paid this office a pleasant call last Friday. He is a native of Halifax county and was here on a visit to relatives and friends in this vicinity.

COMPLEXION A POSSESSION.

Users of Hancock's Liquid Sulphur Secure a Life Advantage.

A clear, fair, brilliant complexion is a personal charm of highest social or business value.

Protracted sun-exposure and the smoke-laden air of cities alike are prejudicial to a fine complexion.

The modern remedy, HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR, cures the facial skin, renders it active in guarding all waste material, imparts and preserves to the complexion its natural blend of ruddiness and white—the standard of beautiful beauty.

HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR cures diphtheria, eczema and a large class of prevalent disorders, as noted in free booklet mailed on request by Hancock Liquid Sulphur Co., Baltimore, Md.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas the great Jehovah, in his infinite wisdom, took from our midst Gen. M. W. Hanson, on the eighth day of October, one thousand, nine hundred and four, the most eloquent orator and cultivated gentleman our grand South has ever produced; and whereas, we, the members of the Harry Burgwyn Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, desire to express our deep sorrow that the stern "Reaper" should take from us so suddenly one of the noblest spirits of the "Lost Cause," therefore, be it resolved,

1st. That we acknowledge, with humbleness, the divine will of our heavenly Father who hath but taken back to himself the soul of one who has been allowed to be with us for seventy-eight winters.

2nd. That to the bereaved family we send our sincere and heartfelt sympathy, praying they may be reconciled to the will of Him who death all things well.

3rd. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Chapter as a lasting memorial of Gen. Hanson, that copies of the same be sent to his family, the News and Observer, the Roanoke and Chowan Times and THE ROANOKE NEWS, for publication.

MRS. J. F. FLYTHE, Miss EDNA HARRIS, Miss KATE HARRIS, Miss PATTIE PERLE, Mrs. S. J. CALVERT, Miss MAY CALVERT, Committee.

BONE FOOD

Soft and crooked bones mean bad feeding. Call the disease rickets if you want to. The growing child must eat the right food for growth. Bones must have bone food, blood must have blood food and so on through the list.

Scott's Emulsion is the right treatment for soft bones in children. Little doses every day give the stiffness and shape that healthy bones should have. Bow legs become straighter, loose joints grow stronger and firmness comes to the soft heads.

Wrong food caused the trouble. Right food will cure it. In thousands of cases Scott's Emulsion has proven to be the right food for soft bones in childhood.

Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York, N. Y. Sold by all druggists.

COMING! COMING!

Miles Orton's Southern Shows

Bigger, Grander than ever will appear at Weldon for one day only.

MONDAY, OCT. 17.

Two performances daily, at 2 and 8 o'clock P. M. Doors open one hour earlier.

Grand Free Street Parade at 2:30. The Champion High Dive of the world will take place at the show grounds free to everybody, by Capt. David Lutz, before each performance. Don't forget the day and date, October 17th.

NOTICE.

State of North Carolina, Superior Court, Halifax County, J. Fall Term, 1904. Dolly Clark, Plaintiff, vs. Allinson Clark, Defendant.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County for divorce from the bonds of matrimony and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Halifax County, to be held on the 17th Monday after the first Monday in September, 1904, at the court-house in said county in Halifax, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

S. M. GARY, Clerk Superior Court.

J. W. PERRY CO., COTTON FACTORS.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 11, 1904. COTTON—Steady

Strict Middling 104  
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Low Middling 91  
Tines 00  
Stains 00  
Blues and Sandy 00

PEANUTS—Quiet

Fancy Strictly Prime Prime  
Low Grades  
Machies Pickled  
Spanish, per bushel  
R. E. Peas, per bag  
Black and Speckled Peas  
Clay and Red Peas  
Peanut Bags, in bales, 68 inch, 2.88  
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Bagging and Ties and Peanut Bags for Sale.

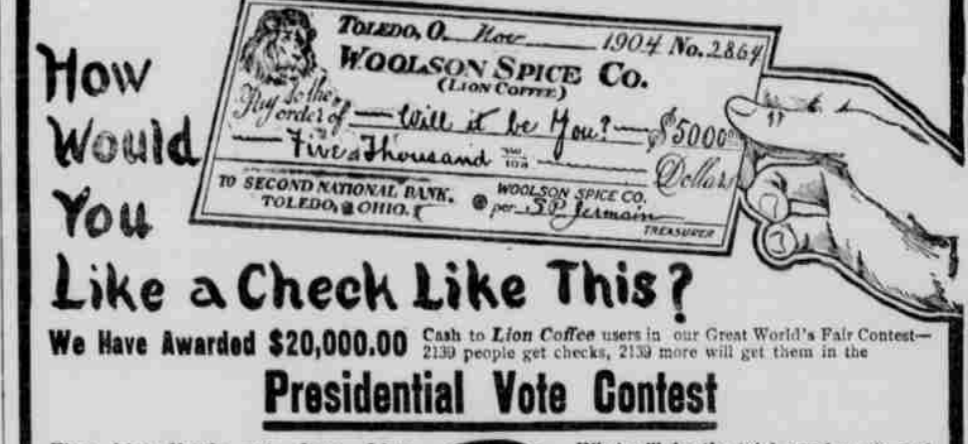
BIG FIGHT BETWEEN FACTORIES HAS PULLED THE PRICE OF WIRE FENCE DOWN

To about cost of production. Every indication points to higher prices. We would advise those who expect to use fence to buy at once. We bought heavily at bottom prices and are therefore in a position to save money for our customers.

PIERCE-WHITEHEAD HARDWARE CO. WHOLESALE & RETAIL HARDWARE, WELDON, N. C.

\$50,000.00 CASH GIVEN AWAY to Users of LION COFFEE

In Addition to the Regular Free Premiums Presidential Vote Contest



How Would You Like a Check Like This? We Have Awarded \$20,000.00 Cash to Lion Coffee users in our Great World's Fair Contest—2139 people get checks, 2139 more will get them in the Presidential Vote Contest.

What will be the total popular vote cast for President (votes for all candidates combined) at the election November 8, 1904? In 1900 election, 13,550,653 people voted for President. For nearest correct estimate received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, O., on or before November 5, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., as follows:

Table listing prize amounts for Lion Coffee contest: 1 First Prize \$25,000.00, 2 Second Prize \$10,000.00, etc.

How Would Your Name Look on One of These Checks? Everybody uses coffee. If you will use LION COFFEE long enough to get acquainted with it, you will be satisfied and convinced there is no other such value for the money. Then you will take no other—and that's why we advertise. And we are using our advertising money so that both of us—you as well as we—will get a benefit. Hence for your Lion Heads WE GIVE BOTH FREE PREMIUMS AND CASH PRIZES. Complete Detailed Particulars in Every Package of LION COFFEE. WOOLSON SPICE CO., (CONTEST DEPT.), TOLEDO, OHIO.

BUGGIES AND WAGONS. Just received a nice line of open and top Buggies, also single and two horse Wagons. If you need a good buggy or wagon at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES call and examine my stock. Satisfaction guaranteed.

P. N. STAINBACK, Sydnor & Hundley FURNITURE. "IT GOES WITHOUT SAYING." No larger stock, no finer goods, no better prices can be found in any market, than we offer to our patrons in NORTH CAROLINA. Just added a full line of Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Draperies, Lace Curtains and Shades, under the supervision of Mr. J. H. Tracy, formerly with Stone, of New York. SOLE AGENTS for the "Automatic" the great ICE SAVER, and KING of REFRIGERATORS. Sydnor & Hundley, 709-11-13 E. Broad St. Office Furniture Department 212 N. 8th St. RICHMOND, VA.

ROLEY'S KIDNEY CURE