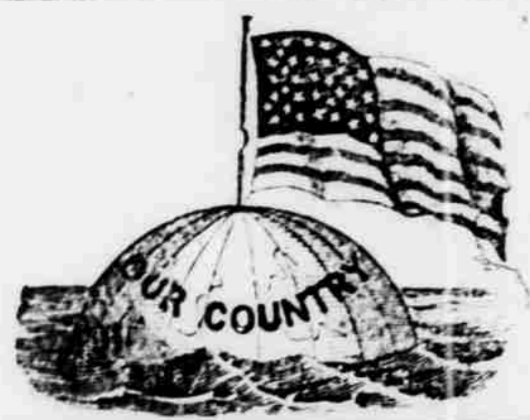


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The Orange County Observer is the oldest paper published in the County, and up to Aug. 11th, 1887, was the only paper in the County for the past seven years.

THE LATEST.

The first snow of the season fell in New York Oct. 12th.

There are 1,119 cases docketed in the U. S. Supreme Court.

Indiana's new capital cost about \$2,000,000. The furniture will cost \$100,000.

Republicans in New York are hoping that Grant will elect Fred.—Wilmington Star.

It has been established beyond doubt that the disease prevailing at Tampa, Fla., is yellow fever.

The cotton crop for the United States for 1887-'88 is estimated at 6,550,000 bales, as against 6,505,000 for 1886-'87.

Judge H. T. Ellett, who made the welcome address to the President, in Memphis, Saturday, died on the stand before the ceremonies were completed.

An attempt was made to wreck the Presidential train while passing through Arkansas. A trestle was fired, but it was discovered in time by the pilot train to prevent a terrible catastrophe.

The Raleigh News and Observer has been enlarged to a thirty-two column sheet. We are glad to see this evidence of the prosperity of that journal. Long may it live and continue to grow.

The Faucette will case was decided at Pittsboro last week in favor of Mrs. Rosa J. Bryan. By this decision Mrs. Bryan inherits the estate of the late W. C. Faucette, valued at \$20,000. The will has been warmly contested for the last four years.

WALTER BINGHAM.

A special dispatch to the Raleigh News and Observer from Asheville, N. C., October 15th, says:

"It is reported from Yancey that a deaf mute answering the description of Walter Bingham was seen a few days ago in the woods by hunters in a wild section of the county. His strange conduct excited suspicion, when they arrested him and started to the house of a Mr. Hensley in the vicinity. The deaf mute on the way attempted to escape but was stopped by a show of guns. Upon reaching Hensley's, after examination, the mute was allowed to depart. Soon afterwards suspicion was aroused that the man was Walter Bingham, when the men started in pursuit, but he escaped into the woods. A day or two later the same man appeared in the Pensacola section of Yancey and committed rape upon a white girl and again escaped. The men who saw him have no doubt it is Walter Bingham. He wrote rapidly and was intelligent in conversation. He was in a bad plight, showed the effects of long exposure, was heavily armed and said he came from Haywood county. There is much excitement in Yancey and the people are on the lookout for the man.

GIVE THEM A CHANCE!

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot halt to do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, catarrh, pneumonia, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you, you may depend upon this for certain.

"Peterson" for November is before us; it is evidently determined to go out, this year, with flying colors. The steel-plate is the finest of the year: it is a copy of one of Millais's most charming pictures of children—the portrait of pretty little Miss Muffet, of nursery fame. The wood-engraving "Three Home-Rulers" is, in its way, equally noticeable: it is the loveliest production of Kate Greenaway's facile pencil. The fashion-plates display their usual excellence, and among the numerous interesting stories a very noticeable one is "Alec Benton," by the popular Southern authoress, Miss M. G. McClelland. The prospectus for 1888 offers the promise of even greater attractions for the coming twelvemonth. "Peterson" has earned the right to style itself a magazine of literature, art and fashion: for, in every essential, it unites the distinctive features of three separate magazines, either of which one would acknowledge to be of superior merit. During nearly a half-century it has so thoroughly fulfilled every pledge, that we feel sure the richer promises of the coming year will be fully kept. "Peterson" is really a household necessity. Every lady should take it. The terms are Two Dollars per year, with greatly reduced rates when taken in clubs, and with unusually fine premiums to those getting up clubs, viz: Three copies for \$4.50, with the handsome book of engravings, "Choice Gems," or a fine steel engraving, "The Wreath of Immortelles," for premium; four copies for \$6.40, or six copies for \$9.00, with an extra copy free to the getter up of the club; or five copies for \$8.00, or seven copies for \$10.50; with both an extra copy of the magazine and either "Choice Gems" or the engraving as premiums. Any lady can, with a little effort, secure at least one of these premiums, and perhaps all of them. Specimens sent free to those who desire to get up clubs. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The North Carolina Baptist State Convention meets at Durham, N. C., Nov. 16th, Dr. T. C. Bailey presiding. The Convention sermon will be preached by Rev. H. W. Battle.

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NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Bishop Lyman recently confirmed 58 persons at Calvary church, Henderson county.

Newspapers are published in 70 of the 97 counties in North Carolina. There are 18 dailies, 1 semi-weekly, 144 weeklies, 1 semi monthly and 1 monthly.

There are now four orphan asylums in the State. One at Kittrell is for colored pupils, Oxford Asylum (to which the State gives \$10,000 annually,) over sixty at the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, and twenty-two at the Thompson Orphanage.

Wilmington Messenger: The Lexington canning factory puts up about 500 cans per day. Their output for the season, will be fully 20,000 cans. It is in this way that North Carolina must gain wealth. It won't do to depend too much on blast furnaces and railroads. We must sell our peaches, apples and tomatoes.

Wilson Mirror: Maggie Sims, a negro girl of this place, was born deaf and dumb about 17 years ago. At an early age she was sent to an institution for the deaf and dumb where she also learned a faith in the efficacy of prayer. She prayed day and night that her tongue might be recalled from its long banishment, and that her ears might be opened to the music of human voice and song. On Friday the channels of her ears were opened and the fetters of silence fell from the captive tongue. Yes, it is a fact that Maggie Sims was given the power to speak and hear for the first time in her life, and she declares that it is but the long deferred answer of God to her ceaseless stream of wordless prayer.

Wilmington Star: The University of North Carolina is desirous of aiding the teachers of the State, and to effect this will offer a special Teacher's course of three months provided at least fifteen teachers will agree to attend. The course is designed to be a review of the common school studies. A special list of branches is announced, any one of which will be given, if applied for by five or more of those taking the course. The tuition will be free, but a fee of five dollars will be charged for room rent, servant hire, &c. If the session is held it will begin either Nov. 15th next, or Feb. 14th, 1888. Teachers wishing to avail themselves of this offer will notify either Hon. Kemp P. Battle, President, or Prot. N. B. Henry, Chapel Hill. Reduced rates will be given.

The Indian smokes the pipe of peace, the Irishman a piece of pipe.



Unfailing Specific for Liver Disease. SYMPTOMS: Bitter or bad taste in mouth; tongue coated white or covered with a brown fur; pain in the back, sides, or joints—often mistaken for rheumatism; sour stomach; loss of appetite; sometimes nausea and water-brash, or indigestion; flatulency and acid eructations; bowels alternately costive and lax; headache; loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; debility; low spirits; a thick, yellow appearance of the skin and eyes; a dry cough; fever; restlessness; the urine is scanty and high colored, and, if allowed to stand, deposits a sediment.

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SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER MORTGAGE.

By virtue of a mortgage deed executed to me by John M. Smith and his wife Elizabeth Smith, and registered in Book E., page 135, of the Register's office of Orange County, I will sell at public auction for cash at the court house door in Hillsboro, on Monday, Oct. 31, 1887, a tract of land in Hillsboro Township on Seven Mile creek, adjoining lands of the heirs of Richard Fapp, Melinda Thompson, George McCauley and others, and containing 70 acres, more or less. Sale is made to satisfy said mortgage and costs. This 31st day of Aug., 1887. E. C. THOMPSON, Mortgagee.

The above sale is postponed until Monday, Oct. 24th, 1887.

DR. WILLIAM LYNCH, DENTIST, Durham, N. C. Office in the Parish building on Mangum street.

HOW A BABY'S LIFE WAS SAVED.

Death, the grim monster, is fond of entering the happy family circle, and to cut down with his fatal scythe the sweet young blossoms of humanity which cheer and brighten the household; but often the keen edge of his scythe can be averted by the fond parents, if they will exercise good judgment in procuring an efficient remedy for their ailing child. Such a case is related below, and the testimony given by the mother cannot fail to impress itself upon the memory of all mothers who may be called upon to undergo a similar experience, and who are anxious to save their own baby's life from the insidious attack of a disease which poisons the very fount of life, to end finally in death.

Furthermore, the entire harmlessness of S. S. S. is seen in the fact that little four-months-old babies take it with impunity and great benefit. Babies predisposed to scrofula should be brought up from the age of three months to eighteen months on S. S. S., that they may be free forever thereafter from the awful malady. Doctors prescribe S. S. S. for scrofulous babies.

GASTONIA, N. C., April 4, 1887.

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I know S. S. S. saved the baby's life, and I told our doctor so. He is a regular physician and prescribed S. S. S. for the baby as soon as he saw it had scrofula.

Yours sincerely, AMANDA INGLE.

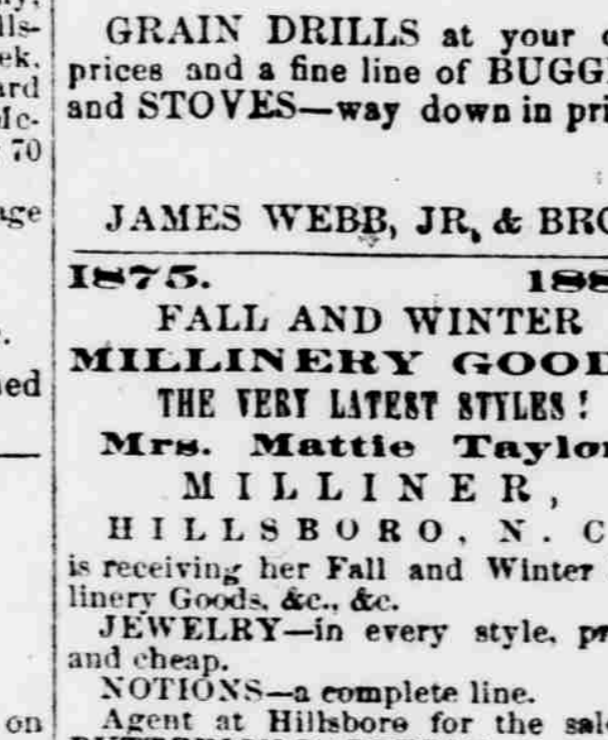
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