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IMPORTANCE OF FISH AND  
OYSTER CONSERVATION.

There is an aroused state news-  
paper action in the matter of fish  
and oyster conservation in North  
Carolina. If this same action and  
force of sentiment will merge, and  
when the fish convention meets in  
New Bern next week, all the hearts  
and minds of the delegates who  
meet here, real conservation of  
these two great natural products of  
the waters of this state will be  
made effective. And it is time  
that the selfishness that has pre-  
vailed in certain localities, which  
has prevented legislative action,  
shall be overthrown, and the entire  
state reap the benefits from the  
fish and oysters, which with intel-  
ligent conservation methods, means  
millions of revenue to this com-  
monwealth.

A few years ago, there was al-  
most a total exhaustion of the  
game birds and wild animals, that  
previously had made this Eastern  
Carolina famous as a great natural  
hunting ground, for quail, tur-  
keys, robins, doves, and bear,  
deer, possums, squirrels and other  
game. Strict game laws, and more  
important their positive enforce-  
ment has worked a wonderful  
change. This year hunters in this  
section say game has not been so  
plentiful in years. Conservation  
has wrought the change, and in-  
stead of promiscuous and harmful  
slaughter of game, there is "good  
shooting," and game secured that  
makes hunting a real sport, one  
bearing good results, in the per-  
petuation of this same hunting  
year after year, instead of a wan-  
ton destruction.

Conservation legally, thoroughly  
applied to North Carolina's fish  
and oysters, means that these  
splendid water products will prove  
a continual and increasing source  
of wealth to the people. The New  
Bern convention, with delegates  
inspired with the real conserva-  
tion spirit can work the change.  
There must be a giving way of  
personal or locality selfishness,  
and laws enacted that shall be en-  
forced, that will mean a fish and  
oyster industry to enrich the state  
for all time.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**  
King George and Queen Mary were  
cheered as they drove through the  
streets of Bombay.

"I had been troubled with consti-  
pation for two years and tried all of  
the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn.,  
and they could do nothing for me," writes  
Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky.  
"Two packages of Chamberlain's  
Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For  
sale by all dealers.

**YOU CAN HAVE  
HEALTHY HAIR**  
Use Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur.  
A Harmless Remedy That  
Makes the Hair Grow.

What a pity it is to observe so many  
people with thin and faded hair and  
realize that the most of these people  
might have a fine, healthy head of hair  
if they would but use the simple "sage  
tea" of our grandmothers, combined with  
other ingredients for restoring and  
preserving the hair. No man, young or old,  
should have gray hair, weak, thin, or  
falling hair, dandruff, or any trouble of  
the scalp if they would but use Wyeth's  
Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. On  
the contrary, it is possible to have  
healthy, vigorous hair, of perfect color,  
with a few applications of this remark-  
able preparation.  
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy  
quickly restores deficient, restores the  
weak, thin, and unhealthy, promotes the  
growth of the hair and restores the nat-  
ural color of the hair which has become  
faded or gray.

IS IN THE STOMACH comes from food which has fer-  
mented. Get rid of this badly digested matter as quickly  
as possible if you would avoid a bilious attack.

**SIMMONS  
RED  
LIVER REGULATOR**  
(THE POWDER FORM)

Is a cleansing and strengthening medicine. It is a liver tonic first  
of all—and the liver is always affected when the stomach goes wrong.  
It puts life in a torpid liver, helps digestion, sweetens the breath, clears  
the complexion of sallowness, relaxes the bowels and puts the body in  
fine, vigorous condition.

Ask for the genuine with the Red Seal label. If you cannot get it, write to us we will send  
it by mail, postage. Simmons Liver Regulator is put up also in liquid form for those who prefer it.  
Price \$1.00 per bottle. Look for the Red Seal label.  
J. H. ZEILIN & CO., Props., ST. LOUIS, MO.

**FIRST AERIAL POST.**  
It Was Used in China, and a Wild  
Goose Was the Carrier.  
The ancient records of China reveal  
the fact that our aerial post was fore-  
told some thousands of years ago,  
applied to by Celestial. It is true  
that the first postal air man was an  
aquatic fowl, and to this day the post  
in China is referred to as "the con-  
tinent of the wild goose," and pic-  
tures of that bird still appear on cer-  
tain stamps.

The legend tells us that a Tartar  
chief was offensive to the Chinese em-  
peror, who sent a special envoy to  
warn him. But the chief took the em-  
peror's servant prisoner and made him  
shepherd to his flocks. In this condi-  
tion of social degradation the unfor-  
tunate envoy languished for some  
years until one day he captured a wild  
goose and his mind was illumined by  
the bright idea of using it to carry  
news of his whereabouts to his friends.  
With a letter secured to its leg, the  
Samaritan goose flew southward until,  
virtually meeting its customary reward,  
it was killed in the grounds of the  
palace by no less a personage than  
the emperor himself. The letter was read,  
and a punitive expedition rescued the  
captive and punished the rebel chief.—  
Pearson's Weekly.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**  
Aviator Roeb was killed while mak-  
ing a flight from Munich to Nurn-  
berg.

**War Declared  
Catarrh Germs Must be Conquered  
or Health Will be Destroyed.**  
If you have catarrh you must van-  
quish an army of persistent, destruct-  
ive microbes before you can get rid of  
it.  
You might as well choose your weap-  
ons, declare war and annihilate this  
army of catarrh germs right now.  
Stomach dosing won't kill them; nei-  
ther will sprays or douches.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS  
FOR RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER**  
She Wouldn't Make a Proudie.  
She was not one of these trouble  
making women. In fact, she had the  
greatest contempt for people of that  
kind. She said so herself.  
"And she spoke of you, too," she  
said in telling a friend of a call.  
"What did she say?"  
"Oh, I'd rather not tell you, dear.  
There's no use making trouble, you  
know."—Chicago Post.

**A DREADEFUL WOUND**  
from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail,  
fire works, or of any other nature, de-  
mands prompt treatment with Buck-  
len's Arnica Salve to prevent blood-  
poison or gangrene. It is the quickest,  
surest healer for all such wounds as  
also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Erup-  
tions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns  
or Fles, 25c at all druggists.

John Barrett, director general of the  
Pan-American Union favors making the  
Panama Canal free to the shipping of  
the world.  
When your feet are wet and cold, and  
your body chilled through and through  
from exposure, take a big dose of Cham-  
berlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your  
feet in hot water before going to bed,  
and you are almost certain to ward off a  
severe cold. For sale by all dealers.

History is made by one set of men  
and written by another. The charac-  
ter of the written history depends upon  
the politics of the historian. Most  
histories are written many years after  
the history was made. In these cir-  
cumstances, no one can step forward  
and dispute the historian. History is  
studied at school and forgotten at  
home.  
We are told to judge the future by  
the past, and after we read the his-  
tory we are as badly puzzled as  
ever.  
Some statements make history, but  
most of them make speeches.—Judge's  
Library.

**WOMEN**  
Women of the highest type,  
women of superior education and  
refinement, whose discernment  
and judgment give weight and  
force to their opinions, highly  
praise the wonderful corrective  
and curative properties of Cham-  
berlain's Stomach and Liver Tab-  
lets. Throughout the busy stages  
of woman's life, from childhood  
onward, these pills are  
WOMEN WILL SOON STAY

**QUEEN VENUS.**  
Orbit, Mass and Gravity of the Planet  
Twin of Our World.  
Mercury is the nearest of known  
planets to King Sol, but Venus comes  
next, and in eccentricity of solar orbit  
—an eccentricity having an average of  
about 61,200,000 miles—in the least ir-  
regular of the planets. The distance  
of Venus from our earth also varies,  
with an average or mean of about 25-  
700,000 miles at her nearest, the aver-  
age distance of Venus from our earth  
being approximately 160,000,000 miles  
at her farthest.  
Queen Venus may be called the plan-  
et twin of our world, since her mean  
diameter and that of our earth are  
nearly equal. Nevertheless the differ-  
ence of some 200 miles in their diam-  
eters leaves Venus with about 92-100  
of the terrestrial volume. Venus' mass  
or weight approximates 82-100 of  
that of our planet, and, dividing 82-  
100 by 92-100, we get 89-100, which is  
Venus' density compared with the den-  
sity of our earth. Venus' gravity ap-  
proximates 82-100 that of our planet,  
or, in other words, a terrestrial body  
weighing 100 pounds would weigh only  
eighty-two pounds upon the surface of  
Venus.  
Queen Venus exhibits phases like our  
moon, but possesses no moon herself.  
She presents a bright and thickly  
clouded appearance and has an atmos-  
phere which is estimated to be from  
one and one-half to two times as dense  
as our own. This beautiful planet was  
seen, of course, by mankind in pre-  
historic ages, but the earliest known  
record respecting her was in 686 B. C.,  
a record engraved upon earthenware  
now in possession of the British mu-  
seum.—New York Tribune.

**PROOF OF GENTILITY.**  
Sleeves That Hid the Harids Showed  
the Wearers Didn't Work.  
The practice observed among Span-  
ish hidalgos of allowing the finger  
nails to grow into claws was to dem-  
onstrate that they had never done any  
manual work. The same custom ex-  
ists among the Chinese for the same  
reason.  
Among the Romans the wearing of  
long sleeves, which came down over  
the hand, was the fashion in aristo-  
cratic circles. This advertised to the  
world that the wearer did not engage  
in any labor and freedom from em-  
ployment was the condition of res-  
pectability.  
English boots and shoes have been  
designed more or less for the same  
purpose as that of the Chinese, who  
bind their women's feet in proof of  
their gentility. As early as the time  
of William Rufus "peaked toed boots  
and shoes" had their points made like  
a scorpion's tail, and a courtier nam-  
ed Robert stuffed his out with tow,  
and caused them to curl round in the  
form of a ram's horn, a fashion which  
took mightily among the nobles. It  
is plain that the purpose of this fash-  
ion was to show that the privileged  
wearer was not dependent on any kind  
of labor or fitness of foot for his  
daily bread.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**  
Twenty-nine alleged White Caps were  
indicted Grantsville, W. Va.  
WINS FIGHT FOR LIFE.  
It was a long and bloody battle for  
life that was waged by James B. Mer-  
son, of Newark, N. J., of which he  
writes: "I had lost much blood from  
lung hemorrhages, and was very weak  
and run-down. For eight months I  
was unable to work. Death seemed  
close on my heels, when I began, three  
weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Dis-  
covery. But it has helped me greatly.  
It is doing all that you claim." For  
weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs,  
asthma, hay-fever or any throat or lung  
trouble its supreme. 50c & \$1.00. Trial  
bottle free. Guaranteed by all drug-  
gists.  
British and American gunboats are  
policing West river, China, aiding com-  
merce.  
Every family has need of a good, re-  
liable liniment. For sprains, bruises,  
soreness of the muscles and rheumatic  
pains there is none better than Cham-  
berlain's. Sold by all dealers.

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The grand medal of achievement was  
conferred upon Ernest Thompson-Saton  
by the Campfire Club of America.  
**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER  
The Civil Service.  
In the civil service commission the  
United States government has the  
greatest employment bureau in the  
world. Over half a million people are  
on the government payroll, including  
soldiers of the standing army, and of  
these employees nearly half are receiv-  
ing pay as the result of competitive  
examinations.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of  
the less the danger from pneumonia and  
other serious diseases. Mr. R. W. L.  
Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly  
believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy  
to be absolutely the best preparation on  
the market for coughs. I have recom-  
mended it to my friends and they all  
agree with me." For sale by all dealers.  
The naval collier Sterling and coal-  
carrying steamer Dorothy were badly  
injured in a collision of Cape Henry.

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Traveling Stoves.  
"Traveling stoves" from the size of a  
pen to six inches in diameter, are  
found in Nevada. When distributed  
upon a floor or other level surface  
within two or three feet of one another  
they immediately begin to travel to-  
ward a common center and there in-  
cubated like a clutch of eggs in a nest.  
A single stone removed to a distance  
of three and a half feet upon being  
released at once started with wonder-  
ful and somewhat comical velocity to  
join its fellows. These queer stones  
are found in a region that is compar-  
atively level and little more than bar-  
ren rock. Nevertheless over this barren ex-  
panse are little holes from a few feet  
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in the hollows of these that the stones  
are found to travel. The reason for  
this is that the stones are not smooth  
but rough and porous, and they are  
attracted to the hollows of these stones  
as though to a magnet.

**MANSARD'S ROOF.**  
By It the Architect Won His Son's Life  
From Louis XIV.  
The great hall of the Hotel de Ville  
of Paris, designed by Mansard, is the  
wonder and admiration of every one  
who has seen it on account of the  
groined roof.  
In regard to this a neighboring cafe-  
tier tells a somewhat grim story. King  
Louis XIV. happened to be passing  
through the city just at the time Man-  
sard was superintending the comple-  
tion of his creation. The roof was sup-  
ported by a powerful pillar. The mon-  
arch admired the work and congrat-  
ulated the architect on his design. At  
that moment the architect was passing  
through great domestic tribulation. He  
had a son under sentence of death, so  
he thought it would be a good oppor-  
tunity to intercede on behalf of the  
lad.  
Mansard threw himself at the feet of  
the king and said: "Your majesty sees  
in the center that massive column? If  
you will spare the life of my son I  
will remove the unsightly pillar, and  
the roof shall stand without support."  
"Mansard," replied the king, "if you  
accomplish that miracle I will pardon  
your son, but if you fail I will hang  
you with him."  
The architect removed the pillar  
without great difficulty and with the  
result desired. The cafe-tier is a phi-  
losopher, and he concludes his story  
with the reflection that had not Man-  
sard's son been a scamp the hall at  
Aries would be just like any other hall  
—London Globe.

**REST ON EARTH**  
This is the verdict of R. J. Howell,  
Tracy, O., who bought Foley's Honey  
and Tar Compound for his wife. "Her  
case was the worst I have ever seen,  
and looked like a sure case of consump-  
tion. Her lungs were sore and she  
coughed almost incessantly and her  
voice was hoarse and weak. Foley's  
Honey and Tar Compound brought re-  
lief at once and less than three bottles  
effected a complete cure." For sale by  
all dealers.

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CASTORIA**  
Punishing the Ladies.  
Female conspirators against Rameses  
III, of Egypt, says Rawlinson, were  
condemned in 1250 B. C. "to the ser-  
vitude of keeping a beer house, which  
was thought sufficient punishment for  
ladies of delicacy and refinement."

**Foley Kidney Pills**  
TONIC IN ACTION - QUICK IN RESULTS  
Give prompt relief from BACKACHE,  
KIDNEY and BLADDER TROUBLE,  
RHEUMATISM, CONGESTION OF THE  
KIDNEYS, INFLAMMATION OF THE  
BLADDER and all annoying URINARY  
IRREGULARITIES. A positive boon to  
MIDDLE AGED and ELDERLY  
PEOPLE and for WOMEN.  
HAVE HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION  
R. A. Davis, 627 Washington St., Connorsville,  
Ind., in his 86th year, he writes: "I have  
suffered much from kidney and bladder  
trouble and severe backache and kidney  
action was too frequent, causing me to lose much sleep  
at night, and in my bladder there was constant  
pain. I took Foley Kidney Pills for some time,  
and am now free of all trouble and again able to  
be up and around. Foley Kidney Pills have my  
highest recommendation."

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**Auto and  
Carriage Paints**  
IS YOUR CAR BEGINNING  
TO LOOK A LITTLE  
SHABBY?  
Don't send it away  
for a month and pay  
some one a small for-  
tune to have it re-  
painted.  
I will give you a  
fine handsome durable  
job in less than one  
week, or a perfect job  
in two weeks, at the  
lowest possible cost.  
I agree to use Valen-  
tine's Carriage  
Paints.

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IN THE PROPORTION OF SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED  
PROFITS TO CAPITAL  
**THE NATIONAL BANK**  
OF NEW BERNE, N. C.  
**STANDS**  
FIRST among the banks of the City  
THIRD among the National Banks of  
the State  
And as it has Surplus and Undivided Profits amounting to \$105,000 and  
Capital amounting to \$100,000, it has a place on the National Bank Roll  
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Profits equal to or exceeding their Capital stock.

4 PER  
CENT INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS  
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

**You Don't Buy a Stove**  
— every month, so that when you  
do buy, you want to look around  
a little and see where you can get  
the greatest satisfaction for your  
money. We have a great line of  
Stoves here and we can suit any  
pocket-book with our prices.  
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the use of a laxative, to keep the bowels open and prevent the poisons of undigested  
food from entering the system.  
The latest product of science is VELVO Laxative Liver Syrup, purely vegetable, gentle,  
reliable and of a pleasurable, aromatic taste. VELVO acts on the liver, as well as on the  
stomach and bowels, and is of the greatest possible efficacy in constipation, indigestion,  
drowsiness, sick headache, liver-dizziness, colic, flatulence, etc. Try

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LIVER SYRUP**

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Hyde Co. R. P. Oats, Burt  
Oats, Hairy Vetch, Rape,  
Crimson Clover, Alfalfa, Hay,  
Oats, Corn, Corn Meal, Cot-  
ton Seed Meal, Hulls, Bran,  
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any stock feed on the mark-  
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