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So much has been said of late on the Force Bill that we expect some people are tired of seeing anything about it. But when such a direful evil threatens the peace and prosperity of the South, how can any one keep quiet? Since the meeting of Congress in December nothing has claimed our attention more than the outlook of that infamous evil. At times we have been alternating between hope and fear. At first it did not seem that there was any chance of its being passed, but the gang of Hoar, Reed & Co. kept firing away, and matters began to look serious for the South. All at once unexpectedly to us it was shelved for the financial bill. We again had hopes of its being dead. But when the financial bill was disposed of hopped that partisan measure again. After debating and trying in vain to bring it to a vote, its advocates tried to apply Reed's gag laws, and thus force it on the people. It seemed that the matter was about settled and that in a few days the precedent of a hundred years would be overturned, when all at once, and again unexpectedly it was thrown aside, and we hope thrown aside forever. It is said that enough Republicans to keep the measure down have assured the Democrats that they will not again vote for it to be taken up. Nearly two months time has been consumed in discussing the matter in the Senate, and the Democrats have not failed to show it up in its most hideous light.

The country, and the Democratic party especially, is to be congratulated on the fight that has been made against it, whether it is passed after this or not. With a minority of fourteen the Democratic Senators had withstood and boldly met every attempt of the Republican party bosses. The history of our country affords no example of a more heroic fight. All honor to them. They deserve to be Senators for the balance of their lives. They have proven themselves to be such men as any party or country should be proud of. And while we are thus grateful to them for their manly fight we should not overlook the Republican Senators who stood by them in their opposition, for without their aid the Democrats would have gone down, and the Force Bill would have been a law before this. We have heard grumble among some because Nevada, with a scant population, was a member of the Union with equal rights with others, but let us remember that Nevada has two Senators in Washington who have done their country good service in keeping down the worst measure that could have been aimed at the South. If the Force Bill had been passed, or if it should now, it is almost certain that the great Columbian Exposition would prove a failure. The Legislatures of the different States have postponed appropriations until it is settled whether it becomes a law or not. Should it become a law more than half of the States will have nothing to do with the Exposition. This no doubt had its influence in dropping the bill. We now hope and believe the bill is dead forever.

And with it the Republican party will die about as fast as the country can kill it.

The Wilson *Advance* has recently changed hands, at least partially so. Mr. C. C. Daniels, who for several years has been its editor, has disposed of his interest to Mr. C. F. Wilson, who last year was local editor and business manager. Mr. Daniels will go to a town in Western North Carolina to engage in the practice of law. While it is to be regretted that Mr. Daniels retires from journalism, we can safely say the *Advance* has fallen into good hands. We have had opportunity for knowing Mr. Wilson well, as he was for some time one of the REFLECTOR boys, having begun his printing and journalistic career in this office, and he is capable of doing good work with the *Advance*. He is a good writer, a hard worker, an earnest advocate of right, and possessing such qualifications he is bound to succeed.

We are glad to place that old and excellent paper, the *Durham Recorder*, on our exchange list again. And we are also glad to find that Mr. T. B. Eldridge is now editor of it. He is a useful man and Durham is to be congratulated for having him back there.

The Speaker of the Colorado Legislature was shot a short time ago in the cheek. The ball did not slight injury if any. What cheek some people have!

A bill will be presented to the Legislature to form a new county out of parts of Northampton, Halifax and Warren, to be called Bill Saunders in honor of Secretary of State W. L. Saunders.

Two new manufacturing enterprises were organized in one day in Raleigh last week. Why cannot Greenville have some manufacturing enterprise and a land improvement company also?

The Legislature of South Dakota is in the hands of Independents, and they have caught Speaker Reed's fever. They have turned out enough Republicans to give themselves a good working majority.

The Oyster Grounds of Eastern Carolina have been cleared of pirates. Governor Fowle took prompt and decided action in regard to the matter as soon as the Legislature passed the law authorizing him to do so. We hope the oysters will have rest from pirates now.

Hon. Wm. Windom, Secretary of the Treasury died very suddenly last Thursday night. His death seems to be universally mourned. Various conjectures are made as to his successor. Some say Spooner, some say McKinley. We guess it will be some one of Mr. Harrison's special favorites.

The College of Bishops of the M. E. Church South has appointed Rev. Dr. L. Reid, of Raleigh and Gov. T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville, to represent the North Carolina Conference and Rev. L. W. Crawford, of Trinity College, and Gen. R. B. Vance of Asheville, to represent the Western North Carolina Conference in the Ecumenical Conference, which will meet in Washington City next October.

The Apportionment Bill has passed Congress, and now awaits the signature of the President. It increases the number of Representatives in Congress to 356. Most of the gains are given to the States that have heretofore been solidly Republican. Among the Southern States, Texas gains two, Alabama, Arkansas, and Georgia gain one each. It looks very much like a partisan measure, and who passed by a party vote.

It will hardly be possible to make any tariff reform before 1893. The House will be in the hands of the Democrats after March 4, 1891. But the Senate will still be Republican. Even if there should be enough Republican Senators to vote with the Democrats on a tariff reform, the President is committed to the McKinley Bill, and it would take a two-thirds vote to pass it. By 1893 it is probable that we will have a Democratic President and Senate also.

Next to the defeat of the Federal Election Bill nothing will be hailed with more delight than the defeat of Senator Ingalls. Judge Peffer, we guess, is far from being a Democrat, but he lacks a great deal of being as far as Ingalls. He is said to be a tariff reformer, and if he sticks to the Alliance principles he is far from being a Republican. We have no doubt but that he will make a better Senator than his predecessor. At any rate he is not such a South hater.

**The Legislature.**  
Some of the Bills Passed.

In calling the Legislative proceedings for this issue we do not give our readers as much as was in last paper. Well, there has not been so much done, though both branches were kept quite busy. Much of last week was taken up with special matters set for certain days. The bill to establish the industrial school for girls, the resolution to withhold an appropriation to the World's Fair until the death of the Force Bill and Mr. Williams' lower interest bill were all in for considerable discussion and consumed much time. In giving the bills below which have passed third reading we only give such as are of interest to the people among whom the REFLECTOR circulates.

**SENATE.**  
Bill to amend the charter of the Tarboro Land and Trust Company passed its several readings.  
Bill to incorporate the East Carolina Improvement company passed its several readings.  
Bill to incorporate the Baptist Female University of North Carolina, passed its several readings.  
Bill to suppress gambling. Makes it unlawful to play at games of chance for money or other things, whether in stake or not, passed third reading.  
Bill to amend the charter of the city of New Bern passed third reading.  
Bill to incorporate the town of Aylen in Pitt county, passed third reading.

Below is the text of Mr. Williams' speech on the interest bill.  
Mr. Williams said he introduced this bill in 1885 and it had been before the people ever since. Every restriction of interest has been advocated by the best men of all ages and all nations. High interest was the beginning of the fall of the Roman Republic. A few Rome became corrupt, interest went up. Benign loans money at 43 per cent, and he supposed that would suit the gentleman from Wilmington. The robber barons of France brought on the Reign of Terror in France by usury.

Six per cent was the legal rate in this State until the carpet-baggers took the State in 1863. This is not a Democratic or a Republican measure, but a measure for humanity. Let us go back to the good old days of our fathers. If we are going to have 6 per cent, let us have it. The widow and the orphan cannot get the 6 per cent, and why allow the rich to have \$1 Kellogg says that when a man says low interest will drive money out of a country, he does not know what he is talking about.

Cheap money goes out to build railroads and factories, but money gongers hold for 10 per cent and a mortgage on a poor man's home.

Adam Smith said no sober, thoughtful man would give 8 per cent for money in England. Does the gentleman from Wilmington regard Adam Smith as good authority, as himself? If the gentleman will go to old Pender to-day those farmers will say, "We cannot afford to borrow money at 8 per cent." The wisest and best men of the State for two hundred years, said 6 per cent, is enough.

There are about \$230,000,000 of property in the State and fifty millions of this mortgaged at 8 per cent. Would it not be better to have it at six? Let us have but one rate of interest, not one for the orphan and a higher one for the speculator.

Go through the country and see the condition of our people. Their farms are being sold. Talk about home, sweet home. These free country homes are passing away. How long before we will have no free homes? Bad crops year after year and high rates of interest are driving our people from their homes. Can't we stop it? Will we not stand by the people? The farmers are begging for relief; the women and laboring men of the land are begging for it.

**HOUSE.**  
The March term of Wayne court was abolished.  
To incorporate Wilkinson Female Institute of Tarboro.

To amend section 4, chapter 98, laws of '87, so as to prevent all others than legal cotton weighers from weighing cotton.  
Regarding chattel mortgages, preventing a man from mortgaging his household and kitchen property.

Instruction to our representatives in Congress to use their best endeavors to have defeated the Federal election bill, commonly known as the Force bill.  
Authorizing the Treasurer of the State to pay certain witnesses in the examination of non-tax-paying corporations \$1.00 per day and mileage.  
Making the nineteenth of February the birth day of General Robt. E. Lee, a legal holiday in this State.

Incorporating the Farmers and Merchants Bank at Newberne.  
To compel personal representatives to plead the statute of limitations, and gives the heirs a right to plead the statute as to any judgment obtained against the administrator when the statute might have been pleaded.

To amend section 2233, volume 2, of the Code, in relation to cruelty to animals, make the offence of cock fighting, &c, cognizable before a justice.

**Washington Letter.**  
From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan 30, '90.

Mr. Harrison dies hard, very hard Senator Hoar and his radical colleagues recognize that their last defeat meant the final disposition of the Force bill, and they have accepted the result with the best grace possible although it is far from satisfactory to them. No so Mr. Harrison. He is wedded to the idea of Federal interference in Southern elections and his consequent benefit to him and his party they are determined to believe the Force bill dead and has begun scheming for another attempt to rush it through the Senate. He is strongly scouted by Speaker Reed and the House republicans generally, but the idea has so far been very cordily received by the Senators whose recollection of the two square knock-downs they have already received while battling for this unpopular and unjust bill makes them shy of again entering the ring against the intelligent public opinion of the country.

Still there is no telling what these republicans may do. It is certain that if they say their way clear to pass the bill that they would again take it up. Their desire is as strong for the passage of the bill as it ever was, but it is the dread of another defeat that makes them hesitate. Democratic Senators are fully aware that all danger from this bill will not be passed until the close of the session, and they will see to it that the republicans get no chance to catch them napping.

That the democrats are always ready to aid in the transaction of legitimate business was shown when Senator Gorham notified the republican steering committee that the democrats were prepared to agree to any order of business which did not include the cloture rule or Force bill. The programme as arranged provides for the consideration of the following bills, after the Apportionment bill is disposed of: eight Hour bill, Copyright, Pure food, and the job of the session, she bill to guarantee the payment of \$200,000,000 in bonds of the Nicaragua canal company. It is certainly a suspicious circumstance

that this bill for the exclusive benefit of a corporation should have been given precedence in the order of business when dozens of bills important to the country at large were left out. Some music ought to be heard when this bill gets before the Senate, and it will be, unless I am very much mistaken.

The defeat of Senator Ingalls did not raise a cyclone of grief at the Capitol.

Unless the republicans attempt some of their tricks it is believed that all of the appropriation bills can be disposed of by the 4th of March, and an extra session avoided.

Chairman Dingley, of the House committee now investigating the silver pool scandal, is charged with having intimidated, in a conversation with Mr. Payne, a member of the committee, that Senator Vest would never have been allowed to testify if he had known that he would "give away" Senator Cameron. This charge is not made by a democrat, but by a good republican, Gen. H. V. Boynton. Mr. Dingley denies it and Gen. Boynton says W. B. Stevens heard the conversation in question. Its a nice mess, a republican mess, all through, and before the committee finishes its labors it will be in hand of being investigated.

The arguments in the Behring Sea case were heard by the Supreme Court this week. They contained nothing new on either side, thanks to the enterprise of our news papers in having told us two weeks ago what points each side would try to make.

The anti-silver men have opened their campaign against free coinage by bringing a lot of Eastern bankers here to tell the House Coinage committee what a dangerous thing free coinage is. Another dodge of the anti's, is to amend the free coinage bill so as to make it conform to the views of the President. Both schemes are meant to accomplish the same thing—delay, and that's how it will be beaten. The committee will delay reporting it back to the House as long as possible, and after it is reported Speaker Reed will delay its consideration if he can, and between all these delays the time will have become too short to pass the bill at this session. See? Great scheme isn't it? Not very original though.

Mr. Blaine isn't saying anything about the Force bill, but he has had a kind of an I told-you-so look ever since Mr. Harrison was knocked out at the same time his pet measure was.

**Bethel Items.**  
Mr. L. V. Bassett, of Rocky Mount, was in town last week.  
Mr. Asa Bullock, living a few miles in the country, near Mill Hill school house, lost his last little boy Sunday night. He was taken Sunday evening with meningitis and died about 10 o'clock that night. Mr. Bullock lost his wife and two of his children last summer from the same disease.

There has been a regular local freight train put on the A. & R. R. started last week. This improvement makes it convenient for passengers.

Rev. T. C. Woodson, who is working in the interest of the Thomasville Orphanage Asylum, gave a lecture at the Baptist church last Tuesday night.

The dwelling of Mr. G. W. Gainer of Bethel, was entirely consumed by fire last Tuesday night. The fire originated on stairs, and as they were all away from home, it burned through and was coming out the top of the house before any alarm was made. The loss is secured by insurance.

Applaudments for Greenville Circuit.  
R. F. Taylor, P. C.  
Bethlehem, 1st Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Lang's school House, 1st Sunday at 3 p. m.  
The Lady Grove, 2d Sunday 11 a. m.  
Tripp's Chapel, 2d Sunday 3 p. m.  
Ayden, 3d Sunday 11 a. m.  
Salom, 4th Sunday, 11 a. m.  
Jones Chapel, 4th Sunday, 3 p. m.

**Warning.**  
My son, Charles H. Letchworth, aged 18 years, left my home on the 1st, inst., and has taken with him a horse belonging to me. I hereby warn all persons under penalty of law against giving my son employment or in any way harboring him. I will be thankful for information sent me as to the whereabouts of the boy or the horse.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, having issued letters of Administration, c. t. to me, the undersigned on the 21st day of January, 1891, on the estate of Sarah A. Thomas deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to present their claims, properly authenticated to the undersigned, within twelve months after the date of this notice, or this notice will be a bar for their recovery. This the 30 day of January, 1891.

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**CASH PREMIUMS.**  
In conclusion we beg to submit the following proposition:  
For the best five pounds of bright tobacco made by any of our customers from the use of any of the brands of guano sold by us we will pay a cash premium of  
Ten Dollars.  
For the second best five pounds we will pay a cash premium of Fifteen Dollars.  
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This offer is open to all of our customers using any of the guano sold by us, whether they buy direct from us or through some of our sub-agents or dealers. The plan of awarding the premiums will be announced hereafter in this paper.

**Ten Per Cent. Reduction!**  
In order to make room for our Spring Stock, commencing Monday, Feb. 24th, 1891, we will for CASH make a discount of ten per cent. on the following stock:  
Clothing of all kinds, Suits, Extra Coats and Vests, Overcoats and Pants. All Winter Weights of Best Goods, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Underwear, Shawls, Ladies' Dress Goods, consisting of Henriettes, Cashmores, Alpaca and all winter styles of Calicoes. Also a nice line of Ladies' Woolen Hosiery. Also a few nice styles of Carpeting, and a large assortment of Boots.  
We do not throw this out as a joke, but a bona fide offer, which we shall keep open for about 30 days. We are induced to make it simply because we need the room for our Spring Stock, and besides we had rather sell the goods for CASH NOW at this discount than to carry them until next season and then get our present market prices. Everyone is at liberty to examine the marks on each article and see that we carry out this proposition in good faith. We invite you, and all who wish to take advantage of this offer without delay, or else you may miss a bargain in something you need by being too late.  
Yours truly,  
W. H. LONG, Editor Reflector.

**TOBACCO GROWERS,**  
**ATTENTION!**  
**Fifty Dollars Cash Premiums.**

Just at this season we beg to invite the attention of the farmers to our stock of  
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We have an assortment of the standard brands  
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**National Fertilizer.**  
This is a very high grade guano, which has been used very extensively in this State on both Tobacco and Cotton. The best thing we can say for it is that we have sold it for 8 years and have never seen any one who was not pleased with it.  
**Pocomoke Guano.**  
Is well known all through Eastern Carolina as one of the best producing fertilizers for all crops ever offered for sale. It is a very rich grade guano, made out of the best material, and has never failed to give entire satisfaction. The manufacturers offer 10 premiums, aggregating several hundred dollars, for the most cotton raised on a single acre of land with Pocomoke Guano. Call and get their book of testimonials with directions as to how to compete for these premiums.

**Beef, Blood and Bone.**  
Is a brand which has never been offered for sale here before. But we know it to be a first-class standard fertilizer, as we have sold it before. It is made by a house which stands at the head of the list for making honest, high grade fertilizers. As its name signifies it is composed mainly of animal matter, flesh, blood and bone, scraps which they obtain from the large slaughter houses of the West. We have a large supply of  
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Which we will sell very low. We think we can make it to your interest to see us before buying any of your fertilizers. As we control the sale of these goods for all this section, and buy in very large quantities, we are prepared to make very close figures to other merchants, and we want a good representative in each locality to whom we will sell at factory prices.  
To Farmers' Alliances or Clubs taking 10 tons or more we will make special prices.

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville, N. C.

Local Sparks

Cooper's Warehouse Henderson, N. C. is the leading place for farmers to sell tobacco. If you want the highest prices Don't fail to take your tobacco to Cooper's Warehouse, N. C. Black Winter Oats for sale by G. T. Tyson. A four room house for rent apply to J. S. Congleton. Fresh Biscuits for the well and sick at the Old Brick Store. Shad frogs are croaking. Point Lace Flour is always uniform in quality at the Old Brick Store. Will pay cash for Eggs and Furs and Lides at the Old Brick Store. Beefy in five minutes, prepared Buckwheat, at the Old Brick Store. Golds still hang on and distress us sore. In stock, all kinds of D. M. Ferry & Co's Garden Seed, at the Old Brick Store. Cheapest Bedsteads, Bureaus, Cradles and Mattresses at the Old Brick Store. Fishermen are looking after their dip nets. 50 barrels Early Rose and Pear's Bitters, cheap at the Old Brick Store. Car load Rib Side Meat just received, for sale cheap at J. B. Cherry & Co's. Second month and shortest month of the year. For Rent - The dwelling house of Mrs. P. E. Dancy, on Pitt street. Apply to Mrs. M. M. Nelson. A few beautiful Portieres for sale at a discount. Mrs. M. D. Higgs. Sheriff Tucker reports one whole prisoner in Jail. COFFEE - Just received a fresh lot of "Home Comfort" Coffee which we give a prize with every 25 cents. J. S. Smith & Bro. Mrs. M. D. Higgs has added Millinery, Kid Gloves and Notions to her stock and solicits the patronage of the ladies. The crowd in town Saturday was larger than usual. We have just received another invoice of that candy at 10 cents a pound - it is going like hot cakes. J. S. Smith & Bro. See Ford & Lanier before purchasing marble. They will give you the lowest prices ever offered in Greenville. Read the outside of this paper. Some good reading there. Just received and to arrive 100 Barrels of Flour, "The Best in the World" still in the lead. J. S. Smith & Bro. We have moved across the street next to Wooten's drugstore where you can find all the leading fresh groceries. J. B. Smith & Bro. Mr. Ben Smith caught the first white shad here this season. Dr. Geo. S. Lloyd of Tarboro, N. C. will be at the King's House in Greenville on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 23rd and 24th. Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. The weather part of last week was almost as warm as spring time. Sold one two cent stamp to Chas. L. Gaskill & Co., New Bern, N. C. and left how many children suffer from it? We will get a handsome banner can seal and instructor positively free. Nothing but the government can make money without advertising. Sold one two cent stamp to Chas. L. Gaskill & Co., New Bern, N. C. and learn how some child under 16 yrs. of age will get a handsome parlor organ stool and instructor positively free. This month just has four of every day in the week, no fires about it. FARMERS' ATTENTION - At J. B. Cherry & Co's you will find the celebrated Chamber Atlas and Girl Champion Tarps. Pines and the Stonewall and Climax Cotton Plows. Norfolk Castings, best quality, to fit all these. No postal cards could be had at the Greenville postoffice for several days past. MONEY TO LOAN - Persons desiring to borrow money on long time, and at a low rate of interest, will learn something to their advantage by applying to HENRY HARDING, Greenville, N. C. Office Court House. Attention is called to the notice to creditors by Asa Bullock, administrator of Basha A. Bullock. Latham & Pender are selling a great many of their Elmo Cook Stoves. No. 8 Elmo weighs 250 lbs. price \$15.00. No. 7 Elmo 200 lbs. price \$12.50. No. 7 Liberty Cook 163 lbs. price \$10. Several shad were caught in the river here by skimmers last week. They are early this season. Latham & Pender are selling at wholesale and retail some very nice Plow Castings made by the Greenville Iron Works. Some Mr. Ellington took charge of these works they make another set to those made in Norfolk to nearly all plows used in this section. Several of our young men and all others who desire to practice singing are requested to meet Friday night at 7:30 in the basement of the Baptist Church.

Personal. Mr. J. G. May of Falkland, spent a few days in town last week. Mr. W. H. Cox has moved into the store recently occupied by Taft Bros. Miss Carrie Cobb returned home Friday from a visit to Washington. Miss Novella Higgs left Monday for Mrs. De St. On the 17th of the month. Dr. S. L. Lloyd of Tarboro in town for a few days. He has a son, Dr. S. L. Lloyd, Jr., in town. Mr. J. A. Higgs and son, Sierwood, of this summer season, have been in town a few days. Mr. J. A. Higgs and son, Sierwood, of this summer season, have been in town a few days. Messrs. J. S. Smith & Bro. have moved across the street to the store in which the late T. A. Cherry kept. Mrs. G. Jarvis and Mrs. L. C. Latham, who were spending some days in Raleigh, returned home last week. Mr. J. C. Tyson of Beaver Dam township, has been quite sick for a few days but is now improving we are glad to note. Miss Estelle Congleton, of Washington, passed through Monday on her way to Margarettsville, N. C., to visit her aunt, Mrs. Giles. Mr. A. J. Griffin has moved into the house he purchased from Mr. Speight. Mr. D. H. James has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Griffin. Rev. R. B. John was prevented by sickness from filling his pulpit in the Methodist Church Sunday morning. He preached at night and communion service was held after the sermon. Mr. E. B. Moore, of Lewiston, was in town part of the past week. He came over to take Mrs. Moore and children home, they having been spending some time with the family of Mr. Allen Warren. Mrs. Dr. McDonald, of Washington, and Mrs. Dr. Gray Thomas, of Alabama, spent last Wednesday in town with the family of Dr. C. J. O'Hagan. They were on their way to the home of Mrs. Thomas. Master Charlie Sugg, one of the pages of the House of Representatives and from whom we can hear the best one on the roll, came home Saturday evening and remained a few days with his parents. He returned to Raleigh yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hanrahan, from near Griffin, have been in town the past week at Hotel Macon. Mr. Hanrahan was here for treatment under Dr. O'Hagan. We are glad to know that his health is much better than a few weeks ago. Prof. Theo. Wood closed his singing class here Friday night and left Saturday for his home at Pine Bluff. He was very much impressed with Greenville and our climate. The REFLECTOR would be glad to see him make this town his home. Capt. Macon Bonner of Washington who some years ago was commander of the steamer Greenville on Tar River, was in town a day or two last week shaking hands with his many friends here. The REFLECTOR was glad to have a call from him. We hear that Capt. R. A. Southland, former conductor on the Scotland Neck & Greenville road is married. The happy event occurred on January 22nd at the home of Mr. W. D. Smith, in Cumberland county, and Miss Sudie M. Faison is the fortunate young lady. The REFLECTOR sends best wishes. Miss Sadie Short leaves this morning for Oxford to accept a position as teacher in the Orphan Asylum. While we congratulate her upon being selected to the position, the management is none the less fortunate in securing the services of so excellent a young lady. In our opinion had the State been searched the place could not have been better filled than by Miss Sadie. We have heard numbers of complaints bestowed upon little Miss Lula White, daughter of Capt. C. A. White, for the splendid manner in which she presided at the organ of the Baptist Church last Sunday before so large a congregation as was present that day. She is but a very small girl, yet her manner and performance bore as much grace and composure as a grown person. Her knowledge of music is almost wonderful. During the discussion of the Interest Bill in the Senate yesterday the galleries and lobbies were crowded. Senator Bellamy made an earnest and able argument against the bill. Senators Williams, Green of Wake, Allen of Granville, Aycock, Twitty and Hovars, all spoke in favor of lower interest. The speeches were all well received by the large and intelligent audience that was present. Senator Williams' speech he received a bouquet of violets from the ladies - Raleigh Chronicle. Mr. Alex. Heilbroner, head salesman for M. R. Lang, left yesterday morning for the Northern markets to sell his shad and other fish for the Greenville and Wilson stores. It is quite early to be going on for spring goods, but Mr. Lang wants to have his pick of the styles offered this season as a trade for some to go ahead of him. It is also a compliment to Alex. to be entrusted with the responsibility of making selections for so large an establishment. But his experience - and his customers as well - know there is no risk in leaving selections with Alex. Notwithstanding the fact that he is but a year in Greenville he has only 18 months of experience and he is as good as an old hand. He is a great success in his line and he is well informed as to the business far behind Alex. He keeps thoroughly posted in every department of the store, and he is as well informed as any man in town. WOODARD

Dr. Marquis, Dentist guarantees a fit in artificial work made by him. Attention is called to the notice by J. N. Bynum, executor of Tabitha May. The needs of a first-class hotel in Greenville become more apparent every day. Greenville Female Institute has about 70 pupils enrolled for the spring session. At night lights from burning tobacco plant beds can be seen in different directions. Attention is called to the notice by Henry Sheppard, Administrator of Sarah Thomas. If you have any money to invest keep your eye on Greenville. You will hear something after a while. Year in and year out, the place to get good prices for your tobacco is at Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson. Splendid weather for the farmers to push their work ahead, and the wise ones are taking every advantage of it. Last week Latham & Pender shipped two slaves to Washington. This shows the effects of Greenville's low prices. The auction sale of horses before the Court House door Saturday attracted quite a crowd. They sold cheap. Pitt county has a working Board of Commissioners. They completed the work for this month in a one day meeting. The Henderson tobacco market is becoming. Send a shipment to Cooper and see what good prices he will make you. Every reading man in Pitt county ought to subscribe for the REFLECTOR. Surely the price, One Dollar, is low enough. The hotels, such as Greenville has, are enjoying large patronage. How much better would it be if we had better hotels. We are glad to learn that there has been quite an increase in attendance at the Institute. There are now 70 pupils. Fresh fish have been plentiful in market the past week. There is always a chance for the poor man when herring time comes. See elsewhere what fine prices Mr. J. R. Warren got for tobacco at Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson. You can do the same. The next Teachers' meeting will be held in Greenville the First Saturday in March. Gov. Jarvis and others will make addresses. We hear that Mr. Martin Moore, one of the oldest citizens of this county, died at his home a few miles north of Greenville last week. Attention is called to the notice by E. A. Moye, Superior Court Clerk, in the action for divorce by Ferebee Gorham against Richard Gorham. A negro came along Monday morning with a pair of small buck shad. He wanted to sell them for one dollar. Doubtless he thought the word shad would aid a great deal towards selling them. Two things the REFLECTOR shall continue to call for in Greenville until they come - a good hotel and tobacco warehouses. The way to stop our clutter in that direction is to build them. Did you ever hear the like? Mr. Henry Keel sold twenty-six head of stock last week. Mr. Glasgow Evans had large sales, too, and beside eleven head were sold at auction before the Court House. We hear many expressions of regret that the singing school has closed. It afforded somewhere for our young people to spend an evening pleasantly as well as profitably, and such things are needed in Greenville. Pitt county had quite a large tobacco crop last year, but a much larger acreage is being prepared for now. Pitt already takes the lead for the finest and best tobacco, and in no great while she will take the lead in acreage. When the warehouses come you will hear something. The present Legislature will have to appoint Justices of the Peace for every county in the State. It is time the people of the different townships in this county were meeting and sending forward the names of those they wish appointed. Care should be taken to select the best men, as matters of importance will have to come under their jurisdiction. Bell of Honor Primary department, Greenville Institute. Emily Higgs, Anna Speight Olive Daniel, Helen Atkinson, Queenie Stocks, Daisie Tucker Willie Daniel, Bertha Patrick, Blanche Flanagan, Bessie Patrick, Hugh Sheppard, Sarah Hooker, Elsie K. Hunter, Annie Stocks, Fred Forbes, Lula Speight, Anna Flanagan, Boland James, Maad Moore, Richard White, Alice Atkinson. High Prices for Pitt County Tobacco. Mr. J. E. Warren, of Falkland, sold at Cooper's warehouse, Henderson, last week a good lot of tobacco for fine prices, his best grades selling for \$55 and \$80 per hundred. Sales amounted to \$904.27. Pretty good for Pitt. Mr. Warren knows where to sell his tobacco for the highest prices. No house or market can surpass Cooper's for clever treatment of its patrons and highest prices for all grades of tobacco sold. Builder's Material, Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves, Iron Nails, Plow Castings, Plows, Gears, Ammunition, Tinware, Hollow ware, Stoves, Lamps, Lamp Chimneys, Lamp Wickets, Wash Boards, Tobacco Pipes, Sewing Machines, Carpenter's Tools, Steel Nails, Bar Iron, Axes, Whetstones, Doors, Blinds, Cart Material, Glass, Putty, Oils, Shovels, Hoes, &c. Notice to Creditors. Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county on the 23rd day of January, 1891 as Administrator of Basha A. Bullock, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of this notice will be payment to the undersigned, and all creditors of the estate are notified to present their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of February, 1891. This notice will be published in this paper for three weeks to wit: the first publication on the 23rd day of February 1891. ASA BULLOCK, Adm. of Basha A. Bullock.

The Best Seed. In order to show the farmers what good authority says about the tobacco seed being distributed in Pitt county by Young & Priddy, we will quote part of a letter received by them from Mr. R. L. Bagland of Virginia. He is the best informed tobacco grower in the South, and is considered the best authority on all questions touching tobacco raising. He says: "Your selection is a good one for your locality. Every seed sent is fresh - grown in 1890 - and are first-class in every respect. You are doing the very best thing possible to forward the tobacco planting industry in your county, where soil and climate are adapted to the production of the finest goods." Vick's Floral Guide for 1891. No lover of a fine plant or garden can afford to be without a copy. It is an elegant book of over 100 pages 8 1/2 x 10 inches, beautiful colored illustrations of Sunrise Amaranthus, Hydrangeas and Potatoes. Instructions for planting, cultivating, etc. Also full particulars regarding the cash prices of \$1,000 and \$200. The novelties have been tested and found worthy of cultivation. We hope it will be our good luck to see the Nellie Lewis Carnation and taste the Grand Rapids Lettuce. It costs nothing because the 10 cents you send for it can be deducted from the first order forwarded. We advise our friends to secure a copy of James Vick Seedsman, Rochester, N. Y. Marriage License. The following marriage license were issued for the month of January: Whites - Irvin McLawhorn and Mary Harrington, W H Vines and Calis Pittman, W E Powell and Ida Keel, J S Brown and Maggie Moore, Clayton Grimesley and Annie Warren, Columbus Dunn and Fannie Jones, Hyman Warren and Ada Bell, Wm T Pollard and Athia L Ross, S G Williams and Winnie Belcher, Asa Bullock and S A B Davenport, A L Harrington and Allie L Hart, Levi M Morris and Carrie Daisy Venters, W S Little and Mary Mc Lawhorn, Angus M Moore and Keran Parker, W R Johnston and Callie Collins, J A Dunn and Louisa W Cannady, C H Dixon and Cartie V Smith, J D Bullock and Florence Carson, Charles Anderson and Morrell McGowan. - 19. Colored - William Phillips and Della Smith, Henry Dupree and Jane Joyner, Andrew Vines and Cherry Bynum, Henry Speight and Sina Cotten, William Cobb and Annie Smith, Noah Goeltz and Mary Perkins, Jesse Randolph and Dinah Arram, Willie O'hany and Lillie Moore, Joseph Gardner and Fannie Stokes, Harrison Foreman and Rosie Dixon, Washington Brown and Maxine Wilson, Hardy Harris and Patie Foreman, Richard G'hown and Susaa Joyner, Standy Barnhill and Mary Howell, Major Stocks and Rhoda Cox, Jordan Gardner and Francis Hardy, John Gorham and Frank Spell, Jack Bryant and Mary Whitehead, Solomon Pearce and Harriet Ann Ren, Robt E Lee and Nellie Mayo, General Sheppard and Katy Darden, Columbus Shields and Lowminda A Jenkins, Miles Moore and Hannah Patrick. - 23. Professional Cards. WM. H. LONG, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, GREENVILLE, N. C. Prompt and careful attention to business. Collection solicited. DR. D. L. JAMES, DENTIST, Greenville, N. C. ALEX. J. BLOW, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, GREENVILLE, N. C. L. C. LATHAM, HARRY SKINNER, LATHAM & SKINNER, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, GREENVILLE, N. C. F. G. JAMES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, GREENVILLE, N. C. Practice in all the courts. Collections a Specialty. J. B. YELLOWLEY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Greenville, N. C. DR. J. MARQUIS, DENTIST, GREENVILLE, N. C. (Formerly of Philadelphia) Office in Skinner Building, upper floor opposite Photograph Gallery. 1891. A few things sold by LATHAM & PENDER, Hardware Dealers, GREENVILLE, N. C. Builders Material, Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves, Iron Nails, Plow Castings, Plows, Gears, Ammunition, Tinware, Hollow ware, Stoves, Lamps, Lamp Chimneys, Lamp Wickets, Wash Boards, Tobacco Pipes, Sewing Machines, Carpenter's Tools, Steel Nails, Bar Iron, Axes, Whetstones, Doors, Blinds, Cart Material, Glass, Putty, Oils, Shovels, Hoes, &c. Notice to Creditors. Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county on the 23rd day of January, 1891 as Administrator of Basha A. Bullock, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of this notice will be payment to the undersigned, and all creditors of the estate are notified to present their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of February, 1891. This notice will be published in this paper for three weeks to wit: the first publication on the 23rd day of February 1891. ASA BULLOCK, Adm. of Basha A. Bullock.

GOODS AT COST! FOR CASH ONLY. Having just purchased the interest of Mr. J. W. Higgs, of Higgs & Munford, at a very reduced price, I shall proceed to sell out the entire stock without reserve AT COST! AT COST! The stock contains an elegant line of - Dry Goods, Ladies' and Gent's Underwear, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and a big lot of - CLOTHING. I will sell Men's Suits at \$2.75, Boy's Suits \$1.00, Men's Boots 1.25, Boy's 75 cent, Men's Brogan Shoes 75 cents, Boy's 65 cents, Children's Shoes from 15 cents up. A big lot of - Second-Hand Clothing that must be rushed out at once, will be sold at almost any price. Come early and secure the bargains offered. C. T. MUNFORD, Successor to Higgs & Mnford. Greenville, N. C. G. E. HARRIS, COMMISSION MERCHANT, Greenville, N. C. Takes pleasure in informing the farmers that he can supply all their wants in the way of FERTILIZERS, Tobacco and Cotton. ALFRED FORBES, THE "OLD RELIABLE MERCHANT" OF GREENVILLE, N. C. Offers to the buyers of Pitt and surrounding counties, a line of the following goods that are not to be excelled in this market. And all guaranteed to be First-class and pure straight goods. DRY GOODS of all kinds, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, HATS and CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES, LA DIES' and CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS, FURNITURE and HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, DOORS, WINDOWS, PAINTS and BLINDS, CROCKERY and QUEENSWARE, HARDWARE, PLOWS and FLOW CASTING, LEATHER of different kinds, GIN and MILL BELTING, HAY, ROCK LIME, PLASTER OF PARIS, and PAPERING HATS, HARNESSES, BRIDLES and ADDRESSES. HEAVY GROCERIES A SPECIALTY. Agent for Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton which I offer to the trade at Wholesale Jobbers prices, 45 cents per dozen, less 6 per cent for Cash. Horsford's Bread Preparation and Hall's Star Lye at Jobbers Prices. Lewis' White Lead and pure L in seed C. Varnishes and Paint Colors. Cucumber Wood Pumps, Salt and Wood and Willow Ware. Nails a specialty. Give me a call and I guarantee satisfaction. J. A. ANDREWS, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES MEAT and FLOUR-SPECIALTIES Car Load Feed Oats, Car load Corn, Car load No. 1 Hay, Car Load Rib Side Meat, Car Load St. Louis Flour, all grades 100 lbs Heavy Mess Pork, 25 lbs Gail Snuff, all kinds. 25 lbs "C" Sugar, 25 lbs Gail & Ax Snuff, all kinds. 10 lbs Rail Road Mill Snuff, 10 lbs Lorillard Snuff. 50 lbs Poto Rico Molasses, 50 lbs Boston Lard. 50 Cases Star Lye, 50 Gross Matches. Also full line Baking Powders, Soda, Soap, Starch, Tobacco, Cigars, Cakes, Crackers, Candies, Canned Goods, Wrapping Paper, Paper Sacks. Special prices given to the wholesale trade on large quantities of the above goods. J. A. ANDREWS, GREENVILLE, N. C. J. L. SUGG, LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE AGENT, GREENVILLE, N. C. OFFICE SUGG & JAMES OLD STAND. All kinds of Risks placed in strictly FIRST-CLASS COMPANIES. At lowest current rates. AM AGENT FOR A FIRST-CLASS FIRE PROOF SAFE. Congleton & Tyson, DEALERS IN - GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Call attention to their large and well selected stock now on hand. We have a fresh supply of Groceries, Fruits, and Confections. We carry as usual a line of nice Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps. Our motto will be to sell all goods Low Down for Cash. Dissolution. The firm of Higgs & Munford was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th day of January 1891. Mr. J. W. Higgs selling out his interest to Mr. C. T. Munford. C. T. MUNFORD. Tobacco Seed. The Newest, Finest and Brightest yellow varieties and choice of all other classes of Tobacco produced in the United States, grown by the Original Pioneer Tobacco Seed grower on best scientific methods - Growth 1890, and First Class in every respect - are offered with the assurance that none better are procurable, or produce better paying crop. Write at once for Catalogue, free, and you will be right sure to order Seed of the Best. R. L. BAGLAND, Hypo, Va.

NOT AT COST! We do not advertise at cost nor below cost but we guarantee to give our customers for every dollar spent cents worth of honest wearing apparel, and our reputation in the past is sufficient guarantee that we are able to keep our promise. We do not advertise a "broken" stock at "catch-em-up" prices. But we say that we have a full and complete stock of seasonable goods which we offer at lowest living prices. No matter what you want if the goods are seasonable we have them.

NOT AT COST! The following departments are complete in every particular: Men's Clothing, Boy's Clothing, Hats, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Neckwear, Underwear, Haberdashery, Boots and Shoes, Etc. DRY GOODS, Dress Goods, Domestic, Hosiery, Notions, Ladies and Misses Wraps, Ladies and Misses Shoes, Carpets, Oil Cloths.

M. R. LANG'S COLUMN. GRAND EMPORIUM. AT THE GLASS FRONT. MODEL BARBERSHOP. M. R. LANG'S COLUMN.

The North Carolina AGRICULTURAL LIME WORKS, AND Oyster Shell DEPOT. WASHINGTON, N. C. A. W. STYRON, Prop. I am now ready to deliver Lime to the Farmers of North Carolina in quantities from 1 to 10,000 tons in bulk or bags FROM LAST SEASON. -Have just completed- FOUR LARGE KILNS With a capacity of One Hundred Tons per Day. And the Lime delivered will be "Bright from the Kilns, Fresh and Dry." Send in your orders at once as there is already a large number ahead. Farmers will find it to their interest to make up clubs and buy Cargo Lots of 150 Tons A Specialty. JOHN FLANAGAN, AGENT GREENVILLE, N. C. Now Ready! -To show you the finest of lot- Horses AND Mules, ever brought to Greenville. If you want a good Drive Horse, Draft Horse or a good Work Mule don't fail to see me. I can furnish you at reasonable prices. My Feed Stables have recently been enlarged and now I have ample room to accommodate all horses left in my charge. Best attention given. H. F. KEEL, Greenville, N. C. R. L. COBB, C. C. COBB, T. M. GILLIAM, PR. CO. N. C. PR. CO. N. C. PERMANENT CO. N. C. Cobb Bros., & Gilliam, Cotton Factors, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NORFOLK, VA. SOLICIT YOUR SHIPMENT OF COTTON & We have had many years experience at the business and are prepared to handle Cotton to the advantage of shippers. All business entrusted to our hands will receive prompt and careful attention. ESTABLISHED 1875. S. M. SCHULTZ, AT THE OLD BRICK STORE. FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BUYING their year's supplies will find it in their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches. PORK SIDES & SHOULDERS FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR, SPICES, TEAS, &c. ALWAYS AT LOWEST MARKET PRICES. TOBACCO SNUFF & CIGARS we buy direct from Manufacturers, enabling us to buy at our profit. A complete stock of FURNITURE always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all brought and sold for CASH, therefore, having no debt to run, we sell at a close margin. Respectfully, S. M. SCHULTZ, Greenville, N. C.

COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

County Clerk—E. A. Moyer.
Register of Deeds—David H. James.
Treasurer—John Flanagan.

COUNCILMEN.

Mayor—F. G. James.
Treasurer—M. R. Lang.
Clerk—W. B. Moore.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Episcopal Services—First and Third.
Methodist—Services every Sunday, morning and night.
Presbyterian—Services every Sunday, morning and night.

POST OFFICE.

Hours open for all business from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
All mails distributed on arrival.
Northern mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 6:30 P. M.

WILMINGTON & WELDON R.R.

Trains going South.
No. 23, No. 27, No. 41.

Trains going North.

No. 14, No. 78, No. 40.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville, N. C.

CONDUCTOR BRADLEY.

Conductor Bradley (always my his name) Be said with reverence, as the swift doom came.
Smitten to death, a crushed and mangled frame.

LODGES.

Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A. M., meets every 1st and 3rd Sunday at Masonic Lodge, S. L. Blow, W. M. G. A. Heilbroner, Sec.

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BOY TELEGRAPH OPERATORS.

Their Incompetency Object by the Fact That They Are Cheap.

There have been a number of railway accidents resulting from the negligence or incompetence of telegraph operators. Some of these have caused a loss of life, as in the recent accident at Syracuse, and in others the damage has been confined to property.

The article dwells upon the great responsibilities resting upon railroad operators, which, it says, are not generally understood by the public, and asserts that "employers have in time past become themselves responsible for the low grade of efficiency manifest in this department—actuated by a desire to secure services at the lowest possible expense by employing boys and inexperienced men at nominal salaries, regardless of any standard of efficiency."

Describing the juvenile operator and the foolish notoriety given to such youngsters, The Telegrapher says: "Some boys mistake the hood of the nags for wings; others have founded the innocent dragon lizard with flying serpents and report, as Pliny does, that their bite is venomous, which is not true."

At Batavia, Java, a serpent was once killed and the whole body of a negro woman and the carcass of a large stag found in its stomach. Legats says: "There are many serpents on the island of Java that measure more than fifty feet in length. At Batavia they still keep the skin of one which, though but twenty feet in length, is said to have swallowed a young woman whole."

It is idle to suppose, says The Telegrapher, that competent operators can be secured for \$30 a month, and the only remedy for such incompetency is to pay salaries that will command men and not boys.

Big Displeasures.

One of the weaknesses of human nature, of which the busy business man is not slow to take advantage, is the inability to look with indifference on goods that are displayed in extraordinary abundance.

Your Own Price on the Cigar.

Stranger (to a Drovers' vender of cigars, tobacco and cigars, whose whole stock in trade of cigars consisted of two partially filled boxes)—Have you any ten cent cigars?

A Gas Valve Indicator.

A Londoner has invented a gas valve indicator which can be attached to the front of a meter to show the exact cost of the gas consumed. It consists of a cardboard dial with a pointer, round the edge of which are figures representing hundreds of cubic feet of gas.

Habit Makes the Man.

He wanted to make a good impression on the old man at the church fair. So at the ice water stand he took a cupful of the crystal fluid and remarked: "Ah, that's the stuff, Mr. Johnson?"

A Big Day for Game.

First Amateur Sportsman—Killed any game?
Second Amateur Sportsman—Yaa, lots. Wooded one cow, bagged a quail and shot one leg off my dog.

A Hoped For Result.

What lovely dance music! I declare, I can't keep my feet still.
Uncle Jack—Or your chin, either.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Notice to Creditors.

The undersigned having qualified as Administrator of T. A. Cherry, deceased, of this county, notice is hereby given to all creditors of said T. A. Cherry to present their claims duly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of February, 1890, at the office of Messrs. Moore, Thacker & Murphy in Greenville, S. C.

DRAGONS.

Some Pretty Big Yarns About Gigantic Serpents That Once Lived.

The dragon is frequently mentioned by ancient authorities as well as by scriptural writers and dreamers. Aristotle tells us that dragons 70 cubits in length were often met with in the vicinity of the Ganges.

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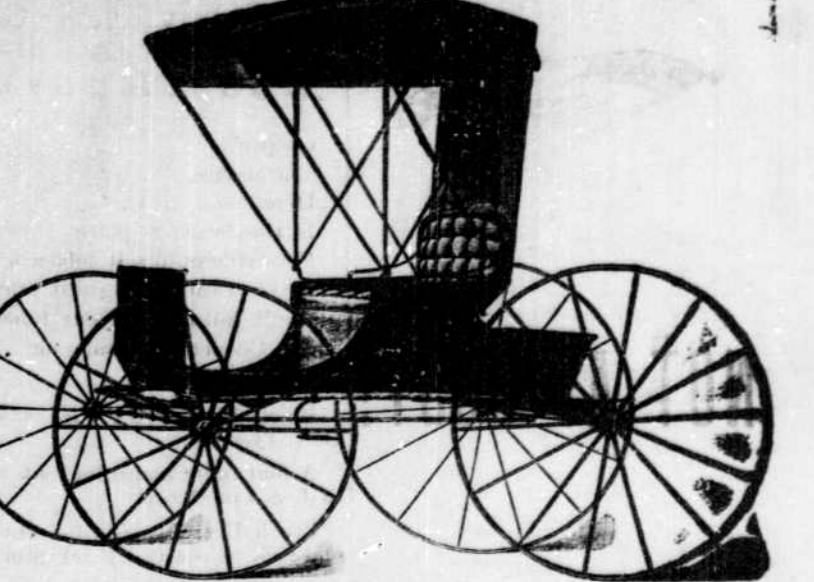
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