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EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Italia has sailed for Valparaiso.

Spain had begun treaty negotiations with Portugal.

Austria has made an appropriation for the Chicago Fair.

An equestrian statue of General Grant was unveiled in Chicago.

William Kesser of Louisville, Ky., an abolitionist, was killed at Greensburg, Ill.

Union ex-prisoners of war visited the lobby prison war museum in Chicago.

The Olympic Theatre at St. Paul, Minn., was burned. Loss \$100,000.

Continued wet weather in Northern Dakota caused great damage to the wheat crop.

Russia and France prepared a second treaty of alliance, which will soon be signed.

Residents of St. Petersburg took active measures for the relief of starving Russians.

British agents in the Behring sea reported that there are millions of seals on the breeding islands.

Fire in the dormitory of Yale college, New Haven, Conn., caused damage amounting to \$50,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Stanley and Mrs. Tennant, mother of Mrs. Stanley, started for Australia last week.

The municipal council of the Irish league met in New York and resolved to erect a monument to Parnell.

United States commissioners who visited Russia confirmed the reports of cruelties to Hebrews in that country.

The commissioner of Indian affairs formulated a plan for the territorial government of the civilized tribes.

It is reported in Guthrie, O. T., that the government intended to throw open for settlement the Nez Percés reservation.

The "Soudan" now running at the Academy of Music, New York, is proving even a greater attraction than the "Old Hamlet."

Otto Wirthner, of Youngstown, O., who had been speechless for seventeen years, had his faculties restored by electricity.

Colonel Amos A. Parker of Fitzwilliam, N. H., the oldest living college graduate in America, reached his 100th birthday yesterday. He is also said to be the oldest living editor in the world.

They All Owe Him.

The selection of a jury is one of the most important features in litigation, and as a rule the closest attention is given to this work by the parties to the legal contest.

Now and then there is an exception to this rule, and the St. Paul Globe cites a case in point that is interesting. One of the old settlers of St. Paul, wearying of dunning for a bill, brought suit to enforce its collection. When the day of trial came on, the old settler, was a little late, and the jury had been impounded and sworn. He entered, sat, behind the attorney, and rapidly ran his eyes over the jury. When he reached the last man he sprang to his feet, and regardless of court, or etiquette, he called out, "Judge, every man on that jury owes me a bill. Dismiss the case quick, or I'll turn up in that fellow's debt."

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W. J. McDonald, superintendent of the Lumber Manufacturing Co., Greenville, S. C., says: "My wife has used Bond's Catarrh Remedy, and it is the only thing that relieves her sufferings."

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TRUTH IN PREFERENCE TO FICTION.

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SMARTNESS.

Baptist Teacher.

If there is any one thing that our "Brother Jonathan" especially distinguishes for, it is the thing called "smartness." Sam Slick is a typical American character, and no village is too poor to furnish a crop of "Smart Aleck's" each one of whom is the centre of an admiring circle. Parents are delighted to discover the early exhibition of smartness in their offspring, and encourage the display of it in private and in public. What in other lands and ages would have been regarded as outrageous impertinence on the part of children is not only tolerated, but applauded, as furnishing hopeful assurance of highest success in business or politics, when this juvenile precocity shall have ripened into splendid audacity. The Spartans thought it hardly worth their while to raise a puny child, for he would never make a soldier. We have a feeling akin to this with reference to a stupid one, for seeing that in this country every man must live by his wits, why try to live without the wit?

The Spartans stifted their children in necessary supplies, and systematically taught them to steal, so that when they would be old enough to go to war they would be already adept in planning and plundering. And whenever they detected their children in theft, they vigorously punished them; not for the theft, but for their clumsiness or carelessness in allowing themselves to be caught. As a consequence, they grew up to be great fighters, but still greater thieves. We are not as unblushing as the Spartans in the avowal of a vicious purpose in educating our children to be smart, as if this were the one great essential of all successful achievement; but whatever the purpose, the result is pernicious, and is seen in every sphere of life.

Hence adulterations, and watered stocks, and all the ten thousand tricks of trade. Hence forgeries and burglaries, and counterfeiting and confidence games, and "booming" and bunco steering, and spoliation of banks by unprincipled officials. The great end is to get money, and the height of smartness is to get it quickly, without earning it honestly and yet so to get it as not to lay yourself liable to the penalty of the law; or if the liability must need be incurred, then to escape it by judicious flight, and snap your fingers at justice, from across the border. Men glory in their shame, and we glory in the shameless men, if their unscrupulous smartness has been crowned with success.

We abuse our manhood before proud millionaires, and railroad kings, and "boss politicians," whose only virtue is success, and who have seized without scruple and without principle the opportunities they have had for furthering their own selfish interests. We only too frequently worship success without stopping to consider if it has been worthily won. In business, and in politics, the "smart man" is the people's ideal, is not the people's idol.

If this were all, it were not so bad; but the mischief mounts to the pulpit, and the church that is in search of a pastor clamors not so much for devoutness as for "smartness." They want a minister vivacious and versatile, brainy and bright, that can crack a joke, spin a yarn, make an after-dinner speech in a song, or silence an incontinent man so fertile in expedients and facile in performance that he can turn his hand to anything with equal dexterity and success. A man to be proud of, as a jockey is of a fast horse that will take nobody's dust on any road. And ministers, poor, frail mortals that they are, endeavor to meet the public demand, and strain after smartness, and simulate it, even if they have it not. We do not object to wit and humor, even if in the pulpit. Men like Spurgeon and Moody have shown how it is possible even in church to provoke a smile without detracting from the profitableness of a religious service.

But a minister of the gospel of Jesus Christ, forgetting the sacred duties of his office, and ambitiously striving simply to say something smart, is a sight for angels to weep over. And some of us are acquainted with men of national reputation, who seem ready to sacrifice not only his moral and scientific accuracy, but even Scriptural truth, for the sake of making a telling point, and splitting the cat's of the ground.

lings." And this is at the bottom of much of the so called "theological unrest" that seems so largely characteristic of the modern ministry. The unrest is to be found, not so much among the profoundly able, or deeply devout, as among that class of men who may be most properly described as "smart," and who, like a mischievous boy with a sharp hatchet, are going about hacking at everything that comes in their way; not maliciously perhaps, but just to try the edge of their tools. And this thing has got into some of our seminaries of sacred learning, and professors who ought to have nobler aspirations are degrading their high places by trying to be smart at the expense of the holy oracles, whose custodians they are. Smart they may be,—nobody can deny it,—but from smartness without humility or spirituality, we may well pray the good Lord to deliver us.

NAMING THE BABY.

Incidental to Naming Children, is it Worth While to Look out for the Initials.

Washington Star. "People might select names for their children with a better discretion if they were acquainted with the very expressive meanings borne by many of the personal designations in the language," said a linguistic professor to a writer for the Star. "Some of them have rather funny significations. For example Julia means 'mossy bearded,' Ursula is 'a female bear,' Priscilla is 'a little ancient,' and Cecilia is 'dim-sighted,' Barbara signifies 'foreign,' Abel is 'vanity,' Bernard is 'a bear's heart,' and Caleb is 'a dog,' Daniel is 'judgment of God,' and Rachael is 'medicine of God.' 'Ever so many English names have very beautiful meanings. Beatrice is 'making happy,' Letitia is 'joy,' Mabel is 'my fair,' Salina is 'a nightingale,' Susan is 'a lily,' Sarah is 'a lady,' Rebecca is 'faithful' and Lydia is 'a well of water.' What is prettier than Margaret, which signifies 'a pearl,' or than Aechia for 'sincere,' or than Sophia for 'wisdom,' or than Katherine for 'poor,' or than Adeline for 'a princess,' Bertha is 'bright,' Charlotte is 'hall noble,' Cornelia is 'harmless,' Caroline is 'noble spirit,' Harriet is 'a sweet perfume,' and Jane is 'a willow.' Again, Henrietta is properly translated, 'a star,' Judith is 'praising,' J-meliza is 'sweet song,' Isabella is 'fair Eliza,' Agatha is 'good,' Felicia is 'happy,' Lucy is 'constant,' Maribel is 'myrtle' and even humble-sounding Bridget is 'shining bright.'

If these are good names for sisters, sweethearts, wives and mothers, equally appropriate for fathers, sons and brothers are Nicholas, which means 'victorious,' David for 'worthy,' James for 'superior' Thomas for 'a truth-keeper,' Philip is 'warlike,' Eustace is 'firm,' Ralph is 'help,' Charles is 'a man,' Matthew is 'a gift,' Hubert is 'bright mind' and Hilary is 'cheerful.' William stands for 'helm of the wild,' Patrick for a nobleman, Felix for 'happy,' Olive for 'an olive,' and Isaac for 'laughter.'

Incidental to naming children, it is worth while to look for the initials. I have known two men who were obliged to write themselves for short, 'A. S. S.' just because of their parents' carelessness.

Five Practical Ideas.

Durham, Sun.

There are many men who are generous to a fault, but it is generally to their own fault. When a woman loves a man she wants to die for his sake; when a man loves a woman he wants to live for her sake. It takes a man to break up the friendship between women, and a woman to break up friendship between men. A man may go to heaven without health, without riches, without honors, without learning, without friends, but he can never get there without Christ. True happiness never flows into a man, but always out of him. Hence Heaven is sometimes found in cottages and hell in palaces. Heaven itself is more internal than external.

Does your mother know you're out?

"Does your mother know you're out," said a boy to his little brother. "Yes, she does," was the answer. "I once told Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup had knocked me out into a sound sleep, and she said, 'A new application of education will instantly relieve stiffness in the neck or joints.'"

MAJ. A. H. DREWRY ON THE FARMERS AND FARMING.

Religious Herald (Richmond, Va.)

We met, a few days ago, Maj. A. H. Drewry, one of the most successful farmers in Virginia. He said to us: "I have had opportunities to go into other lines of business, but I have stuck to farming from the pure love I have for it. It is the most delightful and most independent life a man can lead. There is less temptation to evil in it, and more turn one's thoughts to his Creator than in other business one can follow."

"But you can't make any money in it." Maj. Drewry: "Yes, I can. All I have made by farming, and I know many others who can say as much about themselves. But I grant you to succeed in farming a man has to watch every point, and give earnest personal attention to it; and he must adapt himself to the changed exigencies of the hour. He will go to ruin sure, if he follow in the footsteps of his fathers, who owned their labor and raised a crop of slaves. They could afford to farm as they did since their wealth was largely in their slaves. To begin, it never pays to cultivate poor land. If the land will not repay cultivation, a man must be an idiot to cultivate it. He had better be asleep or at play. Let him go at something else and not pretend to farm at all. Then we must use machinery as far as practicable, and thus reduce the cost of labor. There is great waste here. A man often employs two or three hands to do what could be better done by one with machinery, which would be inexpensive, or comparatively so."

Major Drewry: "Instead of putting all the eggs into one basket, by cultivating large crops of corn, wheat and tobacco, which give so much work at certain periods, and none at others, it is far better to mix in other crops, which will give employment the year round. Raise good stock, hogs, horses, butter, poultry, etc. These things come in at all seasons, and one's barn will then be his bank. Then as your expenses come in you will have something to meet them. This will keep him interested in his farm and family. When it is all cotton or corn or wheat you are either pressed for a time, and then comes a season of rest, which is not good for a farmer. He had better keep at it the year round and not be so much rushed at one season. It is going to be better for the farmers—bound to pay well. In the long run the farmer's vocation will be best. It brings us nearer to God, as I said, than any other calling. All one has to do is to stay at home and keep at work, and trust to providence and he will come out all right. But be sure, I beg you, to urge your Religious Herald farmers to diversify their crops. One great thing is to raise good stock and good horses. Too many people are content to raise scrub cattle. Better raise the best. Better have one good cow than three or four mean ones."

"Before the war, when farmers came to Richmond, what attention was paid to them! They were then the great power. They had the money and the great merchants patronized them then. But now the city is rich and the country is poor, and the city people do not waste much time upon the poor farmer; but it's a long lane that has no turn, and I am now for the turn, when farmers will again come to the front. No farmer works as a successful merchant does. A merchant will work all day and write up his books at night, and watch every point and know where he stands every hour. Many people call themselves farmers, who know nothing about their business. If farmers would work as men in other callings do, they would be as rich as others. You will see them hanging around public places and fooling away their time when they ought to be at work at home. Some of them, I mean."

"You belong to the Farmers' Alliance, of course?" Major Drewry: "No, sir, I do not need to belong to any such Alliance. I can do me no good. I need no office. I have no axe to grind. I am getting to be an old man, and I have seen things like this come up many a time, and I have seen them run by men who had nothing in common with a squire enough farmer. I believe in farmers combining, but I do not believe in being run by a miserable set of old heads who will fleece the farmers just as the carpet

bagger did the negroes at the close of the war. They are doing it now, and their zeal for the poor farmer is a hollow pretense. Those who choose to be run by such fellows may follow them, but I would despise myself to do so. Of course I have nothing to say against the good men of the order. They have my best wishes. It's only the rascals that I denounce, and the imposters."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Regular Correspondence.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16, 1891.

Representatives Mills and Crisp, the two candidates for the Speakership of the House who are by general acknowledgment the leaders in the race, and one of whom will, barring unexpected developments, be given the coveted honor of presiding over the next House of Representatives while the other will lead the party on the floor, both happened to be in town at the same time this week, and everybody was on the look out for news of their Speakership prospects, but both of the gentlemen are apparently more interested in the several State campaigns now going on than in their own. The Speakership campaign will really not begin in earnest until after the State elections, because no considerable number of Representatives will be in Washington until then.

The Italian Chamber of Commerce of New York City has, for a long time, in fact ever since the passage by Congress of the meat inspection act, been at work trying to convince the Italian government of the wisdom of removing the restrictions which it had, in common with other continental nations of Europe, placed upon the importation of American pork. This week M. L. Croteau, the president of the Chamber of Commerce, came to Washington to announce that the effects had been successful, and that the Italian government would shortly repeal the restrictions. Straight away there was a concerted yell from the administration crowd about "the great diplomatic triumph achieved by the administration through Minister Porter. Diplomatic fiddlesticks. There are, strictly speaking, no diplomatic relations between Italy and this country. Italy has had no minister here since the New Orleans incident. Whatever 'triumph' there is about this pork business is entirely commercial and belongs to the organization of Italian merchants in New York city, and not to the administration."

Here is another instance of the administration trying to claim credit to which it is not entitled. By the inscrutable will of Providence Germany's grain crop was almost a complete failure this year and ours was the largest for years. The German officials' casing about for some method to cheapen American grain to German consumers, thought of removing the duty on American wheat, and it is now announced as another "great diplomatic triumph for the administration," which is to be credited to "reciprocity," the Germans allowing our wheat to come in free in return for our admitting their best sugar free. Their best sugar has been admitted free ever since the sugar schedule of the McKinley tariff bill went into effect.

Senator Sherman is said to have captured the vacancy on the bench of the Court of Claims for his man, ex-Representative Thompson, of Ohio. A delegation of prominent Tennesseans were here this week to ask Mr. Harrison to promote U. S. District Judge R. S. Hammond, of the West Tennessee district, to the bench of the new Circuit Court.

Secretary Blaine's man, Joseph H. Manley, was here this week, and it is believed that he brought a confidential verbal message to Mr. Harrison. Mr. Harrison has succeeded in corralling Fred Douglas, who since he was kicked out of the Haytian mission has shown a disposition to use whatever influence he possesses with the negro voters of the county against Mr. Harrison. Not only has Mr. Harrison gotten a flat-footed public avowal of support from Douglas, but he is also supposed to have been at the bottom of the stir which Douglas made in a speech here this week upon Secretary Blaine and his management of the unfortunate John St. Nicholas matter. Douglas claims to have documents in his possession that

would, if published, show the Department of State in a very different light from that which it is now viewed. Mr. Harrison may be the warm friend of Secretary Blaine that he professes to be, but it is nevertheless a fact that Mr. Harrison's friends invariably when saying in public something nice about him add something either directly or by implication derogatory to Mr. Blaine.

Representative Mills, who made nineteen speeches in Ohio, is now resting in this city preparatory to taking part in the campaign in Massachusetts, where he is under engagement to make six or eight speeches. Mr. Mills reports Governor Campbell's prospects as growing better every day. Speaking of his speeches on the free coinage of silver Mr. Mills said: "I am convinced that the best interests of the party demand that tariff reform shall be made the principal issue in the present fight, and as nothing practical can be accomplished in the way of silver legislation, during the next Congress, there is no use to agitate the subject now."

LIFE IN THE ARMY.

FORTRESS MONROE, VA.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:—I have been requested by one of your citizens to give through the columns of your paper a description of soldier life in the army. If you will be kind enough to publish I will give a brief description of duties performed by the soldiers at this post.

Every morning at 5:30 o'clock the call of the bugle is heard for reveille, fifteen minutes later assembly goes, the 1st Sergeant calls the roll reporting to the officer in charge. The officer then faces about and reports to the Adjutant. Ten minutes later mess call is sounded. At this call the dining room doors are thrown open, the privates taking their places at one table, the non-commissioned officers another.

At 6:45 police call is heard. At this call those who come off guard the day previous will report in fatigue dress to the police officer. Their duties are to clear away any leaves, paper, or any trash that has accumulated on the parade ground or streets within the Fort.

At 7:15 sick call is sounded. All needing medical attention will report at the hospital for treatment. If too unwell to do duty they are confined to the hospital until entirely recovered.

At 9 o'clock we have guard mounting. Each day sixteen privates and non-commissioned officers are detailed.

At 12 sharp mess call is again heard. This call is responded to with more promptness than any other.

At 2:30 P. M. drill call is sounded. At this call all soldiers off duty will fall in for drill and instructions in manoeuvres.

At 5:30 comes dress parade when all officers and enlisted men participate. When parade is dismissed mess call is again heard.

At 9 P. M. tattoo is sounded and at eleven taps when all lights are extinguished and all retire.

Much could be said of each of these duties but as it will occupy too much space I will not say more of them just now.

The storms we have had for the past few days have been terrific, destroying hundreds of dollars worth of property belonging to the government. 3.6-10 inches of rain fell in twelve hours.

The torpedo magazine is nearly completed. It is quite an enormous affair and if filled with torpedoes will contain enough of them to blow up half the boats Hampton Roads can float. The secretary of war intends that this shall be an important torpedo station. "More drill for the boys."

We are soon to receive some of those 12 inch disappearing guns. We will then be able to throw a shot weighing about a ton thirteen miles. Still another drill for the boys.

STATE NEWS.

Appellings Here and There as Gathered From our Exchanges.

In North Carolina there are 130 woolen and cotton mills. In all miscellaneous mills and factories there are 608, leaving out flour mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Sink, of Lexington, who were so badly injured in the Statesville wreck, have brought suit against the railroad for \$10,000 damage each.

A Snow Hill correspondent of the Kinston Free Press wrote up a big wedding and mentioned everybody connected with it except the man who got married.

Vanceboro Star: We are informed that there was a very large bear killed in Blount's pocusin, near the line between Craven and Beaufort counties, on Saturday the 10th inst.

The North Carolina Missionary Convention will hold its annual meeting at New Berne on the 22nd inst., and continue in session four days. One hundred and fifty delegates are expected to attend.

Kinston Free Press: The cotton crop in this section is turning out better than some of our farmers anticipated a few weeks ago. From what we can gather we think that about three-fourths as much will be made per acre around here as was made last year.

Tarboro Advocate: A grand Alliance mass meeting will be held in this place on the 16th of December. All of the sub-Alliances in the county will aid in making it a grand day for the Alliance cause. A speaker of national reputation will be present and address the meeting.

James M. Pendleton, secretary and treasurer of the Twin City Club and manager of the telegraph office at Winston, has skipped to parts unknown with between one thousand and twelve hundred dollars of the Club's funds. Dues were collected from the members the day before he left.

Rocky Mount Argonaut: Mr. V. W. Land, of Whitakers, informs us that he intends to plant a hundred acres in pecans. This is a move in the right direction. A pecan orchard of this size would, when the trees come into bearing, yield a large revenue every year. It would be a fortune.

Lumberton Robesonian: A gentleman told us recently that he made twenty-eight gallons of syrup from one-fourth of an acre planted of the orange sugar cane. At this rate he would have realized 112 from one acre, which, at fifty cents per gallon, would have been worth \$56, or about fifty per cent more than could have been realized from cotton.

Salisbury Herald: Col. Beneham Cameron, of Hillsboro, knows all about North Carolina for his heroic action in the Boston bridge disaster, will be married on the 27th inst. to Miss Sallie Mays, of Richmond, Va. Miss Mays is said to be one of the most charming young ladies of Richmond and is a daughter of Mr. Peter Mays, the tobacco millionaire.

At the residence of Robert Miller, father of the bride, on Sunday, Oct. 4th, 1891, by Rev. A. L. Coburn, Mr. Lorenzo Walton and Miss Bettie Charlotte Ingo Narcissus Sissie Belle Fannie Salome Caldwell Miller.

Concord Times: This week a Concord physician was called in to see a little girl at Forest Hill that was supposed to have catarrh, and had been treated for several months for that disease. On making a close examination a shoe button was found in the child's nose, and promptly removed. The button had been there about a year.

Rev. W. R. Ware, pastor of the Methodist church in Reidsville, is here assisting Rev. Mr. Blair in a series of religious meetings. Mr. Ware is a prominent minister, and all who hear him are much pleased with his able sermons.

Raleigh News-Observer: A strange incident occurred yesterday just after the circus parade. A man apparently about 23 years old approached Officer McCullers of the police force, and with tears in his eyes and frightened expression stated to the officer that he was lost. That he had never been in a city before in his life; that he had come with some friends and got separated from them, and that he did not know what to do or where to go. The officer gave him such information as he could to straighten him out and assisted him to find his friends. This beats the record.

New Berne Journal: The difference of opinion existing between Pamlico and Craven counties as to the amount Pamlico owed Craven as her proportion of Craven's debt when the former county was established, and about which the two counties have been contending in the courts for three years, has been satisfactorily adjusted by compromise. Pamlico is to pay Craven \$11,000 in five payments of \$2,200 each—the first payment to be made the first Monday in May, 1892, and a similar payment on the first Monday in May of each succeeding year until the debt is discharged. The \$11,000 is not to bear any interest unless there is failure on the part of Pamlico to meet any payment promptly. In that case the said payment will bear interest at six per cent, until settled.

Special Notice.

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It is to give you notice that unless renewed in that time THE REFLECTOR will cease going to you at the expiration of the two weeks.

What Will You do With Her?

Raleigh Christian Advocate. We mean your daughter. Make money for her, you say. Yes. But that is not the chief thing. "I'll see that she is well married." Yes. But you have not struck the best thing to do for her yet. "What is it?" It is to give her a good education. Our country is equipped with facilities to give her a broad and generous education. The time has past when daughters should remain at home in ignorance, and the boys go off to college to be developed and polished. Our deliberate opinion is, if you have one boy and one daughter, and can send but one of them off to college, you had better send the daughter and let the boy rough it through the world. Your daughter can't follow the plow, split rails, build houses, run on the railroad, and a hundred other things like your strong-armed son can. She needs an education more than the son; she needs it as a means of making a support by teaching; she will need it when married to manage and train a dozen or so of children. 'Tis education that fits woman to be an intelligent wife, to be a good child-trainer, to be an influential member of the church. If you have only a few hundred dollars, put them out in polishing the brain of your daughter.

Home Consumption of Cotton.

The following statement, showing the consumption of cotton in the Southern States, during 1890 and 1891, will be read with interest throughout the country. It shows the remarkable growth of the spinning industry, and will be valuable as a matter of reference:

Table with 2 columns: Year (1891, 1890) and States (Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia). Values range from 1,528 to 39,145.

A Drunkard's Will.

The following is a will left by a drunkard of Oswego, New York State: "I leave to society a ruined character and a wretched example. I leave to my parents as much sorrow as they can bear. I leave to my brothers and sisters as much shame and mortification as could bring to them. I leave to my wife a broken heart—a life of shame. I leave to each of my children poverty, ignorance, a low character and a remembrance that their father filled a drunkard's grave."

Office of J. M. McElroy, Druggist, Orlando, Fla., April 20, 1891.

Messrs. Lippman Bros., Savannah, Ga. Dear Sirs—I sold three bottles of P. P. P. large size yesterday, and one bottle small size today.

The P. P. P. cured my wife of rheumatism winter before last. It came back on her the past winter and a half bottle, \$1.00 size, relieved her again, and she has not had a symptom since.

I sold a bottle of P. P. P. to a friend of mine, one of his turkeys, a small one, and his wife gave it a teaspoonful, that was in the evening, and the little fellow turned over like he was dead but next morning was up howling and well. Yours respectfully, J. N. McELROY.

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Contracts for any space not mentioned above, for any length of time, can be made by application to the office either in person or by letter. Copy for NEW Advertisements should be handed in by 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning in order to receive prompt insertion the day following. The REFLECTOR having a large circulation will be found a profitable medium through which to reach the public.

MORE ABOUT NORFOLK.

Last week we started out to telling some thing about Norfolk and after getting all the article prepared and much of it in type the delightful intelligence came from the printers in the composing room that "there's too much copy, and this thing must be cut half in two." Realizing that a paper, unlike a rubber bag, cannot be inflated to suit the occasion, and unlike an omnibus there is not always "more room on top," we had to submit to the inevitable and allow it wound up with "continued next week."

We had just finished talking about three of the REFLECTOR Norfolk advertisers, seen during our last trip there, Cobb Bros. & Gilliam, Norman & Everett, and Harrell Bros., in the order named, and the continuation was intended to have gone on something like this:

If one of a kind is good two of the same is bound to be good likewise, so here is another firm of the same name, S. B. HARRELL & CO., who are also on Commerce street. North Carolina stock again? Why, certainly, and of the true grit. They do strictly a commission business and will make good sales for your cotton, corn, peanuts, stock, eggs, lumber or anything else you send them. They are business men all the way through, know a good thing when they see it and know how to get good prices for whatever they throw on the market. Give Sam Harrell a trial and you'll never have cause to regret it.

Here we are this time talking about ALEXANDER MORGAN & CO., another good firm that has some North Carolina stock in it, Mr. Alexander being from our next door town, Washington. Their names are not new to REFLECTOR readers and all who have had any dealings with them are ready to attest to their thorough reliability. They have a good location on Tunis wharf and are prepared to handle all shipments promptly and satisfactorily.

R. A. DOBIE & CO. This is another firm with whom REFLECTOR readers are well acquainted. They are located on Roanoke Dock and have ample facilities for handling cotton and all kinds of produce. J. J. Burgess is their North and South Carolina representative, and "Uncle Joe" has more friends right here in Pitt county than could be counted up in a whole day. He has them everywhere, and secures lots of shipments, because he is a clever fellow and represents a first-class house, the kind people love to do business with.

Even if an editor can't own a horse and ride he loves to look at pretty horse flesh, at any rate this one does, and before leaving Norfolk we went around to see MCKEARY & MCKEELIAN on Union street. They are wholesale dealers in horses and mules and have as fine a lot of them as anybody can wish to see. They are pleasant gentlemen to do business with and thoroughly reliable. Our stock dealers could not do better, than try them for a car load of horses and mules next time they go on to purchase. This represents the list of our Norfolk advertisers and the REFLECTOR hopes its shipping readers will patronize all of them by giving them some shipments.

They are all reliable business men and they show enough interest in your trade to come before you and ask for it through the columns of your local paper.

Now, there are a few others who, though they are not yet numbered among our advertisers, we wish to say a few words about. The first of these is BOUNTREE & CO.

Of course we called on these gentlemen while in Norfolk. Mr. Bountree is well known by many people in this section and during our pleasant chat with him made inquiries after many of his old friends here. By his strict integrity and close application to business he has not only won the confidence of all who deal with him but has made considerable wealth. He is President of the Cotton Exchange and his ability has caused him to hold other positions of honor in the city. Both he and his clever book keeper Mr. Latham, who is a brother of our late beloved Rev. Josephus Latham, made our stay exceedingly agreeable by their courtesy.

Another place where we spent a pleasant half hour was with L. W. DAVIS wholesale and retail tobacconist. Pitt county and Greenville are getting so worked up in the tobacco interest that we wanted to find somebody to talk tobacco with us and was truck him in Mr. Davis. He knows all about the manufacture of the weed and kept us well entertained. He makes a nice line of goods and little Metzger, the "kid drummer" as we call him down here, usually picks up some orders when in these parts. Being of an inquisitive turn of mind and wanting to take a peep into the way the wholesale grocery business was done we selected the house of

M. L. T. DAVIS & CO. as the best place to get the information wanted. Their clever traveling salesman, Mr. J. L. Barnhill, of Hamilton, happened to be in at the time waiting for samples, and took us through the establishment. At a glance one could see that the house is doing an immense business. They have worked hard for it and built up one of the best wholesale trades in the city. Eastern North Carolina does its share with them.

Many other interesting things could be written about Norfolk, her splendid hotels, handsome Y. M. C. A. building, numerous transportation lines, factories of different kinds, real estate interests, and such things as go to make up a real live, hustling city, but space forbids saying more now. However, we want to say just a word about Berkley, before leaving the subject entirely. Our leisure time on the trip was spent with a relative over there and former impressions that we had entertained about the place were changed to something entirely different. Our ideas of it had been that Berkley was only a little Norfolk suburb, separated from the city by the river, where only a mere handful of people lived. Imagine one's surprise when it was found out that more than 7,000 people live over there, that Berkley is a little city all to itself, having street cars, telephone exchange, electric lights, two newspapers, one of them daily, half dozen or more handsome churches, and a good business is done there. Like Greenville, though, it needs hotels worthy of the place, and the streets need improving.

The State Democratic Executive Committee had a full and harmonious meeting in Raleigh on the 15th inst. Many gentlemen of prominence from all parts of the State were present and every sentiment uttered was patriotic and calculated to conciliate apparent factions. Alliances and non-Alliances were all Democrats striving for the good of the people. Those who have been so faithfully predicting a third party will have to find something else to write about now. The chairman of the meeting appointed a committee of five—Messrs Emory, Kaison, Cox, Beddingfield and Skinner—to appoint a committee of ten who shall issue an address to the Democratic voters of North Carolina in the interest of the Democratic party. The following gentlemen compose the committee: Messrs. E. C. Smith, T. J. Jarvis, S. B. Alexander, Elias Carr, C. B. Watson, E. A. Moyle, A. Leazer, W. M. Robbins, J. B. Bell and H. Guadger.

The Goldsboro Daily Argus recently entered its fifteenth volume. The Argus is a bright paper and one we like to read. It gets in some good licks for Goldsboro and puts them in their place. A glance at its pages shows that its work is appreciated by the business men of the community. Hon. W. H. F. Lee, of Virginia, son of Robert E. Lee, died last week. He was a member of Congress and his death is a serious loss not only to Virginia but to the whole country.

Rev. A. D. Hunter preached a sermon on last Sunday morning in the Baptist church on the moral and religious obligation in reference to education. He had announced some time ago that he would preach upon this subject but his recent sickness had prevented his doing so until the above named time. Mr. Hunter is a faithful worker in the matter of education and his sermon Sunday was such as to accomplish much good along this line.

After a well timed introduction upon the general causes and relations of obligations and upon the scope of his theme he proceeded to discuss his subject under the special divisions of the moral and religious obligations. 1. Upon the teacher. 2. Upon the pupil. 3. Upon the parent. He showed that the teacher was under obligations to do the next best work to the minister and that he should be a man of character as well as a scholar. That he should conduct a well organized and thoroughly disciplined school, stating that a loosely governed do-as-you-please school was a curse. The obligation upon the pupil to do the very best work he was capable of doing in the school-room was forcibly impressed upon the audience. Those present who are students in our schools must have resolved to do their duty more fully in their school life hereafter. He urged upon them to train both head and heart as usefulness was the prime object of education. The parents present were reminded that they could not shift their responsibility upon the teacher. His work is to supplement theirs. School training must of necessity be deficient when there is a want of home discipline. The parent must aid the teacher by upholding him in his work. Many parents labor to leave their children lauds—real estate—better far put it in their heads. Give them opportunities to prepare themselves to be useful. This is the best legacy.

We have only touched a few of the many excellent thoughts with which the discourse abounded. Such sermons are too seldom preached, and the Rev. Mr. Hunter should be requested to repeat it at some time when all our citizens could hear it.

We have heretofore briefly mentioned the necessity of building at once in Greenville some dwellings which would rent from \$5 to \$12.50 per month. Being connected with the Real Estate Agency here we have an opportunity of knowing something about the demand for such houses. We had not less than six applications last week for good comfortable dwellings, none of which we could fill. One was from a man who has means, who is a merchant, and was here with a view to locating in Greenville, if he could secure a store and dwelling. We could supply him with a store which was perfectly satisfactory, but could offer him no place for his family. The consequence is that he locates in a neighboring town and his money and energy go to help build up that town instead of this. There are prominent business men here, men who are doing much to make Greenville what it is, who are compelled to board because they cannot secure houses.

No better investment could be made in this town now than in building such houses as referred to. We have every indication that our town is soon to enlarge its business operations, that houses are to be more and more in demand, and that this demand must be supplied. We call upon our property owners and men of means to consider these facts and take steps at once to build dwellings so that those who wish to locate with us will not be forced to go elsewhere. The land improvement company will do well to note these things and govern themselves accordingly. A first-class hotel and a sufficient number of good, comfortable residences are the crying needs of Greenville just now.

With the prospect of a first class tobacco market, tobacco factories, &c, these things must come. Act and act now in this important matter.

The Herald of Health is the name of a new publication that has just appeared at Kinston. It is published monthly and Dr. H. O. Hyatt is editor and proprietor. The publication is what its name implies, and its columns are devoted to the discussion of such matters as will lead to the preservation of health. The last issue of the Watch Tower, edited by Rev. J. L. Winfield, appeared in enlarged eight page form. It is a very edited and deserves the patronage of every disciple in the State. The mechanical work of the Watch Tower is done in the REFLECTOR office, and we are proud of the handsome appearance of that paper as the editor himself.

During the other day Mr. J. W. Martin came in to tell the REFLECTOR about some recent experience he had with tobacco and said we could publish it for whatever benefit it might prove to others. He said he had just cured a barn of tobacco suckers and made a fine success of the experiment. He said of course the leaves were small, but if he had given it proper attention and cultivated it a little while growing he believed it would have been almost as good as his regular crop. He said further: "I used Ober's guano on my tobacco, and now I am going to take this barn of suckers to the Banner Warehouse at Oxford and expect to get enough for it to pay for all the fertilizer used under my whole tobacco crop." This is another item in favor of the county lands and Mr. Martin deserves the thanks of his brother farmers for making the experience. We believe that with early planting, high manuring and thorough cultivation two crops of tobacco a year can be cut from the same patch.

New Advertisements. The REFLECTOR had several new advertisements last week to which, in the rush of the occasion, local attention could not be called. Young & Priddy have put in an immense lot of nice furniture, carpets, etc., upon which they say they cannot be undersold. All their other lines are complete and prices right down to the lowest. They sell shoes at prices that defy competition.

The Central Warehouse had something to say to the farmers in reference to their advantages for handling your tobacco and the good prices to be obtained for it.

The Greenville Warehouse told that it has big breaks Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week. James L. Little & Co. had something to say about 5,000 yards of standard calico at 6 cents, that their stock of dress goods and trimmings was complete, that they were headquarters for boots and shoes, and gave seven reasons why every lady should wear Mather's self-lacing kid gloves.

Dr. B. T. Cox had a notice to creditors as administrator of Joshua Cox. To-day C. T. Mumford has a new advertisement telling you that the big chance and the best chance to get fall and winter goods is at his store. He is back from his second trip north with another large stock which he says is better than ever and at prices that were never so cheap.

Attention is called to the notice to creditors by W. L. Smith, Administrator of Jesse Satton.

Greenville Market.
COTTON, CORN AND PEANUTS.
—Reports corrected weekly by—
YOUNG & PRIDDY.

The cotton market has declined half cent the last week and will have a downward tendency. We are unable to make any prediction as to the future course of the market, but we fear it will go still lower. We quote to-day for Cotton at Greenville:
Middling 71.
L. Middling 7.
Good Ordinary 64.
The receipts at the ports for the last three days are the largest ever known in the history of the cotton trade. Receipts at the ports for the 17th of this month were 54,710 bales. Same day last year 47,529 bales. The future market is very unsteady, and there is no telling which way it will turn. New York closed on the 17th inst. Oct. 8.02 Nov. 8.12
Dec. 8.31 Jan. 8.49 Feb. 8.63
Mar. 8.76 Apr. 8.87 May 8.98
Jun. 9.06 July 9.18 Aug. 9.28
Corn and peanuts are nominal. No demand, and none being offered.

OTHER PRODUCE AND POULTRY.
—Reports corrected weekly by—
JONATHAN WHITE.

Blackeye Peas, \$.90 to \$1.00 per bushel.
Black Peas, .50 " .60 " "
Eggs, 15c " 15c " dozen
Chickens, 12c " 20c " each
Ducks, 12c " 20c " "
Tur, large, \$2.00 " barrel
Small, 1.50 " "
Sweet Potatoes, 40c " bushel
Turkeys, 1.00 " pair

A Gold Watch and \$204.
That is what our agent receives who gets up a club on our \$1 per week plan. Our 14-karat gold-filled cases are warranted for 20 years. Fine Elgin or Waltham movement. Step wind and set. Lady's or Gent's size. Equal to any \$50 watch. To secure agents where we have none, we sell one of the Hunting Case Watches for the Club price \$25 and send C. O. D. by express with privilege of examination before paying for same. Our agent at Durham, N. C., writes: "Our Jeweler has confessed they don't know how you can furnish such work for the money. One good reliable agent wanted for each place. Write for particulars. EMPIRE WATCH CO., 48 and 50 Maiden Lane, New York."

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a Billious Look. If your stomach be disordered you have a Dyspeptic Look and if your kidneys be affected you have a Pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alternative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Rheumatism, Boils and gives a complexion. Sold at John W. Wood's Drug Store, 50c. per bottle.

Notice to Creditors.
The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County having received letters of administration to the undersigned, on the 15th day of October, 1891 on the estate of Jesse Satton, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly substantiated, to the undersigned, on or before October 19th, 1891, or this notice will be filed in law of their recovery. This the 15th day of October, 1891.
W. L. SMITH, Adm'r.
on the 15th day of October, 1891.

FURNITURE!
We have just received a large and complete
STOCK OF FURNITURE.

It is made by the best workmen after the latest designs, and in order to better display it we have converted the whole of the second story of our building into one large furniture room. We shall apply our one price system to this department of our business also (as we think it is the only legitimate way to do business) and in order to get our trade started we have put the smallest possible profit upon it, and marked it so low that we guarantee you cannot duplicate the prices in any city in this country. We most cordially ask you to call and examine it.

CARPETS.
Our buyer was able to pick up some bargains in this line while North and if you will examine our stock we feel sure that we can save you money. We sell them with and without the lining. They are the very latest patterns and colors.

CLOTHING.
We do not handle any second-hand stuff nor misfits. Our Clothing is fresh from the manufacturers, AND IS MADE TO FIT and for further evidence of this we refer you to our many customers who have gotten such perfect fits from us, that they prefer them to misfits, which are so named because the maker found it such a hard task to get any one they would fit. Our Clothing is made by first-class tailors to fit, and they do their work so well we usually succeed in fitting our customers the first garment they try on.

SHOES.
For these we are headquarters and defy competition. In addition to a full stock of regular goods we have about 1,000 pairs which we bought in job lots at about one half their value. They consist of Childrens, Misses, Boys, Gentlemen and Ladies Shoes. We will sell them at the same discount at which we bought them, which is to say for about 50 per cent. on the dollar. We guarantee these goods first-class in every respect, and are only sold cheap because a large firm north failed and their stock was thrown on the market and had to be sold for what it would bring. Our buyer was on the ground and bought what we have. All of our lines are complete and having only one price forces us to be leaders in low prices on everything. You will save money by examining our stock if you don't buy. We only ask that you call upon us and see what we have.

Young & Priddy,
One Price and Leaders in Low Prices.

NORFOLK ADVERTISEMENTS.
J. W. HARRELL, Murfreesboro, N. C. COL. J. M. HARRELL, Murfreesboro, N. C.
HARRELL BROS.,
COTTON FACTORS
—AND—
COMMISSION -I- MERCHANTS,
FOOT OF COMMERCE STREET,
NORFOLK, VA.
Bagging and Ties constantly on hand. Liberal Cash Advances made on Consignments.

Norman & Everett,
—COTTON & GENERAL—
COMMISSION -I- MERCHANTS,
NORFOLK, VA.
They do strictly a Commission Business, avoiding all speculation, always endeavoring to serve the best interest of the shipper.

—SHIP YOUR—
COTTON, PEANUTS
—AND OTHER PRODUCE TO—
ALEXANDER, MORGAN & CO.,
COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
TUNIS WHARF, NORFOLK, VA.
Guarantee highest market prices, quick sales and prompt returns.

S. B. HARRELL & CO.,
—COTTON FACTORS AND—
GEN'L COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Corn, Cotton, Peanuts, Stock, Eggs, and Sawed Lumber will receive our special attention. Your patronage solicited.
NOS. 7 AND 9 COMMERCE STREET, NORFOLK, VA.
Strictly a Commission House.

B. A. DOBIE & Co.,
COTTON FACTORS
—AND—
GEN'L COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
2 and 4 Roanoke Dock, NORFOLK, VA.
J. J. Burgess is our North and South Carolina Representative.
Special attention given to sales of Cotton, Grain, Peanuts and Country Produce generally. Liberal Cash Advances on Consignments. Prompt Returns and Highest Prices guaranteed.

MCKEARY & MCKEELIAN,
—Wholesale and Retail Dealers in—
Horses and Mules.
A Good Supply Always on Hand.
Fine Horses a specialty.
Satisfaction guaranteed
Nos. and 2 Union St., Norfolk Va

WE COME AGAIN.
To enlist your attention and claim a fair share of your patronage We are determined that if square dealings and honest representation of our goods will secure you as a customer, they shall not be lacking on our part. We go into the Northern Markets with the

CASH
and buy for the CASH, getting every possible advantage that is to be offered to first-class buyers, therefore we are enabled to give you at all times the

Benefit of Purchases Made for Cash.
—We have bought this season the largest stock of—
GENERAL -I- MERCHANDISE
ever handled by us. The ten days spent in market by our buyer were not idle ones, as an inspection of our—
IMMENSE STOCK
carried in our double stores will prove. You cannot help but be interested if you will call on us. We take pleasure in showing you what we have to sell. There can never be a business of any magnitude built upon a falsification of fact and startling statements of untruth. It is to our business interests to deal fairly by all our customers, and by such means to merit their continued patronage.

We have now open ready for your inspection the largest best assorted line of General Merchandise that was ever brought to this market. Consisting of—
Dry Goods Dress Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Hardware Cutlery Tin-ware, Crockery, Queen-ware, Groceries, Wood and Willowware, Harness and Whips
—AND THE LARGEST LINE OF—
FURNITURE
that has ever been brought to this county. We are headquarters for all goods in our respective lines. Also we have a lot of—
BAGGING AND TIES
which will be sold at lowest prices.

Come one, come all and see us.
J. B. CHERRY & CO.
BROWN BROS.
We thank our many friends for their patronage last season and wish to say that we now have another
BETTER - ASSORTED - STOCK
than before.
We keep first-class Goods and guarantee prices. Come and examine the new goods.

In addition to our regular line we have taken the agency for the
New Home Sewing Machine.
And will sell at the same terms and prices. Oils, Needles and Parts are kept.
BROWN BROS.
ESTABLISHED 1833.

J. A. ANDREWS,
—Jobber in—
Heavy . . . Groceries.
MEAT AND FLOUR—Specialties.
—A large lot of—
BAGGING AND TIES
—bought just before the rise, for sale low down—
POWDER AND SHOT.

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 PROOFSAFE.

G. E. HARRIS,
—DEALER IN—
HAY, GRAIN & FERTILIZERS
GREENVILLE, N. C.

For Sale.
One 8 H. P. Upright Engine, newly repaired.
One 4 H. P. Upright Engine, newly repaired.
One 40 Saw Gin, Feeder and Conden-
ser.
One 45 Saw Gin, Feeder and Conden-
ser.
One Brooks' Cotton Press.
For further particulars call at address,
HENRY SHEPPARD,
Greenville, N. C.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville, N. C. Local Sparks

Cooper's Warehouse Is the place to Ship your Tobacco If you want highest prices.

Edgecombe Superior Court at Tarboro this week. Shoes, Shoes, the biggest line in town at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

New Home Sewing Machine for \$35 at Brown Bros. Get one of those Smithfield Hams at Rountree's.

Crockery and Lamps just received at J. B. Cherry & Co's For Umbrellas and Rubber Coats go to J. B. Cherry & Co's

Hats new and stylish to please you at J. B. Cherry & Co's. If you don't shoot that straw hat frost will nip it.

Use Evaporated Cream in your Tea and Coffee, at Rountree's. Fresh Biscuits for the well and sick at the Old Brick Store.

For Baggy Blankets, Harness and Whips go to J. B. Cherry & Co's Point Lace Flour is always uniform in quality at the Old Brick Store.

Give your infants Evaporated Cream, at Rountree's. Last Sunday services were held in all the Churches of the town.

Get all kinds of Sewing Machine needles and parts from Brown Bros. For cheap and good Trunks and Valises go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

For Buffets, Safes, Bed Springs and Mattresses go to J. B. Cherry & Co's. Some of the weather during the past two weeks was rough on cotton.

Brown Bros. have taken the agency for the New Home Sewing Machine. Cheapest Bedsteads, Bureaus, Cradles and Mattresses at the Old Brick Store.

We make a specialty of Dry Goods and Shoes. Come and get prices. BROWN BROS. First of the season, New Buckwheat at the Old Brick Store.

The next day of importance—after the wedding—is Thanksgiving Day. FURNITURE—Do you want to buy Furniture then go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

L. M. Reynolds shoes for men and boys have no equal for wear and durability, for sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.

A beautiful line of Mousquetaire gloves for \$2.25 per pair, in black and colors, at Mrs. Fannie Joyner's. Hotel, dam, prize houses, factories—these four and several more are wanted.

Men's, Women's, Misses and Children's Shoes in various styles and large quantities at J. B. Cherry & Co's. Wanted for cash, Eggs and Hides at the Old Brick Store.

D. Y. Cooper furnishes free hogheads to persons shipping their tobacco to him. Get them from H. F. Keel. Cheapest line of Bedsteads, Bureaus, Chairs, Lounges, Centre Tables and Suits at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Tell your neighbor to bring on his dollar and get a year's reading of the REFLECTOR. Say where are you going to send that Tobacco? To Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson. That's right! He guarantees better prices than any house in or out of the State.

25 barrels mullets cheap at the Old Brick Store. Try Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson, N. C., for the sale of Tobacco. He secures good prices for all sales and allows no one to leave his house dissatisfied.

Nothing but light frosts have visited us yet, but further up the country they are being talking about snow. It pays a man to raise good Tobacco; it pays still better to get good prices when it is sold. Send yours to Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson, and the good prices are guaranteed.

All parties bringing tobacco to the Central Warehouse in Tarboro can obtain board at the Bryan House, at one dollar per day. The Central Tobacco Warehouse, Tarboro, N. C. But didn't cotton go on a turrible last week! The decline was sufficient to make lots of people look blue.

At the same place, Henderson, N. C., you will find Cooper's Warehouse selling Tobacco for the farmers and getting the best prices for them that can be obtained. Your shipments are solicited. Cooper's Warehouse at Henderson, N. C., will furnish you hogheads free and grade your Tobacco at lowest prices. So you can send him your tobacco graded or ungraded. Always mark your name upon all packages when shipped.

There was a scarcity of box cars here last week and the depot got full of freight before it could be moved away. Save money by selling your Tobacco at Alliance Warehouse Henderson, N. C., where you will always get highest market price and save more than your freight in warehouse charges. No Pels! No Drummers! Highest prices, lowest charges is our motto.

ATTENTION TOBACCO PLANTERS—Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson, N. C., is now ready to receive and sell all grades of new Tobacco at FULL MARKET PRICES, and promises the planters of Pitt and adjoining counties that no market or house in or out of the State shall sell tobacco for more net money. Give him a trial.

Personal

Little Ha! Williams is sick with fever. A little child of Mr. W. H. Smith is sick with fever.

Mr. A. N. Ryan is quite sick. His little child is also very sick.

Col. Harry Skinner was awarded the premium as the handsomest man at the Fair.—Morganton Herald.

Mr. Robert Hester, of Granville county, spent last week visiting his brother, Mr. H. J. Hester, near Greenville.

Mrs. Sarah Hartsell, of Cabarrus county, is visiting the family of her brother, Mr. S. F. Erwin, near Greenville.

Mr. Herman Wilson, a former Reflector boy but now on the Wilson Advance, came home and spent Sunday with his parents here.

We are glad to welcome back Mr. R. J. Hart, who returned from Greenville yesterday, wearing his usual bald smile.—Henderson Tomahawk.

Mr. W. S. Rawls returned Saturday evening from the Northern cities where he had been to purchase a new stock of jewelry, watches, silver-ware &c.

Mr. H. F. Keel, of Greenville, Pitt county, is here again with another lot of fine tobacco. We are anxious to get to see him.—Henderson Tomahawk.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. R. W. King, of Greenville, to Miss Mattie E. Moye, of Kingston, in the M. E. Church of the latter town, on Wednesday, 28th inst., at 8:30 P. M.

Master Isaac A. Sugg, Jr., a courtly little gentleman from Greenville, N. C., arrived yesterday evening with two nephews and one box of tobacco He is a "chip of the old block" and is stopping at Cooper's.—Henderson Tomahawk.

Mr. Will McDevitt, Deputy Sheriff of Beaufort county, passed through one day last week taking a colored woman to the asylum at Goldsboro. Will is an ex-printer, a good one, too, and he dropped in to exchange a few words with our boys.

Col. J. B. Yellowley, a prominent lawyer and successful farmer of Greenville, Pitt county, was here this week selling tobacco at Cooper's warehouse. An agreeable and accomplished gentleman it was a pleasure to meet him.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

Ex-Gov. Jarvis and Mrs. Jarvis have been spending the past week in Raleigh and at the Exposition. The Governor attended the meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee and made the best speech of the occasion. He is always level-headed and far-sighted.

Mr. George E. Crabtree, once of Washington, but now representative of G. W. Gail & Ax's large snuff manufactory, was in town last week. He represents a large establishment and can sell more snuff in a day than the women of Pitt county can dip in two months.

Capt. J. J. Laughinghouse, of Pitt county, was here with tobacco this week. After making good sales on the leaf he went to Raleigh to take in the Exposition. The Captain did not seem to be depressed but little in consequence of his recent heavy loss by incendiary fire.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

Col. Harry Skinner, Pitt county's eloquent son, spoke to twenty-five hundred people at the Fair Grounds yesterday. His subject was the Sub-Treasury Bill, and he advocated the measure earnestly and eloquently, many of his audience declaring that it was the best argument in behalf of the measure ever delivered.—Morganton Herald.

Bro. Latham, the "merry-go-round" of the Washington Gazette, turned his hand organ on Saturday. He came in on Friday evening's train from the Exposition and University inaugural, missed the boat Saturday morning, and was allowed to spend the day here. The Gazette is a hummer with two wings and large caudal feathers, and Heber knows it.

Gov. Thos. J. Jarvis and wife are in the city and are the guests of Gov. Holt at the executive mansion. This is the first time we believe, that Mrs. Jarvis has been at the executive mansion since it was finished, and this visit, doubtless, makes her proud of her labors in securing its erection. It is to the wisdom and zeal of Mrs. Jarvis that we owe the erection of this elegant home for our Governor.—Raleigh Chronicle.

Remember the low rate to the Exposition. A trip ticket from Greenville good for seven days, can be bought for \$3.20.

There were fine breaks at the Greenville Warehouse Wednesday and Thursday of last week. The same thing may be looked for to-day, tomorrow and next day.

Dr. J. Marquis, Dentist has permanently located in Greenville and will be constantly found at his office in the Skinner building where he will be glad to serve all.

Mr. Cornelius Stephens brought us from his vineyard a James grape that measured 3 1/2 inches in circumference. This takes the lead for the largest one that has yet come to light.

Greenville's five-story hotel is a hummer with wings, but it has not folded its wings and lighted anywhere in the town yet. The Reflector will be willing to compromise with one of three-story altitude.

You will never have a dollar more handy than during the fall. Come in and leave one with us for a year's subscription to the REFLECTOR. Of course this item is intended for the man who has not already done so.

On Sunday night Rev. R. B. John commenced a series of meetings in the Methodist Church. A work of grace is needed in Greenville and it can be had now as well as any time. Let all Christians of the community pray to that end.

On last Thursday night Rev. A. D. Hunter commenced a series of meetings at Forbes' School House, three miles above town. Much interest in the meetings is felt throughout the community and we hope great good will be the result.

To Let

Plenty of time to loaf. We noticed between twenty and thirty able bodied men standing round watching two men cut down a tree the other day. It looks as though some of their surplus time into money there would be less complaining about hard times.

Truth, Too. Somebody who was looking on at the felling of a large tree on Evans street, the other day, remarked that the appearance of the street could be very much improved by tearing down the unsightly sheds which detract so much from the fronts of most of the stores. And that utterance was a solid truth.

Be Careful. The country is being flooded again with circulars from "green goods" swindlers. You who receive them had best beware. It is a dishonest man who will try to get hold of a lot of counterfeit money and it serves him right when he makes an effort to get it and comes out swindled.

Let us Have It. A number of men belonging to a sporting party of the proposed Norfolk, Wilmington and Charleston Railroad were in town several times last week. The party were surveying through this county, passing below Greenville. It is time our citizens were looking into the matter of having this road touch Greenville.

Thanks. Last Wednesday the REFLECTOR referred to the big mud hole on Dickerson Avenue, near Mr. Harris', and on Friday the city fathers ordered Policeman Moore to take a force of hands and go fill it. Thank you, gentlemen. That is the way to help the town—whenever your attention is called to an existing evil set about at once to remedy it.

Married. Irvin Joyner colored, came to grief last week. A damsel of dusky hue brought suit against him for breach of promise and the suit got him in jail. After due mediation Irvin concluded the best way out was through the path matrimony. The woman was sent for, he was taken with her into the Court House and Justice Moore got in some more of his good work on the tying act.

Amateur Theatrical. The Amateurs of the town under the management of Mrs. Gov. Jarvis will present on Thursday evening, Oct. 29th, at the Opera House "Noemie" an amusing drama in two acts. This is first of a series of entertainments with which Mrs. Jarvis proposes to entertain the public with this winter and under her excellent management the amusement loving public can be assured of a rare treat.

Musical. Prof. Gruber, an old favorite in Greenville, with his interesting musical family made this town a visit last week and gave enjoyable entertainments both Friday and Saturday nights in Germania Hall. The professor has a violin with him that is 350 years old, which is conceded to be the oldest in the world. His family has increased several since he was last here. They left Monday for Tarboro.

Dead. At his home in this town on Saturday morning, 17th inst., at five o'clock, Mr. W. A. Stocks, after an illness of several weeks. He leaves a wife and nine children, six of whom were dependent upon him. His remains were taken out to the family rural ground, a few miles above town, and interred Sunday afternoon. The bereaved have our sympathy.

Try Fewer Acres. Here is something a man said the other day that hits the nail square on the head. He said: "If the farmers would plant a smaller number of acres in cotton like they do tobacco, fertilize and cultivate it as well as they do tobacco, you would see an immense increase in the product per acre of the crop." There is too much farming on the system of spreading a little manure and a little labor over a large number of acres, and a little harvest is the result.

More Incendiaries. Just as the REFLECTOR was going to press last Tuesday evening news came that incendiaries had burned the tobacco storage house of Mr. J. Bryan Grimes, of Chocod. The fire occurred before day Tuesday morning and the loss on building and tobacco is estimated at \$6,000. The REFLECTOR is steadfast in the opinion expressed a few weeks ago, that it is time to check this lawlessness in Chocod township and put a stop to such willful destruction of the property of good citizens.

House Wanted. The real estate agency had six applications for houses last week from parties who want to come to Greenville. One of them was a man who does a large mercantile business elsewhere and he wanted to rent a store as well as a house. The latter could not be furnished him so he went to try another town. When will the property owners see the necessity of building more houses? People cannot come here unless there are houses for them to live in.

Where Idle Men Lead. Keep a negro loafing, like many of them around here are seen doing every day, and nine times out of ten when the weather turns cold he will go to pilfering, if chances are good. Last week the REFLECTOR told of two boys who had been bound over to court for stealing money and buying clothes with it, and if the item had not come too late we could have told that Constable Gann Grifton for stealing a vest from a store down here. Idleness and loafing lead to just such things as this. You can see plenty of loafers on the streets of Greenville, and especially around the Market House, but try to hire one of them and see how hard it is to get them to do any work. Of course they cannot subsist on wind and if they do not get a living honestly they will have to do some other way. How would it do for the city fathers to pass a vagrancy ordinance and have investigations made when persons are seen standing around without visible means of support?

Tobacco Factory.

The stockholders of the Greenville tobacco factory met at the Court House on Monday evening and of factory a permanent organization by electing a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a board of five Directors, to-wit: H. Harding, President; J. B. Yellowley, Vice President; J. R. Moye, Secretary, with H. Skinner, A. G. Cox, B. S. Shepard, J. D. Williamson and D. J. Whitchard as a board of Directors. The company will at once be incorporated, and an effort made to raise the capital stock to \$5,000 and to commence operations at once.

Want the Bark. Some thief or thieves visited the poultry yard of Mr. H. C. Hemby, a few miles from town, one night recently and stole forty chickens. They tried to get away last Tuesday night, but instead of being after chickens they went to his mill yard and stole about 200 feet of scantling that had cut for this town. Perhaps the thieves wanted lumber to build a house for the stolen chickens. If they want one to hide their own in can carcasses in they better go back and see if they can't get away with the whole mill.

A Non-Resident's View. A man who knows all about Greenville, who has been here enough to know the town, who observes men and things closely, and who is a regular reader of the REFLECTOR, writes the editor a letter from which we make an extract. We hope to be permitted to publish the part relating to our town, but it drives home such a truth that it ought to be read, especially by some citizens of Greenville. He says: "You deserve a great deal of credit for your efforts to build up Greenville. If the croakers who find fault of your paper had done and would do over-tenfold what you have done and are doing to build up the place materially and morally, Greenville would be the leading town in this section of North Carolina. It is better located for health than any of the other eastern towns. There are some enterprising men who would go forward and do much for the place were it not for the croakers that can do a great deal to retard the growth of the town, but won't do anything to help it for fear that somebody would be benefitted besides themselves." We hope every person who reads this will honestly ask himself if he is doing his duty.

What he Thinks of the Dam. A citizen from the north side of the river said to the reporter recently: "You must keep up your talk in the REFLECTOR until the dam at the other end of the bridge is built. It is a shame that the people are having to wait so long for it, and it is worse than a shame that people from the other side of the river are sometimes compelled to attend court as jurors or witnesses when because of freshets they have to pay ferriage and leave their horses and vehicles standing right out in the road all day. The Legislature has given the Board of County Commissioners authority to construct the dam, I have talked with the county Treasurer and he says there is plenty of money on hand to do the work at any time, so there is no reason why the Commissioners should wait longer unless they just want to be contrary about it. The people pay the taxes and they have a right to ask for the dam when it is their money which pays for it. I commend the prudence and wisdom the Board have all along displayed in the management of the county affairs, but they have not treated the people right in this matter. Now you can print what I am saying and let the Board know that we people on the other side of the river think they ought to go ahead and build the dam. We don't like so much useless delay about it." The REFLECTOR prints what he said as near as we can remember it, and hopes the Board will to their next meeting ready to take some decided action in the matter. The dam should be built.

Almost an Accident. Last week there was a narrow escape from serious accident at the depot and perhaps loss of life, caused by the trouble spoken of in last week's REFLECTOR. Mr. J. J. Burgess went there intending to go to Kingston on the evening train and expecting a party who he wished to see to come in on the train upon which he was to depart he did not get aboard at once, but waited until the passengers got off to see if the party for whom he was looking was among them. While standing there the signal to start was given and he walked up to the steps just as the train was moving off. He caught hold of the railing on each side of the steps and was pulling himself up when several colored boys came rushing out of the car and ran right over him breaking loose one of his hands from the railing and knocking him so near down as to leave him hanging by the other hand. By this time the train was gaining speed so that he could not recover his footing, and fearing to turn loose the railing left he should be dashed under the car by the motion of the train was dragged along for more than a car length. Fortunately two men were standing near the track a short distance below the depot and seeing Mr. Burgess hanging to the railing they rushed up and snatched him from his perilous position as the train passed them. In relating the circumstances to the reporter Mr. Burgess said that never in his life had he experienced such a feeling as when he was hanging to the railing of the car. He felt every moment like he was being drawn under the moving train and knew from the forward motion that if his hold gave way he would be thrown under it. He could not have held on much longer when rescued. No one on the train saw him or it would have been signalled to stop.

Now the REFLECTOR rises to ask will the Town Council allow this nuisance of boys, who have no business there, to be jumping on and off the trains, or will they pass an ordinance prohibiting it?

The success of Old Saul's Catarrh Cure induces imitations and there are many of them. When getting Old Saul's and take no other. You'll get left. At all dealers for 25 cents.

If you want your baby to look bright do not get \$2.50 sleep with handspan when needed, but use Dr. Bell's Baby Syrup, 25 cents a bottle.

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Nothing succeeds like success, and as we have been unusually successful in making our fall selections, we will therefore, be able to succeed in pleasing you in your fall and winter wearing apparel. We have a large and varied stock of Dress Goods, in fact the largest, most stylish, and most complete ever shown in our town. They were collected with special pains from the fashion centres of the country, some of them having just been imported a few days previous to their purchase. They embrace all the stylish and serviceable effects among them the rough shaggy designs which are the newest productions of fashion. Also new weaves in Broadcloths, Bedford Cords, Cloth-finish Serges, Polka Dot effects and Cheviot effects. We have them in all the leading and serviceable shades among the more fashionable ones we might mention all the mode effects. Then too an important feature of our Dress Goods department is that you will always find the newest trimmings for your dress and always suitable linings and furnishings. Our lines of Cloakings, Sackings, Wash Fabrics and Cotton effects are replete with novelties. Also our Ladies and Misses Wraps will be sure to attract your attention on account of the many novelties. Leaving the ladies department we call your attention to our lines of Men and Boy's Clothing. We make no boasting when we say that we have more fine Clothing than all our competitors combined and we will convince you of this if you will but give us a trial. These goods are complete in every respect and show the most durable and comfortable styles. We call special attention to our fine ladies shoes which are marvels of beauty and style. We sell none but first-class makes and they are always sure to give satisfaction. In Hats for gentlemen and boys we show the leading shapes and the most stylish cloths. The most enthusiastic description will scarcely do justice to our stock and we cordially invite the public to inspect them. In boy's clothing as usual we are the leaders and will sustain our reputation. Our lines of Shoes for ladies, misses, men, boys and children are complete in all the new colors. Our line is large and varied and the styles are correct, the shapes are correct and the prices are correct. In our Carpet department we show all the standard grades in the very best designs; also Floor Oil Cloths, and Rugs of all kinds. A complete line of House Furnishings. Our stock of Gent's Furnishing Goods is the most complete ever shown in town. We have all the new styles in Collars, Cuffs and Shirts. Neckwear and Haberdashery are our specialties. We have a complete assortment in every department and are sure to please you. We pay particular attention to orders by mail and give them personal attention. We cheerfully furnish samples on application and customers who prefer to buy in this way will be treated as well as if they selected their goods in person. We have always been our aim to please the public and nothing will be left undone that will add to your interests. Come to see us and we can assure you of a cordial reception. You are always welcome. As you have known us in the past, so you will find us in the future—always prompt, attentive and reliable. Every piece of goods from our store is honest. Faithfully yours, M. R. Lang.

Greenville TOBACCO Warehouse. LOCATED NEAR DEPOT Greenville, N. C. Has Four Breaks Each Week. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Our New Warehouse which is about completed is a large, well equipped building, with a floor space 70x110 feet, and plenty of light. We also have ample prize rooms. Arrangements have been made to bring buyers here from various parts of this and other States and we guarantee to make Tobacco bring just as high prices in Greenville as any market in the State. We solicit commitments from the farmers of Pitt and adjoining counties. It will be to your interest to sell your Tobacco at the Greenville Warehouse, as in addition to getting as high prices as can be had anywhere, the large expenses of freight and passage in order to reach other markets can be saved. The Greenville Tobacco Warehouse Co., F. P. MEADOWS, Manager.

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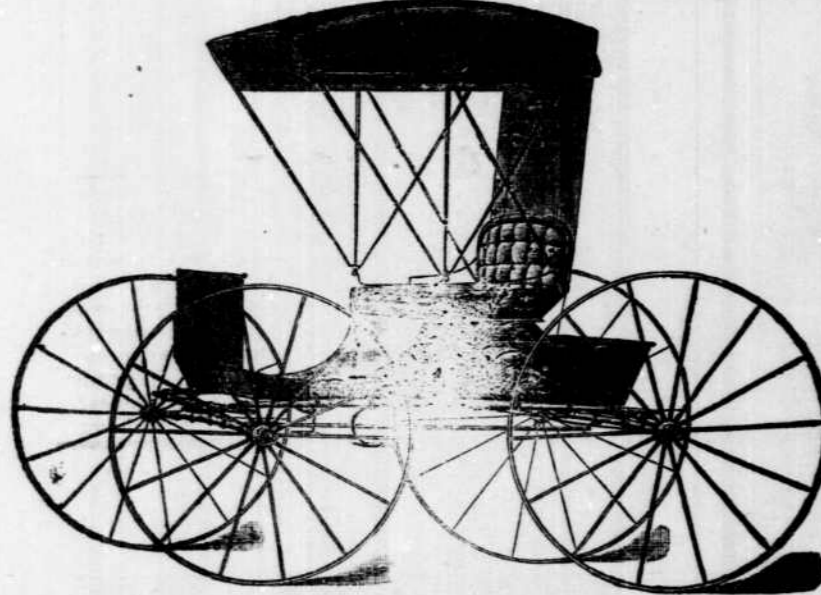
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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Creditors.
 Having duly qualified before the Superior Court of Pitt County as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Nancy C. Tucker, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to make immediate payment to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the estate to present them for payment on or before the 10th day of October, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This 10th day of Sept., 1891.
 J. L. TUCKER,
 Exr. of Nancy C. Tucker.

Notice.

HAVING been duly appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Josiah Cox, dec'd, by the proper court of Pitt County, all persons holding claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 12th day of October, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded as a bar to their recovery. Also all persons owing said estate are notified that prompt payment is expected.

This October 12th, 1891.
 DR. B. T. COX,
 Adm'r of Josiah Cox.

Tax Notice

THE tax books for the year 1891 are now in my hands for collection, and I will meet the people of Pitt County at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the same:
 Black Jack, Thursday Oct. 15.
 Burney's Road, Friday Oct. 16.
 Arden, Saturday Oct. 17.
 Farmville, Saturday Oct. 17.
 Falkland, Saturday Oct. 17.
 Penny Hill, Thursday Oct. 20.
 Keel's Store, Wednesday Oct. 21.
 Cobb's Store, Thursday Oct. 22.
 Bethel, Saturday Oct. 24.
 Paeolus, Saturday Oct. 24.
 And every day at my office in the Court House.

All persons are requested to meet me and pay promptly. No indulgence can be given, and all taxes not paid by December 1st will be collected by distress.

Oct. 1, 1891.
 J. A. K. TUCKER, Sheriff.

Notice - Land Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made at June Term 1891, upon the petition in an action, then and there pending wherein L. V. Morrill, Adm'r. of the estate of L. P. Beardsley, dec'd, and others are plaintiffs against J. H. Beardsley and others, heirs-at-law of said L. P. Beardsley, late of said county, deceased, are defendants. The undersigned who was appointed Commissioner by said decree, will on Monday the 23rd day of November, 1891, expose to public sale before the Court House door in the town of Greenville, to the highest bidder, all the lands described in said decree, one tract adjoining the lands of H. S. Tyson and R. A. Tyson, lying on Broad Branch, containing two hundred (200) and sixty acres more or less, better known as the home place and being the tract devised to James H. Beardsley, by the last will and testament of the said L. P. Beardsley, and one other tract lying on Broad Branch, adjoining the lands of R. A. Tyson and Alfred Joyner, containing one hundred (100) and fifty acres more or less, and being the tract devised to L. P. Beardsley, Jr. by the will of his father L. P. Beardsley, Sr., and one other tract known as the Anderson land, adjoining the land of Reel Willoughby, J. C. Cobb and others containing 309 acres, more or less, all of which the said L. P. Beardsley, dec'd, seized and possessed of, and sold for assets to pay debts of the estate.

One third of the purchase price to be paid in cash on day of sale, the balance in one and two years, with 5 per cent interest. Title to be retained until purchase price is fully paid; to bear interest from day of sale. This 22nd day of Sept., 1891.

L. C. LATHAM,
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He Wants Kings.
 Apropos of the increase in the price of diamonds a man from New York has a scheme calculated to help the impetuous young enthusiasts who want to get engaged, but who lack the necessary funds to purchase a suitable diamond pledge of his affection. This scheme is nothing more nor less than to loan engagement rings for so much per month.

"It's just this," said Mr. Solomon—that is his name—"a young man can't afford to buy a diamond ring. Very well, he doesn't need to do so. He comes to me. I take his note and lend him a splendid diamond ring at a reasonable rate. He gives it to his fiancée. The marriage takes place in the course of time, and in a few months afterward the young man owns up and takes back the ring, upon which he has been paying rent, and gives it to me. Risk? Oh, none at all. I have his note. The humiliation that would come from exposure should I seek the assistance of the law precludes the possibility of his defaulting. I have not lost a ring yet, nor a dollar of rental. The business has been a paying one."

—Chicago Post.

Diphtheria from Cow's Milk.

Dr. E. Klein, the bacteriologist of London, states that he inoculated two cows upon the shoulders with the diphtheria virus. The inoculation was followed by the occurrence of vesicles and pustules upon their udders, and microbes were found in their milk. Two calves were inoculated with the matter taken from the vesicles and pustules, and similar eruptions were produced in them, followed by broncho-pneumonia and fatty kidneys such as occurred in the cows. Two cats fed with the milk from the cows sickened with feline diphtheria, and this was followed by an epidemic among the cats kept for experimental purposes in the laboratory. Fourteen sickened with it, some of them dying.—Dr. J. Lewis Smith in Babyhood.

Medicinal Qualities of Strawberries.

All herbalists agree in pronouncing strawberries as wholesome and beneficial beyond every other English fruit. Their smell is refreshing to the spirits, they abate fever and are diuretic and gently laxative. The leaves may be used in gargles for quinsies and sore mouths. The chemical constituents of the strawberry are a peculiar volatile aroma, sugar, mucilage, pectine, citric and malic acids in equal parts, woody fiber and water. The fruit is mucilaginous, somewhat tart and saccharine. It is especially suitable in inflammatory and putrid fevers, and for catarrhal sore throats.—London Times.

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The poor wretch's life never underwent the proposed indignity. The inhabitants of Frigg took fright, thought it had been suggested, that the gibbet standing so near the highway would terrify people and hinder them from coming to market. They petitioned against the judge's order being carried out, and the authorities remitted the horror. Mr. Hartshorne believes, and we have no doubt correctly, that the last person hung in chains was a man named Cook, who suffered for the murder of Mr. Pass. This occurred at Leicester in 1824, the very year that the custom was put an end to by statute.—London Athenaeum.

Not So Bad as It Sounds.

After an election in the academy I mentioned to a painter that Mr. X had at last been chosen to an associate membership and that the honor had been long a-coming.

"Yes," he answered, with a smile, "X is an unqualified ass now."

I suggested that it was carrying professional jealousy rather far to give him that term.

"Oh, you evidently don't understand," said he. "When a man is elected an associate they call him, for brevity's sake, by the first syllable of that word. That makes him an ass. It is one of the conditions of membership that he shall furnish his portrait to the academy within a certain time. That is what they call 'qualifying,' and until he qualifies he is an unqualified ass. See?"—Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.

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Ar Selma 3:30

Ar Fayetteville 5:30

Ly Goldsboro 3:15 7:42 8:40 am

Ly Warsaw 4:14

Ar Magnolia 4:27 8:40 9:49

Ar Wilmington 6:00 9:55 11:20

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Ar Wilson 12:10

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