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D. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Proprietor.

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Special Notice.

In adopting the Cash in Advance for this year THE REFLECTOR will continue to be for a longer time than it is paid for. If you find stamps just after your name on the margin the paper the words:

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mistake the temper and patriotism of our people. Let us not be guilty of the folly of wasting our strength and dividing our forces in uncompromising, acrimonious contentions among ourselves as to the best means of accomplishing a deliverance from the evils which now environ us and the burdens which now weigh us down.

Among those evils and burdens we will mention two about which it seems to us we can all agree and from which we cannot hope to be delivered till we overthrow the party which created them.

Now add to this inadequacy of money supply and its improper distribution, the unequal and unnecessary burdens of tariff taxation whose cruel exactions have now realized the wildest dreams of the most exorbitant monopolist, and we find a sufficient cause for the unrest and disquiet existing among our people.

This committee, composed of ten Democrats, five of whom belong to the Alliance and five of whom do not, but all speaking the sentiments of the Democratic party, sympathize with and unite in the strenuous demands of the people, uttered through the Farmers Alliance, the various industrial organizations, and otherwise, for such thorough reform in the financial system as will give to our people a sound currency in sufficient abundance and properly distributed, and relief from the burdens of tariff taxation.

As to the particular methods and plans by which these objects, desired by all true Democrats, are to be accomplished, it is but natural that there should be honest differences of opinion. One man may assign one cause for the general stagnation in business and suggest a remedy which he believes to be a sovereign remedy.

Another man, equally intelligent and honest, may differ with him as to the real cause or the proper remedy to be applied. It is manifestly unjust to charge either of these men with dishonesty or enmity of reform where reform is needed. Our friends must learn to discuss all questions concerning these matters in a spirit of fairness, good will, and mutual confidence, and when the time for action comes unite upon such men and such measures as seem most likely to lead us to victory and to secure for the people such wise and needful reform in our national legislation as shall have respect to the good of the whole people and shall not be for the benefit and enrichment of the few. If we will remain united and determined, we

STATEMENT

OF PITT COUNTY, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 7th, 1891.

The Following is a List of Orders, Together With the Number and Amt., as Allowed by the Board of Commissioners, From December 1st, 1890, to December 7th, 1891.

Paupers.

Table listing pauper orders with columns for NO. TO WHOM ISSUED, AMT, and names of recipients.

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Publisher's Announcement.

THE SUBSCRIPTION PRICE OF THE REFLECTOR IS \$1.00 per year.

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Transient Advertisements.—One inch one week, \$1; two weeks, \$1.50; one month, \$2. Two inches one week, \$1.50; two weeks, \$2; one month, \$3.

Advertisements inserted in Local Column as reading items, 75 cents per line for each insertion.

Legal Advertisements, such as Ad. Administrators' and Executors' Notices, Commissioners' and Trustees' Sales, Summons to Non-Residents, etc., will be charged for at legal rates and MUST BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE.

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 and all changes of advertisements should be handed in by 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning in order to receive prompt insertion the day following.

The REFLECTOR has a large circulation and will be found a profitable medium through which to reach the public.

Dom Pedro the late Emperor of Brazil is dead.

The net proceeds of the late Exposition at Raleigh are said to be \$17,000.

The Gold Leaf, Henderson, N. C., has entered upon its eleventh volume. It is one of our best weeklies.

Bro. Manning wields a pen that makes his paper worthy the large patronage it has. Bright, newsy and attractive may it continue to prosper.

The Wilmington Daily Review, Josh T. James, editor, was 14 years old last Saturday. It is the oldest and one of the best evening papers in the State.

If you want to know anything of Wilmington scan its columns and you've got it. We wish it unbounded success.

The papers are yet talking about Wilmington's Welcome Week which our North Carolina "city by the sea" inaugurated two weeks ago.

It was a brilliant affair and proved in every way a success. We are glad to know that the committee arranging and conducting the occasion were so highly pleased with the success of this first celebration that they decided to repeat it annually.

The election of Crisp of Georgia as Speaker of the House of Representatives seems to give general satisfaction, the South especially is to be congratulated upon his election in preference to Mills. He will doubtless make a Speaker with few superiors. Bold, fearless, well informed, experienced, conservative, self-controlled and prudent, we predict that he will be an honor to the whole Nation, and an unusually acceptable presiding officer.

The President's Message is a long, voluminous document and treats at length upon the most important topics now engaging the attention of the American people with the exception probably that it is wanting in a single reference to the depressed condition of the Agricultural masses.

As usual he desires that elections in the South shall be fair without any comment upon such things North of Mason and Dixon's line. Not many will ever read the Message to see what he does say. They feel no interest in what he says as they expect nothing from him.

Mr. J. F. Murrill, editor of the Hickory Press and Carolinian died of pneumonia Sunday a week ago. He was 61 years of age. From the Statesville Landmark we take the following:

Mr. Murrill was a native of Onslow county but has lived in Catawba since early after the war. He was a practicing lawyer as well as an editor and was a man of ability and of great force of character. He was a thoroughly honorable, high-minded gentleman and had the distinguishing virtue of always speaking his honest sentiments without the slightest concern as to their popularity. He was a brave, true man and a patriotic North Carolinian. Mr. Murrill died in the faith of the German Reformed Church.

LOOK OUT YE DEAD BEATS.

At a meeting held in the parlor of Hotel Mecon last Thursday evening, a local branch of the Merchants Retail Commercial Agency of Chicago, Ills., whose Eastern office is at Philadelphia, was organized by a number of the retail merchants of this town. Representatives of all lines of retail trade were in attendance. The object of this association is to compel dead beats to pay their bills, but not to harass the honest or indigent debtor. The following were elected officers of the Greenville branch: President, C. W. Priddy; Vice-President, J. A. Andrews; Secretary, G. E. Harris; Treasurer, W. H. Harrington; Executive Board, C. A. White, John Flanagan, G. M. Tucker, A. B. Ellington.

This Agency uses no dishonor-

able means to force collections or settlements, but the merchants propose to exercise their legal right to refuse credit to a person who gains the reputation of not treating a member of the Agency honorably. There is no law compelling the merchants to sell their goods on credit. There is no law forbidding them to credit any person they see fit, and when a merchant sells his goods on credit it is as an accommodation to the consumer, and if such consumer has no appreciation of the favor extended and willfully neglects to pay a reasonable and honorable adjustment of his indebtedness, then he should be compelled to pay as he buys. It is better for him and much more profitable for the merchant. Many a poor worthy man has been refused credit for the necessities of life because of the merchant's unpleasant experience with bad debtors, but this system will tend to obviate all that, because the man who does respect his credit will be known and have a standing among merchants, while the "dead-beat" and others of his kind will also be known to the members of this Agency and be absolutely refused credit; no matter if he moves to another town or state his reputation as poor pay will follow him, and the merchants in such new place of residence will also refuse him credit.

TERRIFIC STORM.

HAMILTON, N. C., Dec. 11, '91.

EDITOR REFLECTOR.—A terrible storm passed through Edgecombe and Martin counties on Monday, Dec. 7th. It blew down Jones Chapel church in Edgecombe, and demolished other buildings in that section. T. C. Howard being in that section was seriously injured by falling timbers from a shed under which he was standing.

At Goose Nest it tore down Hitch's immense lumber sheds and injured a locomotive standing on the track. A. B. Cloman's and Dr. Sherrod's farms fodder stacks, pea-nut stacks, chimney's, &c. were swept away. In the woods trees were twisted off and an opening made like the right way for a railroad. The track of the storm was not more than a quarter of a mile wide. Several thousands of dollars can not replace the losses.

The people of Hamilton were shocked to hear on last Tuesday of the death of Mrs. W. A. Whitley. She was the wife of Mr. Gus Whitley a prominent Mason of this county. She had been ill only a short time, and died from a congestive chill. She was a native of Pitt county and was raised near Pactolus. Her husband is absent in the Eastern part of the State, and as yet has not been reached by telegram. What a shock it will be to him.

The gripe has struck Hamilton. More than twenty pupils of the Hamilton Institute are down with it, and three of the teachers.

Pensioners.

Below is the list of pensioners—soldiers and widows—in Pitt county to whom pensions are paid under act of the General Assembly of North Carolina.

SOLDIERS. 2nd class—Isaac Joyner, T. M. Ross, W. F. Mills, G. S. Johnson—each to receive \$45.

3rd class—Bryan Buck, Bennett Dunn, W. H. Gurganus, John P. Helten—each to receive \$30.

4th class—Merritt Booth, W. L. Briley, Louis Edwards, Thomas A. Farnes, Gray Harris, G. Jackson, James E. Mayo, John H. Nelson, J. K. Pearden, Edwin Pilgreen, J. E. Randolph, B. Bert Richmond, James Turnage, Jesse Thigpen, Shem Tyson, W. J. Whitehurst, W. McLawhorn, John Elks, John T. Jones, W. G. Meigs, John Moore, C. J. Smith—each to receive \$15.

Mary A. Carney, Jennet Dudley, Sarah Harrell, Patay Jones, E. Manning, Eliza Norville, Amanda Parsons, Susanna Spake, Lucky Ann Smith, Nancy Stokes, Sarah J. Pell, L. Wainright, Rebecca Clark, C. Edmondson, Letitia Fleming, M. Highsmith, Mary Moe, Louisa Oakley, Susan Ritter, M. A. Simpkins, Elizabeth W. Warren, E. Crawford, Sallie Dew, M. Whitchard—each to receive \$15.

Any of the above who have not received their warrants can get them from the Register of Deeds.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depends upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a Bilious 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 acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Greases, Boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at John L. Wooten's Drug Store, 50c. per bottle.

Oh, What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves cough and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For James back or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75c., to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Viadizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diptheria, croup, cough, headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50c. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On the safe plan you can buy from our advertised Drugget a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring you relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at John L. Wooten's Drugstore.

STATEMENT

John Flanagan, Treasurer, in account with the County of Pitt from December 1st, 1890, to December 7th, 1891: 1890. Dec 1. Amt received of J B Cherry, former treasurer, \$6,000.00 Dec 1. Amt recd of McMoore for hire of Moore Jr., 3 00 Dec 1. recd of W A James for hire of Bill Hopkins, 5 00 Dec 14. recd of McMoore for hire of McMoore Jr., 5 00 1891. Jan 1. recd of Silas Langley for hire of Randolph Langley Jan 15. recd of Daniel Whiffled for hire of Alonzo Whitehead Jan 15. recd of W M King former sheriff on judgement, 1,572.05 Jan 7. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff on tax of 1890, 2,300.00 Jan 22. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff on tax of 1890, 900.00 Jan 18. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff on tax of 1890, 1,280.00 Jan 18. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff on tax of 1890, 280.00 Jan 24. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff on tax of 1890, 1,175.00 Jan 21. recd of Farnando Ward adm jury tax due by W Brown, 2 95 Jan 30. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 800.00 Feb 2. recd of Danjel Winfield for hire of A Winfield, 3 00 Feb 2. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 1,000.00 Feb 26. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 700.00 Feb 26. recd of E A Moe clerk for jury tax, 44 85 Mar 8. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 550.00 Mar 14. recd of McMoore for hire of McMoore Jr., 3 00 Mar 23. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 970.00 Apr 3. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 700.00 Apr 6. recd of Daniel Winfield for hire of Alonzo Whitehead, 6 00 Apr 7. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 1,100.00 Apr 25. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 1,326.22 Apr 25. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 1,713.78 May 4. recd of Daniel Winfield for hire of Alonzo Whitehead, 3 00 May 4. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 5 75 May 7. recd of Silas Langley for hire of Randolph Langley, 2 00 June 1. recd of Danjel Winfield for hire of Alonzo Whitehead, 3 00 July 8. recd of E A Moe for jury tax, 16 41 July 9. recd of E A Moe for jury tax, 52 11 July 10. recd of John Flanagan tax collector for insolvent list for 1890, 7 50 July 13. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff, 1,510.00 Sept 7. recd of N B Cory for hire of Randolph Langley, 2 00 Sept 7. recd of Daniel Winfield for hire of Alonzo Whitehead, 2 00 Sept 7. recd of J H Woodard for over charges in making tax list Nov 2. recd of H G Noodles for hire of Daniel Dupree, 2 00 Nov 2. recd of G B Whitefield for hire of George Davis, 4 88 Nov 2. recd of J S Brown for balance on stone, 3 00 Nov 6. recd of J A K Tucker for taxes 1891, 1,203.00 Nov 6. recd of E A Moe clerk for jury tax, 102 29 Nov 16. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff for taxes 1891, 1,100.00 Nov 20. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff for taxes 1891, 700 00 Nov 30. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff for taxes 1891, 1,000 00 Dec 3. recd of J A K Tucker sheriff for taxes 1891, 545 00 Dec 3. recd of E A Moe clerk for jury tax, 2 98 Total, \$27,721.11 Amt of disbursements \$12,094.34 Amt transferred to school fund, 9,442 03 Amt of Treas'r Commissions 388 72 Total, \$21,905 09 Amt on hand Dec 7, 1891 \$5,816 08 State of North Carolina, } Pit County, } D. H. JAMES, } Clerk of Board Commissioners

SOME OF THE WEAKLINGS.

Sallisbury Herald. Five of the members of the committee appointed to prepare the address issued to the Democrats of the State are members of the Alliance. Four of these gentlemen signed the address, and the fifth, Mr. J. S. Boll, gave it his hearty endorsement and approval, but declined to sign it because of his position as State Lecturer of the Alliance. The gentlemen signing are Capt. S. B. Alexander, of Mecklenburg, Col. Elias Carr, of Edgecombe, Hon. A. Leazar, of Iredell, and Mr. E. A. Moe, of Pitt. That they stand highly in the esteem of the order is shown by the positions they hold and have held. Capt. Alexander has been president of the State Alliance, has been a delegate to the National meetings and at present holds the position of Chairman of the State Executive Committee. Col. Carr has also been president of the State organization, a National delegate and is the first member of the Judiciary Committee. Mr. Leazar is a member of the Judiciary Committee with Col. Carr, and holds the position of lecturer for this district. Mr. Moe does not hold any position in the State organization but has been a State and National delegate, has served as president of Pitt county Alliance and is at present its secretary. With the exception of Col. Carr, who lives in a Republican county, all the gentlemen have held office given them by the votes of their Democratic constituents, and discharged their duties faithfully, acceptably and creditably. Capt. Alexander is the present Congressman from his district, and Mr. Moe the very efficient Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county. All are genuine farmers, representative men and men of intelligence and integrity. And yet, according to the Progressive Farmer, these gentlemen, assisted by Thomas J. Jarvis, W. M. Robbins, E. C. Smith, H. A. Guder and C. B. Watson, could only write "political poppycock" and "stiff, like of which has well nigh ruined our people." Wonderful in power and magnitude is Ramsay, and insignificant and dwarfish are those who prepared the address without consulting his immense highness!

Notice! Notice!

On Monday the 11th day of January, 1892, I will sell at the Court House Door in the town of Greenville to the highest bidder, for cash, several tracts of land in Pitt county described as follows:

1. A tract of land known as the Fanny Avery land, adjoining the lands of B. F. Crawford, W. G. Case and others, containing sixty-five acres.

2. A tract known as the Starling Avery land adjoining the Fannie Avery tract, the lands of Charles Harris, G. T. Tyson and others, containing fifty acres more or less in Beaver Dam township.

3. A tract known as the William Burnett land adjoining the lands of B. F. Crawford, W. G. Case and others, containing fifty acres more or less, in Beaver Dam township.

4. A tract of land whereon Silas Nichols now lives adjoining the lands of W. G. Case and others, containing fifteen acres more or less, in Beaver Dam township.

5. A tract of land known as the Mowland, adjoining the lands of Geo. Crawford, Silas Sutton, Frank Allen and others, containing one hundred and eighty acres, more or less, in Beaver Dam township.

6. One other tract known as the Joyner land adjoining the last named tract containing one hundred and twenty-five acres, more or less, in Beaver Dam township.

To satisfy sundry executions in my hands for collection against William Whitehead and which have been levied on said land as the property of said William Whitehead. J. A. K. TUCKER, Sheriff of Pitt County, December, 10th, 1891.

ESTABLISHED 1875. S. M. SCHULTZ, AT THE OLD BRICK STORE

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BUYING their year's supplies will find their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches.

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we buy direct from Manufacturers, enabling you to buy at one profit. A complete stock of

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always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH, therefore, having no risk to run, we sell at a close margin.

Respectfully, S. M. SCHULTZ, Greenville, N. C.

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Highest Prices AND Lowest Charges. Are the only Drummers that we have.

Do your part and save Thousands - of - Dollars

Paid to those who would mislead you Examine and compare our charges with others and you will see that you can't afford to sell elsewhere.

Faithfully yours, W. H. JENKINS, Manager. Greenville FEMALE School. TO BE OPENED ON MONDAY, JANUARY 4th, 1892.

Believing and desiring that Greenville should have a first-class Female School, the undersigned have employed Miss Lillie Nicholson, who comes highly recommended, to take charge of school room work, and Mrs. A. D. Hunter, who is already well-known, to take charge of the Music Department, and we most respectfully solicit the patronage of those desiring to patronize a strictly first-class female school. Those desiring board can secure the same at reasonable rates. Terms of tuition are as follows to be paid monthly:

Primary, \$1.50; Intermediate, 2.00; Higher English, 2.50; Higher English and Latin, 3.00; Other Languages \$1.00 each per month extra. Music, per month, \$3.00.

For further particulars call on or address either of the undersigned. C. A. WHITE, A. D. HUNTER, C. D. ROUNTREE, D. H. JAMES, R. A. TYSON, HENRY SHEPPARD, Committee. R. A. TYSON, Treas.

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FURNITURE! STOCK OF FURNITURE.

We have just received a large and complete—

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.

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 Market 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 MERCHANDISE

ever handled by us. The ten days spent in market by our buyers —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 statement 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, Tinware, Crockery, Queenware, Groceries, Wood and Willowware, Harness and Whips

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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.

LANG'S COLUMN.

THE REFLECTOR. Greenville, N. C.

Local Reflections.

All kinds of fire works at Rountree's. New Home Sewing Machine for \$35 at Brown Bros.

4000 pounds Candies cheap at the Old Brick Store. WANTED.—50,000 bushels of Cotton Seed, by H. Harding.

Crockery and Lamps just received at J. B. Cherry & Co's. Wanted for cash. Eggs and Hides at the Old Brick Store.

Shoes, Shoes, the biggest line in town at J. B. Cherry & Co's. Fresh Boss Biscuits for the well and sick at the Old Brick Store.

The prices of Sewing Machines greatly reduced at D. D. Haskett's. Hats new and stylish to please you at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Toys, Vases, Cups and Saucers, and Dolls cheap at the Old Brick Store. For Umbrellas and Rubber Coats go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Cheapest Bedsteads, Bureaus, Cradles and Mattresses at the Old Brick Store. For cheap and good Trunks and Valises go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

\$25 buys a three drawer new American Sewing Machine at D. D. Haskett's. For Buggy Blankets, Harness and Whips go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Get all kinds of Sewing Machine needles and parts from Brown Bros. The prices on Stoves and Hardware cut down to suit the times at D. D. Haskett's.

For Buffets, Safes, Bed Springs and Mattresses go to J. B. Cherry & Co's. Grapes, Pears, Coconuts, Raisins, Nuts, Cranberries at the Old Brick Store.

We make a specialty of Dry Goods and Shoes. Come and get prices. BROWN BROS. Cheap, 100 barrels of Red Apples and Florida Oranges at the Old Brick Store.

FURNITURE.—Do you want to buy Furniture then go to J. B. Cherry & Co's. Brown Bros. have taken the agency for the New Home Sewing Machine.

Hardware and Stoves, not at cost, but at greatly reduced prices. At D. D. Haskett. A few pretty Xmas books at Reflector Book Store. Get one before they are gone.

Buy your nice Christmas goods of Mrs. M. D. Higgs. Prettiest stock in town and prices low. Where are you going? To Rountree's to get my Xmas goods for he sells cheaper than any one else.

The place to get Xmas cigars is at the Reflector Book Store. The best and largest variety in town. L. M. Reynolds shoes for men and boys have no equal for wear and durability, for sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.

I have lowered the price on heating stoves. Now is the time to get a stove cheap. D. D. Haskett. Men's, Women's Misses and Children's Shoes in various styles and large quantities at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

A \$30 Sewing Machine for \$25. A \$35 Sewing Machine for \$27.50. A \$40 Sewing Machine for \$30. At D. D. Haskett. Cheapest line of Bedsteads, Bureaus, Chairs, Lounges, Centre Tables, and Suits at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

FOR SALE.—Two fine mares, one buggy, one carriage. Terms to suit purchaser. G. A. OGLESBY. Greenville, N. C. Dec. 4, 1891. The new American Sewing Machine is the best, runs lighter and makes less noise than any machine on the market. For sale by D. D. Haskett.

Here's your chance—you miss it if you fail to examine the beautiful line of Christmas goods at Mrs. M. D. Higgs'. Essels, Pictures, Plush Goods and Fancy Goods in endless variety. Prices low. EXHIBITION.—No good people we don't want to fool you, but Mrs. Fannie Joyner is opening the prettiest line of Christmas Novelties ever exhibited in the city. Look out for an attractive announcement next week.

HEADQUARTERS.—We will be headquarters for Fire-works during the holiday. Our first lot has arrived and we are looking for another installment in a few days. Fruits and other Christmas goods will be kept in stock. Call on us. J. S. SMITH & BROS. For nice Christmas goods go to Pender's. They have just opened a beautiful stock of vases, Bisque figures, China plates, cups and saucers and novelties. These goods were bought by Mr. Ryan. We have taken them and will sell low. Come early and get the choice. S. E. PENDER & CO. Pitt county makes the sale of the season on the Richmond market. Davis & Gregory Company Proprietors Planters Warehouse Richmond, Va., sold Dec. 10th for J. R. Williams. One lot at \$35, one lot at \$75, one lot at \$30, one lot at \$40, one lot at \$30, one lot at \$450, one lot at \$50, one lot at \$44, one lot at \$35 one lot at \$40, one lot at \$36. 400 pounds for \$197.94, average \$42.99. Who can beat this? The fine white tobacco of Pitt county is very popular on the Richmond market. Try the Davis & Gregory Company for best prices.

Personal.

Mrs. F. G. James has been quite sick. Miss Ann Delaney, of Washington is visiting Mrs. M. A. Jarvis. Mrs. J. B. Edwards, of Scotland Neck, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Lucille Owens, of Plymouth, is visiting Miss Louise Lathan. We were glad to see Mr. Allen Warren out last week from his recent sickness.

Miss Fannie Andrews, of Edgecombe, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Glasgow Evans. Mr. J. A. Crews, representative of that splendid paper, the Wilmington Messenger, was in town last Friday.

Rev. J. G. Nelson has been sick since Conference at the house of Mrs. J. A. Humber and unable to go to his appointment. Hebe Latham, of the Washington Gazette, escaped and strolled up here Monday. The Sheriff didn't telegraph that he was wanted so we did not have him arrested. He has joined the cash brigade for next year, putting the Gazette at one dollar and selling it to nobody on credit.

Rev. G. A. Oglesby, the new Presiding Elder of this district, preached two excellent sermons in the Methodist church, last Sunday, and administered communion to quite a large number. Our people are hopeful of inducing him to locate here.—Rocky Mount Argonaut.

Weddings all around us. Christmas Cards at Reflector Book Store. How close it is here—nine days to Christmas. Don't wait if you want to get in our Dictionary club.

See notice of land sale by W. A. Hynan, commissioner. The merchants are expecting a big trade this week and next. Mr. Glasgow Evans brought in a lot of new horses last week.

The roosters keep up a mighty crowing as Christmas draws on. Bring your tobacco to the Greenville warehouse and get high prices. Complaints are general as to the inferior quality of kerosene oil now being sold.

See notice of land sale by Sheriff Tucker to satisfy executions against William Whitehead. Remember the REFLECTOR next year for one dollar. Renew your subscription in time.

Court is bringing more people to town than was expected would be here just for a civil term. The interior of Mrs. M. D. Higgs' store is certainly beautiful—her Christmas goods are exquisite.

The Dancy dwelling house on Pitt street is for rent for next year. Apply to Ragstale & Whitchard. Bring on your tobacco to the Greenville Warehouse. Big sales there four times a week and the highest prices in the State.

James Smith has just refurbished his Barber shop with new towels and other paraphernalia and can serve you in the most artistic style. Go to the Opera House Thursday evening and witness "Tempest Tossed" as presented by home talent. Tickets for sale at Wooten's.

Next year being presidential election year you will want your county paper. Get it from now until January 1st, 1893, for one dollar. Mr. Ben Smith is a crack shot after partridges. He went out the other day and brought in thirty-one. The REFLECTOR feasted on a bunch of them.

Mr. R. R. Cotten, of this county won a \$75 premium at the Rocky Mount tobacco exposition for having the largest quantity of tobacco on exhibition. If you want to make some absent friend a nice Christmas present invest One Dollar in the REFLECTOR and send the paper to them the whole of next year.

Is your subscription to the New York World, Atlanta Constitution, Detroit Free Press, or any other leading paper or magazine about to expire, renew them at the Reflector Book Store. The Greenville Institute will close for the holidays on Wednesday night, Dec. 23, with appropriate exercises, consisting of vocal and instrumental music. The public cordially invited.

The candy man, Mr. Allen Nichols, who has a tent here in which he makes a variety of fresh candy every day, sent the REFLECTOR a nice assortment last Thursday. We enjoyed it much and return thanks. The copy for the county statement being delayed and causing some trouble we have to defer publishing the proceedings of the last meeting of the Board of County Commissioners until next week.

Old Pitt county came out strong at the Exposition, with 20,000 pounds of yellow leaf, and good too.—Rocky Mount Argonaut. That is just what we told you Pitt county was going to do. Santa Claus low has both eyes open looking for suitable things to take with him on his annual round the night of the 24th. Of course he will visit Greenville, and has promised to pay his biggest respects to those merchants who advertise.

Writing local with an aching tooth is a delicacy not indulged in every day, but since the snow and the grip we've been under the necessity of indulging in such a freak. The tooth is not very serviceable in the writing business, but for making a fellow see stars can be voted a big success. Jas. L. Little & Co. are disposing of their goods at cost in order to close up their business by the first of January, Mr. Little having engaged to take a position in the Bank after that time. Their goods being a new and clean stock and going at cost enables you to get some desirable bargains.

Found.

We are told that the body of an unknown colored man was found in the river near Peony Hill on Sunday. It was not known who he was or how long the body had been in the river. A bottle of whiskey and a carpenter's rule were the only things found in the pockets of the dead man. The parties who found the body took it out and buried it.

Renew Promptly. The Reflector will continue the cash system adopted the first of this year, and as it will be only a few weeks now before the time for which many of our subscribers have paid will we expire ask them to be prompt in renewing. We hope to carry every subscriber next year who is now on our books. Bring on your dollar so as not to miss any copy of the paper.

Oak Ridge Institute. This well known institution has just closed the most prosperous year, during which time the enrollment has been over 300 students. The new building has just received the finishing touches and the school will move into it for the first time on January 6th, the opening of the spring term. Send to Messrs. J. A. & M. H. Holt, Oak Ridge, N. C., for their beautiful illustrated pamphlet descriptive of the school.

Cracked His Head. Sunday afternoon while returning from Sunday School two street boys began throwing brick-bats at another boy of the same persuasion. One of the bricks took effect in the forehead of the boy who was being used as a target, and it is said his skull is slightly crushed in. Monday Jim Hazle and Ashley Daniel were placed in the lockup for throwing the bricks. Their Sunday School instruction was not much profit to them.

Sign Your Name. As many times as it has appeared in papers that editors never publish communications unless they know who write them, it does look like people would stop sending in letters over a non de plume and withhold their name. The real name is not wanted for publication but that the editor may know who sends the article. The Reflector received three such letters the past week and would be glad to publish them but for the fact that the name of the writers was not given.

Work Increasing. Messrs. Cox & Carroll at their factory at Winterville, made and sold nearly 1000 tobacco hogheads this season. They have already received orders from L. R. firm for 600 Cox cotton planters for delivery the coming season. Mr. Cox has also invented an improved back band for plow and wagon harness which is taking splendidly among the farmers. The manufacture of these has just fairly begun and orders come in faster than they can be filled. Their factory is about the busiest place in the county.

Houses Needed. Another man who wanted to locate in Greenville and who would make an excellent citizen, told us Monday that he would have to locate in a neighboring town because he could not get a house here to live in. He said he had, much rather not leave Pitt county, but had to go where he could get a house. In this way Greenville is losing ground. Not less than twenty-five families could have been located here this winter if there had been houses for them. The town cannot grow unless somebody builds houses.

Passed Away. Last Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock the spirit of Mrs. Nancy Vines, wended its way to the celestial city. She has already received orders from L. R. firm for 600 Cox cotton planters for delivery the coming season. Mr. Cox has also invented an improved back band for plow and wagon harness which is taking splendidly among the farmers. The manufacture of these has just fairly begun and orders come in faster than they can be filled. Their factory is about the busiest place in the county.

Married. In the Methodist Church at Bethel, on Wednesday, Dec. 9th, 1891, Rev. Walter Smith of Scotland Neck, officiating, Mr. S. T. Carson and Miss Lucy J. Knight were married, both of Bethel. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The ushers were J. R. Ward and T. L. Britton. The attendants, L. H. Rountree with Miss Theresa Knight, Zeno Moore with Miss Olivia Britton, John Howard with Miss Nina Knight, A. C. English with Miss Mamie Paul, T. C. Manning with Miss Cenna Cherry, W. B. Hargrove with Miss Azello Mayo, W. J. Little with Miss Maud Barnhill, W. O. Little with Miss Fannie Albritton, J. L. Sugg with Miss Louie Fleming, Albert Jones with Miss Mattie Albritton, L. F. Shelton with Miss Mattie Cobb, Willis Fleming with Miss Ella Howard, Wiley Bell with Miss Verna Little, J. M. Blount with Miss Lilla Bell, best man S. A. Gainer, maid of honor Miss Mattie House. The happy couple received a large number of beautiful presents.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Caroline Evans, four miles from Greenville, on Wednesday afternoon, 9th inst., at 4 o'clock, Mr. Andrew Critchler, of Person county and Miss Lillie Evans, of Pitt county were married by Rev. R. B. John. At night the couple held a reception at the home of Mrs. Jennie Forbes. They received a number of nice presents. Next morning they took the train here for Roxboro to visit the mother of the groom.

On Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 9th, at the residence of the bride's father Mr. A. C. Nobles, near Greenville, Mr. A. P. Murray was married to Miss Cora E. Nobles, Rev. R. B. John officiating. To all of these the Reflector extends best wishes.

HARD TIMES!

At Cost! At Cost!

Owing to the hard times and the low price of cotton and being desirous of closing out our entire stock of goods without reserve.

We propose to sell for the next thirty days

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Clothing, SAMPLE NOTIONS, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Carpeting, Rugs, Trunks, Umbrellas, &c.

At Cost. At Cost.

THIS IS NO SHAM BUT A STUBBORN FACT. In front Old Brick Store. C. T. MUNFORD, Greenville, N. C.

W. M. MOORE. W. PARKER. MOORE & PARKER, AGENTS FOR SMITH'S IMPROVED HAND PUMP, Burglar Window and Door BELLS AND LOCKS, Union Central Life Insurance Company, Cornish & Co's Celebrated Pianos and Organs. We will take pleasure in serving the public in any of the above lines. MOORE & PARKER, Office in corner under Opera House Greenville, N. C.

Central TOBACCO Warehouse, TARBORO, N. C.

Has Daily Sales and Very Satisfactory Prices.

Eight buyers have located at Tarboro representing the leading Foreign and Domestic Leaf Dealers and Manufacturers in the World, together with any quantity of home buyers. They want Tobacco that is what they located at Tarboro for. They are disposed to pay the value for Tobacco.

THE CENTRAL is conducted on strictly business principles. Tarboro is a good market. Best hotel accommodation for tobacco people at \$1.00 per day at the Bryan House.

We extend a cordial invitation to all. CENTRAL TOBACCO WAREHOUSE CO. For information apply to, S. S. NASH, Tarboro. Or ALEX HEILBRONER, Greenville.

ESTABLISHED 1883. 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.

FIRST COST.

WE TAKE THIS METHOD OF INFORMING OUR MANY KIND FRIENDS AND PATRONS THAT WE WILL

SELL AT FIRST COST

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS, Etc., Etc.

Respectfully, BROWN ROTHERS

The New Home Sewing Machine and all parts are kept by us. The Price 35 Dollars. Depository for the American Bible Society.

AT COST. AT COST. AT COST.

SAMPLE NOTIONS!

PANTS AT COST HIGGS BROS' STORE. THE BEST SHOES on the globe—C. P. Ford & Co's Shoes for Ladies at Higgs Bros.

Attention Farmers!

Both old and new tobaccos are selling well, and we are still leading on Big Prices and High Averages. We have a STRONG MARKET

A large crop of eager buyers holding big orders that must be filled. Below we give a few of the many good prices made by us in the past few days:

- D. P. Coley—13.25, 15, 20.50, 23.50, 28.50, 35, 36, 37. J. M. Ellington—10, 13.75, 14.25, 16.25, 17.75, 19.25. J. C. Albritton—10, 10.50, 15, 15.75, 15, 10.75, 14.75, 15.50, 13.25, 10.25, 12.75, 11.75, 12.75, 15, 17.75, 20, 42.50. P. M. Smith—10, 35.50, 22, 12, 15.50, 20, 15.25, 25, 18. Mrs. S. C. Patrick—12, 15.25, 12.50, 16.75, 17, 17. J. R. Goss—12.75, 16.25, 23, 15.75. Warren Tucker—15, 20, 20, 17.35, 10, 12, 35, 37. L. B. Burney—10.25, 20, 20.35, 17, 36, 13.75, 15, 10.50, 15, 10. R. B. Tucker—12, 15.25, 13.75, 15.25, 20.25. Z. Edwards—10.75, 12, 14.25, 15, 20. A. Forbes—15, 14, 19, 12.25, 15.25, 15.50, 17.

We have recently made sale of nearly all our old stock and are now ready for the new, and propose to make it lively for the "boys." Remember, we buy largely of all grades, from the commonest trash to the finest wrappers, and that we are willing to pay good prices. Don't forget that every pile of tobacco put upon our floor has our personal attention, and is sold strictly upon its merit, regardless of where it was made, how it was cured, or to whom it belongs. We guarantee to get you as much NET money for your tobacco as any one else can. So send right along to the "Banner," the acknowledged headquarters for High Prices for all grades of tobacco. Fine bright wrappers especially solicited. "For we want 'em." Our checks are payable in New York Exchange without cost to the holder. With many thanks for past patronage, and earnestly soliciting a continuance, we are, very truly, Yours to rely on.

Bullock & Mitchell, Owners & Prop. Banner Warehouse. Oxford, N. C.

CLOSING OUT!

JAS. L. LITTFE & CO. WILL SELL THEIR ENTIRE STOCK OF GOODS AT COST. AT COST.

Now is Your Time

All of our Goods are New and in good condition.

These Goods Must Be Sold in a Few Days.

Mr. James L. Little has accepted a position with the Banking House of Messrs. Tyson & Rawls and therefore we want to close our business as early as possible. Yours very truly,

JAS. L. LITTLE & CO.

M. R. Lang.

