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THE UNDERTOW.

You hadn't ought to blame a man for things he hasn't done. For books he hasn't written, or fer things he hasn't worn.

ECONOMY.

It has been well said that, "Economy is wealth." The saving of the little things amounts to saving the great things.

DEATH BY LOT.

The Old Libby Prison—A Thrilling Incident of the Late War. New York Herald.

The most thrilling incident connected with the old Confederate Libby prison at Richmond, Va. took place July 6th, 1863, a few months before the remarkable escape of Col. Rose and his comrades.

Capt. Turner assembled the Union prisoners together in a room at noon. They were formed in a hollow square around a table, and were then informed of the order issued by Gen. Winder.

The building used by the Confederate government as its first military prison was a tobacco factory, situated at the corner of 25th and 26th streets, in the Southern capital.

It is frequently the case we hear of men who apparently were living in wealth suddenly brought to poverty, but it is a rare occurrence to hear of the reverse action; this, however, is the case of one Calvin Twitty, a colored man 50 years old from Mitchell county, who has been in extreme poverty for years, and who came to Asheville a few days since and became the possessor of \$10,000 in cash.

He is the father of young Twitty, who was killed on the wrecked log train just west of this city a few weeks ago, and the boy had an accident policy of \$5,000 on his life, and to avoid a suit, the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company paid the old man \$5,000.

NEWSPAPER SUCCESS.

The Knoxville (Tenn.) Tribune, of recent date contains a timely and sensible editorial on "Newspaper success," from which the following extract is made:

A newspaper, to be truly successful, must, in the first place, be a financial success; that is, it must be conducted on legitimate business principles and its income derived from legitimate advertising and honest circulation, and not from catch-penny schemes, the sale of its news or editorial columns, or by any sort of dishonest or fictitious methods.

It must mark out an honest, intelligent policy and evenly and consistently pursue it, undismayed by the temporary criticism or momentary unpopularity; it should avoid abuse and personal controversies and attempts to pull down others in order to build itself up.

The following have been elected for the ensuing year: Grand Master—H. A. Gudger, Asheville.

Deputy Grand Master—John W. Cotten, Tarboro. Senior Grand Warden—F. M. Moye, Moyton.

Junior Grand Warden—R. J. Noble, Smithfield. Grand Treasurer—William Simpson, Raleigh.

TO MUCH LAW-MAKING.

Sunny South.

There is a story of a prince who was presented with a board upon which he could arrange figures to represent his own armies and those of his enemies, and by his movements of those he could control the fortunes of the troops actually engaged in war.

San Antonio Express. The pecan orchards in Texas are attracting attention. In a few years they will prove a great source of income to their owners, and one of the largest is that of Mr. Swinden, in Brownwood, Brown county.

He has now eleven thousand trees, some of them in bearing condition, and already paying him 20 per cent. on the investment and 20 per cent. in the increased value of the land.

Of course it requires time, expense, care and trouble to grow such an orchard, but what successful industry can be secured that does not demand all these conditions. Most of the streams in western Texas are lined with a gigantic growth of pecan trees, but a portion of the nuts, which they bear, is lost in the streams, and fully half the value of the crop is lost in the cost of the gathering; the nuts, too, are not so large and choicer as those grown by cultivation.

Those who are looking for easy and profitable farming should make the pecan industry a study and the quicker they put it in practice the more money will they make.

What are you doing to liquidate that honest debt you owe? Are you denying yourselves luxuries, or are you scheming and paying a big lawyer's fee to keep from paying it. Any honest man will make every effort to pay and he is not honest if he doesn't; we don't care how loud he prays in public, how often he parades his own honesty, nor how good a character he can prove in the Court House.—Louisburg Times.

WISE WORDS.

It takes love to know love. Nobody ever saw a lazy child. True love always does its best. Praise never has to be coaxed to sing.

We are bound to love the cause we work for. A good habit is a sword, a bad habit a chain. Thinking right will keep you from doing wrong.

We ought to be when all men speak well of you. The hardest thing love ever has to do is to remain idle.

Love that is all talk is very apt to be considered all mock. Look where you are going, and know where you are looking.

Doing wrong always kill something good in your own soul. It takes trouble and affliction to get some people wide awake.

The broader the way, the more people you will find traveling in it. Have no business dealings with the man who never has a good word to say for anybody.

While the servant was improving his master's five talents he working for himself. The man who plays the bass drum in a band, always thinks the music would be better if he had more to do.

An old hen with one chick is probably the biggest fool on earth. The man who thinks he can keep on sinning without losing his soul comes next.

Selfishness and godliness never get on well together. The grapes on that branch only put the teeth on edge, and give a bad name to the vineyard.—Rumi's Iwra.

Brothers.—The Executive Committee of the Sunday School Association of North Carolina, issues this call for its Eleventh Annual State Convention to be held in New Bern, on the 29th, 30th and 31st days of March, next. The Convention will be attended by Mr. Wm. Reynolds, of Peoria, Ill., late President of the International Sunday School Association and now Superintendent of Organization of that Association (the most prominent Sunday School Convention worker in the country) and by Prof. H. M. Hamill, Superintendent of Normal Work of the Illinois Sunday School Association.

The representation in the Convention will consist of members of the State Executive Committee, all speakers named in the Programme of the Convention, and five delegates from each county. Greatly reduced round-trip rates of fare will be obtained from all railroads. If arrangements can be effected, a special train will be run from Salisbury or Greensboro to New Bern. An outline programme and information concerning railroad facilities will be published as soon as practicable.

All Counties which have not held Conventions since last March, are earnestly requested and urged to take immediate action, hold Conventions and elect delegates to the State Convention. A full representation from every county in the State is greatly desired. We appeal to the Ministers, Superintendents and every lover of the Sunday School cause throughout the State, to bestir themselves and see that County Conventions are held in counties where none have been held during the year.

The press of North Carolina, ever willing to do its part in every good work, can be used, and we appeal to each worker in the cause to see for himself that a call for County Convention is issued at once.

Let it be no longer delayed. And Sunday School Worker is commissioned to arouse the brethren to the issuance of the call. A profitable and pleasant time may be expected. Let no County fail to be represented.

By order of the Executive Committee. GEO. W. WATTS, Chairman. H. N. SNOW, Secretary. Durham, N. C., January 20, 1892.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings Here and There as Gathered From our Exchanges.

There are 9,000 masons in this State. Durham has paid nearly four million dollars for revenue stamps on tobacco in four years.

The number of convicts now in the penitentiary is 200. They are about 1,500 convicts outside the prison.

At the meeting of the new directors of the Richmond & Danville railroad in New York city, Col. A. B. Andrews was elected First Vice-President of the road.

Grand Secretary Donald W. Bain has served the Grand Lodge of Masons as Grand Secretary for twenty-six years successively, and was elected for the 27th term. He is a deservedly honored officer.

The first through trip on the Roanoke & Southern railway between Winston and Roanoke was made last week. Regular through trains will be put on about February 1st.

The President has appointed Benjamin Henderson, a young-colored man, hardly more than 21 years of age, postmaster at Fayetteville. He is the son of Abe Henderson, a well known barber.

The Biblical Recorder states that "Strody Perry, of Coleraine, Bertie county, a prominent farmer and merchant, died last week and leaves the principal part of his estate of \$50,000 to the Oxford orphan asylum."

Goldsboro Argus: Raleigh has had a \$30,000 failure in her commercial circles this week. Messrs. M. T. Norris & Bro. and from Durham and Winston, also, failures are reported. Goldsboro, thus far, is all right. So may it continue.

The Commissioner of Agriculture is sending to the register of deeds of each county a circular, asking for the names of merchants who furnish supplies to farmers on liens. The plan is to obtain from such merchants the volume of their business. This will cover advances on crop liens. The drain on the State by reason of this lien business is immense.

Maj. J. W. Wilson, chairman of the railway commission has observed the weather, particularly snowfalls for 35 years, in this State and said that more snow falls in the vicinity of High Point than anywhere else. The next place in point of quantity is the vicinity of Littleton. Thus far this winter there has not fallen half an inch of snow at Morganton. Sunday night as much as eight inches was on the ground at High Point.

Raleigh News and Observer: The State Executive Committee is called by Chairman Smith to meet March 2d, when the time and place for holding the State convention will be fixed, we think that the sooner our candidates are placed in the field next summer the better. Much will depend on the result of the meeting now in progress at Washington fixing the date of the National Convention.

Concord Standard: Sunday, the 10th, Mr. D. J. Boston, familiarly known as "Uncle David," passed away at a ripe old age. Thursday night, just a few days afterward, his aged widow, Mrs. Boston, died of pneumonia. She was 98 years of age. Mrs. Boston's residence in Concord was longer than any citizen of the town. She was born here, raised here, lived here, never at any other place.

Rocky Mount Argonaut: Mr. Jackson Harper aged about 25 years met with a sudden death last Saturday morning near Hamilton and Sprill's saw mill on the lands of A. P. Bobbitt Esq. some five miles from town. He, with three other men cut down a tree for saw logs, which fell upon another tree and a large limb was thrown back striking him on the side of the head and knocking his brains out. He leaves a wife in feeble health and four small children. Mr. Everett Gordon came near being killed by the same limb.

Durham Sun: A gentleman, who arrived in the city this morning from the Cedar Grove section, in Orange county, says the farmers are having a tough time of it trying to get their tobacco to market. The roads are in a fearful condition, in fact, it is almost impossible to travel over some of them with a loaded wagon. Our informant says there are at least a dozen wagons loaded with tobacco broken down between here and Cedar Grove. Many farmers who tried to reach this market yesterday are water bound, and cannot reach here until late this afternoon or early tomorrow morning.

If genius is to find expression it must employ art, for art is the external expression of our thoughts. Many have genius, but wanting art are forever dumb. The two must go together to form the great portrait painter or sculptor.

ATTENTION.

Office of Board of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C., January 15, 1892.

The Board of Agriculture has undertaken to make an exhibit of the resources of the State of North Carolina at the Columbian Exposition, and has appointed the World's Fair Executive Committee to carry out this purpose. This Committee appeals to the citizens of the State to give them a cordial support, and to aid them in furnishing an exhibit that will be illustrative of the State's resources of every kind.

We confidently expect that North Carolina will be able to sustain herself in high competition with the rest of the world. Every country in the world and every State in the Union is expected to participate at this display of the world's resources and progress in every department of human effort. It will give some idea of the extent of this Exposition when it is remembered that 750 acres, more than a great plantation, is embraced in the grounds, and that 150 acres will be covered with the necessary buildings. These buildings will be filled with every conceivable product of nature and art, and North Carolina can and will respond to what is expected of her.

In order that our State may take her proper place at this great Exposition, the Board intends to make collections in the following departments: Agriculture—Foods and food products, etc. Horticulture—Fruits, wines and garden products, etc. Live Stock—Domestic and wild animals. Mines, Mining and Metallurgy—Mineral, building and monumental stones. Forestry—Timbers and other forestry products. Fine Arts—Painting, decoration, etc. Ethnology—Indian relics, and specimens illustrating the progress of labor and invention. Liberal Arts—Education, engineering, etc. Manufacturers, Fish and Fisheries—Fish products and appliances for catching fish.

All correspondence to be sent to T. K. Bruner, Commissioner in charge of exhibits and Secretary of the Committee, at Raleigh, N. C.

W. F. GREEN, Chairman. J. F. PAYNE, A. LEAZAR, W. E. STEVENS, S. L. PATTERSON, Committee.

A Cheap Complete Fertilizer. A mixture of acid phosphate, cotton seed meal, and kainit will make a complete fertilizer and of moderate cost if used in the following proportions to form a ton: 1,200 pounds Acid Phosphate. 600 " Cotton Seed Meal. 200 " Kainit.

The acid phosphate should run at least 12 per cent. available phosphoric acid, the kainit should contain 12 per cent. potash, and the meal should contain 8 to 9 per cent. of ammonia. This mixture will yield 8 per cent. of phosphoric acid, 1.68 per cent. of potash and 2.08 per cent. ammonia, which is but little lower than the average commercial fertilizer selling for \$25 and \$30 per ton. The ingredients and the mixing of the above formula should cost not more than \$10 per ton, and possibly less, if the ingredients are carefully purchased.

You may have to mash up some lumps in the kainit, but both the acid phosphate and meal are always in fine condition for mixing. By mixing with hoese on a smooth floor the whole may be smoothly and easily mixed.—H. B. Battle, N. C. Experiment Station, Raleigh.

The Lenoir Topic very truly says: As the angels in Heaven rejoice more greatly over one sinner who repenteth than over ninety and nine just persons who need no repentance, so do scoffers at religion make much ado over one person who back-slideth than over the thousand and one good, honest preachers who stand by their guns. It is the way of the world to pick out weakest timber in the church and hold it up as a specimen of which the edifice is composed.

If you wish to get fertilizer analyses promptly as they are sent out by the N. C. Experiment Station at Raleigh, write at once and ask to be supplied. Analyses will be issued every two weeks and sent to those who apply in this way.

THE CARE OF THE EYES.

It is a poor master who does not look out for his servants. But what more faithful servants could be imagined than the eyes, yet see how they are abused by so many of us. Dr. Lincoln, of Boston, in the "Annals of Hygiene," gives these rules for the care of the eyes in desk work and other student occupations:

- 1. A comfortable temperature, and especially let the feet be warm and dry. 2. Good ventilation. 3. Clothing at the neck loose; the same as regards the rest of the body. 4. Posture erect; never read lying down or stooping. 5. Little study before breakfast or directly after a hearty meal; none at all at twilight or late at night. 6. Great caution about study after recovery from fevers. 7. Light abundant, but not dazzling. 8. Sun not shining on desk, or on objects in front of the scholar. 9. Light coming from the left hand, or left and rear, under some circumstances from in front. 10. The book held at right angles to the line of sight, or nearly so. 11. Frequently rest by looking up. 12. Distance of book from the eye about fifteen inches.

Reader, have you ever thought of it how much of human existence revolves upon the two little words "yes" and "no?" The fate of nations, the ongoings of the world, have depended, since time began, and will so long as human nature exists, upon the utterance or the refusal to speak the little word "yes." To millions of young men it is the desideratum; with millions of young women it is the very supremacy of decision. "Yes" brings together the fathers and mothers of the world. Then that other little word "no." It has saved kingdoms, it has kept merchants from bankruptcy, it has shielded families from shame. To be able to say "no" keeps boys from guilt, young men from infamy and millions from ruin. "Yes" and "no" are small indeed, but no other words can do so much.—Elizabeth City Carolinian.

Exceptions as a Rule. The Rev. G. C. Lorimer, D. D., is credited with the following: Talking with a man who had professed to be converted, a minister said: "Have you joined the church?"

"No; the dying thief did not join the church, and he went to heaven."

"Have you talked to your neighbors?"

"No; the dying thief did not talk to his neighbors, and he went to heaven."

"Have you given anything to missions?"

"No; the dying thief never gave anything, and he went to heaven."

"Well it seems to me the difference is that he was a dying thief, and you are a living thief."

Professional Cards.

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D. J. WELCH, Editor and Proprietor. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27th, 1892.

CHANGE THE FARMING SYSTEM.

All are agreed that there is something radically wrong with our agricultural interest. There are various opinions as to the cause, and needed remedies. It is an indisputable fact that our farmers as a class are getting poorer and poorer every year.

There are at least, we believe, too fundamental causes for this depression among this noble class of our citizens. One is the present system of farming. The other the unequal change they have in fixing the price of their products.

It cannot be denied that our system of farming has greatly changed in the past twenty or thirty years, and even a much shorter time than this.

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you can only make cotton and tobacco as a money crop you will not be forced to sell it if the price is unsatisfactory.

You ought and we believe will have the assistance of every profession, for your adversity means the crippling of all others, your prosperity means the advancement of all.

One day it looks as if war is about to be declared against Chili. The next day every thing seems to be favorable to peace.

Chili has evidently not been very respectful to the United States but the matter, if it cannot be settled by diplomacy, can be by arbitration and this would be in keeping with the expressed policy of this Country in reference to such matters.

The trouble probably would have been settled long ago if some other man than Pat Egan represented this nation in that Country.

The News and Observer has the following to say in reference to the Grimley trial at Snow Hill last week for the assault upon Rev. J. T. Abernethy:

The Grimley case was settled in the Superior Court of Greene county this week, so far as the shooting is concerned.

Mr. Grimley having plead guilty, the Solicitor moved that judgment be suspended, and it was suspended, Rev. Mr. Abernethy concurred in this motion.

As Mr. Abernethy may have been actuated by laudable motives in giving his consent to this easy ending of the public trial; and since enough harm has already resulted from the affair, we do not regret that the trial did not develop the full facts, but leaves the original incidents still a matter of conjecture.

Chairman Smith has called a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee at Raleigh, Wednesday, March 2nd, to fix a date and place, and to issue a call for the State Convention, and for the transaction of other business that may be brought before it.

The Democratic National Executive Committee met at Washington, D. C. on the 21st inst for the purpose of selecting the time and place for the meeting of the next National Convention.

At the meeting of the Democratic National Executive Committee, Senator Ransom was put Chairman of the Committee to write letters of condolence to the families of the two deceased members.

The New York Herald is booming Henry Waterson as the most available candidate for the next Presidency.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 23rd, 1892.

The National Democratic Committee has, after mature deliberation and consideration of all the circumstances involved, decided upon the place for holding the Democratic National convention.

The meeting of the Executive committee of the National Association of Democratic Clubs held at the National headquarters here this week, was presided over by Representative Wilson, of West Virginia.

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beauty of the surroundings. The house is situated on a bluff overlooking the Gulf of Mexico, and stands on the water on a fine bluff stands his residence. The architecture of the house reminds one of olden times; being built about six feet from the ground on large brick pillars and single story with a piazza running around on either side of the house.

The house is still occupied by Mrs. and Miss Davis and judging from the looks of the place they are surrounded with every luxury a country residence can afford. Beauvoir is simply a small plank building, with a large fine forest surrounding it. From the rail road one can see nothing of the residence as the pine forest hides the place from view.

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Howell Cobb, Chas. Vines and Reuben Wall, affray, guilty, Vines and Cobb fined \$7.50, Wall, fined \$5. Howell Hearn and John Rives, affray, submits, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

J. J. Moore, appeal from J. P. court, fined \$30 and costs. Dallas Dilda, Joe Dupree and Wiley Dupree, affray, capias to Edgemoor for Joe Dupree, three months in jail for Wiley Dupree with leave to hire out.

Tom Pitt and Tonic Sharp, affray, guilty, Pitt fine \$40, Sharp \$10 and costs. Richard Cobb, removing crop, not guilty.

Charles Sumnerell and Edward Sumnerell, A. with D. W., plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of \$100 to keep the peace. W. A. Gardner, A. with D. W., pleads guilty, three months in jail.

Austin McGowan, larceny, plea's guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs. F. C. Martin, murder, not guilty. Fred Cannon, Jr., A. with D. W., pleads guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

John Stokes, N. T. Stokes, Jos. Stokes and Jesse Stokes, A. with D. W., plead guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs. W. A. Gardner, A. with D. W., pleads guilty, three months in jail.

Orange Langley, A. with D. W., not guilty. Marcus Patrick, larceny, pleads guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs. Henry Moye, A. with D. W., pleads guilty, four months in jail with leave to hire out.

J. J. Moore, A. with D. W., guilty, three months in jail. Benj. Warren Peyton, A. with D. W., guilty, six days in jail with leave to hire out.

Dennis Dupree and Henry Brown, A. with D. W., plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs. Elias Blount and Elic Blount, larceny, nolo contendere, fined \$1 and costs.

Stephen Little, carrying concealed weapon, nolo contendere, sixty days in jail with leave to hire out. Wright Smith and Sampson Bryant, affray, plead guilty, Bryant fined \$10, Smith \$2 and costs.

Adrian House, larceny, guilty, two years in penitentiary. Jim Hazel and Ash'ey Daniel, affray, plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Henry Moye, A. with D. W., plead guilty, four months in jail with leave to hire out. J. J. Moore, A. with D. W., guilty, three months in jail.

Benj. Warren Peyton, A. with D. W., guilty, six days in jail with leave to hire out. Dennis Dupree and Henry Brown, A. with D. W., plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Elias Blount and Elic Blount, larceny, nolo contendere, fined \$1 and costs. Stephen Little, carrying concealed weapon, nolo contendere, sixty days in jail with leave to hire out.

Tobacco Seed! The Newest and Best. For all classes and type furnished at lower prices. Planters raise tobacco for the money it brings, but only the Finest Varieties produce First class Tobacco, that pays. Start right, order for your locality and thus realize the largest returns possible from the crop. Catalogue free on application. R. L. RAGLAND SEED CO., Hycos, Va.

Office of the Board of Commissioners for Pitt County. The following is a statement of the number of meetings of the Board of Commissioners for Pitt County, number of days each member had attended, number of miles traveled, and amounts allowed for services as Commissioners for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1891.

NUMBER OF MEETINGS 18. Council Dawson had attended 17 C. M. Mooring " " 17 T. E. Keel " " 17 C. V. Newton " " 18 Leonidas Fleming " " 13

Am't allowed Council Dawson for 17 days as Comm'r @ \$2 per day \$34.00 For ten days as committee men @ \$2 per day 20.00 For 764 miles traveled @ 5c 88.20 \$82.20

Am't allowed G. M. Mooring for 17 days as Commissioner @ \$2 per day \$34.00 For six days committee men @ \$2 per day 12.00 For 386 miles traveled @ 5c 65.30 \$51.30

Am't allowed T. E. Keel for 17 days as committee men @ \$2 per day \$34.00 For ten days as committee men @ \$2 per day 20.00 For 680 miles traveled @ 5c 34.00 \$88.00

Am't allowed C. V. Newton for 18 days as Comm'r @ \$2 per day \$36.00 For 11 days as committee men @ \$2 per day 22.00 For 760 miles traveled @ 5c 38.00 \$96.00

Am't allowed Leonidas Fleming for 13 days as Comm'r @ \$2 per day \$26.00 For 5 days as committee men @ \$2 per day 10.00 For 188 miles traveled @ 5c 9.40 \$45.40

Total Am't allowed Board \$386.90 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. I, David H. James, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Commissioners for the county aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement as both appear upon record in my office, given under my hand and the seal of said Board of Commissioners, at office in Greenville, this 21st day of December 1891.

D. H. JAMES, Clerk Board Comm'rs for Pitt Co. Notice to Creditors. The Superior Court Clerk of Pitt County having issued a writ of administration to me, the undersigned, on the 1st day of Dec. 1891 on the estate of John L. Lewis, 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 authenticated, to the undersigned, within twelve months after the date of this notice, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

This the 1st day of Dec. 1891. B. BULLOCK, Adm'r. on the estate of John L. Lewis. Land Sale. By virtue of a decree of Pitt Superior Court made at its Term 1891 by His Honor H. G. Coanor Judge, in the case of P. E. Dancy vs J. D. Murphy, Extr. and Trustees and others, the undersigned Commissioner or sell before the Court House door in Greenville on Monday the 1st day of Feb. 1892, the following lots of land situated in the town of Greenville:

Beginning at a point on Evans street 30 feet from the S. E. corner of Lots No. 31 in the plan of the Town of Greenville, the same being the corner of J. S. and W. H. Smith, and running thence with said Smith line 182 feet to the line of Lot No. 80, thence with the line of Lot No. 30 in the direction of Fourth Street 50 feet, thence at right angles and parallel with first line 132 feet to Evans street thence with the line of Evans street 50 ft. to the beginning being a part of Lot No. 92 in plan of said Town.

Terms of Sale.—All cash, except the sum of \$634.16 which amount must be secured by Mortgage with 8 per cent interest, payable annually. This Dec. 29th, 1891. P. E. DANCY, Commissioner.

Notice. At 2 o'clock P. M. on Saturday the 30th day of January 1892, at the work shop of B. L. T. Barnhill & Sons in the town of Bethel, Pitt County, N. C., I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, all public action, the following described personal property, viz: two pair heavy wagon wheels, two iron axles, wagon pole and all other fixtures pertaining to said wagon, to satisfy a lien which the said B. L. T. Barnhill & Sons hold upon said property for work and labor performed on said property by said B. L. T. Barnhill & Sons, in pursuance of a contract made with Mc. G. Manning. This January 12th 1892. B. L. T. BARNHILL & SONS, By J. H. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Incorporation Notice. NORTH CAROLINA. Martin County. Before W. T. Crawford, Clerk Superior Court. Incorporation of The Dennis Simmons Lumber Company. Notice is hereby given that Dennis Simmons, D. D. Simmons of Williamson, N. C. and T. W. Tighman of Greensland, N. C. have this day entered into articles of agreement under their hands and seals before the undersigned for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the name and style of "The Dennis Simmons Lumber Company" and letters have been issued to them and their successors under that name. The business to be conducted by said company is the buying and selling of timber and timber lands, and manufacture and lumber into any and all of its various products, and general business in all its details, branches and departments and for that purpose may own and operate saw and other mills, and the period of incorporation shall be thirty years. The principal office of said corporation shall be at Williamson, N. C., and the period of incorporation shall be thirty years. The subscribers of the capital stock of said company are Dennis Simmons, D. D. Simmons and T. W. Tighman. The capital stock of said company is divided into four hundred and fifty shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, but said company may from time to time increase said capital stock to any amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars. No personal or individual liability for the debts, the obligations of said company shall be imposed upon said stockholders, their successors or any subsequent subscribers to the capital stock of said company. Witness my hand and official seal.

This 10th day of December 1891. W. T. CRAWFORD, Clerk Superior Court.

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 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 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, Tinware, Crockery, Queenware, Groceries, Wood and Willowware, Harness and Whips

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.

NORFOLK ADVERTISEMENTS.

L. W. DAVIS, MANUFACTURER FINE

HAVANA CIGARS

WHOLESALE TOBACCONIST, 39, 41, 43 Roanoke Avenue, NORFOLK, VIRGINIA.

COTTON, PEANUTS

ALEXANDER MORGAN & CO. COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, TUNIS WHARF, NORFOLK, VA.

S. B. HARRELL & CO.

COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 7 AND 9 COMMERCE STREET, NORFOLK, VA.

McCLEARY & McCLELLAN

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Horses and Mules. A Good Supply Always on Hand.

Land Sale.

By virtue of a decree of Pitt Superior Court made at its Term 1890 by His Honor E. T. Boykin, Judge in the case of Wiley Pierce and wife vs William Whitehead and others, the undersigned Commissioner will sell before the Court House door in Greenville on Monday the 1st day of Feb. 1892 the following described tract of land situated in the County of Pitt, in Falkland Township—One tract adjoining the interest of Dr. E. H. Mar's Martha E. Lewis and others, and known as the Robert Williams place, being same on which said Pierce and wife formerly resided, being all of the said tract of land lying on the North side of the main road leading from Greenville to Falkland—containing 200 acres more or less, also one half acre of land in the Town of Bethel, being one half of said lot and being same purchased of W. A. James and ceded to Wiley Pierce and B. F. Bryant as appears of Record reference is given to said Record.

Terms.—One third cash, balance in one and two years, secured by Mortgage on the land, with 8 per cent interest payable annually. This Dec. 30th 1891. F. G. JAMES, Commissioner.

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

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

PORK SIDES & SHOULDERS

FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR, RICE, TEA, &c.

TOBACCO SNUFF & CIGARS

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

FURNITURE

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.

HOW MANY ACRES IN TOBACCO?

The REFLECTOR desires to know the number of acres that will be planted in Tobacco in Pitt county this year. We desire these statistics in order that we may be able to present to Tobacco dealers and buyers in the established tobacco markets in the world, the advantages of our county as the coming tobacco market of Eastern Carolina and induce them to make Pitt county their home.

We also have spaces in name for the Postoffice address of the planter and the number of acres that each planter will have in tobacco. It is to the interest of every tobacco planter in the county to report every acre of tobacco in their neighborhood as they will be giving their aid to build up a home market.

TOBACCO ACREAGE.

Reported by.....Township.

PLANTERS NAMES.

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WORST FORM

OF

La Grippe

CURED IN

24 Hours.

Can such men be bought?

No, they are not for sale.

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Below we give the names of

some of the best known men

in the United States

who voluntarily

gave their testi-

monials of

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made by the use of

KING'S

Royal Germetuer.

Among them were many old

chronic cases of from ten of

twenty years standing.

We refer the reader

to any of the

names given

below.

Rev. P. S. Henfon, D. D., Chicago,

Gen. Jas. Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.,

Dyspepsia and Insomnia.

Major J. Y. Rankin, Atlanta, LaGrippe

West fern.

Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D., Atlanta,

Catarrh. Twenty years standing.

Gen. G. P. M. Turner, Atty General

of Tenn., Rheumatism, La Grippe,

Ex-Gov. R. Hubbard, Texas, mother

cured of Dyspepsia and General Debility.

G. W. Armistead, Nashville, Tenn.,

La Grippe and Nervous Debility.

Rev. Sam E. Jones, Carterville, Wifed

cured of Nervous Headache 20 yr. stand.

Dr. J. H. Pearson, St. Louis, Mo.,

Stomach and Kidney Trouble.

E. F. Small, Atlanta, Asthma. 26

yr. stand.

Rev. C. E. Wright, Chattanooga,

Tenn. Son cured of Epilepsy. 6 yr. stand.

H. S. Blackman, Norfolk, Va., Neuritis

and La Grippe.

B. W. Cheek, Norfolk, Va., La Grippe,

Rheumatism and Dyspepsia.

A. W. Jones, Norfolk, Va., Neuritis

and La Grippe.

Major Charles W. Hubner, Atlanta,

Nervous Prostration.

Rev. Mary A. Atkinson, Atlanta, Asthma.

28 yr. stand.

Rev. A. J. Lawless, Winchester, Kas.

Inflammatory Rheumatism, West form.

Tenn. Dyspepsia and La Grippe.

Rev. W. G. E. Cunningham, D. D.,

Nashville, Ed. S. Literature, LaGrippe.

D. C. McAllister, Chicago, LaGrippe.

Worst form.

THE REFLECTOR.

Greenville, N. C.

THE COMING MAN.

Oh, not for the great departed,

Who framed our country's laws,

And not for the bravest hearted

Who died in freedom's cause,

And not for some living hero

To whom all bend their knee,

My muse would raise her song of praise,

But for the man to be.

Mourn not for the vanished ages

With their great, heroic men,

Who dwell in history's pages

And live in the poet's pen.

For the grandest times are before us,

And the world is yet to see

The noblest work of this old Earth,

In the men that are to be.

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A PUZZLED JAPANESE OFFICIAL.

Texas Siftings.

A distinguished Japanese official

visited New York recently, and

a member of the municipal govern-

ment, who had been in Japan and

can speak the language of that

country, undertook to show him

around.

"Is that officer making an arrest?"

asked the Japanese, as he saw the

man stop a milk wagon.

"Not exactly," replied the official.

"He is a milk-inspector, and his

duty is, under the law, to see

that no impure milk is sold in the

city. If the milk is all right he

will let the milk-man pass on;

otherwise he will arrest him."

"What is impure milk?"

"Milk that is mixed with chalk

and water."

"Is the chalk a poison?"

"O, no; it impairs the quality—

that's all!"

"Does water in milk make any-

body sick?"

"Why, of course not! But when

a person pays for milk, he wants

genuine milk, and not water which

he can get for little or nothing

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BAPTISTS IN HEAVEN.

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HOW TO KEEP THE SKIN NICE.

You want to keep your skin

nice? Well, then, here are some

rules for you:

Don't bathe in hard water;

soften it with a few drops of am-

monia or a little borax.

Don't bathe your face while it is

very warm, and never use very

cold water for it.

Don't wash your face when you

are traveling, unless it is with a

little alcohol and water, or a little

vaseline.

Don't attempt to remove dust

with cold water; give your face a

hot bath, using plenty of good

soap; then give it a thorough rins-

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