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The REFLECTOR
A whole year for only One Dollar; but in order to get it you must pay in advance. If you find stamped just after your name on the margin of the paper the words: "Your Subscription Expires Two Weeks From This Date." 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.

10000 GIVEN AWAY!

BY THE GREAT SOUTHERN WEEKLY, The Atlanta Constitution.
Ten thousand dollars will be distributed this year by THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION, published at Atlanta, Ga., among its subscribers.
This great newspaper has already the largest circulation of any weekly newspaper published in the United States, and with one exception in London, the largest in the world. It is, first and foremost, a newspaper, chronicling every week the full news of all the world, and devoted especially to the development of the south. Its circulation now exceeds 150,000, and it is pushing for 200,000. Sample copies will be sent on application.
A Ten-Thousand-Dollar Distribution.
Five thousand dollars will be divided among its subscribers between now and July 1st, and \$5,000 between then and the end of the year.
The first division will be based on the results of the nominating conventions of the two great parties in June, and the other on the result of the presidential election.
The national democratic convention meets at Chicago June 21st.
The national republican convention meets at Minneapolis June 21st.
Both will nominate a candidate for president and vice president.
\$2,500 for the First Prize.
Twenty-five hundred dollars in gold will be given by THE CONSTITUTION to the successful answerer of the question: "Who will be the nominees of each party for president and vice president?" Any person selecting the four names thus chosen will be entitled to the first prize of \$2,500 in gold, and if chosen, more than one answer correctly, the prize will be divided accordingly.
\$500 for a Second Prize.
Five hundred dollars in cash will be divided among those who guess correctly only three out of the four names to be thus chosen as party standard bearers, so that the guesser may prophesy wrong as to one of the four names, and by getting three correct will come in for this prize.
\$2,000 More—250 Prizes.
In addition to the above \$2,500 in gold \$2,000 more will be distributed in 250 prizes, consisting of twenty-five silver watches, the retail value of which is \$40 an \$20, respectively, and 200 copies of Webster's Manual Dictionary, original edition, fully illustrated and consisting of 1,300 pages.
The gold watches will be given to every hundredth of the names to be received, the silver watches to the next series of hundredth ballots, and after that every fifth ballot will receive one of the 200 Webster's mammoth dictionaries.
All ballots must be accompanied by one year's subscription to THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION, at only \$1, and must be written on a separate sheet of paper, and contain the name of the subscriber.
The winner of any of the 250 prizes above noted will be given a free guess at the next \$2,500 distribution after July 1st. The guess will never be a wrong one, and a great newspaper will be more interesting than this one.
Address all communications to THE CONSTITUTION, Atlanta, Ga.
Appointments of Rev. A. D. Hunter.
First Sunday, morning and night, Paeonian.
Second Sunday morning at Antioch and Saturday night before.
Third and fourth Sundays at Greenville, morning and night, also second Sunday night, and Regular Wednesday night services each week.
Services at Fairview house on Tarboro road, Thursday night before each third Sunday until April and then on third Sunday evening.
Rev. R. F. Taylor's Appointments.
Rev. R. F. Taylor, pastor of Greenville Circuit of the M. E. Church, South, will preach at the following times and places regularly each month:
1st Sunday, at Salem, 11 o'clock A. M.
1st Sunday, Jones' Chapel, 3-30 P. M.
2nd Sunday, Shady Grove, 11 o'clock A. M.
2nd Sunday, Forbes' School House, 3 miles west of Greenville, 3:30 o'clock P. M.
3rd Sunday, Ayden or Spring Branch School House, 11 o'clock A. M.
3rd Sunday, Tripp's Chapel, 3:30 o'clock P. M.
4th Sunday, Bethlehem, 11 o'clock A. M.
4th Sunday, Lang's School House, 3:30 o'clock P. M.

THE BACHELOR.

H. C. DODGE
We NV not a bachelor:
He leads an MT life:
Yet he deserves no PT for
He ought to CK wife.
If he is VZ will not wait
Until he's in DK,
But now SA to find a mate,
Whom'd come in Love's RA.
He CZ he is foolish, too,
For in the ND's dead,
Without one sweet RT can woo,
And then so EZ wed.
No dateties nice to ET gets
Nor NE soft care:
Him to LA distress.
It's ED finds to cook his steaks
And sausAG's, no doubt,
And eat the KK labor makes
To EK supper out.
He has to wash and IN, too,
And mend his CD clothes:
His C lodgings make him blue,
When there at EV goes.
Of course in PC slumbers well,
In DD he finds delight
To hear lo cherub AB yell,
With NRG all night.
But in old AG will be sa,
His heart will AK 'one,
No fan I.E will call him "lad,"
& E will die unknown.
—Goodall's Sea.

The Coast Line System.

The work of laying the track on the Washington branch of the W. & W. road began Tuesday by a force of 150 penitentiary convicts. The entire grading has been completed and the track laying will begin at the junction of the Greenville branch and the Albemarle and Raleigh road, a few miles below Hotgood. There will be twenty-four miles of the Washington branch and when completed it will give the Atlantic Coast Line a system of roads tapping nearly every important section of Eastern North Carolina, and opening to the markets of the country the fine grain growing section of the east, the immense trucking interests of the sea-coast counties as well as the fish and oyster industries. The Washington branch especially will develop one of the finest truck growing regions of the State, and the great oyster beds of Pamlico sound with its fishing interests.

From good authority it is also reported by the Wilmington Messenger that New Berne is also to be taken within the embrace of the Coast Line system. It has been decided to put on a line of boats from Bells Ferry on the Kinston branch to New Berne which will give an independent line into and out of New Berne.

The Fayetteville short cut has been completed, the last rails having been laid Monday. It is understood that it will be thirty days before the new part of the short cut will be opened for operation.

Notice.

By virtue of the power and authority given in a Trust Deed from G. W. Cox and E. G. Cox to James H. Pot, dated the 30th day of December 1889, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, Book E, 3, pages 24 and 25, I will on Monday, March 7th, 1892, sell for sale at the Court House Door in Greenville, subject to the homestead of the said E. G. Cox, the following tract or parcel of land lying in Pitt county known as the Gausey place, containing one hundred acres more or less.
Terms of Sale, Cash.
February 1st 1892.
JAMES H. POT, Trustee.
C. M. BERNARD, Att'y. for Trustee.

Notice to Creditors.

The Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt county having issued letters of Administration to me, the undersigned, on the 8th day of February, 1892, on the estate of James Adams, 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 8th day of Feb. 1892.
J. Q. ADAMS,
Adm'r on estate of James Adams.

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county, on the 8th day of Feb. 1892, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of A. A. Baker, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate are notified that they must present the same for payment on or before the 3rd day of Feb. 1893, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.
This 8th day of Feb. 1892.
W. K. Woolard,
Executor of A. A. Baker.

OUR SQUANDERED SUBSTANCE.

Charlotte Chronicle.
When Mr. Harrison and the Fifty first Congress came into power there was a surplus in the Treasury so large as to be embarrassing.
In less than three years says the World that surplus has been squandered and the Government so burdened with new and permanent obligations that the Ways and Means Committee has had to ask the Secretary of the Treasury to inform it whether or not the country can meet its expenses without the adoption of devices for getting more money out of the people.
And this startling change has not been brought about by the reduction of taxes. On the contrary, the Fifty-first Congress multiplied taxes. The straitened condition of the Treasury is due solely to wanton waste and reckless squandering—to bounties, subsidies and the diversion of taxes by means of prohibitive duties, from the Treasury to the coffers of a fat-frying favored class of monopolists.

What do plain men of sense think of such stewardship? And what are they going to do about it at the polls next fall?
The St. Louis Republic has been making some investigations and has developed some appalling statistics with reference to the young men of this country. It finds that one-eighth of the population may be put in this category—that is, there are 7,500,000 young men in America. Only fifteen in every one hundred go to church regularly. Out of each one hundred about seventy-five never see the inside of a church. Only five per cent.—375,000—of the total number make any profession of religion. In our jails are one hundred and fifty thousand prisoners, of whom seventy per cent are young men. Only one-fifth of the active criminals are ever in jail at any one time. This would make our criminal population number 750,000, of which 500,000 are young men. This a dark picture.

Moving to Reduce the Cost of Litigation.

Special Cor. State Chronicle.
DOUGLAS, N. C., Feb. 2d 1892.
The following resolutions were passed by Rockingham county Alliance in session at Wentworth, N. C., January 14th, 1892:
Resolved 1st, That we respectfully request our legislative committee to investigate the cost of litigation in our courts, and see whether or not they can be cheapened by legislation or practice, and report to the next meeting of the State Alliance.
Resolved 2d, That we respectfully ask all our Superior court clerks and other court officers to give to the people through the press, all the information at their command relating to this point.
Resolved 3d, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the State Chronicle, Progressive Farmer, Weekly Review and Webster's Weekly with request to publish.
All papers friendly to the cause of the masses will please copy this and also all statements given by court officers as requested in resolution second.
Respectfully submitted,
R. P. HENRY.
T. B. LINDSAY, Sec't.

The Best Way.

Durham Sun.
Business men are each year endeavoring to come nearer to the cash system of doing business, realizing that it is the only correct way of doing trade, and that it is better for both buyer and seller. To the dealer it means less book accounts and the expense and worry of making collections, and any hard feelings that may arise between himself and customer over accounts. Store accounts invariably grow to larger proportions than the debtor is aware of, and then follows a dispute with a feeling on one side that charged accounts have been made that were never ordered, and on the other side that injustice and loss have been sustained by long credits. Make it cash every time or it equivalent.

These Men Were Killed by Overwork.

Washington Post.
Senator Beck's death resulted from overwork.
Henry Ward Beecher succumbed to overwork.
Zach Chandler died of apoplexy due to overwork.
Family troubles and overwork killed Horace Greeley.
Secretary Folger fell a victim to the demon of overwork.
Senator Plumb, though a giant in strength, died from overwork.
Dan Manning died from lack of exercise and excessive brain labor.
Edwin M. Stanton's death was superinduced by overwork and worry.
Family troubles and overwork killed ex-Senator Pendleton, of Ohio.
Worry and disappointment killed Charles Sumner, Henry Clay and Daniel Webster.

What the Railroad Commission Has Done.

Charlotte Chronicle.
Mr. James W. Wilson, chairman of the railroad commission of North Carolina informs a reporter of the Washington Post that, while the railroad commission of North Carolina has only been established about ten months, it has increased the assets in tax valuation of railroad property in the State about \$3,000,000, and, by regulating the telegraph tariffs and reducing passenger fares and freight charges, has saved to the people between four and five hundred thousand dollars.

A FAMOUS EULOGY.

Of all the eulogies in literature there is none more beautiful than the following upon Gen. Robert E. Lee. It fell from the silver tongue of that eloquent Georgian, Senator Benjamin H. Hill, and is said to have been extempore:
"When the future historian comes to survey the character of Lee he will find it raising like a huge mountain above the undulating plain of humanity, and he will have to lift his eyes high toward heaven to catch its summit. He possessed every virtue of the other great commanders without their vices. He was a foe without hate, a friend without treachery, a soldier without cruelty, and a victim without murmuring. He was a public officer without vices, a private citizen without a wrong, a neighbor without reproach, a Christian without hypocrisy, and a man without guilt. He was Caesar without his ambition, Frederick without his tyranny, Napoleon without his selfishness, and Washington without his reward. He was as obedient to authority as a servant and royal in authority as a true king. He was as gentle as a woman in line, pure and modest as a virgin in thought, watchful as a Roman vestal in duty, submissive to law as Socrates, and grand in battle as Achilles."

GRIP'S GREETING.

New York Sun.
I am La Grippe!
Grip, for short,
But I get there just the same.
I am no respecter of persons,
And silk, or satin, or broadcloth
Has no more influence with me
Than a width of
Brown muslin has!
I lay for the woman
Who runs around bareheaded
Or this shod:
And the way I swipe a man
Without an overcoat
Is perfectly astonishing!
The air is full of me;
I've got a corner on the
Human system at present,
And I am working it
For all its worth!
I and the doctors
Are having a picnic,
With the doctors
Getting all the gate receipts!
However I'm not in it
For boodle,
But why multiply words?
You know me,
And if you don't you can learn
All you want to know
By reference to the families
Which, and in which,
I have worked!
Mighty few of them
Don't recognize me socially,
And curse me
For all the crimes in the calendar.
But I ain't saying a word.
I simply
Let her go Gallager.

Endorsing.

This system of endorsing is all wrong, and should be utterly abolished. It has been the financial ruin of more men than, perhaps, all other causes. Book-keeping, a journal devoted to merchants, clerks and business men, advises our young men especially to study the matter carefully in all its bearings, then adopt some settled policy to govern their conduct, so as to be ready to answer the man who asks them to sign his note. What responsibility does one assume when he endorses a note? Simply this: He is held for the payment of the amount in full principal and interest, if the maker of the note, through misfortune, mismanagement, or rascality, fails to pay it. Notice, the endorser assumes all this responsibility, with no voice in the management of the business and no share in the profits of the transaction, if it proves profitable, but with a certainty of loss if, for any of the reasons stated, the principal fails to pay the note.

A Safe Rule.

Wilson Mirror.
Never suspect a friend of doing you a wrong until the truth of it is as plain and as clear as the sun at noon on a cloudless day, and then—yes, even then, do not accuse or censure until you have heard from his own lips his version and explanation of the supposed wrong. If you were ever a friend to him he is certainly entitled to that much forbearance and consideration. If this rule were practiced, many a misunderstanding would averted, and many a headache spared.

Test Your Seeds.

Thousands of dollars are lost every year by sowing stale and worthless seeds. This can be largely avoided by purchasing early and having the seeds tested before sowing them. The N. C. Experiment Station will advise its friends, upon application, where the best class of seeds may be obtained, and will test samples free of charge for citizens of the State. Samples sent for test should contain at least 400 seeds, and should be a fair average sample of the original package. The names of the seller and price paid for the seeds must in all cases be stated. It requires two full weeks to make a complete test of a seed sample. Address samples to the N. C. Experiment Station, Raleigh, N. C.—Gerald McCarthy, Botanist.

Don't Swear.

Wilson Mirror.
Do not swear. There is no occasion to swear outside of a printing office. It is useful in proof reading, and indispensable in getting forms to press, and has also been known to assist in looking over the paper after it is printed, but otherwise it is a very disgusting habit.

The Nashville Printers' Association.

The Nashville Printers' association has sent a protest to congress against the printing of stamped envelopes by the government without charge to users. By printing these envelopes for business men the government does an injustice to the printers all over the country, and it is a custom that should be abolished by congress.

Astronomers tell us in their own simple, intelligible way, that the gradual lengthening of the days is due to the "obliquity of the ecliptic to the terrestrial horizon."

This ought to set at rest the foolish idea that the days are longer because the sun rises earlier and sets later.—Orange (Va.) Observer.
A friend induced me to try Salvation Oil for my rheumatic food, I used it and the rheumatism is entirely gone. JOHN H. ANDERSON, Baltimore, Md.
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HERE'S THE SIZE OF IT.

Concord Times
Much ado is being in some of the papers about the lack of funds to support the graded schools of Charlotte, as a result of the depletion of the town treasury caused by the withdrawal of the whisky tax. Of course, this makes a big hole in the treasury—nobody is bilked to that fact. But is it not infinitely better, and cheaper too, looking at it from a business point of view, for the town to levy a special tax for the support of the graded schools (as is done in Concord) than it is to license barrooms to scatter want and drunkenness throughout the city? More than this, even, the lovers of morality and good order in Charlotte themselves had better make up a private subscription to support the schools than to submit to the relicensing of the saloons. Further, the suspension of the graded schools altogether would work far less harm than the re-opening of the saloons.

Go To Mother.

Wilson Mirror.
What a blessing, what a privilege! When trials come, when sorrows break, when the clouds of misfortune lower what a comfort it is to go to mother and drown all shadows in the sunlight of her love. So children, go to mother in every trouble—for mother knows. Do not hang back shyly, feeling that your youthful follies will be laughed at. There is no thought of yours that is not sacred to mother. Her touch will send the sunniest shadow flying before the radiant sun of her unselfish love. She is the comforter given you for your very own. When all else turn from you—when from the dread depths of deep disgrace or misery you open your eyes and look disparagingly upward—there is mother's face close above you, her heart beating above your own, her pitying soul yearning over you, her whole being changed into a great protecting wall to shut you from the cold and unforgiving world.

The Country Publisher.

The public should ever bear in mind, says an exchange, that it is a constant struggle with many country publishers to keep their paper going financially. The business is made up of such small accounts that many people think that the trifling amount due from them does not matter much whether paid promptly or not, forgetting that there may be thousands entertaining the same idea, and thus withholding from the publisher his hard-earned dollars, while not particularly meaning to work a hardship. The better plan is always to promptly pay in advance for a newspaper the moment the subscription expires. The paper will be all the better for promptness in this matter, for no man can get up a spicy, interesting journal if his mind is harassed by bills coming due, and which, from the negligence of patrons, he is unable to meet.

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STATE NEWS.

Happenings Here and There as Gathered From our Exchanges.

Evangelist Fife has been holding a successful meeting at Williamston.
Goldboro Headlight: There is a certain family of four residing in this city whose combined age is 271 years.
Asheboro Courier: Temperance sentiment is so strong in this county that no applications are made to the county commissioners to grant license for the sale of spirituous liquors.
Washington Progress: The schooner Wave, Capt. Newcomb, was swamped in Pamlico Sound on Thursday last and the captain and entire crew were lost. She was laden with oysters for Norfolk.
A school boy in Gaston county has burned the schoolhouse at which he was a pupil. He did this because he disliked the idea of attending school. The house was a handsome one and was furnished only a few months ago.

The Supreme court of the State rendered a decision of interest to every merchant in the State.

It was in regard to the merchants' purchase tax and the court finds that the tax is constitutional. So the merchants will have to pay the tax.
Washington Gazette: On Thursday Mr. Allen Hudson, who is logging for Tighman's mill, while attempting to extricate a pine which had lodged as he felled it, was struck by the rebound and killed. His collar bone and neck were broken.
Pittsboro Record: A few days ago a man in this county married his step mother, his father's widow whose five children are his own half brothers and sisters, and also now his step children. The idea of a man being the husband of his mother and the father of his brothers and sisters.

Lenoir Topic: They have a "Spinnster Club" in Asheville which assesses every bachelor \$5 for any charitable object they have in view and they always send round and collect it. They sent to collect Judge Shuford's assessment the other day and he non-plussed them by refusing to pay and offering to marry any one of the spinnsters the club would designate.

Tarboro Southerner: Some people in this one-crop ruined land still contend that it does not pay to raise meat. W. M. Edmondson says with peanuts the cost is very little. He estimates that the 10,000 pounds of meat killed by him did not cost more than three cents a pound. The hogs picked his peach field clear he had gathered a hundred bushels to the acre.

Salisbury Herald: Our Presbyterian friends are rejoicing over a magnificent proposition by which their orphans' home at Barium Springs will be speedily rebuilt. Mr. Geo. W. Watts, of Durham, has written to Dr. Rumble that he will build one of the cottages, costing not more than five thousand dollars, provided the Regents will erect the other. As a portion of the sum needed is already on hand and the Presbyterians of the State can be depended on in an emergency, there is no doubt the building of these two handsome cottages

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Advertisements inserted in Local Column at reading items, 7 1/2 cents per line for each insertion.

Legal Advertisements, such as Advertisements 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 30 v. advertisements and all changes of advertisements should be handed in by 10 o'clock on Tuesday mornings 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.

Charlotte wants the State Democratic convention this year and is working in dead earnest for it.

The North State recently removed to Raleigh, from Greensboro, has moved back to the latter place.

The South is for the ablest, strongest and truest Democrat for the Presidency, no matter from what State or section he hails. With us principles are first and men second.

General Milton S. Littlefield, a name not forgotten by North Carolinians, is to be tried in New York City for grand larceny. He is a corrupt rascal and is now what he was in 1869, when the chief Radical boss in this State.

Gen. Alger finds himself as a Presidential possibility embarrassed by the fact that he will have to defend his war record, as official statements record that Sherman recommended his dishonorable discharge from the army. What makes it worse is that his witnesses are all dead.

The Democratic State Executive Committee meets in Raleigh the second of March to select time and place for holding the State Convention. There should be a full attendance. Let there be no objection to the time and place after it has been named. We need harmony.

Mr. Blaine says the report that he is to resign from the Cabinet is an "infernal lie." This is decidedly emphatic and yet his friends are still insisting that he does not mean what he says. He evidently furnishes the brains for the present administration and it seems as if he ought to be allowed to remain in the Cabinet.

Monday Feb'y 22, was the birthday of Washington. It was appropriately observed in many places. It is to be hoped that its annual return has inspired some of our great statesmen (?) with the patriotism which marked him for all time as "first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

If the weather here was to be taken as an index, allowing for the difference in the latitude of this place and Albany, the New York World was not far wrong in naming the Convention that met there last Monday the "freeze out convention." It was evidently a cold day for Hill and unless the signs of the times are wrong for Cleveland also.

Hon. T. R. Jernigan who has been associated with the Raleigh News and Observer for some time past has severed his connection with that paper. The only cause assigned is that the reasons are sufficient to himself. We trust Mr. Jernigan will not remain long out of journalism. He is a scholarly gentleman and makes a fine editor. His plans will be announced later.

President Winston of the University has made an elaborate report of the condition, progress and needs of the University. The report shows a large increase of patronage. It indicates general prosperity in all departments. He makes some wise suggestions in reference to the conduct and needs. He also names specified amounts which the University needs now to enlarge and develop its usefulness. Doubtless some of these will be forth coming. President Winston is the right man in the right place and under his management we may reasonably expect the University to be at no distant day second no institution learning in the South.

Ke-hi-on-kah, or Star the Christian Indian of the Cheyenne tribe who is traveling and lecturing with the object of awakening an interest in the Indian both as to his civilization and Christianity, was here some time ago and delivered three lectures. We have intended saying something in the last two or three issues in reference to the subject matter of these lectures but have been prevented from doing so.

Mr. Star is a man of no ordinary information. He seems to be fully conversant not only with the history of his own race but that of the white race also. He has a magnificent voice and speaks the English language with remarkable clearness. He feels deeply an interest in his own people and in consequence is endeavoring to enlighten the people generally in reference to their past and present and enlist their sympathies in behalf of this race that seems to have been badly treated.

He says there are 264,000 Indians in this country and out of this number 180,000 are savages. He is very pointed in speaking of these heathen here in our own country with but little interest manifested for their salvation. No one can hear him in reference to this without feeling a desire to give these people the gospel. He thoroughly convinces you that there has never been any real effort by the Government to civilize this race. Instead of that they have been kept away from civilization by being driven farther and farther from it. The only effort that has been made he says is to shoot them into it. This has never been successful with any people. How do you expect it to be with the Indian? He says the white people showed their civilization years ago to be far inferior to what it is now. If this race has not become civilized in hundreds and hundreds of years how do you expect the Indian to be in so short a time? Mr. Star shows that the Indians can be civilized and christianized also, if they were in contact with these things. The system of appointing agents for the Indians is fully ventilated and shown to be rotten to the core. Of the 900 solemn treaties made with this people only one remains unbroken, the one made by Jackson about fifty years ago. The Indian did not break them either. Most of not all of them were caused to be broken by this abominable system of the United States in appointing salaried agents to go among them to cheat and defraud them and give them whiskey until they make one or two of a tribe commit some crime, then the United States declares war against the whole tribe for the act of two or three. This is not the way they treat other races. The Indians never come in contact with any of the better class of white people. Nothing but the scum of society goes among them and this is to cheat and defraud them.

He shows that it cost the United States about \$25,000,000 to fight the Indians every year and that the agency system is the prime cause of this. The other principal cause is that when any land which they possess under a solemn treaty is found to be valuable on account of its minerals and a body of land sharks come along and settles down among them, others follow and the Indians see their hunting ground passing from them. They make complaints but these complaints are to be made through these agents who never make them. Then as the great father at Washington does not interfere to stop them the Indians scalp a few, as they have been taught that if they will do this a fellow will never come back to trouble them again. This the agents report and the great father makes them get farther and farther and gives their lands to the white people.

There are many things in these lectures that are matters of fact and observation and they are so put by this noble Christian Indian that they cannot fail to awaken a deeper interest in these people. He says the Indian's only hope lies in the people. They must right these things and he trusts that by traveling from State to State he may in some way contribute to the relief of his people. We are satisfied that the Indians have been badly treated.

Rev. T. A. Boone, pastor of the Methodist church in Lexington, has just finished a series of sermons on the second coming of Christ. He has long made a careful study of this question through the prophecies of the Bible, from which alone he draws his conclusions, and feels sure that the millennium will occur in the year 1897, only five years from now.—Lexington Dispatch.

This is all "stuff," and any preacher is very much out of his line when he goes to arguing or trying to prove any definite time for the world to come to an end. The Bible teaches as plainly as it teaches anything that no man knoweth the day, not even the angels in heaven, when the winding up of the affairs of this mundane sphere is to take place.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 19, 1892. Representative Springer, chairman of the Ways and Means committee, and Representative Bland, chairman of the Coinage committee, both assured your correspondent that there was not the slightest foundation for the stories that have been recently told about these committees antagonizing each other on the floor of the House. Mr. Bland says that himself and all the rest of the free coinage Democrats are just as anxious to see the bills passed putting wool, cotton ties and binding twine on the free list, which have been prepared by the Ways and Means committee, as they are to pass the free coinage bill, and that they have never had any intention of antagonizing any of them. They only ask that a time be set for the consideration of the free coinage bill, and they will utter no complaint if the Committee on Rules decide that their bill be taken up after the tariff bills are passed.

The story that Mr. Mills intended offering an entire tariff bill as a substitute for the first one of the tariff bills taken up by the House had just a little foundation. Mr. Mills has no idea of doing anything of the kind. He favors each of the bills prepared by the Ways and Means committee, the only difference of opinion between himself and the majority of the committee being that he would like to see the entire tariff reformed at one time, instead of going at it by piecemeal. He will heartily support each of the bills, as steps in the right direction.

Congress, or as many of its members as can spare the time from important committee work, will leave here for Chicago to-night, as guests of the World's Fair committee of that city, returning next Wednesday morning.

Representative Rayner, of Maryland, this week delivered one of the strongest speeches against trusts ever heard on the floor of the House. He reminded the Republicans that neither the Interstate Commerce law nor the Sherman act passed at the last session of Congress, had prevented the continued formation of the trusts and combinations which it was their alleged purpose to eradicate; that trusts still blossomed and flourished as they accumulated in every commercial centre; that they still defied the law and the jurisdiction and mandates of the courts, and that they still, with arrogant front and bold pretensions, executed their purposes without the slightest fear of inflicted punishment of the slightest concern about any encroachment upon their prerogative. They are so powerful and influential that the legislatures of the States seem to tremble at their presence, and the Congress of the United States had stood by with folded hands and permitted them, with an iron heel to trample upon the rights of the people.

The committee to investigate the Pension Office has had a room assigned it in the capital building, and it will hold daily sittings of several hours until its work is completed. Representatives Cooper, of Indiana, and Enloe, of Tennessee, will assume to positions of prosecutors they being thoroughly familiar with most of the charges brought against the bureau. Chairman Wheeler, of the investigation committee, says he enters upon the investigation without any finding out about this business. It is expected that the first hearing before the committee will take place the latter part of next week.

The House adopted a resolution calling upon the Postmaster General for information relating to contracts made under the ocean mail subsidy act. Representative Enloe is the author of the resolution, and he wishes to use the information asked for in preparing an argument in favor of information asked for in preparing an argument in favor of his bill for the repeal of the subsidy act, which he is confident will be passed by the House.

Democratic absentees are giving the leaders of the House the continuation of this practice will prove very embarrassing, as it enables the Republicans to tie the House up at any time by refusing to vote, thus breaking a quorum, as was done several times this week.

The Indian appropriation bill, which is \$10,415,055 less than the one passed last year, which carried \$9,614,898 to pay for lands purchased from various tribes, is now being considered by the House. No time has been set to close debate upon it.

Mr. Blaine is reported as favoring Robert Lincoln for the Presidency. He might run as the son of his father. This only would he have to recommend him.

As the Asheville Democrat says, now that Congress has broken up the Louisiana Lottery, now let it turn its attention to the gambling in futures in New York. We venture to say that the gambling done in New York has ruined more people and done more harm than the lottery; while the latter only ruined small amounts from each individual, the former hopelessly swamped thousands upon thousands, whose failure ruined others every year. Let this other and greater gambling concern and its agencies everywhere be abolished.

ACORNS FROM BLACK JACK.

I promised your readers that I would have something to say of Black Jack in the future. The farmers are delayed in their farm work owing to the cold and wet winter. The weather has cleared off and the ground has become dry and work is progressing. The acreage of cotton is not so large as last year. The low price has discouraged the farmers and are putting in more oats than usual. There will be some tobacco planted in this direction this year. Mr. E. S. Dixon used one barn last year, and this year he will use five. Some of the farmers are going to try some Irish potatoes.

We are too far from transportation. Two rail roads have been partly surveyed in this section and the rights secured for one of them. I think we will have a railroad before a great while. If we had one I think we could compete with any section of the county. Our land is underlaid with as fine marl as there is in the county and with generally a clay sub-soil, wet or dry weather does not affect it as the lighter land. I have noticed the crop for the last ten years and the farmers have made a plenty of corn and meat and most of them have some to spare. If you will notice a man with a full barn and smoke house you will find him out of debt. I don't think you will find a farm here against any farmer around Black Jack. A large portion of the farmers have not sold their cotton, owing to low price.

On the 14th, Mr. W. S. Dixon of Black Jack was married to Miss Carrie Harris, of Haddock's X Roads. Billie Moore, J. P. officiating.

Mr. E. S. Dixon has a sow raising fourteen fine pigs all of her own brood. She is a very prolific sow, giving birth twice one year and three times the next with from fourteen to sixteen pigs in each farrow.

Mr. Church Gladson, an old citizen, is very sick. The measles is in several families and is still raging. We also have the grip and whooping cough and what next?

Success to the REFLECTOR.
C. L. W.

There is no place where a boy or a young man, can display his good manners and raising more effectually than a public gathering—whether at church, reception, a play, or entertainment of any kind. And there is no better place for him to make a consummate fool and nuisance of himself, to the disgust of ladies and gentlemen.—Durham Sun.

Some men will give a town the black-eye because it is dull, as they say, and when a movement is made to advance it, they jump right square on it with both feet and try to crush the life out of it. Are such men public-spirited, or have they the pride of their town at heart? Such should not be the case. Let everybody pull together for the good of their town—then you will see it take on new life and flourish as never before.—Kernersville News.

A man registered at Mr. W. W. Hutson's hotel last Thursday as "Geo. W. Williams, N. Y." He went away Monday without saying anything about settling his bill. He purported to be in the business of enlarging pictures. His scheme was to show a very nice picture to some prominent persons, secure a picture of some member of the family and offer to enlarge it upon being paid a dollar to defray the expense of sending it to N. Y., and returning the enlarged picture. He was well dressed, about 5 ft. 10 in., about 30 years old, had a brown moustache, limped a little in his walk and was of medium build. We have also learned that he carried not less than \$100 dollars from this place and Burlington, besides pictures that were highly prized. Our exchanges would do the people a service to publish a notice of this fraud, that he might be caught and the pictures secured.—Graham Gleaner.

Land Sale.
By virtue of a decree of Pitt Superior Court made at March Term, 1890, by His Honor E. B. Boykin, Judge, in the case of White, Pierce and wife vs. William Whitehead and others, the undersigned will sell before the Court House door in Greenville, on Monday the 21st day of March, 1892, the following described tract of land situated in the county of Pitt, in Falkland township: Adjoining the lands of Dr. P. H. Mayo, Maribea E. Williams and others and known as part of 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.

Terms of Sale—One third cash, balance in one and two years secured by mortgage on said land with 8 per cent interest from day of sale payable annually.
This February 16, 1892.
F. G. JAMES, Commissioner.

LIVERY, FEED AND SALE STABLES.
I have removed my stables from Five Points to the ones formerly occupied by Mr. F. K. and will constantly keep on hand a full line of Horses and Mules. I have beautiful and fancy turnouts for the livery and can suit the most fastidious. I will run in connection a DRAY-AGE BUSINESS and solicit a share of your patronage. Call and be convinced.
GLASGOW EVANS, Greenville, N. C.

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on their way to Washington, N. C., and we are prepared to sell —it at very low figures—

FOR CASH.

As we purchased this Kainit direct from the Agents of the German Mines there-by saving the jobbers profit, we are in a position to give you the benefit of bottom prices, and you will find it to your interest to see us before buying elsewhere. We guarantee it to be the highest grade and in good condition. To other merchants who want to buy in 10 to 50 ton lots we will make special prices. We have also made arrangements to again handle the popular brands of Fertilizer sold by us last year and it is indeed gratifying to us to be able to say that each of them gave entire satisfaction to all who used them last year, and we can assure you they are fully up to the same standard of excellence this season. To those who have used our Fertilizers it is not necessary for us to say anything as their merits usually establish a trade. But for the benefit of such as have never used them and to refresh the memory of some of our customers, we beg to ask your attention to the following selection of brands of high grade

FERTILIZER!

Tinsley's Special Tobacco Fertilizer.

This brand is too well known all over the Tobacco growing region of Eastern Carolina to need any praise at our hands. For the production of fine BRIGHT TOBACCO it stands at the head of the list. The guaranteed analysis is 4 per cent. Ammonia, 8 per cent. Avail Phos Acid, 2 1/2 per cent. Potash.

Capital Tobacco Fertilizer.

Last year was the first season that these goods were put on the market and the result from their use in the production of FINE BRIGHT TOBACCO was so highly satisfactory that the demand for them this season gives promise of being very heavy. We confidently recommend it to our friends and know whereof we speak. The guaranteed analysis is 4 per cent. Ammonia, 8 per cent. Phos Acid, 4 per cent. Potash.

The Pocomoke Guano.

Is one of the oldest and best established brands of Guano sold in the State. It is especially prepared for Cotton but being composed of nothing but the best highest grade material, it has been used with entire satisfaction on all crops. We sold a large quantity of it for Potatoes last year and it gave such universal satisfaction the demand this season is much increased. The guaranteed analysis is 2 1/2 per cent. Ammonia, 8 1/2 per cent. Avail Phos Acid, 1 1/2 per cent. Potash.

The National Fertilizer.

Is a first-class all-round goods, at a moderate price, prepared with the greatest care, out of the best material, and is suited for either Cotton or Tobacco. We sold it last season largely for both crops and it gave entire satisfaction. The guaranteed analysis is 2 per cent. Ammonia, 8 per cent. Avail Phos Acid, 2 per cent. Potash.

Beef, Blood and Bone.

This Fertilizer was sold here for the first time last season. Knowing the high standing of the manufacturers we did not hesitate to recommend it and sold it largely and the result was most satisfactory. It does well on all crops and bids fair to be our most popular brand. The guaranteed analysis is 2 per cent. Ammonia, 8 per cent. Avail Phos Acid, 1 per cent. Potash.

High-Grade-Acid-Phosphate.

We may add that we know all these goods to be made out of the best material and compounded with great care and skill, and having handled them largely for a number of years we feel safe in saying you will make no mistake in buying either of them. As we control the sale of these goods for a large section of country we want a few good local agents. To farmer clubs of not less than 10 members we will make special terms. You will find it to your interest to come to see us or write to us before buying elsewhere.
Very truly yours,
YOUNG & PRIDDY
GREENVILLE, N. C.

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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—

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—We have bought this season the largest stock of—

GENERAL 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, Tinware, Crockery, Queenware, 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—

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Come one, come all and see us.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

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THE COTTON MARKET is lower now than at any former period in about forty years; this has been brought about by the unprecedented movement of the crop since September last, and the large accumulation of cotton all over the world. Many believe we will see an improvement in prices later on in the season, when the movement must be necessarily light; and if any of our friends, who have cotton, would like to raise money on same and hold it longer, we are prepared to advance them \$20.00 to \$25.00 per bale and hold it until May or June, if so desired.

Very truly,
VAUGHAN & BARNES,
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Corn, Cotton, Peanuts, Stock, Eggs, and Sawed Lumber will receive our special attention. Your patronage solicited.

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Land Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt county in case of J. B. Bullock, administrator of John I. Lewis, against Harriet Ann Lewis and Susan Lewis, the undersigned administrator will sell for cash before the Court House door in Greenville on Monday the 7th day of March, 1892, the following described piece or parcel of land, lying in Beheir township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of Joseph H. Clark, Thomas Thomas, the Harriet Bullock and Gilbert Harriet and others, containing 17 1/2 acres, more or less. This January 25th, 1892.
J. B. BULLOCK, Admr.
P. O. James Attorney

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county, on the 25th of January, 1892, as Administrator of Joseph McLowhon, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate must present the same for payment on or before the 28th of January 1892, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.
This 26th day of Jan. 1892.
M. J. McLowhon, Adm.
Attorn of J. B. Bullock

Advertisements in this paper are subject to the following conditions:—

Tobacco Cloth. 1 3-4 Cents per Yard. SPOT CASH.



OUR Fall & Winter STOCK Going at greatly Reduced prices.



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\$1.50 GETS BOTH PAPERS. Local Reflections.

Nice grip weather again. March close by—lookout for fir. This is the last week in February. At other oyster boat here this week. Monday was Birthington's Wash-day. Who is going to try rice this season? 3 lb can best Tomatoes for only 10 cents at Shelburn's.

Necktie Party—half-a-cent-a-pound Golly! Sam Jones lectures in Wilmington to-night. The merry-go-round still draws large crowds. The New Home Sewing Machines for \$35 at Brown Bros.

The fertilizer movement is increasing in activity. Light weights were much in demand last night. Send us your job work, we are noted for neatness. Try Cardenas, the best 5 cent smoke, at Reflector Book Store.

Campaign year—the REFLECTOR costs but a dollar. Mad is one more the prevailing feature of the streets. You can't be too careful with fire this windy weather.

150 Bushels Seed Peanuts, clear of saps and pops, for sale by T. C. Bryan. How many pounds did you get last night at the party? Nice white blotters five cents per dozen, at Reflector Book Store.

Cash given for Produce, Hides, Eggs and Furs at the Old Brick Store. Who is going to make a success at the Atlanta Constitution problem? The budding trees are a good indication that spring is approaching.

The New Home Sewing Machines and all parts at Brown Bros. Remember the Reflector Book store keeps paper, pens and ink for school purposes. The very inclement weather Sunday caused small attendance at the churches.

Cheapest Furniture, Bedsteads and Mattresses at the Old Brick Store. New Berne fair is in progress this week. Many go down on the excursion to-day. Attention is called to the advertisement of land sale by F. G. James, commissioner.

Personal. Miss Lucy Cox is visiting friends in Goldsboro. Mrs. H. F. Harris is visiting relatives in Washington. Mr. B. C. Pearce is among his many friends here this week. Mrs. Barden, of Plymouth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Wilson. Gov. Holt has appointed Mr. Henry Sheppard, of this town, a Notary Public.

Miss Fannie Sutton, of Hookerton, has been visiting Mrs. L. C. Rountree the past week. Mr. W. H. Grimes, of Raleigh, has been in this section several days looking after his interests in Pitt. Mr. C. G. Joyner, of Baltimore, was greeting his many friends here Saturday. He did not forget the REFLECTOR.

Mrs. S. A. Ellington, of Petersburg, Va., has moved to Greenville and will reside with her son, Mr. A. B. Ellington. By Divine permission Rev. N. Harding, of Washington will preach at the Episcopal Church in this town on Friday night next.

Mr. Jas. L. Harris run down from Scotland Neck Saturday and spent Sunday here. There was a special attraction in town for him. Capt. Bob Whitaker, former conductor on the passenger train here, was in town yesterday. He has resigned his position and is now a knight of the grip sack.

Rev. G. L. Finch, of LaGrange, preached in the Baptist church here Sunday morning and night. On Monday night he delivered a very amusing and instructive lecture. Mr. Finch is laboring to build a church at Seven Springs and is meeting with encouragement wherever he goes. He went to Grifton yesterday evening and lectured there last night.

Miss Nannie King, of Greenville, whose grandly developed womanhood gives to her a queenliness that challenges universal admiration, is visiting the elegant home of her highly cultured sister, Mrs. Stephen Wells of this place. She is most highly admired in Wilson, for in addition to her splendid figure she has a face of remarkable and entrancing beauty, over which the most bewitching smiles doth sweetly creep, and make that sparkling quiver, from which the deadliest and surest arrows are plucked for Cupid's fateful bow, and from whose precious wounds the sweetest feelings flow.—Wilson Mirror.

It affords the News and Observer great pleasure to announce that Mr. William Russ, so well known to the people of Raleigh, and undoubtedly the best known traveling man in the State, has accepted the position of State Agent of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of Kentucky, and will make Raleigh his headquarters. Mr. Russ will be in the city for at least a month or two at the Florence Hotel, and much of his time will be spent here at the expiration of that time. He will be joined shortly by Mrs. Russ, who will be a charming addition to the social circles of Raleigh, and who will receive a warm welcome to our city.—Raleigh News and Observer.

J. A. Andrews has something interesting in his space to-day. Look over the list of goods he has and call on him. Last Saturday eggs sold as high in Greenville as they did in Baltimore, 17 1/2 cents per dozen. The price will come down. The continued rain that has been falling since Saturday has considerably cut off the attendance to the New Berne fair.

Both the Masonic and Old Fellows organizations here have had quite an increase in membership during the last few months. The other day Mr. William Harris, of Falkland, showed us the task of a wild bear which he recently killed. It measured eight inches in length. We see where the Wilmington Review copied an item from the Greenville and gave credit to the Greenville REFLECTOR. You are excusable. We hear that one township in the county has three candidates for one office to be filled at the next election, with ten more townships to be heard from. A REFLECTOR reader told us the other day that the sermon of Rev. Thos. Dixon in last issue was worth the subscription price of the paper for a year.

The town authorities of Tarboro have made a law that all sidewalk gates shall open on the inside of the premises, and no longer swing out in the street. Greenville might take a hint here. Beware of the green goods swindle! The country is being flooded with circulars from their agents. The man who allows himself to be swindled by these sharpers does not deserve any sympathy. The tobacco warehouse narrowly missed being destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Some people passing by discovered the roof to be on fire and put out same before any damage was done.

Seed oats are coming in by the car load for our farmers to plant. When the farmers learn to raise such things and save the money which they pay for the western product, there will be better times in the land. The steamer Myers broke her shaft while coming down the river Saturday morning. She was about two miles above here when the accident occurred. The steamer Greenville took her in tow from this place to Washington. The undersigned will deliver a lecture in the Court House in Greenville on the evening of Friday, March 11th, on the subject "The Kingdom of God." A cordial invitation is extended to all, special to clergymen. J. A. WALTON.

Ex-Sheriff Allen Warren dropped in on our office yesterday morning, and said "you might tell REFLECTOR readers this week that all the trees of Greenville will soon be leaving." And the funny part of it is that after they leave they won't be gone. Several subscribers have come in for the REFLECTOR and Atlanta Constitution combined, under our special club arrangement. Plenty room for more, and all who want both papers should take advantage of the low offer while they have opportunity.

After reading this issue of the REFLECTOR call the attention of your neighbors to the fact that he can get this paper and the Atlanta Constitution both a year for \$1.50. This is election year and these are the two papers from which to get local and general campaign news. The largest shipment of tobacco ever made from Greenville in one day was by E. J. Hester & Co. last Saturday, on which day they shipped 21,000 pounds. Though the warehouse is not open now they buy all tobacco that is taken to their prize house on Saturdays, and pay the highest prices.

Preparations should be made early to get all premises of the town thoroughly cleaned before summer. People are quick enough to send after a doctor if they get sick, while at the same time filth enough is left in some places to produce most any kind of sickness. "An ounce of preventative is better than a pound of cure." In Want.

If a little girl on the streets yesterday relates a true story, and she seemed to be very honest in what she said, there are cases of destitution in our midst that need the hand of charity. This little girl said the family to which she belonged was composed of a mother and two little girls, the father having been dead for several years. The mother was sick in bed with no means to procure medicine or food, and this little girl was soliciting aid. They recently moved to this town. They should be looked up and not allowed to suffer.

Neck Tie Party. A very amusing party was given in Germania Hall last night by the ladies of the Baptist church. It was called a neck tie party, and the manner of procedure was somewhat novel. Each young lady prepared a small basket of lunch and placed a neck tie in it corresponding with her dress. This little girl said the family to which she belonged was composed of a mother and two little girls, the father having been dead for several years. The mother was sick in bed with no means to procure medicine or food, and this little girl was soliciting aid. They recently moved to this town. They should be looked up and not allowed to suffer.

Guano Buyers Attention. I have now on hand and am receiving by every steamer large quantities of Ober's Special Tobacco Compound, Patasco Guano and Pine Island Guano. You all know what these goods are. No guanos ever sold in this county have made a better showing, and but few, if any, so good. I buy these goods very close. My expenses in handling them are very small. I am satisfied with a small profit, and it stands to reason that I can sell you the same grade of goods as cheap or cheaper than any other man. Come and see me before you buy. It costs you nothing to get my prices and find out what I can do and if I can't save you money you can buy elsewhere just as easily as if you had never been to see me. G. R. HARRIS.

Teachers' Institute. The Institute for the white teachers of Pitt county will be held at Greenville by Prof. E. A. Alderman for one week, commencing on Monday, the 7th day of March next, and all white public school teachers are positively required by law to attend continually upon said Institute, and upon failure so to do they will be denied a certificate for the ensuing year, unless their absence be caused by sickness or absence from the county. The absentees need not apply for a certificate to teach. We hope to make ample arrangements for the accommodation of all teachers who report the first day of the Institute, and we will do our best to make it pleasant for them. Interesting exercises will be held every night. Several distinguished gentlemen will deliver addresses, among whom are ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis, Hon. Geo. T. Winston, President University North Carolina, Col. Harry Skinner, Hon. G. B. King and Jas. L. Fleming. The public are cordially invited to attend all the exercises. H. HARDING, Secy. On Sept. Pub. Inst.

Sunday School Convention. The third annual Pitt County Sunday School Convention will be held in the Methodist Church at Greenville, on Thursday, Feb. 25. PROGRAMME. 1. Religious exercises conducted by Rev. A. D. Hunter. 2. Address of welcome by President. 3. Response by Rev. R. F. Taylor. 4. Enrollment of members of the Convention. 5. Appointment of Committees. 6. Reports from the various Sunday Schools. 7. Sunday School Literature, Rev. G. F. Smith, followed by Rev. A. D. Hunter. AFTERNOON SESSION, 2 o'clock—1. Religious exercises conducted by Rev. J. L. Winfield. 2. Origin and Progress of Sunday Schools, by H. A. Latham, of Washington. 3. How to make a Sunday School Successful in a Rural District, Rev. E. B. John, followed by Rev. J. L. Winfield. 4. Opening question box, Rev. G. A. Oglesby. EVENING SESSION, 7 o'clock—1. Religious exercises conducted by Rev. G. F. Smith. 2. Address by Dr. J. H. Gordon, of Wilson, followed by ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis. Some other addresses may also be expected during the exercises. It is hoped that every Sunday School in the county will be represented at this meeting. All interested in Sunday School work are invited to attend. The coming session should be made the most interesting yet held.

Presiding Elder's Appointment. Rev. B. B. John's appointments for second round of Quarterly Meetings are as follows for places in Pitt County: Greenville circuit, at Bethlehem, March 5th and 6th. Greenville station, March 5th and 6th. Washington circuit, at Berea, March 12th and 13th.

Notice to Creditors. Having been appointed by the Superior Court of Pitt County Receiver of Greenville Combination Store, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Greenville Combination Store to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against Greenville Combination Store must file the same for payment properly authenticated on or before the 6th day of April next. Receiver of G. C. Store. This 23rd day of February, 1892.

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Financial Condition, June 30, 1891. OF THE The New York Life Insurance Co. WILLIAM H. BEERS, President.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK. ALBANY, N. Y., January 19th, 1892. Pursuant to statute, and by request of the Company's Board of Trustees, the undersigned, Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New York, has caused an examination of the condition and affairs of the New York Life Insurance Company to be made by the Deputy Superintendent of this Department. This examination was made as of June 30th, 1891, and on that date we find that its assets and liabilities were as follows:

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS. ASSETS: 1. Appraised value of real estate owned by the Co. \$1,125,038 50; 2. Loans on bond and mortgage (first liens) on real estate, as per Exhibit 2, 20,825,483 64; 3. Loans secured by pledge of bonds, stocks, or other marketable securities, as per Exhibit 3, 3,500,500 00; 4. Premium notes, loans or liens on policies in force, the reserve on each of such policies being in excess of all indebtedness thereon, as per Exhibit 4, 488,868 00; 5. Market value of bonds, stocks, and securities owned absolutely as per Exhibit 5, 75,016,949 92; 6. Cash in Company's office, 14,093 66; 7. Cash in bank, except fixed deposits in foreign countries, included in item 5, 2,010,994 52; 8. Interest due and accrued on bonds and mortgages, 427,210 31; 9. Gross premiums due and unreported on policies in force \$3,682,577 1,964,648; 10. Gross deferred premiums on policies in force, 157,001; 11. Annuity premiums uncollected, 157,001; 12. Total, \$5,504,316; 13. Deduct 20 per cent. loading on above gross amount, 1,100,863; 14. Net amount of uncollected and deferred premiums, 4,403,453 00. Total assets, \$120,710,690 64. LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS: 1. Net present value of all the outstanding policies in force on the 30th day of June, 1891, computed according to the combined experience table of mortality with 4 per cent. interest, 105,010,324 00; 2. Deduct net value of risks of this Company re-insured in other solvent companies, 402,120 00; 3. Net re-insured reserve, \$104,608,104 00; 4. Claims for matured endowments due and unpaid, 39,019 00; 5. Claims for death-losses unpaid (proofs not complete), 990,507 00; 6. Accounts due and unpaid on annuity claims, 146,550 81; 7. Premiums paid in advance, 138,491 00; 8. Premiums paid in advance, 79,358 00; 9. Total liabilities on policy-holders' account, \$106,004,014 81; 10. Gross surplus on policy-holders' account, 14,706,675 83; 11. Total liabilities, \$120,710,690 64; 12. Estimated surplus, accrued on Tontine or other policies, the profits upon which are especially reserved for that class of policies, 8,670,419 50; 13. Estimated surplus accrued on all other policies, 6,038,183 38. Signed, JAMES F. PIERCE, Superintendent. MICHAEL SHANNON, Deputy Superintendent.

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REAL CHRISTIANITY.

REV. THOMAS DIXON ON THE UNFAIRNESS OF SOME CRITICS.

A Preamble on the Bill Pending in the New York Legislature Authorizing the Sale of Liquor on Sunday—How Colonel Ingersoll Attacks a Pious Thing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., preceded the sermon in Association hall this morning by reviewing the question involved in the bill now pending in the New York legislature. The speaker was the liquor dealer, which grants practically free whisky every day and Sunday too. He said:

It is a dark day in the history of the great temperance reform. Apparently the saloon is about to master the forces of Christian civilization. Everywhere where the saloon is aggressive and triumphant. The reason for this is not far to seek. The forces of temperance are sadly divided. The prohibitionist solemnly maintains his position upon the rock of ultimate truth and demands an annihilation or nothing. The high license man carries a razor in his boot for the prohibitionist. Our little church temperance organizations spread out their wares and declare they are the only genuine reformers and all others are mere imitations. Our Catholic brethren work within their own lines. Meantime the devil laughs and grows fat, rides into power on every popular wave, makes legislatures and governors his puppets.

HELL UNITED.

It is Christendom divided against Hell united. The liquor dealers of New York have met in solemn council and drafted a bill to suit themselves, which they have presented to the New York legislature.

It will vastly surprise me if their puppets do not yet express their dissent. They modestly demand that the liquor laws passed during the last quarter of a century shall be repealed. They want saloons opened on Sundays, concert halls and dives opened all day and night, and a quarter of an hour at the public "bawls," protection from the possibility of police interference, the repeal of the civil damage act, the free right to sell to boys and girls, and all license fees reduced to next to nothing.

Must confess that I am not the subtle mind of these men. Think for a moment of the daring of a set of chronic violators of law—that is, habitual criminals—meeting and drafting a bill granting themselves immunity in the prosecution of crime and demanding the police power of the state to protect them while they are about it.

THE LICENSE HUNGRY.

I confess to the secret hope and prayer that they will succeed in passing this law and give us free whisky for a season. It seems to me it will be for our good. First, because it will be a shock to the miserable factions of a temperance guerrilla war that will bring unity out of chaos; second, because the whole license system is a humbug and a lie. It is a delusion and a snare. It is wrong in principle and utterly devoid of practical effect. For the state to go into partnership with the manufacturers of criminals is for the state to commit suicide. Go into partnership with the devil—he always owns the whole concern. Whisky business is a right to license the lottery swindle—the lottery is a mild evil in comparison. The lottery takes in \$20,000,000 a year. Our whisky bill last year was \$1,200,000,000—500 times more!

A bill is now pending before this same legislature which would license the sale of New York state. If rum is licensed why not license all crime? If the system is right and good we cannot have too much of a good thing. The enforcement of the license system is the grandest farce of the times. It is said that prohibition need not be enforced. Prohibition is always enforced better than the excise system. The grand jury humorously and pathetically petitioned the legislature last year to repeal the excise laws and relieve them of thousands of cases that would never be tried. To indict a liquor dealer under the present excise laws is a joke. Everybody knows this.

Why not repeal the farce and give us free whisky awhile? It is estimated by conservative men that there are between 2,000 and 3,000 saloons in New York city alone! Why continue such a travesty on law? The back door of every saloon is open on Sunday. Why not open the front one at least? Why should we be ostrich-necked and refuse to see the facts? Let them pass their law. They will abolish a swindle and give us the benefit of a storm of moral wrath and the air will be purified. Free whisky or prohibition are the ultimate issues. They had as well be joined now as later. Let the war begin.

COLONEL INGERSOLL'S IGNORANCE.

I am come that they may have life.—John 1:10.

He that believeth on the Son hath the life. He that doeth not believe on the Son shall not have life. Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Matthew 7:21.

A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another. He that loveth his brother who loveth the world, his love is not perfected in him. He that loveth his brother who loveth the world, his love is not perfected in him. He that loveth his brother who loveth the world, his love is not perfected in him.

IN THE COLONEL'S REVEREND BROADSIDE he attempts a definition of Christianity. The errors in this definition are so fundamental that it is impossible to proceed further in our discussion until we point out these mistakes and give a definition which may be used as a standard when we refer to Christianity. He says "Christianity is a code of morals." He then proceeds to declare that Christianity is responsible for persecution and murder and declares that "if the founder of Christianity had plainly said 'It is not necessary to believe in order to be saved; it is only necessary to do, and who is really loved his fellow men, and who is kind, honest, just and charitable, he is to be favored;—if he had only said this, the world would probably have seen but little persecution. Now, falling back on the old assertion, 'By its fruits we may know Christianity,' then I think we are justified in saying that, as Christianity consists of a morality, something else, and as morality never has persecuted a human being, and as Christianity has persecuted millions, the cause of the persecution must be the something else that was added to morality."

IGNORANCE PATHEPIC.

The blunder of such a definition of Christianity reveals the fact that Colonel Ingersoll is so ignorant of what real Christianity is that it is impossible for him to give it an intelligent definition. Let us again clearly emphasize the fact that the Christianity of tradition and history is not the Christianity of the Bible. The Christianity of the Bible is not a morality, but a life. The Christianity of the Bible is not a morality, but a life. The Christianity of the Bible is not a morality, but a life.

THE RICH YOUNG MAN.

Jesus Christ never promised salvation to any man for believing anything about himself. The rich young man came to Christ and asked him the pointed question, "What shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He declared that he had kept the Jewish code of morals to the letter. All the commandments from his youth up he had scrupulously obeyed. But Christianity was more than a code of morals. Jesus gave him distinctly to understand that fact. When he asked Christ this pointed question about the way of eternal life, what did the Master answer? Did he say, "If you believe in the inspiration of the Old Testament you will be saved?" No. Did he say, "If you believe that I am divine you can inherit eternal life?" No. He said, "If you started the young man as it should startle the credulous tinker of every age. Looking into the face of this inquirer for eternal life we hear these wonderful words, 'Go sell all thou hast and give to the poor.' The young man was a great away unwise unscrupulous, he had

great possessions. Jesus with that single question pierced to the very center of his heart and laid bare its covetous secrets.

STRIPPED MODELS.

A mere code of morals may be perfectly practical and not signify purity of heart. To say Christianity is a code of morals is to fail to comprehend the very alphabet of the truth which Jesus came to teach. There are men in the state of New York who form model communities. We have several of these model communities where a perfect code of morals is practiced—regular habits, regular sleep, wholesome food taken in proper quantities, regular hours of rest and work. In fact, these people conform perfectly to the outer code of upright, moral men. But we give them no credit because they wear striped clothes. Every penitentiary is a community whose citizens practice an ideal code of morals. The Bible is not limited by the limitation of languages. It is practiced for reasons external rather than internal.

Second—Such a heart faith always leads to a heart that is not a heart. It says that if the founder of Christianity had only plainly said, in so many words, "It is not necessary to believe in order to be saved; it is only necessary to do," all would have been well. He fairly takes our breath away with such a statement. It reveals the fact that with all the colonel's years of assault upon the New Testament, he has never read it. No man who had read the New Testament Scriptures could have made so foolish an assertion.

CHRISTIANITY A LIFE.

This is exactly what Christ did say in so many words.

"Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." "Inasmuch as ye did it not, ye did it unto me. Enter thou into the kingdom prepared before the foundation of the world." In other words, Christ directly taught that the heart faith which is the essence of his religion always led into the life. The Bible is a book of life. Therefore the Bible is a book of eternal power. It will ever stir and move and save the lives of men. It is alive, because it throbs with the life of the race, with the life of God as embodied in the life of man. It is systematic theology. It does not profess to set forth the guidance of the mind of a man systematized and consistent scheme of philosophy. Strip the Bible of the rubbish of traditionalism, and the truth that he came to reveal is a systematic scheme of sacred philosophy. It is the simple record of life. It contains contradictions, paradoxes, mysteries. These contradictions are the contradictions of life. The paradoxes are the paradoxes of life. Its mysteries are the mysteries of life. The Bible is a book of life. It is a book of life. It is a book of life.

THE SUPREMACY OF CHRISTIAN TRUTH.

The supremacy of Christian truth is not based on any philosophy taught by Jesus Christ. It rests upon the personality of Christ. His creed was his life. He did not come into the world to talk about truth. He was the truth. The only supreme truth that is embodied in life is the truth of Jesus Christ. The subject of comparative religion today pretends to deny that the divine is found in all religions. Much that Jesus taught had been taught before. God had not left the world in total darkness before the advent of Christ. He had spoken to all ages and to all peoples. The personality of Jesus consists in the fact that he summed up in life the truth that was thus gathered from the four quarters of the earth and from the remotest ages. He incarnated the truth. He lived the truth. Abstract truth is the commonest thing in the world. It is the commonest sound in the street. But abstract truth does not save a world until it is embodied in flesh and blood.

HEREIN WE FIND THE SECRET OF THE INCARNATION, the necessity for the incarnation, the need of the power of the incarnation. God, who had spoken to the race through divines prophets in the past, now in the fullness of time spoke to man through man, through the incarnation of truth. When that Man came in human history, who truly said, "I am the truth," he brought the truth to the world. He was the truth. He was the truth. He was the truth.

THE CHRISTIAN IS THE MAN WHO PARTAKES OF THIS DIVINE LIFE. He is not a man who accepts a given code of morals. He is a man in whose soul there springs up a fountain of everlasting life that makes his own code of morals. He is the one man in all the world who is free from any code of morals. There is one law only that binds him, and that is the law that is inclusive of all morals—love.

THE EFFORT OF COLONEL INGERSOLL TO DEFINE Christianity in view of such facts is pathetic. We are sorry for a man who has such a shallow mind. He reminds me of a subject so profound. He declared with enthusiasm that he could understand how the astronomers could understand the constellations of the stars and give their relative proportions; but he said that the mystery of mysteries to him was how on earth they ever found out their names before such ignorance we stand dumb. We do not know where to begin.

THE CHRISTIANITY OF CHRIST IS THAT HEART FAITH WHICH EMBODIES ITSELF IN A LIFE OF LOVE, LOVE TO GOD AND MAN, LOVE TO GOD THROUGH LOVE TO MAN.

DEVILS BELIEVE.

First—We say it is a heart faith. "With the heart man believeth." Christian faith is not a feat of the intellect over a philosophic proposition. It is an act of the will. It is a belief in the truth that is embodied in life. It is a belief in the truth that is embodied in life. It is a belief in the truth that is embodied in life.

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the blind, leads the lepers, weeps by the grave of the loved dead, calls back the broken life. His whole life was one supreme effort of love toward man. He broke his life as a box of rich perfume to be used for the poor. He sought to give the world a home; he had none for himself. Foxes had holes and the birds of the air nests, but he had not where to lay his head.

To be a Christian is to believe in Christ; that is, not to believe anything about him, but to believe in him. That is, to eat his flesh and drink his blood, to partake of his life and his spirit; as he incarnated the truth, to incarnate the truth. As we incarnate his spirit, so are we Christ. His spirit is the spirit of love. Love is the universal joy, the principle of love the only statute by which the race of man is to be arranged. This principle is not confined in its application to the territory of the Bible or any other territory. It is not limited by the limitation of languages. All hearts are tuned to the universal language of love. The sigh, the groan, the tear, the heartache are words known to every human heart. By this universal principle a man is to be judged as a man. The heathen world that has never heard of Christ shall rise before his throne and be judged by this eternal truth, and from among them there will be those who look in astonishment upon the face of the man who died for them.

"When we see these shrunken or shriveled or sick or in prison or a stranger?" And Love from the throne of a universe shall answer: "Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of these my brethren, ye did it unto me. Enter ye into my Kingdom." Enter ye into my Kingdom. Enter ye into my Kingdom. Enter ye into my Kingdom.

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How Women Use Their Feet.

Women to whom nature has given graceful feet in the matter of feet are apt to be in case them in long, slender boots of kid with patent leather tips, and no frivolities in the matter of decoration to attract attention to the size and structure of the offending members. There is one peculiarity about large feet when belonging to one of the fair sex—they are never in any one's way, no matter how large they are. No one stumbles over them in a car or steps on them in the dim, religious light of the modern drawing room.

Now, the small foot of the feminine persuasion is always being trodden upon and tripped over. It protrudes itself upon all occasions, and is the bane and bete noir of the awkward man. There is, however, one apology which always soothes the wounded feelings of this unfortunate foot. If the man who crushes its delicate bones beneath his broad No. 9's thinks quickly to remark that "the foot was so small he couldn't see it," the woman to whom it belongs rejoices in the pain it gives her, and thrusts the other foot yet further out for the next blunderer to balance himself upon and soothe in the same way.

A pair of boots for every indoor gown is almost a necessity now that the shoes must match the toilet in tint, and this gives the usually prosaic shoe manufacturer a chance to unbride his fancy and consult his ancient history and wake up his muse. For we men who cannot wear slippers—and it must be remembered that the slippers add to the size of the foot, ungrainly foot—there are very dainty boots of suede in pale gray pinks and blues, with vandykes of embroidery set in down the side, and boots of rich brocade silk with patent leather tips and satin tops.—New York Sun.

Headache Indigestion, Biliousness, Dizziness, Dropsy, All and Stomach Troubles are cured by P. P. P. (Ricky Ash, Poke Root and Potatoes).

Abbott's East Indian Corn Plaster cures all forms of Rheumatism, Gout, and Sprains.

A Common Sense Balm.

Judge Boyd is the man who ruled in a case in his court that a man was not a disturber of religious worship simply because he stood up when a preacher asked everybody to stand up who wanted to go to hell. The judge held that there was no sense in the question in the first place, and that there was, in the second place, no law against a man going to hell if he wanted to.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people suffer around us from indigestion, constipation, biliousness, loss of appetite, coming up of the food, yellow skin, when for 50 years we sell the Shiloh's Vegetable, guaranteed to cure them? Sold at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Beauty in Woman.

In his Christmas sermon Bishop Potter mourns because woman has beauty, and says it "leads her to sin and deflects the pious flow of life's stream. He even says that it is worth while to have beauty or not."

Bishop, woman's beauty does not lead her to sin, nor does it deflect the pious flow of life's stream. Do not try to teach men that beauty leads to sin. A Frenchman once said to me, "I have seen many women who are beautiful, and I have seen many who are not. But I have never seen a woman who is beautiful and who is not a saint." He was right. Beauty is a gift from God, and it is to be used for his glory. It is to be used for his glory. It is to be used for his glory.

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