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STATE NEWS

Things Mentioned in our State Exchanges that are of General Interest
The Cream of the News

State Treasurer Tate, who has been very sick for some time, has recovered and returned to work.

Only one State officer will have to be elected this year. This is the State Treasurer, as Col. Tate was appointed under the law until the next general election.

Free Press: A new born baby was found in Kinston Friday morning. Buzzards had picked it to pieces so that it could not be told whether it was white or black.

Two white men, John Green and Lucien Herring, quarreled about religious matters near Fayetteville. A fight followed and Herring was killed. Green was promptly arrested and placed in jail.

Kinston Free Press: A short time ago there was a child born near Trenton without hands. The arm below the elbow was only about half long enough and imperfectly developed. Two fingers grew out at the end of these stumps.

There will be a meeting of the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy at Raleigh, Wednesday and Thursday, April 11th and 12th, at which time candidates for licenses to practice pharmacy will be examined.

At Durham Isaac Curtis, colored, attempted to play a practical joke, his intended victim being another negro, William Bullock. Curtis hid himself behind a tree and as Bullock, who was in company or several women, passed by, sprung out at him. Bullock drew a revolver and shot Curtis through the abdomen.

One of the most remarkable transactions ever attempted in this State has created a sensation at Henderson. J. R. Moss is postmaster there. He is a Republican holdover and his attempt was to sell the postmastership to a man named A. M. Basket, who lives a couple of miles from Henderson. The consideration was to be \$90 to be paid by Basket. The latter mortgaged his farm to raise the necessary money, and paid \$20 to a lawyer to prepare papers. He also agreed to pay the expenses of Moss and his attorney to Washington to make the transfer. When Moss and lawyer returned and Basket found they could not deliver goods he raised a row and declined to pay any more money. The lawyer at once made an attempt to sell the land in order to pay the cost of the Washington trip and other expenses, amounting to \$192. Basket was compelled to go before a judge and get an order restraining the lawyer from selling his property. The judge said he would have nothing to do with such a case, and has referred it to a prominent citizen to act as referee.

How to Live Within Your Income
Though it May be Small.

Here is a pointer for young men to remember. Talking with a man the other day who has a wife to support and who earns only about \$7 a week, he said for a long time he was forever in debt.

Try as he would he could not make his money hold out, though he knew his legitimate household expenses were not so heavy. After thinking over the matter he concluded that his best plan was to avoid going in debt. He employed unlimited credit and when he had no money in his pocket he would buy on time.

Of course the accounts he made were small, but when the day of reckoning came around he was short.

Then he made a new resolution to never buy anything unless he could pay cash for it. Often he was tempted to violate his resolution, but he clung to it, and he says the result was wonderful.

He accounts for it in this way: Buying on credit he found he purchased things he could very well do without. Besides this he soon learned that there was a great saving in paying spot cash. "Money talks" as everybody knows, and he was able to save a small per cent. on each purchase.

He keeps this up and though his earnings are small, he lives comfortably, owes no man anything and in the events of a "rainy day" can get along for some time without the assistance of his neighbors.—Greensboro Record.

MANY POLITICAL POSSIBILITIES.

With Fusion or Without Fusion.

North Carolinians can be seen putting their heads together every night in the quiet places about the Metropolitan Hotel. Populist and Republican fusion is the principal topic, with incidental allusions to the senatorial and congressional fights.

In the first district, represented by Mr. Branch, it is generally thought that he will be re-nominated, but that he will have to fight a fusion candidate. It is not known yet who this will be. It is not thought that Harry Skinner would run on a fusion ticket. He may run as an Independent Populist or something of that kind, though many believe that he will stump the State with a free head, and, in case of a Republican Populist Legislature being elected, will contest for Ransom's seat against Butler.

In the second district every thing will be "smooth sailing" for Mr. Woodard, as far as the nomination goes. Some few hint at W. H. Kitchin's being a candidate but indications are that Woodard will be re-nominated by acclamation. His most formidable opponent would be young Mr. W. W. Long, the popular and rising Warren county representative, but Mr. Long when asked about it to-night said that he was for Woodard and that Mr. Woodard was making such a splendid Representative that he would return. There will be three tickets in the field, it is thought. The negroes will have one, and the Populists one. It is not thought that the negroes will submit to association with the Populists. The Democrats will have a fair chance—better than before.

Mr. Cicero Harris, representing that great paper, the Charlotte Observer, hustles in and takes a peep at the hotel register; scratches off a few lines of his hieroglyphics, casts his eyes around sizes up the whole business in a minute and out he goes. The Observer is back there by night the next day and Queen's news stand tells me that it sells more copies than any other paper south of Richmond. Sitting over the left is Joseph Bradford, Esq., a man who usually keeps his eyes open for pointers. But here comes John B. Hussey and he carries himself with that dignity that tries to overcome the self-consciousness that he is a snake in the grass. He receives no cordial greeting. Few North Carolinians lower themselves to speak to their betrayer. He certainly feels mean, for he has lost the once firm step and hopeful eye. Later on comes Stoffer, of the Richmond Dispatch, and Ashby, of the Times. Stoffer seems to be a Simmons man. They both interest themselves in North Carolina matters.

It seems to be pretty well decided here that it will be better for the Republicans and Populists to fuse, as far as the Democracy is concerned. However, congressionally and senatorially speaking, it is fit for tat. But one thing is certain: Fusion will put Tom Settle in a hole and carry others with him.

It is very uncertain as to who will be the Democratic candidate in the third district. Mr. Grady will hardly be returned though he is a splendid man. He has very little inclination toward politics and, now that he has been endorsed by a second term, he may retire at his own choice. It will be remembered that he was not a candidate for the nomination when first chosen. If Mr. Simmons would happen to miss confirmation he would be the candidate—and could win hands down. But if confirmed he may insist on having Mr. Grady run this time and he go in in three years as his successor. Mr. Simmons is looked upon as good senatorial timber. If Senator Ransom is re-elected this time, and Simmons gets back in Congress in three years, he stands a good chance to succeed the senior Senator; ex Governor Jarvis will then be too old. But it may be that Cumberland may undertake to name the next man for Grady's seat. There is no chance for a fusion ticket to succeed in that district.

In the fourth, it seems pretty well understood that Mr. Bunn

will not be renominated. There being so many aspirants who have been his friends all along, he may give way to them. Four good men are named for the Democrats to consider: Chas. M. Cooke, N. B. Broughton, G. S. Bradshaw and Jas. H. Poul. Either one of them can beat Loge Harris or John Nichols fusion or no fusion.

The fifth is the most complicated of all. Only two men are named as probable Democratic candidates, should Mr. Williams not gain his seat: Jno. L. King, of Guilford, and Jno. R. Webster, of Rockingham, with chances favoring Webster. It is generally admitted by Webster's enemies here that he can poll the biggest vote in any emergency, fusion or no fusion, and since it is absolutely certain that Tom Settle will agree to no fusion and that Webster's popularity with the farmers renders it useless for the Populists to name a separate candidate, Webster's chances of carrying the district would be fine. However the "straightouts" would have their "backs up" Tom Settle, however, will have a hard pull without fusion. If he refuses to combine he will fail at election while if he agrees to fusion he will be snuffed under.

In the sixth district, Alexander will come back if he fights for it. Otherwise Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., of Wilmington, is considered next best. Either would be elected.

The seventh district is a little complicated. Zab Vance Walser will be the "fusion" candidate if any fusion is made. Otherwise he will come out straight Republican. He can carry Davidson county heavily as a fusion candidate, but would fall short on the district. Mr. Henderson may retire, in which event Mr. Leazar would be the nominee of the Democrats if he wants to be.

The eighth is considered safe for Bower, but he may have to fight John Brower or Dr. Wheeler, though neither of the latter would hardly agree to any fusion in their hands. It may be that a Populist may head the fusion ticket. Mr. Bower has been abused on account of his "trying too hard" to keep from making mistakes in recommendations for office, but he has been making such a faultless record here that no one can do him. It is generally admitted here that he has succeeded in getting more positions for his constituents than any new Congressman from the South who has had no Senator or cabinet officer to pull for him.

The ninth district will see a lively time in both conventions, Democratic and Republican. But it is not thought here that Crawford can be beaten by Richmond Pearson. Ex-Republican Candidate for Lieutenant Governor J. M. Moody, of Haywood, told me to-night that Crawford could beat Pearson, but that the latter would not be even nominated by the Republicans. Moody says he is "agin" him. But Pearson thinks his money will win. When he ran against Hezekiah Gudger for the Legislature he spent several thousand dollars and beat Gudger over a thousand votes in Buncombe. Gudger said he (Gudger) spent \$2,000 and he knows it cost Pearson \$3,000. Hon. Kope Elias and ex-Judge J. H. Merrimon may contest with Crawford for the nomination but unless they combine, which is hardly probable, they cannot defeat him.

Looking at the senatorial fight in the light of present circumstances it is generally thought here that the next Legislature will have to elect two Senators. Senator Vance, it is thought, will resign even if he survives the present illness. It is also believed that if Vance resigns Ransom will withdraw from the race for re-election. In that event the fight would be for two new Democratic Senators and the following names are mentioned: Ex-Governor Thos. J. Jarvis, Justice A. C. Avery, Speaker Lee S. Overman, Collector F. M. Simmons, Chief Clerk Josephus Daniels, Congressman John S. Henderson and S. B. Alexander, Hon. Cyrus B. Watson, Hon. Chas. M. Stedman, Col. J. S. Carr, Ex-Gov. T. M. Holt. Barring the choice of the Governor and considering the power to poll votes, it is thought that the Legislature would select within

four men, that is if they were candidates: Jarvis, Avery, Daniels and Simmons. But all this is talk—talk of slate makers and slate breakers—talk of hot-heads and sap-heads. Gosh! However, a few little pointers can be gained as to the result of North Carolinians in Washington putting their heads together.—Washington Correspondence Winston Sentinel.

"JUST PULL."

An Appeal to Democrats to Forget Petty Jealousies, and Stand by the Party.

Cor. of the Charlotte Observer:

There are Democrats and Democrats. Fair-weather Democrats, weak-kneed Democrats, knock-kneed Democrats, patronage Democrats, or Democrats for revenue only; Alliance Democrats, Populistic Democrats, the progeny of the devil and Delilah, and thank God, there also Simon-pure Democrats—Democrats in season or out of season, in prosperity or in adversity, in office or out of office; Democrats because they believe in the imperishable principles of Democracy. In this last kind reposes the safety and success of our government. To them I would say, God bless you and cheer you. To the former I would like to utter a word of warning; to the weak-kneed have faith; to the knock-kneed stand firm; to the trough-tenders do not despair; to the Alliance-tainted get religion, and to the hideous, Populistic paradox, go to the devil. Some of you voted the straight Democratic ticket in '92 and it may be the last virtuous and godly act credited to your account at the final settlement. Many of you are now viciously engaged in throwing rocks at your old political mother and giving comfort to her old enemy of nearly 40 years, and even applauding the devilry of that political hyena from Maine. You seem to forget the black days of Reconstruction, when slaves were put above their former masters; when your wives, sisters and daughters were insulted, your homes were pillaged, your county governments and your State governments were wrecked and when ruin raised its ghastly head in your midst. You forget that your national Treasury has been looted and its rich hoard dispersed with criminal and cruel prodigality to bounty-jumpers and aliens, in order that an economic system might be perpetuated that made the rich richer and the poor poorer; a system that with "significant coincidence" increased the army of tramps in a ratio consistent with the growth of millionaires. Ah, surely you forget all these things, and others as bad, when you ask: "What is the difference between the Republican and the Democratic parties?"

The Democratic Congress has been disappointing, truly; the Democratic administration has made some mistakes surely, and yet they have done much for which they should be blessed by all patriots, and I, for one, believe that they will do much more for which we can all rise up and call them blessed. Verdant indeed must have been that voter who cast his ballot thinking that the much-fatted sucklings of protection that would lose their hold on that sweet and succulent fountain of strength without a desperate fight. Selfish greed has not been content to have its infant gums glued to the government's pap, but has sought to and succeeded in fastening its matured fangs into its very heart. It is to choke off and wean this greedy monster, selfishness, that you have engaged the Democratic party. Is the task an easy one, think you? If so, be not deceived. There will be traitors in the camp doubtless, and what cause was ever free from its Judas? We have taken a big contract on hand and it is as much every man's duty, so far as he is able, who voted the Democratic ticket, to help fill that contract, as it is Grover Cleveland's. He may be doing just to suit you but he is doing his duty as he sees it. You can rest assured of that and he is the man you elected to blaze the way, so for heaven's sake and Democracy's quit kicking and—just pull.

CHRISTIANITY IN BUSINESS.

Rev. Mr. Boyd Says it Can Be So.

The city yesterday morning was talking of Rev. J. H. Boyd's sermon of Sunday night. His subject, as announced was, "Can a Man be a Christian in Business?" "People have the idea," said the preacher, "that business is one thing, religion another. You have a contempt of the business ideas of us preachers, not from what you see us doing but because you think what we preach from the pulpit will not do for the street and shop.

"The mercantile life has elements of trial of which the farmer or mechanic lives and dies in happy unconsciousness. There are more elements of uncertainty, more to risk, more to worry over, more caution required, more planning, more thought. There is the difficulties of purchase, the hot rivalry, and injustice of competition, the unreasonableness of customers, the exactness of creditors, and the variability of markets and seasons. There is no department of life where character is so sorely tried.

"Recognizing all the care and temptation of your life, we ask can you be a Christian in trade? There is but one answer possible. If you have said 'no,' there is something the matter with your business or with your conduct in your business.

"There is the idea that business is business and religion is religion. A vicious separation has grown up between piety and life. Let it be understood that our whole life must be permeated and regulated by Christianity. It can be done, it has been done; it must be done. It is rascally business and spurious religion where it is not done.

"There are three points where difficulties lie:

"1. With the merchant himself. Every Christian man owes it to his soul to rigidly judge every principle and practice which he carries with him into his business, and to discard all that will not bear the measurement of strict law of right. I believe that business men are often led into shady, questionable dealings and little practices of wrong by false notions of what is necessary to trade.

"For example, this idea prevails: it is right to get the utmost from your customs. Ignorance is frequently made to pay high, while the intelligent buyer gets goods cheaply.

"2. Questionable means of getting buyers to close the trade—talk, gable. Not having the article asked for, say 'this is just as good,' 'not in style.' An ill-fitting coat is recommended, a hat is declared to be becoming when it is not, etc. These things are unnecessary. It is going out of one's way to do wrong.

"3. Questionable advertisements. I do not wish to be misunderstood. There is much right in legitimate advertising, but Christian merchants should be careful how they advertise they are selling out at cost. I have never yet been able to understand how it was that Dun and Bradstreet reported business good with few failures, when every town in the United States had a bankrupt stock to be sold.

"1. Difficulties which arise from the character of customers. It is astonishing to think of the abuse which has been heaped upon merchants and their business. Their business has been denounced as unnecessary and illegitimate, themselves shirkers of work, extortioners, sharpers. When they are to be dealt with they must be watched, discredited, circumvented, and the customer who sets himself to do this has well might become a rascal himself, and the reason oftentimes that the merchant deals unfairly is because he deals with an unfair man. Railroad and corporations are accounted conscienceless and peevish in their dealings with them become conscienceless. I have thought there is as much fraud in the claims against railroads as in the resistance to payment. So in trading. The dishonesty of selling is to be explained by the dishonesty of the buyer.

"One class of customers converts every little trade into a wrestling match. Starts out to reduce prices; to beat the mer-

chant, and the contest over the counter between two sharpers—the customer is most to blame.

"Another way by which the temptations of mercantile life are increased is the lack of discrimination between honest and dishonest men in their patronage. The buyer starts out after a bargain and will deal with any man, rascal or no rascal, who will give him more than another. Here is what I mean: A merchant failed, compromised at 40 cents, puts goods on market, public wished them, and the honest merchants see his goods unsold and drafts falling due. It is not right to deal with dishonest men. You owe your own soul and the souls of your Christian brethren to discontinueance all trick and fraud.

III. "Difficulties from the constitution of society.

1. Our adjustments of trades are all on an intensely selfish basis. It is every man for himself.

2. "Our vicious distinction between things religious and secular has left government and society and business to take its own way, and while we have a nation and State nominally Christian, while the Christian men and women wield ought of influence and majority of votes, we have an unchristian system of laws and practices. It has become impossible for men to do right in certain lines of business. The Christians of this nation have sat still until the railroads all run on Sunday. Thousands of our church members are involved in the business. Ought they all to quit? Suppose a man of 50 with family is converted. He can't change. No, he ought to be protected by his fellow Christians. You have heard of Saidie Means. Who is responsible for her work? If the Christian merchants and families had said to the Columbia Telephone Company "take out my telephone if you keep open on Sunday" it would have been closed.

"There are Christian men in our postoffice who deplore Sunday work and yet the law requires their support depends upon their working. Who is responsible? Why the Christian people of Charlotte. The office would be closed if they wanted it. When you get your mail you sinned against your own and your brother Christian's soul." The speaker closed by saying he hoped all would receive this practical talk as an exhortation to remember their calling and their Master's name in your life of business. God wants you to stay where you are. You are useful. He means for you to exemplify the principles of his truth and put to silence the objections of his enemies by showing that the Christian life can be lived, and Christian character developed right in the midst of all the cares and trials of the life of trade. The want of the times in Christians is all the departments of life. Christian doctors, lawyers, merchants, who in daily contract with an unbelieving world testify to the reality of religion.

"The deadly skepticism of the day, is not questioning God's existence, nor Christ's divinity, nor souls immortality nor inspiration of Bible, but it does not believe in us. Let us show reality by real living. Amen!"—Charlotte Observer.

A man who would strike his wife is a meaner man than a horse thief.—Exchange.

How about the man who allows his wife to support him? Such a creature is not to be mentioned with the horse thief, because he has not the energy and stamina of character possessed by that individual. And yet there are such men, strong and healthy, who are recognized by their fellows, stand well in the church and looked upon as respectable. They are worse than tramps because in many instances they impose upon a weak woman for support whereas the tramp looks to the public at large. It is a pity there is not some law to compel these lazy loafers to earn what they get or go without. At any rate these hypocrites ought to be ostracized by the church and society. The Divine command is "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat thy bread."—Henderson Gold Leaf.

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The REFLECTOR appreciates fully a number of letters received from its friends attesting to the excellence of the paper and expressing their approval of its course.

North Carolina is being honored with distinguished visitors. Week before last President Cleveland spent several days within our borders.

In our State News column on first page is an item about a sensation at Henderson over a supposed attempted sale of the post office there.

The great Pollard Breckenridge breach of promise case began in Washington City last week. The trial so far as conducted at this writing shows the Kentucky Congressmen to be a base rascal.

C. B. Blanchard has been appointed United States Senator by Governor Foster, of Louisiana, to fill the unexpired term of Senator White, recently appointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

Hon. Thos. R. Jernigan, Counsel to Sianzhai, has appointed as his Private Secretary Irwin Avery, a son of Judge Avery and now one of the editors of the Morganton Herald.

Dr. Wood, superintendent of the State Insane Asylum, resigns, to take effect on or about the 1st of June.

A new daily paper, the Evening Press, will appear in Raleigh on or about the 23rd of this month.

The Louisville Times is twenty years old and continues to do valiant duty. May it ever be successful!

The Concord Times is ninety years old. It is a good weekly newspaper, well gotten up and worthy a successful and long career.

The Kinston Free Press is twelve years old and as good a weekly as there is in the State. We wish editor Herbert all the success his excellent paper merits.

COMMISSIONERS' MEETING.

GREENVILLE, N. C., Mar. 5, 1894. The Commissioners for Pitt county met this day in regular session, present C. Dawson, chairman, Jesse L. Smith, Leonidas Fleming, T. E. Keel and S. A. Gainer.

The following orders for paupers were drawn: Martha Nelson 2 00, Margaret Bryan 3 00, H D Smith 2 00, Lydia Bryan 2 00, Jacob McLawhorn 2 00, Nancy Moore 3 00, Susan Norris 1 50, Susan Britsey 2 50, Lucinda Smith 1 50, Patsy Lockamy 2 00, Henry Harris 2 50, Benjamin Crawford 1 50, Anaca Smith 1 50, Hattie Andrews 3 00, Kenneth Henderson 2 00, Eliza Edwards 1 50, Carlos Gorham 2 00, J H Bibb 2 00, Sam and Amy Cherry 4 00, Fannie Tucker 1 50, J O Proctor 6 00, Alice Corbett 3 00, Easter Vines 1 50, W. A. Jones 2 50, Alex Harris 12 00, Winnifred Taylor 6 00, Mary Briley 5 00, Lydia Staton 1 50, John Ham 1 00, John G Nelson 1 50, Jas. Long 14 00, W. H. Parker 2 00.

Andrew Robinson 15 50, W S Wooten 5 10, W T Fleming 1 05, B S Sheppard 55. A T Redditt 4 20, J R Randolph 3 35, C Kincaid 24 00, Benj. Fulford 2 08, J B Cherry & Co 2 00, Rosella Parker 2 05, R W King 19 95, R W King 21 15, W T Smith 21 63, H T King 14 70, Mrs. Jennie Forbes 3 00, E A Bland 8 40, A M Joyner 1 20, B S Sheppard 14 60, J F Joyner 1 27, EASTERN REFLECTOR 4 25, Dr. Lawrence Barrett 10 80, W R Wilson 39 00, Edwards & Broughton 33 00, H Harding 37 65, C Dawson 3 80, T E Keel 7 20, Leonidas Fleming 2 50, Jesse L Smith 2 80, J A K Tucker 150 56, S A Gainer 3 69.

Greenville Stock Law Territory—Henry Brown 3 00, J E Cherry & Co 50, J G Moye 8 65, Z A Allen 13 50.

Swift Creek and Contentnea Stock Law Territory—A F Pittman 41 25, E E Powell 3 09, Granville Duggins 3 45, C Dawson 21 00, James White 21 00, Henry White 10 00, W H Tripp and Lewis Ives 16 92, J P Dawson 5 00.

J S Keel, Justice of the Peace, filed his report for 1893 which was ordered recorded.

Dr. W. H. Bagwell, Superintendent of Health, filed his monthly report which was ordered recorded.

Ordered that Harry Hyman, colored, Sam Taylor, John Porter Smith, Tedco Frizzle, be relieved from double tax and allowed to pay single instead. J Frank Hart, Green Patrick, Washington Wilson, W T Smith were exempted from poll tax for 1894.

Ordered that John Z Brooks be released from poll tax in Swift Creek township, he being charged for same in Contentnea.

Ordered that Bill Burney be released from double tax, he having listed in Swift Creek township.

Ordered that the property of John Z Brooks recently purchased from Tedco Frizzle be put on the stock law tax list.

Ordered that Sarah Ham be allowed to draw 1 50 per month as pauper aid, further ordered.

Ordered that Bill Burney be released from payment of tax on personal property.

Ordered that Jacob Joyner be allowed \$15 for timber used in repairing the public road.

Ordered that Mrs. Jennie Forbes be allowed \$3 for timber used in repairing public road.

Upon motion of T. E. Keel it was ordered that the account of Jacob Joyner for timber used in repairing public road be reconsidered and that he be allowed \$20 instead of \$15. The account having been withdrawn it was ordered cancelled.

Ordered that W. H. Parker be allowed \$2 per month as pauper.

Ordered that W. J. Kittrell be released from paying tax on one-third interest in the Cox water mill property, it appearing that the same had been listed by R. H. Garris, guardian.

Ordered that the property of Higgs Bros. in Greenville Stock Law territory be reduced on the stock law tax list from \$3,000 to \$1,500.

Ordered that the property of J. A. Brady in Greenville be reduced from \$1,250 to \$970.

Ordered that Mrs. Fannie Joyner be released from paying double tax on \$1,000 and be allowed to pay regular tax on \$400.

Ordered that Mrs. Laura V. Anderson property be reduced on the tax list of 1893 from \$300 to \$150, the same having been wrongfully listed.

Ordered that R. J. Tagwell be relieved from payment of tax on \$704 of personal property, the same having been wrongfully charged to him.

Ordered that John G. Nelson be placed on the paper roll and be allowed \$1.50 per month.

Ordered that the Sheriff summon a jury and lay out a public road in accordance with a petition from J. W. Allen, J. S. Allen, Moses W. Tyson and others filed at last meeting.

the Republican Senators that they do not possess all the parliamentary knowledge and skill in that body, but they were very cleverly outwitted by the Democrats this week in a scheme of their own putting up. A Republican caucus decided to bring the immediate consideration of the Bland bill for the coinage of the seigniorage, which passed the House last week on the Senate, counting upon the votes of the populists, and upon forcing the silver Democrats to choose between tariff and silver, their idea being to keep the Bland bill before the Senate for an indefinite period, in order to prevent consideration of the tariff bill. The Democrats learned of this programme and gave the Republicans a surprise they have not yet recovered from, by taking the initiative in getting the Bland bill before the Senate, Senator Voorhees stating that as it would probably be about ten days before the tariff bill (now before the Finance committee) would be ready for the consideration of the Senate, and that that time was ample for the disposition of the Bland bill. Senator Sherman made an ineffectual effort to have the Bland bill sent to committee.

Senators Vest and McPherson made personal explanations in the Senate this week concerning charges made against them in a New York paper, of having speculated in the stock of the sugar trust on their knowledge of what the sugar clause of the tariff bill was to be. Senator Vest said: "I may as well say now, once for all, that such publication as this is a vile slander, and the man who repeats it is a willful and malicious liar." Senator McPherson said that he did some times, for investment, not speculation, and that when he was in the South some weeks ago his brokers, acting under a standing order to buy certain stocks when they could be had at certain prices, bought 1000 shares of sugar stock for him. As soon as he returned and learned of the purchase he instructed his brokers to sell the stock and to buy no more, as he did not wish to hold it while sugar was being discussed by the Finance committee.

The usual bids for the bidder vote were made by the Republican members of the House during the debate on the pension appropriation bill. It was the old story.

Postmaster General Bissel, doesn't accept any halfway business done from contractors under his department. The President of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company was made aware of this fact, this week, through an official notification that the contract between the Government and his company for the transportation of mails between New York and the Isthmus of Panama, and between San Francisco and the Japanese and Chinese ports, made under the subsidy and the notorious billion-dollar Congress, would be canceled, because of the failure of the company to comply with the terms of the contract. Mails will continue to be sent by the steamers of this line, but only the usual prices will be paid for carrying them, instead of an extra subsidy of \$1 a mile for all the distance covered.

The cancellation of this contract leaves only two lines—the Red D. line, between New York and the north coast of South America, and the Ward line, between New York, Cuba and Mexico—operating under the subsidy law, as the American line between New York and Southampton will not begin to receive its subsidy until next October.

The House Democratic caucus held this week to consider the advisability of making some change in the rules, looking towards an easier way of getting and keeping a quorum, accomplished nothing because it was not itself attended by a quorum. There is one way in which the Democrats of the House could largely increase their popularity, help the party, and always have a quorum—by simply attending the sessions of the House; but this seems to have been entirely overlooked by some of them.

WASHINGTON LETTER. (From our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON D. C., Mar. 10, 1894. President Cleveland has, according to information from a trustworthy source, positively refused to act as mediator between the Democrats of the Finance committee and the Democratic Senators who have been fighting for radical changes in the tariff bill, in order to protect certain industries in their States. When asked to do so he is said to have indulged in some very vigorous language concerning criticisms which Democratic Senators have made upon the floor of the Senate and elsewhere about his alleged interference with the legislative branch of the government, and to have expressed surprise that he should have been asked to have anything to do with the matter. This is in accord with my understanding of one of the reasons for the President's hunting trip. He wished to be away from Washington while the Democratic Senators were agreeing upon the tariff bill, and was both surprised and disappointed when he returned to find that an agreement had not been reached, feelings probably shared by ninety-five per cent of the Democratic party. It seems difficult to convince

ablest men of the State were there to guide its action. Cool, calm deliberation was the paramount duty of the hour. No personal ambition was to be considered, no discontent was to be placated. Only the good of the State and the redemption of the people from the galling yoke of misrule and degradation, was thought of. White papers were publicly sold to negro masters. Mixed schools of negroes and whites were threatened to be forced upon the good people of the State. These and the iniquities of the Kirk-Holden war and thousands of private and public wrongs, were to be throttled or civil liberty was to perish. Calmly, coolly and determinedly that convention scanned the State and that star was again a guiding one and when the nomination of Zebulon B. Vance, of Buncombe and Thomas J. Jarvis, of Currituck, were bannered on the Conservative, a man who spanned the State from east to west and the rays of hope lighted up the hearts of many a despairing mortal.

This campaign rendered the names of Vance and Jarvis immortal. Dull must be the intellect and vicious the spirit of any one who thinks he would or could tarnish the memory of those men, so long as patriotism has a name or worth an admirer.

This is no obituary. These men, thank Heaven, still live. They are still viewing the field and while the illness of the Senator prevented his taking any active part in the campaign of 1892, yet his spirit and letters were with the friends of good Government and but for the herculean efforts of Thomas J. Jarvis the State would have been lost to Democracy. He saw the dangers of the hour. Dissatisfied men as honest as any in the State were disposed to desert the party. They must be met with sound logic and kindly appeals, brotherly kindness and not vindictive assault, and who better than Jarvis knows how to do that? No man in the universe knows the people of North Carolina better than Thomas J. Jarvis and the people of North Carolina know no man better than they know him.

A DEMOCRAT.

DEGENERACY OF THE ALLIANCE.— Tremendous Falling off at the Last Meeting of the Supreme Council—Due to the Third Party Movement.

The National Economist.

The meeting of the Supreme Council of the Farmers Alliance at Topeka, Kan., showed a tremendous falling off in attendance. It is melancholy to contemplate that while at Omaha there were present a very large number of delegates from sub-Alliances all over the country, and the proceedings of such an enthusiastic character as to have been entitled to wide publication all over the United States, it should come to the point where, in the cradle of the Alliance, the Supreme Council should consist of only twenty-nine members, ten of them being officials, and the proceedings of such an unimportant character that we have failed to find any mention of them until the weekly organs of the Alliance come to us.

There must be a reason for this falling off. The fault is either in the platform or in the attempts that have been made to lug the Alliance off into the third party movement. We think that the fault lies in both places. First, because several of the demands of the platform are repugnant to the prevailing American spirit of independence, which repudiates, at all times and in all places, the idea that one class of citizens is to be assisted at the expense of another; and second, because the rank and file of the Alliance were not in agreement with the leaders who proposed that its membership should go into the Populist movement. Originating third party movements is a device of the young to right what they conceive to be great wrongs.

We freely confess that for twenty years of our life we were carried off in the same way; but we recognize now that there is only one way to achieve political results, and that is through the one or the other of the existing political parties. In order to secure the interest of either of these parties it is necessary that those seeking political reforms should place themselves within the lines as active members, making their fight there instead of on the outside. It is evident that the bulk of the membership of the Alliance is in agreement with us on this matter. If they were not, there would have been a large attendance at Topeka at the annual session. In our opinion the sparse attendance there is positive proof that both the Alliance platform and its political program are in the wrong direction. The entire representation at the Topeka Council, we have said, was twenty-nine, and they represented nineteen States. There were two from North Carolina, three from South Carolina, three from Texas, one each from Virginia, New York, Nevada, California, Indiana, Minnesota, Kentucky, Tennessee, Iowa, Nebraska, and Mississippi, three from Pennsylvania, two from Colorado, two from Georgia. Most astonishing of all is the fact that Kansas, the State in which the convention was held, had but one representative. We find that seven States out of the West were represented—five of the South and East, and all in all, the convention of the Supreme Council was a very sorry showing for the organization that a few years ago had two million members.

Come see the big lot of stationery and books just received at Reflector Book Store.

Missionary Mass-Meeting in Greenville Saturday evening, March 24, at 3 o'clock, services will be conducted in the lecture room of the Greenville Baptist church, by R. T. Bryan, Corresponding Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board; R. T. Bryan, returned Missionary from China; and R. Vandever, of Henderson, N. C., Vice-President of the Foreign Mission Board. One of the above named brethren will preach in the B. Y. S. church Sunday March 25th, at 11 o'clock, and at 3 P. M. of the same day there will be a mass meeting in which much will be said of the greatest interest, as these meetings will be for the purpose of disseminating information in spreading the gospel all over the earth.

J. H. LAMBERTH.

The Love Him, They loved the people of Pitt county, and Greenville especially, are not destitute of gratitude. They view Col. I. A. Sugg as he walks along the street and speak of him as being the colored man's friend. A few years ago he used to drive in town from his country farm early in the morning, and when he saw any colored men, women or boys standing idle, he would call them to go out on his farm and go to work. They took him at his word and did so and when their daily toil was over would return to their homes handsomely recompensed, which enabled them to live comfortably at home. Greenville needs several such men, with a heart of an I. A. Sugg and there would not be so much idleness on the streets.

F. J. JOHNSON.

A Mother's Story

Her Boy's Suffering After Diphtheria Hood's Cave Good Health and Strength.



CLIFFORD MARLETT

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has done so much for my boy that I wish to say a few words in praise of this wonderful medicine. Clifford was very ill with diphtheria and it left him suffering with Bright's disease. He was very weak, poor in flesh and could hardly walk. Malaria fever soon overtook him and together with trouble with his liver.

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla CURES and medicines combined. He has regained strength and flesh and looks quite healthy. It will always give us pleasure to tell others what a valuable medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. C. W. MARLETT, Carrollton, Kentucky. N. B. If you desire to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

WHO IS IT?

Who is it that will be so widely known? By every hearth and fireside home With bargains that win such great renown? BOB MUNFORD.

What name is this that we will see spread On every tree and post and shed? In letters blue and black and red? BOB MUNFORD.

Who cuts the prices down so low And tells the people they must go Where you with bargains he'll overlow? BOB MUNFORD.

Who has the store in which we're told Are Dry Goods and Shoes for young or old, As cheap as ever can be sold? BOB MUNFORD.

Who is it that has a back lot, Where you can tie your horse and not Be bothered with shot that are hot? BOB MUNFORD.

The Honorable Jeremiah Simpson, of Medicine Lodge, sees with his mind's eye forty Populist Congressmen in the next House instead of the ten or a dozen in the present House, and thus he figures them out: "If a Republican becomes dissatisfied he does not go over to the Democrats, he comes to us. This is true of the Western Republicans. If a Southern Democrat gets out of sympathy with his party, he will not go to the extreme of joining the Republicans, he will pitch his tent in our camp." We wonder what Jeremiah thinks of the cohesiveness of a party which is made up of people who join it not because they like it or believe in the things that it stands for, but because they have gotten mad with some other party.—Charlotte Observer.

In these times of business depression and low prices of cotton it behooves the farmers to plant less cotton and more grain and other products. The farmer who raises all he consumes at home as near as possible is the one who will prosper. The farmers of this section should pay more attention to raising grass, cattle and stock, and other things besides cotton as money crops. More trouble, some say! Of course it is, and the man in any calling not willing to take trouble will not succeed very well, if at all. Take the trouble and go to work.—Kinston Free Press.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

S. M. SCHULTZ

AT THE OLD BRICK STORE

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

PORK SIDES & SHOULDERS, FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR RICE, TEA, &c.

ALWAYS AT LOWEST MARKET PRICES. TOBACCO SNUFF & CIGARS

We buy direct from Manufacturers, enabling you to buy at one price. 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.

Notice to Creditors.

The undersigned having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Administrator of F. A. Fleming, 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 must present the same for payment on or before the 13th day of February, 1895, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. This 12th of Feb. 1894. S. A. O'NGLETON, Adm'r of F. A. Fleming.

Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore existing between R. L. Munford and W. B. Greene, under the name and style of Munford & Greene, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the said firm should be paid to R. L. Munford, and all debts due by the said firm will be paid by the said R. L. Munford. This 27th Feb., 1894. R. L. MUNFORD, W. B. GREENE.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

To all who want goods that are all right we invite them to come to see us we will make the prices all right and satisfactory. We have often been told that we were a little high in price on some lines of Goods but our friends would always add that the quality of your goods is better than the lower priced goods costing more and demand. ing better priced than the inferior good. This is what we claim: That we will meet competition on the different lines of Goods carried by us, quality being considered. Come to see us, for we have in stock a general assortment and can supply your every want

FURNITURE

When we say that we have the largest and best line of FURNITURE ever kept in our town. We make no mistake as a visit to our store will prove. Numbers of our customers express surprise at our having such a large and well selected stock on hand. Call on us for anything you may want in the Furniture line. We have just received a lovely line of CHAIRS, and UPHOLSTERED ROCKERS in Silk Plush, &c., &c. These Chairs make nice Christmas presents and we would remind our friends not to overlook them when making purchases for Christmas as they will please you.

GUNS

Call on us for Guns and Gun Implements. We have some nice ones on hand and will make the prices right. Wishing all our friends and the public generally a joyous and happy Christmas, We remain, your friends.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCER GREENVILLE, N. C.

500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00. 500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00. 500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES

TOBACCO - HOGSHEADS!

To my Friends and Customers of Pitt and adjoining counties: I wish to say that I have made special preparation in preparing HO G HEAD MATERIAL and propose giving you HOGSHEADS with inside dress so smooth which will prevent cutting or scrubbing your Tobacco when packing. Also I have made special arrangements to use best split Hops made from White Oak. The special advantages I have in cutting my own timber places me in a position to meet all competition. I cheerfully promise you that I will strive to make it to your interest to use my Hogsheads and you can find them at any time either at my factory or at the Eastern Tobacco Warehouse, Greenville, N. C.

Scroll Sawing, Making Mouldin,

And Turned Trimmings for Houses a Specialty. I am prepared to do any kind of Scroll Sawing for Brackets or anything in the line, or turning Balustrades for Piazas, Pickets for Stairways. Mending of any kind, including Piazza Railings, and would be pleased to name you prices on anything in the above upon application.

GENERAL REPAIR WORK

done on short notice. Thanking you for your past patronage, I am willing to arrive to meet your future patronage, and kindly ask you to give me a trial before transacting elsewhere. Respectfully,

A. G. COX, Winterville, N. C.

COBB BROS. & CO.,

COTTON FACTORS, AND Commission Merchants, FAYETTE STREET NORFOLK, VA.

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THE OLD RELIABLE MERCHANT OF GREENVILLE, N. C.

Offers to the buyers of Pitt and surrounding counties, a line of the following staple not to be excelled in this market. And all guaranteed to be first-class pure straight goods. DRY GOODS of all kinds, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, HATS and CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, DOORS, WINDOWS, SASH, BLINDS, CROCKERY and QUEENSWARE, WARE, HARDWARE, PLOWS and PLOW CASTING, LEATHER of different kinds, GIN and MILL BELTING, HAY, ROCK LIME, PLASTER OF PARIS, PLASTERING HAIR, HARNESSES, BRIDLES and ADDLES.

HEAVY GROCERIES A SPECIALTY.

Agent for Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton which I offer to the trade at Wholesale jobbers prices, 45 cents per dozen, less 5 per cent for Cash. Horford's Brand Flour and Flour, including Plaza Raisins, Lewis' White Lead and pure Li ration and Hall's Star Lye at jobbers prices. Green River Wood Pump, Salt and Wood, an Red Oil, Varnishes and Paint Colors, Gunbroom Wood Pump, Salt and Wood, an Willow Ware. Nails specialties. Give me a call and I guarantee satisfaction.

J. L. SUGG,

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All kinds of Risks placed in strictly FIRST-CLASS COMPANIES

At lower current rates. AN AGENT FOR FIRST-CLASS FIRE PROOF SAFE

KEEP YOUR EYES WIDE OPEN!

Don't Allow Anybody to Switch You Off the Track.

WE ARE THE PEOPLE!
WE ARE THE PRODUCERS!
WE ARE THE REGULATORS!!!

Produce kind of Goods you Need and regulate The prices To suit Your pocketbooks.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK MUST GO AND WE WILL MAKE YOU PRICES THAT ARE VERY LOW.

—We carry a complete line of—
Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, Shoes and Cents Furnishing Goods.

All the latest styles and textiles represented in my mammoth stock. It will be a pleasure to show you through my store. Remember the place opposite J.C.
COBB & SON'S STORE.

HIGGS BROS.
Leaders of Low Prices.
Greenville, N. C.

Let's go skimming.
Childrens Carriages and Wagons at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Bad colds everywhere.
When in want of good shoes go to J. B. Cherry & Co.

Court is still in session.
The Best Flour on earth \$4.20 at the Old Brick Store.

Big frost yesterday morning.
L. M. Reynolds Mens and Boys shoes are the best. For sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.

Fruit trees are blooming right along.
Go to J. B. Cherry & Co when in need of Furniture, they keep a full stock and sell at prices that will please you.

The hook and line season approaches.
Diamond Inks, are the best. Sold only at Reflector Book Store.

Always room for one more subscriber to the REFLECTOR. Bring us a dollar.

Flies are with us and mosquitoes not far behind.
A large stock of nice Furniture cheap at the Old Brick Store.

The weather turned considerably cooler Monday.
Remember I pay you cash for Chicken Eggs and Country Produce at the Old Brick Store.

Spinning tops are all the go with the small boy.
Our tobacco page is unusually interesting this week.

FOR SALE—A pure blood Jersey Bull.
G. T. Tyson, Greenville, N. C.

Do you want free books? See our offer on fourth page.

Read the REFLECTOR's free book offer on fourth page.

Easter is getting near at hand and the new bonnet is building.

The kind of weather we had last week reminds us of picnics.

Mike Eborn, an old colored man, died here Sunday. He had passed four score years in age.

We noticed a lot of handsome baby carriages being received by J. B. Cherry & Co. yesterday. If the very little folks could read this item how they would smile.

A newspaper with evidence of substantial support in its pages speaks volumes for a town. The fact that every tradesseeker has an advertisement in its columns proves that the people are up with the times and favorably impressed the stranger into whose hand it chances to fall.—Salisbury Herald.

THE REFLECTOR

Local Reflections.

You just ought to see the big 1 cent Tablets at Reflector Book Store.

New goods are arriving daily at Lang's.

Peach and pear trees are looking lovely now, being in full bloom.

The game law goes into effect to-morrow and the birds will take a holiday.

Complete line of Dry Goods at Wiley Brown's.

Call in and inspect the new Spring goods at Lang's.

You had better not sell your overcoat, you may need it before March is gone.

For good reliable Shoes go to Wiley Brown.

I tell you the planters put in some good licks last week preparing the lands for crops.

Acme Guano Distributors are for sale by S. E. Pender & Co.

March is nearly half gone, but very little of its lion like nature has so far been shown.

If you wish to dress stylish this season buy your goods at Lang's.

Three negroes have been put in jail since Friday. Only one was in there before them.

Nothing equals the Parker Fountain Pen. Sold only at Reflector Book Store.

Business men can get good Ledgers—100 to 500 pages—at the Reflector Book Store.

A. G. Cox is now selling the Cox Cotton Planter for \$5. Now is the time to send in your order.

Choice canned Fruits and Vegetables, always fresh and nice, at J. S. Smith & Co's.

Farmers, diversify, manure high and cultivate well and a profitable harvest is yours.

New Embroideries just received by Wiley Brown.

If you want the REFLECTOR and Atlanta Constitution a year for \$1.50 bring on that amount.

Hunters your time is up, no more shooting for quite a while. Brush up the hook and line.

FOR SALE—Fine Milch Cow and calf.
JAMES GALLOWAY, Grimsland, N. C.

J. S. Smith & Co. receive fresh every week the finest Cream Cheese, and also best Vermont Butter at 35 cents per pound.

SHOES TO FIT—No matter whether you stand or whether you sit, at Higgs Bros.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—All persons who fail to pay their taxes by March 23rd are hereby notified that their lands will be advertised and sold for payment of same.
R. W. KING, Sheriff.

Another pleasant summer day was last Sunday. All the churches held services and had good congregations.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved Real Estate in sums from \$500 to \$3,000. Apply to.
F. G. JAMES.

Buy your Cotton Seed Meal at the Old Brick Store.

LOST—A portion of a bicycle tool wallet with three wrenches and oiler. Finder will be rewarded by leaving them at REFLECTOR office.

Just received large, bright, fat Mullets at the Old Brick Store.

Mad dogs have been causing trouble at both Durham and Wilmington. The cur is a nuisance, anyway you look at him.

Another big lot of 5 cent tablets received at Reflector Book Store last week, and with these new ones a good lead pencil goes free to every purchaser.

New assortment of Bibles from American B. S., just received.
WILEY BROWN, Depositor.

Pay your taxes by the 23rd of March, or your lands will be advertised and sold. Positively no longer in litigation will be given.
R. W. KING, Sheriff.

The late dry weather has wrought an improvement in the condition of the public roads. Score one for the weather.

Every business man should try a bottle of our Cream Mulcaige. Sold only at the Reflector Book Store.

FOR A. G. Cox's celebrated Back Bands call on J. B. Cherry & Co.

Personal.

Mrs. W. A. Fleming, of Hamilton, is visiting here.

Mr. Frank Wilson returned Saturday night from his northern trip.

Miss Jennie Gray Hodges, of Washington is visiting Miss Rosa Forbes.

Mrs. N. A. Carr, of Willow Green, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. S. Sheppard.

Mrs. C. T. Munford spent last week with friends and relatives in Edgecombe county.

Mrs. Alfred Forbes was quite sick with grip Saturday and Sunday. We are glad to know she is much better.

Mr. R. A. Tyson is having a dwelling built on his farm just west of town. Mr. J. C. Tyson will occupy it.

Mr. W. B. Brown returned from the northern markets last week where he purchased a lovely line of spring goods.

Mr. Claude L. Whichard, of Norfolk, was here Monday visiting the editor and shaking hands with his host of friends.

Mr. G. H. Little and Miss Rena Fleming, both of Pactolus, will be married in that town this evening by Rev. J. H. Lamberth.

Mrs. Ollen Warren and children, of Penny Hill, have been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wilson.

Mrs. Bettie Swindell returned home Friday evening. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Russ and little daughter, Bettie, of Raleigh.

Mrs. Caroline Cherry returned home last week from Yeatesville, Beaufort county, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Satchwell.

It is indeed gratifying to learn of the improvement of Dr. Frank W. Brown. We hope he soon will be entirely recovered and at his post again.

We had a pleasant call from Prof. C. H. James last week and he says his school at Grindool is in a flourishing condition—having about 80 scholars.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Forbes, near Greenville, died Saturday night, and was buried in Cherry Hill Cemetery Monday afternoon.

Rev. J. H. Lamberth returned last week from his visit to Reidsville. Large congregations were out to hear him Sunday and he preached excellent sermons.

Rev. E. C. Glenn, of Smithfield, dropped in to see us last Wednesday and we were glad to have a chat with him. He conducted prayer meeting services that night at the Methodist church.

Ex-Governor Jarvis would be an honor to North Carolina in the U. S. Senate, and would honestly and truly represent the best interest of the whole people of the State.—Oxford Ledger.

Mrs. W. R. Whichard, an aunt of the editor, was in town Monday to spend the day. She was a sufferer from the typhoid scourge that visited the northern portion of the county, being confined to her room for 36 days with fever. It is gratifying to her friends to know that she has almost entirely regained her health.

Dr. H. Johnson, of Grifton and Dr. W. L. Best, of Centerville, visited Greenville last week, and both were welcomed callers at the REFLECTOR office. Dr. Best told us that spiritualism is the latest fad around Centerville and some remarkable mediums are coming to the front. Many amusing things are told on some of them.

Messrs. Hines and Hamilton, whom we announced last week had come to Greenville to take charge of the large lumber mills, have moved their families here. Mr. Hines occupies the Hearne building and Mr. Hamilton boards at Mrs. Rieks'. Mr. Hall, foreman of the mills, has also moved his family here and occupies the Fleming house.

On last Wednesday evening Mr. H. A. Blow received a telegram announcing the sad news of the death of his brother-in-law, Mr. Thos. G. Boddie, of Nashville, N. C., of pneumonia. He was universally popular and beloved at home and had a large number of friends all over the State. He was buried at the home of his brother, J. B. Boddie, on last Thursday.

Dr. Willingham, of Richmond, Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention; Rev. R. Vandeventer, of Henderson, one of the Vice-Presidents of the Board, and Rev. R. T. Bryan, a returned missionary from China, will be in Greenville on Saturday and Sunday, March 24th and 25th, and hold meetings then in the Baptist church. These will be interesting meetings, and our people will have opportunity of hearing talks from great missionary workers which they should not miss.

J. A. Andrews sells Obelish flour at \$4. Read his advertisement.

The street force began yesterday widening and improving Fifth street from the Pitt street crossing to the railroad.

The Tube-Rose Band was out on parade Saturday evening and discoursed sweet music. There is an improvement in their playing.

Moses can hang up his street lamps now while the moon is getting in a few night's work. We hope he will save some matches, however, and not wait for the nocturnal luminary to fade clear away with old age before re-igniting his rounds.

The Pitt County Rifles were out on drill last Friday evening with 34 men. They made a fine showing on the streets, and Captain Smith says the boys are getting out of sight on the tactics.

Special Meeting.

The Board of Councilmen of the town of Greenville will meet in special session on Friday night 16th inst. to transact such business as may properly come before them.
HENRY SHEPPARD, Clerk.
This March 5th, '94.

Colored Boy Drowned.
Mr. J. A. Walston, of Falkland, writes the REFLECTOR that Joe Parker, a 17-year-old colored boy, was drowned at Parker's landing on Tar river, about 8 o'clock Saturday night. He was skimming with Nathan Little and must have been asleep or had a fit and fell out of the canoe. The body was found next morning about 10 o'clock.

Fire at Bethel.
Just after our going to press on last Tuesday night Mr. R. J. W. Carson, of Bethel, who was over here attending court, received a telegram informing him that his dwelling house was burned to the ground. He saved but few of his household effects. He had no insurance at all on building or furniture. It was supposed to be set on fire by rats. Judge Bynum promptly excused him from further attendance at court that he might go home.

How They Catch 'Em.
The market was full of shad only Monday morning. It seems that shad run better before day Monday morning than any other time, but as Jack White says, they have a way of spoiling much sooner than those caught on any other morning. This might sound strange but for the fact that with some of the fishermen "before day Monday morning" is all the way from sunset Saturday evening until sunrise Monday morning.

Building and Loan.
Mr. J. C. Bevers, who has been here some weeks in the interest of the Commercial Building Trust, of Louisville, Ky., organized a branch in Greenville with 92 shares. The officers of the local board are:
H. Harding—President.
J. B. Moore—Vice-President.
H. Skinner—Attorney.
J. L. Sugg—Sec. and Treas.
L. H. Pender—W. B. Wilson, Wiley Brown, R. J. Cobb and G. E. Harris, Directors.

I Go a-Fishing.
We used to know how, but seem to have lost the art. Time was, in our boyhood days, when we waded out on being as good a hand to paddle a net on a shad as any little fellow who held down the stern of a canoe. Friend Joe Evans offered to take us out for a few trips Friday evening, and though ten years had elapsed since we went skimming we concluded that for the fun of the thing we'd try it once more. We tramped up to Goff Landing and launched out, paddle in hand, while Joe paid his attention to the net. For fifteen straight trips we stuck to business but didn't get a bite, and walked back home without even a hickory scale. There was a world of difference between the softness of that canoe seat and the REFLECTOR office chair, but the madam has put a patch on the exposed part of our pants, and by using extra caution and standing up part of the time we are still able to write locals. Verily as a fisherman (for shad) we are not a success.

New Bank Building.
It was our pleasure to be shown through the new brick bank building of Messrs. Tyson & Rawls one evening last week by Mr. W. S. Rawls and it is a marvel of beauty and convenience. As you enter the front door the first thing to greet your eyes is the handsome railing and counter. The counter is made of solid oak and varnished until you can almost see your face in it. The railing is made of grilling of a handsome design and chip glass. The counter is about seven feet high and takes up a little over half the front room, commencing a good distance from the front door, to the left as you enter, and extending out a little over half way across the room, there making a curve and running back to the vault. At the curve is the Teller's window and a little below is the Cashier's. The vault is made of two walls of brick and cement twenty five inches thick with air chambers throughout, gridded by seventeen bars of iron half an inch thick. The vault is a large burglar and fire proof safe. The vault will be provided with lock boxes for the use of patrons of the bank. The door to the vault is of the Herring-Hall-Marvin Co's make of lock combination with five tumblers. In the rear of the vault is a room 12x18 feet to be nicely fitted up for private business and Director's office. The ceiling overhead is of native pine and placed in such a position as to appear an octagon shape. It is an original idea of Mr. Rawls'. Mr. Jas. L. Little is Cashier and Mr. Jas. C. Tyson is Teller, both of whom will be glad to see their friends and will extend to them their best service. On the outside of the counter a desk will be placed for the convenience of the public, where will be found full supply of paper, envelopes, blanks, checks, notes, pen and ink. Greenville has a good bank building and wishes the proprietors success. The REFLECTOR is always glad to see enterprisers of any nature and its columns are always open to the up-building of our town. The bank will soon be moved into its new quarters.

The Meeting Next Sunday.
Let every body bear in mind that the protracted meeting will commence in the Methodist church next Sunday. There will be services every morning at 11 o'clock and at night. All are invited and expected. We clip the following from the Danville, Va., Methodist, of March 1st, in regard to Mr. Schoolfield:
Mr. Schoolfield is no ordinary itinerant evangelist. He is a man of wealth, a leading merchant and manufacturer of the city of Danville, where he has resided for many years. Two years ago, he states, he was convinced that he was called to preach, and at once began a work in which he is giving his best energies and his masterly ability.
He is a fine specimen of physical man, six feet three inches, broad shoulders, as straight as an Indian, strong, but pleasant voice, well developed face and head. His sermons show careful preparation, as clean and as pungent as Mr. Moody; as direct and at times as scathing as Sam Jones. Men hear and respect because the man who speaks is full of his subject, deeply pious, intensely in earnest.
Mr. Schoolfield does not believe in sensation, says but little to touch the sensational side of a man, but with sledge-hammer arguments he storms the citadel of reason. His work in Brambleton has been eminently successful, and the church he is now serving is greatly awakened. The charge so frequently made against evangelists that they are preaching for money will fall harmless if directed to James E. Schoolfield, who has never yet received a dollar for months of the most faithful and arduous work.
He will be assisted by Mr. Ramsay who is a singer of much note.

Cause of Delayed Mails.
Our Bethel correspondent complained in his letter last week about mails that formerly reached Bethel on the morning trains now not getting there until the evening trains, and thought that blame for the delay. We have looked into this matter and find that the fault is not with the clerks but with the schedules by which the trains are run. The Bethel mail was formerly carried by the Plymouth and Rocky Mount train, but now mails on that train are only handled by two Plymouth and Parmele, and the points between Parmele and Tarboro are supplied by the trains running from Washington to Tarboro. Under the new schedule this latter train does not connect with either the Greenville or Plymouth trains at Parmele but goes on ahead, so that if either of these other trains has mail for Bethel or points between Parmele and Tarboro it is turned over to the train from Greenville and goes around either by way of Hobgood or Halifax to Tarboro and then on to its destination by the evening train. This causes mail going from Greenville in the morning not to get to Bethel until that evening. It is a round about way for the mail to go, but the fault is in the railroad schedules. If the morning train from Washington to Tarboro was held a few minutes at Parmele for the arrival of the trains from Greenville and Plymouth, the connection would be all right and the mails go through on good time. As it is the people who get mail at Bethel and other offices between Parmele and Tarboro are subjected to a great deal of unnecessary delay and annoyance. The matter should be placed before the proper authorities and remedied.

Higgs Bros want you to get your eyes wide open and read their new advertisement to day. It tells the news of their nice goods and low prices.

Ain't the show windows at Boswell, Speight & Co's just beautiful? It almost makes your mouth water to look at their pretty exhibit of spring goods.

Two Lights.

The luminary that shines on the REFLECTOR was walking down the street, Saturday afternoon, and when in front of Lang's store was picked up bodily by Larry Heilbronner, taken inside and laid out on the counter, much to the amusement of those within. Larry didn't get time to announce "new goods, just arrived—latest importation, all wool and a yard wide," before Mr. F. M. Smith inquired: "He's pretty light, ain't he?" To this Mr. Lang replied: "There's two lights—red light (pointing at our head) and Israelite (at Larry)." Both lights promptly went out.

Almost Dead.
In one of the back lots of the town Sunday morning Chief of Police J. T. Smith picked up a man who was in a critical condition, being unconscious and to all appearances almost dead. The officer took the man to the station house and called Dr. Zeno Brown to attend him. Under the care of the doctor and officer the man had revived by night but could not give much account of himself. From the little intelligence he gave coupled with some entries in his memorandum book, his name was supposed to be C. R. Pool, and he said he was from Person county. The man was evidently tapering off of a spree. He had about \$15 in money. Officer Smith telegraphed Monday to the Sheriff of Person county about the man, but had received no reply up to this writing.

Johnson Mills Items
March, 12th 1894.
The new Post office was opened here last Monday.
Dr. Best went to Newberne last Friday and returned Saturday.
Rev. Alban Graves filled his regular appointment at St Johns yesterday.

Messrs. E. A. Johnson John Nelson and Dr. Best went to Greenville last Monday.
Miss Jennie Gray Hodges left for Vanceboro last Wednesday after spending several days visiting Miss Anne Brooks.

The farmers took advantage of the fine weather last week and turned off lots of work.
Misses Annet Brooks and Nannie Prizzle went to Kinston last Wednesday.

Bethel Items.
March, 12th, 1894.
Mr. McG. Ford has two sick children.
Capt. W. B. Kendrick, of Raleigh, is in town to day.

Messrs. Ward & Baruhill are moving the Bryan & Pool saw mill from Parmele to Bethel. We wish them success.

Prof. T. C. Manning, who is now teaching penmanship at Goldsboro and Wilson, made a flying trip home Saturday. He returned Sunday morning.

Little Belle, daughter of Mr. J. L. Peal, while playing out in the old mill yard last Tuesday evening, caught on fire. She ran to the dwelling house which was about one hundred yards, but was so badly burned before the flames could be extinguished she died that night. She was buried Wednesday evening. Funeral services were conducted at the grave by the Rev. W. A. Forbes. We extend our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved family.

Mr. R. J. W. Carson, who lives about one mile from Bethel had the misfortune to lose his dwelling house and a portion of his furniture destroyed by fire last Tuesday evening. The fire is supposed to have caught by matches from rats. It was discovered about six o'clock. In a short while a large crowd had assembled and by hard work managed to save the greater part of the furniture and the smoke house which was near by. A large portion of the finest bed clothing and his daughter's and son's clothes were burned. The loss is about \$800, no insurance. Mr. Carson has the sympathy of the entire community. He was away from home at the time at Greenville serving as a juror and knew nothing of it until he received a telegram Tuesday night. He returned home Wednesday morning.

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I need not say anything about except that I have received a new line. Prices are lower than ever. I thank you for your past favors and if close prices will avail me anything I will merit a continuance
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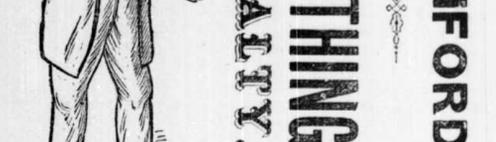
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