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**Kind to Our Guests.**  
A city alderman told us that in a certain city recently visited by a circus the authorities refused to demand the entire tax levied upon such impositions, and could not absolutely testify whether it was because it rained that day or whether it was because said authorities, whose sworn duty it was to collect the backsheesh, had received free tickets to see the thing. Had we not better throw the mantle of charity over the whole affair and say it was because of the great consideration our officials entertain for their visitors.

**Off and On.**  
Lawyers often meet their match in a writer of quick wit, whose repartee is not only by the spectators, but sometimes by the inquisitor himself. In *Harper's Magazine* for April this instance is given:  
A lawyer noted for his success in cross-examination found his match in a recent trial, when he asked a long suffering witness how long he had worked at his business of tin-roofing. The answer was: "I have worked at it off and on, but have worked at it steadily for the past twelve years."  
"How long off and on have you worked at it?"  
"Sixty-five years."  
"How old are you?"  
"Sixty-five."  
"They say you have been a tin-roofer from birth?"  
"No, sir; of course I haven't."  
"Then why do you say that you have worked at your trade sixty-five years?"  
"Because you asked how long off and on I had worked at it. I have worked at it off and on sixty-five years—twenty years on and forty-five off."  
There was a roar in the courtroom, but not at the expense of the witness, and his inquisitor hurriedly finished his examination in great confusion.

**Monopoly.**  
Some people think they have a monopoly upon this or that, a right which is criminal to dispute, and as soon as they are convinced that you are succeeding at once set about to break up your plans. You have committed the unpardonable sin. They never think to meet your competition with honest effort, with a desire to please the general public and thus win their confidence, and they at once start to crush you out because they have more capital by reducing prices to an extent, to meet, you are obliged to do business at a loss. They may succeed, but experience teaches when it does the public pay dear for it in the end.—*Washington Messenger.*

**A BEAUTIFUL LIAR.**  
BY MRS. H. L. RAYNE.  
Harold Wynne walked his library floor with irritated and emphatic steps. His brows were drawn together by a frown that looked like ill-temper, but may have been perplexity, and his lips were set in a straight line that showed the possession of a will that determined and self-reliant. A handsome young man, well-groomed, no longer young, but in that golden prime where the alert soul knows its own value.  
"Ethel has told me another falsehood," he said in cold, even tones, addressing his nephew, Ralph Meadows, who sat in a window reclining and reading a newspaper, and who looked suddenly, as if the subject impressed him humorously, instead of shocking him as his uncle expected.  
"Poor Ethel!" he said. "I don't believe it is in that child to speak the truth."  
"Child!" his uncle winced. There was too forced a contrast presented to his imagination by the term.  
"You forget, Ralph, that Ethel is eighteen—quite old enough to have some idea of moral responsibility."  
"True, uncle," answered Ralph, with a yawn, "but I should as soon expect to find a kitten with a conscience. She has never been allowed to think or act for herself, but has always been a puppet in other's hands."  
"You undervalue her," said his uncle, sharply.  
"No, I only do not expect too much of her. She has a beautiful character, but her moral nature has been perverted through fear."  
"Fear?"  
"Yes, fear of the consequences of telling the truth. It has been charged that women are natural liars, and if there is any truth in the statement—I for one do not believe it—then they transgress through fear. I have seen children whipped for 'really' the truth."  
"Really, Ralph, you should have gone into the ministry. You would have made a success."  
"Well, at least, I would not have scoured people into Heaven. I am not sure I would have given them a great deal of line upon line, and precept upon precept. Circumstances have much to do with our course of conduct."  
"Lying is such a contemptible thing," said Mr. Wynne, severely.  
"So is gambling; yet I have heard you say that you believed you were born with a passion for gambling, and you have needed help to save you from yourself. Still you have no mercy for another sinner."  
Harold Wynne looked at his presumption young relative in astonishment. Could this be the thoughtless youth who had lived under his roof, looking up to him as to a father, and who was now constituting himself judge and jury to arraign and condemn?  
Before he could speak the door opened and Ethel herself entered, a beautiful girl, indeed, her large, guileless blue eyes wide and wondering, with innocent curiosity.  
"There she is to speak for herself," said Mr. Wynne. "Ethel, did you not tell me you were at home last night all the evening?"  
Ethel looked anxiously from the face of the uncle to that of the nephew, but, seeing no help in either, she answered, sweetly:  
"Yes, Gurdy, I was in my own room learning the lines you gave me to commit from Longfellow. I can recite them now."  
Ralph Meadows was convulsed with suppressed merriment, but Mr. Wynne saw nothing amusing in the occasion, as Ethel with a stately pose and dramatic gestures recited the lines:  
"If by night the frogs are croaking,  
Kindle not a torch; they are all silent—  
So truth speaks the liar."  
Harold Wynne applauded his nephew, but his nephew was undeniably angry.  
"I have read somewhere," he said, "that truth was a greatly overestimated virtue. If things were to go on like this, I should be inclined to adopt that opinion."  
Mr. Wynne returned persistently to the original grievance. "Where were you last night, Edith?"  
"I have told you, Gurdy."  
"You were out walking with me, Ethel. Why do you not tell him?" asked Ralph.  
"—I forgot."  
"Ethel!" said Mr. Wynne, angrily, "see how one lie begets another. Why could she not have told me that in the first place. I must say it was an improper proceeding. Where was Mrs. Fleming?"  
"In her bed, sleeping the sleep of the just. We were in by nine o'clock. If there was any blame it belongs to me, as I asked Ethel for her company."  
"It is not necessary, Ralph, that you should undervalue Ethel's responsibilities. She is old enough to act for herself. I sometimes wish she stopped, and never taken me into your life—don't say that!" cried the girl, sliding down on her knees beside him and pressing her sweet lips to his hard hand; "you have been too good and kind to me, and I can never repay you—oh, I will, I will, indeed. I will, to profit by your goodness. Forgive me!" She rose with shining eyes and

like a vision of sweetness once out of the room, nor did she once cast a glance at the younger man, who in his heart was calling his relative a jelly fish of judgment and other unjolly epithets.  
When the girl was gone from the room, Harold Wynne clasped his hands at the back of his neck, and sat deeply thinking.  
"I'll do it!" he said at last; "it is my duty, and the only way to save her. She needs a strong, firm hand to guide her. I know her failing and will temper justice with mercy. Ralph, listen to me a moment."  
"Yes, sir," Ralph laid his book down—it was doubtful if he had been reading—and prepared to give his uncle's attention to what his uncle was about to say.  
"I have decided to marry Ethel."  
"Indeed, sir?"  
"It will make no difference to you, as your property will remain yours by law; I have enough without that. And you will make your home here with Ethel and me. She likes you, and if she did not it would make no difference; she must respect my wishes."  
"I should think," said the younger man slowly, "that you would hesitate to place your happiness in the keeping of one who tells lies!"  
"Not at all," answered his uncle, coolly. "That is the one law in our world that her treatise on the 'Philosophy of Truth,' and other literature of the same moral aim, and strive to teach her to love truth for truth's sake."  
His nephew smiled. He did not know much of that delicate and complex shrine, a woman's heart, but he felt assured his uncle knew even less than he. To be coerced into telling the truth seemed to him a poor way of avoiding falsehood. But he merely asked:  
"Have you spoken to Ethel?"  
"No, but I will see her to-night."  
Mr. Wynne touched a bell and sent word to his ward that he wished to see her. She came as promptly as if she had been waiting for his message. Was it possible she anticipated the honor about to be conferred upon her?  
Before Harold Wynne could speak, his nephew advanced to meet Ethel and had taken her hand.  
"You need not sacrifice yourself, uncle," he said, brightly. "Ethel is my wife. We were married last night."  
—"SHERIDAN'S RIDE."  
The Special Himself Got Tired of Hearing It.  
Speaking of how weary and sick of "Bon Bolt," its author, Thomas Dunn English, had lately become because of the "Trilly" craze, a woman said: "If Gen. Sheridan were alive, Mr. English would be sure of the general's sympathy, for if ever a man got tired of a poem, it was 'Pipi' Sheridan of 'Sheridan's Ride.'" Mrs. Sheridan was asked recently to tell the story of the famous ride as the general himself used to tell it. Mrs. Sheridan answered: "It wasn't in the habit of telling it. It was told to him often enough. Whenever he went somebody recited that poem. Whenever he was invited to entertainments or suppers or dinners some boy or girl told him how he rode. It went on for years, and the general would come home disgusted that he often declared he never would accept another invitation for reunions or celebrations unless promised that he shouldn't be recited at and told how he rode."  
"The only time I know of when Gen. Sheridan himself told the story in public was one night at a dinner at Mrs. Hale's house. Everybody saves the best for the every body. The senator from Maine, and one night I was surprised to hear the general finishing the account of that ride. But it was told so quietly that only the group about him knew what was going on. He heard it too often to ever want to tell of it himself."—N. Y. World.

**THEY USE SILVER BULLETS.**  
Indians Who Possess Valuable Mines of Silver and Copper.  
On the headwaters of the Copper river, Alaska, about two hundred miles from the sea coast, where a white man has never been allowed to visit, dwells a strange and peculiar, mysterious race of Indians. In recent years, through some unknown means, they acquired possession of a few guns, and now when they come down to the trading posts on Kneek river, at the head of Cook's Inlet, they often bring bullets molded out of silver and other metals. The Alaska Commercial company's agent, three years ago, obtained several of these bullets and sent them to San Francisco to be assayed, and the returns indicated sixty-five per cent. was silver, the remainder being copper and lead with a slight trace of gold.  
The Indians have a great many primitive weapons and cooking utensils, all of which are rudely though skillfully made out of pure copper. They have frequently informed the white traders that silver and copper abound in certain quantities at the base of a certain peak, back of Spirit mountain, which is now reckoned as being the highest mountain in North America by surveyors and engineers who have viewed it from a distance. It is known that these Indians have no means or knowledge of reducing ore, and it seems almost certain that they must be telling a true story about silver and copper being found in almost pure quantities in its native state.  
The Indians visit the coast for trading purposes. In the summer the post on Kneek river is abandoned on account of the rapacious appetite of the mosquitoes, it being impossible for a human person to survive their attacks. Several instances are known where they have killed and devoured indigo dogs. The natives, for that reason, give the coast a wide berth in the summer.  
The general opinion prevails that when the government forecloses these Indians to open this country up to exploration many rich gold and silver mines will be discovered, more than the famous Treadwell mines on Wrangell island.—*Tribune-Democrat.*

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Most of the Natural Odors Can Be Imitated.  
The natural perfumes are nearly all of vegetable origin, derived from flowers and fruits, musk being the only animal perfume of importance. The odors of fruits, however, have been long imitated with the aldehydes and ethers of fatty acids. Mixtures of these give the odors of strawberries, raspberries, apples, pears, etc. The aroma of rum and cognac and the bouquet of wines are produced artificially. Of substances more especially intended as perfumes are methyl-salicylic ether, imitating the odor of wintergreen, and nitrobenzene, giving the odor of oil of bitter almonds. Vanilla, first obtained in 1874 from a product of coniferous trees, and now extensively manufactured from other products by the odoriferous principle of the vanilla bean. Spirits of turpentine yield a perfume known as lily of the valley or lilac. The most recent discoveries are methods of producing the perfume of musk and that of the violet, the former dating back to 1889 and the latter having been announced last year.—N. Y. Ledger.  
A Sensible Girl.  
A young girl came to New York last winter to study art. She was alone, almost penniless and well-nigh friendless. The one person that she knew in the big, strange city was, however, a woman of means and influence. She was also a woman of sense, and so, instead of simply providing the girl with the wherewithal to study, she gave her advice. "Earn the money yourself," she said. "And your success will be all the sweeter for having done so." She further recommended domestic service as the safest and easiest means of procuring the desired capital. The girl accepted the advice and obtained a place as housemaid with a suburban family. Her wages were good, she had a comfortable home, her wants were few, and before long she was saving money. Next winter she will enter the art school. But how many young women would be willing to do the same thing?  
Mechanism Which Makes Successful Thefts Almost Impossible.  
The locks on the mail pouches are so constructed that it is impossible to open one without its betraying the secret. There is a little dial on the lock and every time the lock is opened the figures on the dial move up one. Suppose, for instance, that the register shows 1,147 at the point of departure, and that when the pouch is twisted the numbers around until they were the same as before the lock was touched. He set the dial numbers up to 999, when to his consternation the register remained at that figure and refused to move any more. The lock must be taken apart before it will start at No. 1 again, but he did not know this. The trick was, of course, discovered and the guilty clerk punished. Since then the locks have never been tampered with.  
Origin of the Custom in the Barbary Days of Yore.  
When the iron glove might mean mischief it was a sign of peace to uncover the hand in greeting.  
That is how the custom, which is so fast falling into neglect, or taking off the glove to shake hands arose, and that is why gloves have always to be removed on presentation to the queen at court.  
But though the glove was removed, there was still, in the rough old days, some fear of treachery, and that is why we shake hands at all, for when men met they surrendered to the grasp of the other the right and weapon-wielding hand. Had it been possible for President Carnot, says Herbert Maxwell, to insist upon mutual surrender of right hands, the attack upon him would have assuredly miscarried.  
And Then He Went Home.  
"Mr. Stalate," she murmured, "do you remember when in 1894 we sat up to watch the new year in?"  
"Yes," he replied, rapturously.  
"Well—don't you—don't you—"  
"Don't I what?"  
"Don't you think we are beginning rather early 'his year'?"

**English Shoes.**  
The remark that Americans, while in England, often send home to buy shoes, because the English shoes are of such poor quality, called out from one American present this story:  
An American in England, who had bought a pair of shoes of a fashionable dealer, carried them back soon with a protest.  
"Look here!" he said, "I've had these shoes only two weeks, and they are completely out of shape, and the leather is giving way in two places."  
The Englishman looked at the shoes an instant.  
"Dear me! dear me!" he said, "you've been walking in these shoes!"  
"Walking in them? What else should I do with them?"  
"That's it sir! Our shoes are made only for carriage people, sir!"  
And the dealer loftily showed the American out of his shop.  
H. Baruch, the leading dry goods merchant of Charlotte has made an assignment.

**Why Is It?**  
Some Inquisitive Fiend Asks Questions We Can't Answer.  
In these century-end days, when everybody seems to be wholly absorbed in making his or her neighbor live up to the higher ideals, it seems fitting to call attention to some matters, which, though they lack the importance of equal suffrage or cycling as a proper recreation for women, are nevertheless disturbing factors in the problem of the perfected life. For instance:  
Why will men carry half-smoked, burning cigars into "L" trains and cable cars and why don't conductors stop?  
Why will women always ask the elevator boy to wait and then remark that they don't want to use it at all?  
Why will a man bore his friends with stories of his wife and babies instead of going home to them?  
Why will a woman always wait until she gets just in front of a ticket window before she tries to find her pocketbook?  
Why will a man take fifteen minutes to tell you a story and then admit that he "can't tell it?"  
Why will women ape men and then scorn any man who acts as they do?—N. Y. Recorder.  
LITTLE GERMAN SOLDIERS.  
The Emperor's Children Follow Their Salute with a Hug.  
Sons of a father who prides himself on being a soldier rather than a citizen, who has frequently declared that he would sooner be in history as a great general than as a great ruler, and sons of a dynasty which owes its origin and its present eminence to the sword, it is only natural that the boys of Emperor William of Germany should have inherited the military tastes of their ancestors. Every prince of their house is also facta a soldier, and they have been reminded of this since their earliest infancy. While their training has been essentially military, it has not been permitted in any way to interfere with that sense of heart, that generous impulsiveness, and that ingenuousness which are so endearing in children. And, although they invariably greet their father with the correct military salute, yet this is immediately followed by a thoroughly boyish and loving hug.  
It is on attaining their tenth year that they first enter the army, and on the birthday table of every prince of the house of Prussia on that anniversary are always to be found the epaulets, the sword and the sash of a lieutenant of the first company of the First regiment of foot guards. As the corps is composed exclusively of the tallest men to be found in the length and breadth of the German empire, the contest between the tiny royal lieutenants and their gigantic fellow officers and soldiers is exceedingly entertaining.  
Of all the emperor's sons the one whose military tastes are the most pronounced is the crown prince, and no one is quicker than he to detect any fault in drill, any defect in the uniform or equipment, and he gives promise of proving eventually quite as much of a military martinet as his father, William II.

**MOVING A BIG TREE.**  
A Giant Cherry Taken Up and Moved to Another Place.  
Just before midnight one night in the middle of February last, a cherry tree, with earth attached, weighing twelve and three-quarter tons, began the passage from the Knowles estate at Pawtucket and Fletcher streets to the grounds of ex-Mayor Field's residence in Middlesex street. The tree was on a sled and the way it got off there is an interesting story. During the cold snap a trench was dug around the tree. It was several feet deep. The tree was propped up so that it could not fall, and then the earth was dug from under the roots until the tree stood free, except that a platform of earth two feet deep and twelve feet in diameter clung to it. The roots and the frost held the ground in tact.  
Then the trees were measured over gently with jacks to measure its length on the ground, so that the twelve-foot circle of horizontal earth was made perpendicular. More jacks were used to raise the circle of frozen earth, so that the sled was lowered under it, and then it was slipped, and the horses pulled the combination out of the orchard. Wooden shears braided the reeling trees on the sled. All this was done a couple of weeks ago. The earth cracked during the work, and the cracks were plastered with mud and allowed to freeze tight.

**IT WORKED.**  
The Peddler Simply Spoke of the Woman Across the Way.  
"I beg your pardon, madam, but I haven't asked you to buy any of my tablecloths as yet," said the peddler in tones of humbleness as the housewife paused to catch her breath, according to the New York World.  
"Then what did you stop here for, you?"  
"Why, I was convinced by a sense of respect which I bear for all humanity to stop and offer my wares to you. If you will hear me just a moment I shall make my unenviable position clear to you. You know the lady over the creek—the one in the white house with the green shutters, yonder?"  
"Of course I know her, the old gossip-monger."  
"Now, just lend an ear till I tell you how the thing stands."  
"Has she been lying to you about me?"  
"Well, I dare say that she said nothing about you that any honest-minded person would believe. It was simply—" she said.  
"What did she say? Tell me what she said. Oh, I'd like to!"  
"Well, she simply said that you didn't use tablecloths, and she wanted to bet me a week's board that I couldn't sell you one."  
"What's that? Is that what she said? She said I didn't use them, eh? Now, it's not that I care anything about it," explained the peddler as he heaped his pack, "yet I know I see them, and I was determined (although it has thrown me somewhat out of my way) to see for myself."  
The housewife gritted her teeth in silence and took her purse from her pocket.

**Romance and Reality.**  
A young student of sociology, who belongs to one of the oldest and most exclusive families of New York, and has spent most of his life in the circles of the Four Hundred, is making a queer collection of data which, he says, he intends to publish. It is a study of the blasted lives of the old, wrinkled beggar women who are so often met with in the streets. He never sees one but he accosts her and asks her: "Were you ever happy when you were young?" If he finds that his query develops an interesting story he tips a good silver piece into the trembling hand. That sets the old woman's tongue loose, and tales of youthful romance and ruin are unfolded that might make matter for novels more intense and powerful than the average.—N. Y. Recorder.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 10th, 1895.

Col. Fairbrother, of Durham, sold his paper some time ago with the understanding that he was not to edit another paper in North Carolina. Recently he returned to Durham and bought the Recorder, but he has been restrained from publishing it by his contract when he sold his paper. Not many tears will be shed on account of this result.

At Guilford Battle Ground on July 4th, there was a formal dedication of a monument to Col. Joseph Winston. There were five thousand people present. The address was delivered by President Winston, of the University. The statue is the gift of ex-Gov. Holt. It is made of sheet copper and looks as well as if it were bronze and is said to be as durable.

The jury has been selected for the trial of Shemwell for killing Dr. Payne. To the surprise of every one it took only four hours to get the jury. After some instructions to the jury by Judge Boykin, court adjourned until next day when the trial will commence in a hotly contested battle. Some startling developments are expected even in the beginning of the trial.

The Cotton States Exposition which will open in Atlanta in September will be the greatest exhibit ever undertaken in the South. Most of the buildings have been completed and everything will be in readiness by the date fixed for the opening. We have recently talked to two or three traveling men who had just come Atlanta, and they say the Exposition will be second in interest only to the World's Fair. Arrangements have been effected for the low rate of one cent a mile on the railroads.

Four years and six months will bring to a close the present century, the same being in its order the eighteenth. Now, why it has been, and is still, falsely called the "nineteenth century," upon which we have not yet entered, is what we would like to know. We may only guess that it is called the nineteenth century in order to cultivate the impression that we are a hundred years ahead of time.—Durham Sun.

Is not the Sun somewhat off in its reckoning? According to our way of counting, with the advent of the year A. D. 1 we commenced the first century and continued therein until the close of the year 100; and with the year 101 the second century started. By the same rule the eighteenth century closed with the year 1800 and the nineteenth began with 1801. Therefore this is the nineteenth century, and when the year 1901 arrives we will begin the twentieth century.

The trial of Shemwell at Lexington continues from day to day. The State is endeavoring to show that Shemwell deliberately and with malice aforethought came up behind Dr. Payne and shot him. The defence will endeavor to show that it was plainly in self defence and that the Paynes had conspired together to kill Shemwell. The case will be a long one and is hotly contested on both sides.

There were 6,657 commercial failures in the first half of 1895 against 7,039 in the first half of 1894, and 6,401 in the first half of 1893. These commercial failures involved liabilities of \$88,839,944 this year, against \$101,739,306 last year, and \$168,064,444 in 1893. The details show a decrease in every class of failures in the second, compared with the first quarter of 1895 both in the number and magnitude, the defaulting liabilities averaging \$34, against \$40 for every firm in business and \$3.04 for every \$1,000 solvent payments.

There were 197 failures reported throughout the United States last week, as compared with 215 the previous week, 164 in the first week of July, 1894; 319 in 1893 and 152 in the like week of 1892.

**COMMISSIONERS MEETING.**

GREENVILLE, N. C. July 1st 1895. The Board of Commissioners for Pitt county met this day. Present, C. Dawson, chairman, Leonidas Fleming, Jesse L. Smith, S. M. Jones and T. E. Keel. The following orders for paupers were drawn: Martha Nelson 2 00, H. D. Smith 1 50, Jacob McLawhorn 1 50, Nancy Moore 3 50, Susan Briley 2 50, Lucinda Smith 1 50, Henry Harris 2 50, Kenneth Henderson 2 00, Eliza Edwards 1 50, Carlos Gorham 2 00, J. H. Bibb 2 00, Henry Dail 2 00, Sam and Ann Cherry 4 00, Fannie Tucker 1 50, J. O. Proctor 5 00, Alice Corbett 3 00, Easter Vines 1 50, Alex Harris 12 00, Winifred Taylor 6 00, Lydia Staton 1 50, W. H. Parker 2 00, J. G. Nelson 1 50, Winnie Chapman 1 50, Polly Adams 1 50, Mrs. J. W. Crisp 2 50, W. F. Williams 3 50, James Long 7 00, Armelia Hearty 1 50, Edwin Haddock 1 50, Matilda Thomas 2 00, Chas. Joyner and wife 3 00.

The following orders for general county purposes were issued: R. W. King 9 80, J. A. Lang 1 65, R. L. Davis 4 00, D. D. Bryant 4 90, W. G. Little 24 00, H. F. Keel 62 27, Jno M. Manning 3 00, W. H. Reeves 12 00, Richard Harris 12 00, W. H. Williams 14 00, O. W. Harrington 50 00, C. D. Rountree 52 00, G. M. Tucker 50 00, W. R. Williams 21 20, T. A. Thigpen 22 00, G. F. Smith 22 00, John A. Crisp 3 00, C. P. Gaskins 22 00, J. J. Nobles 26 00, L. B. Mewborne 24 85, R. W. Jones 24 00, J. W. Page 12 00, Romeo Stokes 1 84, Jas. R. Congleton 19 75, H. N. Gray 10 00, J. D. Cox 28 00, J. K. Johnson 26 00, J. J. May 14 00, J. R. Overton 26 00, J. W. Smith 168 25, Ivy Smith 13 00, W. A. Pollard 9 00, J. B. Little 29 60, J. A. K. Tucker 14 00, H. C. Venters 30 00, F. G. Dupree 20 00, W. L. Smith 33 30, C. V. Newton 20 00, Wm. McArthur 9 00, F. G. Moore 23 00, S. R. Ross 21 20, D. C. Moore 25 00, T. A. Thigpen 3 60, Ivy Smith 1 80, R. W. King 70 05, B. M. Lewis 22 85, A. P. Turnage 14 00, Jarvis & Blow 200 00, W. H. Bagwell 22 50, D. J. Whigham 3 40, T. J. Jarvis 8 50, Sheppard or Lang 1 00, J. A. Lang 4 20, W. L. House 2 30, E. Lang 2 30, G. T. Tyson 9 83, Andrew Blount 1 25, Edwards & Broughton 7 45, W. M. King 9 05, S. M. Jones 3 30, T. E. Keel 3 70, Jesse L. Smith 2 80, C. Dawson 3 80, Leonidas Fleming 2 50, W. M. King 13 95.

Swift Creek stock territory: L. B. Mewborne 2 00, J. R. Johnson 2 00, A. F. Pittman 2 50, C. Dawson 2 00, J. D. Cox 2 00. Greenville stock territory: O. W. Harrington 5 00, C. D. Rountree 5 00, G. M. Tucker 5 00. The following Jurors were drawn for September term Superior Court.

FIRST WEEK.  
W. R. Horne, Mc D. Horton, J. W. Allen, E. F. Cobb, R. M. Starkey, Thos. E. Little, W. S. Newton, J. S. Overton, J. T. Nelson, L. L. Kittrell, J. W. Edwards, Louis H. Cox, Lawrence Hooker, Elbert Forbes, B. E. Abrams, Daniel Hatch, C. K. Johnson, Edmond S. Harris, F. M. Smith, Howell Cobb, Jas. Hardy, A. B. Ellington, W. G. Carson, T. J. Stancill, H. R. Johnson, P. H. Kittrell, Geo. W. Gardner, John L. Carbon, Wiley Pierce, G. T. Whigham, Colin Jones, A. D. Hill, Ulysses Joyner, W. E. Tucker, W. L. Brown, W. A. Davenport.

SECOND WEEK.  
Jos. Moya, T. L. Moore, Howell Warren, A. J. Flanakin, D. S. Spain, J. F. Case, W. E. Moore, J. Mc Dixon, J. E. Warren, Alonzo B. Cherry, Geo. W. Hemby, B. W. James, W. E. Barrett, W. B. Brown, G. W. Hardy, S. T. Carson, Lunsford Fleming, J. J. Stokes.  
License to retail liquor for six months were granted to the following:  
Greenville—H. C. Edwards, O. Hooker, W. E. Burnett, W. L. Cobb, J. W. Naydam, J. A. Braddy, B. F. Anderson, Mat. E. H. Shelburn.  
Grifton—E. A. Bland, Bryan Gardner, E. Lang.  
Bethel—Robt Staton, F. S. Gardner.  
Factious—J. R. Davenport, J. F. Mobley.  
Dongola—T. L. Turnage.  
Parker's X Roads—J. Q. Smith & Co.  
Centre Bluff—J. S. Keel.  
Galloway's X Roads—N. H. Bedard.  
Harrison—E. C. Edwards.  
Hill—W. E. Hicks.  
Grimesland—T. M. Moore & Co.  
J. O. Proctor & Bro.  
Marlboro—S. S. Harris.  
Oakley—W. E. Fleming.  
Stokes—J. L. Perkins & Co.  
Ayden—J. B. Garriss.  
Cobb's Store—C. D. Smith.  
Ordered that the Supervisors of Swift Creek and Chicod township allot hands to the new road leading from the Haddock farm to Mrs. Sallie Wilson's on the Williams road.  
Ordered that poll tax for 1894 be refunded to Romeo Stokes on account of old age.  
Ordered that taxes of Thomas

J. Jarvis for 1894 be corrected and that he be refunded the sum of \$8.56.  
Ordered that \$75 be allowed to Co. H. Pitt County Rifles.  
The insolvent tax list for 1894 as presented by the Sheriff was allowed.  
The Board met with the chairman of the township Board of Assessors, and upon motion the valuations reported by the assessors for the several townships was adopted.  
Leonidas Fleming and Jesse L. Smith who were appointed as committee to assist in settlement of taxes between the Sheriff and Treasurer for the year 1894, reported the duty discharged and that the said taxes had been settled.

The amount of county and school taxes for the year, \$53,147.53. The insolvent list was \$821.46. The amount of taxes for Greenville stock law territory was \$359.31, in Swift Creek and Contentnea stock law territory \$352.36.

**THE SO-CALLED TOWN COUNCIL.**

**EDITOR REFLECTOR:**

The prejudice against bicycle riding manifested by a few of this town, and especially by those who the citizens of the town supposed were to represent them in the town council, is unintelligible to us.

Now the petition to repeal Ordinance XLVIII presented to the board Monday the 1st of July was signed by many of the citizens and tax payers of Greenville, and especially of 4th Ward. Yet the Councilman from that Ward seems the prime mover in legislation against the wheelmen. Does he or any other Councilman hold his position to enact the will of his constituents, or to foist his own views and prejudices upon those who honored him with their trust? Yet before the petition was read, as soon as its purport was seen, significant glances and nods were exchanged, the board was immediately canvassed, and for the rest, the reading of the signatures of the petition received about as much attention as a Chinese mortality list would; and the motion to table which proceeded from the above mentioned Councilman, passed unanimously. Is this representation?

Again: Since the Council has insisted upon voting down a repeal of this ordinance, is it not their duty, and due to the wheelmen, to make it plain, what is a sidewalk and how far it extends? For many streets have no sidewalks, except a mere path beside the wheel track. On many more the sidewalk merges into a grass-plot, the grass-plot into the street with no perceptible line of demarcation between the two. On Saturday last a black negro with a view to a witness ticket, swore, although he was half a square distant, that a wheelman was on the sidewalk, whereas this wheelman (white) swore he was on the grass plot outside of any foot path. Now if the Councilmen and the scum whom the greater part of them seem trying to favor, wished to trick the cyclists into a trap with a view to witness tickets—why, they could not have conceived a shrewder device. Is it right that it should stand thus?

Again: there is much grandiloquent talk at present against class legislation. How is this for a sample?  
The town has provided ways of passage for foot passengers, baby carriages, &c., and for road vehicles of a heavy nature. But any intelligent citizen knows that under the present law a man who has invested \$100 in a wheel would as well have buried it in the sands of the streets of Greenville. In other towns such an ordinance has not been passed until the streets have been improved enough to make it possible to ride on them, e. g. Wilmington, Washington, Tarboro, Kinston. Now does not this ordinance legislate against a class? Why should not the wheelmen have some voice? and their friends? Give us good streets or allow us to ride where it is possible to ride. At least give us equal privileges with carts, and mark sidewalks so that any trifling loafer may not be able to take advantage of the present inefficiency of boundary lines of sidewalks, and fitch a perjured half-dollar.

John Miller, Jr., has been elected cashier of the Charlotte bank to succeed the defaulter Holland, who has been sent to the Albany penitentiary.

Governor Carr has authorized an exchange of courts between Judge Hoke and Judge Roberson on account of the fact that Judge Hoke is lying in bed at his home in Lincolnton with a broken arm.

**The Tobacco Department.**

Conducted by O. L. Joyner, Proprietor Eastern Tobacco Warehouse.

The Tobacco Grower's Association meets next Saturday.  
We hear that quite a number of farmers are curing tobacco this week.  
We understand that a good many farmers are curing tobacco this week.

There are a good many up country tobacco curers coming down this season.  
How about prices this season. No one can tell just what any particular grade of tobacco is going to sell for. We can only draw conclusions from experience, and if we are to be governed by the past, it stands to reason that the better grades of tobacco will sell at good prices. While the markets of the world are now full of nondescript stuff and as a matter of course such grades of tobacco will necessarily remain low with but little demand for them.

Several more buyers are expected to locate in Greenville the coming year. We have had numbers of letters of inquiry from several large dealers in reference to the crop outlook, and the probability of getting prize houses here. The market will be in a better position this year to offer inducement to buyers to come here than ever before. We have more prize houses, more warehouses and we are going to offer them more tobacco than ever before.

Capt. Pace tells us that he has just returned from an extended trip to Martin and Hertford counties. Over there he says the farmers are just beginning to grow tobacco, but that there are several good crops. We don't know anything about the nature of the soil of Hertford county, but if it is adapted to tobacco and will mature it all right, we see no reason why tobacco should not be made as profitable there as anywhere else.

There is much need of a road leading from the Farmville road somewhere between Moys's School House and the race track to come into the plank road between the college building and Mr. A. C. Nobles' place. This would cut off about three-quarters of a mile in distance and avoid pulling a load up and down the hills in bad weather and through the deep sand in dry weather. There are numbers of people all out in the Farmville section that have to come in over that road, and they are very anxious for it.

**TOPPING TOBACCO.**

Tobacco is a plant whose growth must be checked in early summer, or it will put on too much leaf. This is what is known as topping. When a bud appears in the top of the plant that indicates that the plant is getting ready to seed, and at this stage the plant should be topped. This is usually done by going through the field and pinching off the top of the plant. The number of leaves which should be allowed to mature on each stalk depends very much upon the quality of the land and the amount of fertilizer used. If the land is quite strong or the fertilizing heavy, the plant may be topped at from 9 to 10 or even 12 leaves. If the land is poor and the fertilizing light, let the topping range from 5 to 10 leaves. The hand who does the topping has to judge of each plant how many leaves should be allowed to remain on the stalk and ripen. A little practice, however, soon makes this an easy part of the work.

Suppose our merchants and business men were to be called upon to give three or four thousand dollars in order to establish a permanent industry here, that would turn loose in the town weekly from six hundred to a thousand dollars, would they do it? Of course it is easy to argue that a concern of that much importance, if they wanted to come here, would not stay away because the town would not give them the site on which to operate. So it wouldn't, if they could not go anywhere else, but in this day and time there are other bidders for such concerns as this. A few days ago says the *Wilson Advance*, the business men of that town met at Branch's bank to consider a proposition from a lot of capitalists who were intending starting a tobacco stemmery and a reordering establishment. The capitalists were turned over to a committee who showed them through the town and the principal sites. That evening another meeting was called and the merchants and business men were told by the prospectors that they would locate where the site was given them. That means they will locate there, for the Wilson business men are

not going to let that opportunity slip. A few years ago there was a large corporation who expected to establish a tobacco stemmery somewhere in the central tobacco belt. Henderson, Oxford and Durham were candidates for the establishment. When the investigating committee of the corporation went to Henderson they were taken in charge by the tobacco men and showed over the town, and when the committee asked what inducement would be offered to them to locate there, they were told to go to Oxford and Durham, and before closing the trade to come back to Henderson. They did this and in due time returned to Henderson. The Henderson people asked them how they liked Oxford and Durham. They said they liked them all well enough, and that land had been offered them very cheap. The Henderson men asked if they liked Henderson as well the other two towns, and they said yes, then said the Henderson men, if we will make the price of the land satisfactory will you locate your stemmery here, and the committee said they thought they would. Then the Henderson people told them to stake off what they wanted and they would make them a deed free of charge for it. Henderson got the factory and from that time on began to move forward. From this the merchants saved from \$750 to \$1,000 per week that would have gone to Oxford or Durham.

Now you merchants know how much profit there is on a thousand dollars of the kind of trade that this was. Make your own calculations and see if you could afford to gain anything to establish a business of this kind. Of course we have had no such proposition made us, but we don't know how soon such a proposition may be made. There are some people as a matter of course who would rather give something to keep anything of this kind away from the town than to get it there. These people live, always have lived and it is to be feared will live as a stumbling block in the way of doing something. They would not feel at ease doing business beside men whose business methods are so far superior to their own, hence they should not be blamed for their opposition. If we should get an opportunity of establishing a business of this kind in our midst, let the people get together and express their desire to have them come among us, and even if no inducement is offered it will have a pleasant effect.

Our Mayor's wit,  
Mayor Russ' reputation as a wit is proverbial. His versatility and quick powers of seizing on to a bright idea have made him thousands of friends. There occurs something in the Mayor's court every day which appeals to the humorous and oftentimes Mayor Russ makes some striking remarks seemingly unconscious to himself which are worthy of being recorded. One day recently a gentleman was indicted in connection with another on a charge of assault. The evidence clearly showed that the former was not a belligerent but that he interposed his service merely in the capacity of peace maker. The Mayor after hearing the evidence rendered his decision in the case. Said he in regard to the former gentleman, "I was taught in infancy that peace makers would obtain their reward in Heaven," and in my court I am sure they will be rewarded. The gentleman is discharged. Court regained order after several minutes.—Raleigh Press.

**GREENVILLE MARKET.**

Corrected by S. M. Schultz, at the Old Brick Store.  
Butter, per lb 17 to 25  
Western Sides 6.00 to 7.75  
Sugar cured Hams 11 to 12  
CORN 40 to 60  
Corn Meal 50 to 80  
Cabbage 6.25 to 5.50  
Flour, Family 6 to 10  
Oats 20  
Lard 4 to 6  
Sugar 16 to 25  
Coffee 80 to 200  
Milk 20 to 25  
Eggs per doz 1 to 2  
Beeswax, per lb 134 to 20  
Kerosene, 1 00  
Pease, per bu 6 00  
Walls, per ton 20 00  
Cotton Seed Meal 5 to 6  
Hides

**GREENVILLE TO OCAOKE.**

The Old Dominion Steamship Co. will run an excursion from Greenville to Ocaoke every Saturday during the season. Steamer Myers leaves Greenville at 10 o'clock A. M., and the steamer Virginia Dare leaves Washington at 10 o'clock P. M., arriving at Ocaoke at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Returning the Virginia Dare leaves Ocaoke at 4 o'clock Sunday evening, arriving at Washington at 11 o'clock Sunday night. Steamer Myers leaves Washington at 6 o'clock Monday morning, arriving at Greenville at 11. Fare for the round trip from Greenville \$2.00. Tickets good for season.  
J. J. Cherry, agt.

Card of Thanks  
The members of Hope Fire Company desire to express their sincere thanks for the aid given them by the Greenville Amateurs by the presentation of "Imogene" on the night of 28th of June for their benefit, and they especially wish to thank the young ladies who took part therein and Mr. J. B. Johnson, Jr. for the interest taken by him in the success of the play, and Mr. W. H. Long for use of the Opera House on that occasion. They have been greatly encouraged by the interest thus manifested in their company.  
HOPE FIRE COMPANY.

Oakley Items.  
OAKLEY, N. C., July 8th, 1895.—Mr. J. H. Taylor's school opens to-day.  
Mr. John F. Jenkins made a business trip to Greenville Saturday.  
Mr. J. I. Jarvis and wife spent Sunday in Martin.

Bethel Items.  
BETHEL, N. C., July 8th, 1895.—Prof. B. F. Hassell spent last Saturday in town.  
The crops in this section have greatly improved the last two weeks.

Misses Lula Peel, of Bethel, Ludie James, of Everetts, and Annie Randolph, of Conover, are visiting here.  
Quite a number of our people attended church at Flat Swamp Sunday.

Miss Annie Mallris, a most charming young lady of Scotland Neck, is the guest of Miss Mary Highsmith.  
We were delighted to have with us the clever Capt. J. E. Roberson and wife of Everetts, Sunday.

Our section master, J. E. Hines attended the meeting of I. B. of R. T. F. of A. This order is only 4 years old. It has 15,000 members.

Mr. S. A. Gainer our clever and efficient Postmaster was a happy man last week. It's a girl.  
With the exception of a little jollification by the little folks the 4th of July passed off very quietly here.

Rev. E. J. Edwards filled his monthly appointments in the Baptist church Sunday morning. There were no services at night. He returned home Sunday evening on account of sickness in his family.

While we regret to see Prof. McWhorter leave, we are glad to know that Bethel will still have a high school. Prof. B. F. Hassell will open school here about the first of September. He comes highly recommended as a teacher. He is a graduate of Wake Forest College. We hope he will have a good school.

Mrs. Margaret Rasberry who was visiting her niece here, Mrs. R. L. Smith, suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday and is in a critical condition.

For future use.  
A readiness to apologize for an offence is not worth much unless it is accompanied by a disposition not to repeat the injury.  
Johnny and Jenny were quarrelling, and Jenny began to cry.  
"Oh, well," said Johnny, "don't cry—I'll take back all the mean things I've said."  
"Yes you'll take 'em back," sobbed the girl, "so you can have 'em just ready to use over again!"

Nearly everyone needs a good tonic at this season. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true tonic and blood purifier.  
Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and seaanis for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Co., Commission Merchants of Norfolk:

COTTON.	
Good Middling	71-16
Middling	63
Low Middling	65-16
Good Ordinary	52
PEANUTS.	
Prime	24
Extra Prime	21
Fancy	22
Spanish	9c. bn.
Tone—steady.	
Eggs—10 cts.—Firm.	
B. E. Pens—best, 2.50 to 2.75 per bag.	
" damaged, 1.50 to 1.75.	
Black and Clay, 90 to 1.00 per bushel.	

TUTT'S LIVER PILLS.	
Save Your Money.	One box of Tutt's Pills will save many dollars in doctors' bills.
No Reckless Assertion.	For sick headache, dyspepsia, malaria, constipation and biliousness, a million people endorse TUTT'S LIVER PILLS.

**TOBACCO FLUES!**  
Truck Barrels, Pumps  
All Kinds of Machinery.

We have opened at the old Marcellus Moore store and are prepared to furnish any kind of Machinery you may want.  
Special attention given to putting down and repairing PUMPS.  
All kinds of Pipe work done and satisfaction guaranteed.  
Place your orders for Flues with  
**HARDING & ELLINGTON,**  
Greenville, N. C.

**MAKING ROOM.**

**Enterprise--Integrity.**  
GOVERNS every movement, every idea, every transaction at "The King Clothiers." It is the pulse of the great business. Its vibrations are felt in every department, every aisle, and on every shelf. For every cent expended Frank Wilson returns full value. No discrimination is made between the small purchaser or the great, the rich or the poor, the experienced or the inexperienced. All have the same advantages, and no one is given special concession, commission or discount. I must make room for my fall stock and will put prices down to a low notch so as to clean them out. My stock of Fine

**CLOTHING,**  
must be cut down as I intend to have a beautiful line this fall and do not want to carry a suit over. In  
DRYGOODS, NOTIONS, SHOES, BOOTS HATS  
Cents Furnishing Goods.  
I have knocked the bottom clean out and will sell you if you will come and look.

**FRANK WILSON,**  
THE KING CLOTHIER.

To the Farmers.  
I have rented the old Greenville Warehouse and prizees and with Messrs. R. D. Evans and A. H. Critcher, under the firm name of Evans & Co., will be in the warehouse business the coming season. We earnestly solicit your patronage with the best light in the State for showing your tobacco, polite and competent assistants, plenty of prize room, experience and ample means to successfully conduct the business. We know we can get as much for your tobacco as any house or market in the State. Give us a trial and we will try to please you.  
Respectfully,  
L. F. EVANS, Greenville, N. C.

**TOBACCO**  
Flues are Now Ready for Delivery  
BY  
**S. E. PENDER & Co.**  
Prices greatly reduced. Same price to all Terms Cash.

**S. E. PENDER & CO.**  
Opposite Wooten's Drugstore.

ESTABLISHED 8.  
**J. A. Andrews,**  
Wholesale and Retail GROCER.  
GREENVILLE, N. C.  
Just Received 2 Cars Rock Lime.

50 KEGS STEEL NAILS, ALL SIZES.	3 Cars Flour,
50 Cases Sardines,	1 " Meat,
50 " Starford Bread Preparation.	2 " Hay,
100 " Soap,	50 Tubs Lard,
50 " Star Lye,	100 Bbls Granulated Sugar,
200 Boxes Cakes and Crackers,	50 " Lardlard Suet,
150 Bbls Stick Caudy,	50 " Gall & Ax Suet,
100 Cases Matchos,	50 " R. R. Mills Suet,
100 " Gold Dust,	25 " Three Thistle Suet,
100 " Good Luck Baking Powder,	200 Boxes Tobacco,
100 Sacks Coffee,	100,000 Dukes V. M. P. Cigarettes,
50 Bbls Molasses,	50,000 Old V. A. Cheroots,
25 Tons Shot,	100 Cases Oysters,
100 Kegs Powder.	

**J. L. SUGG,**  
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OFFICE AT THE COURT HOUSE.  
All kinds of Risks placed in strictly  
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## IN SUMMER GOODS.

CHALLIES, LAWNS, DIMITVS, SLIPPERS, CLOTHING

These goods will be sold

28 PER CENT DISCOUNT

to make room for my fall stock.

### H. C. HOOKER.

### THE REFLECTOR

Local Reflections.

These nights are fine.

Ripe tomatoes are with us.

A large stock of nice furniture cheap at the Old Brick Store.

No home raised watermelon showed itself by the 4th.

FOR SEED—15 bushels Un known Peas, by J. L. Starkey & Co.

Mr. W. F. Williams, of Carolina township, died Saturday.

Bring your cotton seed to Henry Sheppard, and buy your Meal and Halls. Car load of each just arrived for sale cheap.

Mrs. R. W. King gave an afternoon tea to her lady friends Friday.

FOR SALE—A well equipped Machine Shop, Foundry, Blacksmith Shop and Wood-working Shop, with all necessary tools and machinery. For terms apply to JAMES BROWN, Greenville, N. C., June 7, 1895.

A long row of stables are being built near the Star Warehouse.

Mr. Benj. May of Farmville tells us he found a red cotton bloom on the 3rd.

The REFLECTOR boys are "whoop" sent them from Salisbury.

Mr. Mc G. Whitehurst of Bethel township has a five months old pig that weighs 127 pounds.

TOBACCO GROWERS ATTENTION.—We have just received a large quantity of tobacco fine iron o-good quality and clean. Parties who have ordered flues from us can get them now at any time. S. E. PENDER & Co.

We hear that one lemonade vender at the race track on the 4th, sold over \$60 worth of his goods.

J. L. Starkey & Co. have taken the agency for the City Electric Laundry, of Wilmington. This laundry does the finest and best work of any establishment in the State and is the equal of any city work done in the North. See the agents for prices and give them your work.

At Roxboro lightning struck a carriage containing a young lady and gentleman. The horses attached to the vehicle and driver were instantly killed, but the young couple although severely injured will recover.

We regret very much to announce that our order for blue iron was misunderstood and instead of getting what was ordered, they sent us a heavy iron that could not be used. It is so late now that it is impossible to get it in time for use this season.

O. L. JOYNER OSCAR HOOKER.

## ONWARD GO.

The Year Gets Older, Not These Folks

The rains this week have been fine on the crops.

Not every horse will pull a load of tobacco flues, and a runaway occurs now and then.

Can't some enterprising man see that a brick yard would be a paying enterprise here?

The weeks are few and far between in which some new building fails to start up in Greenville.

The largest shipment ever made of whortleberries was from Warsaw last Saturday, being 32,672 quarts.

Rev. C. M. Billings says Pitt county has the best crops of any he saw between here and Carthage.

Another house has started up on the Cory property near the new residence just completed by Mr. J. R. Cory.

Only three copies applied to the Register of Deeds last week for marriage license, and they were all colored.

Elder W. A. Ross remembered the editor again on the 4th and sent us a large sack of those nice apples he raises.

J. C. Lanier has just received a car load of fine marble for use at his marble yard.

Chicago's rich people returned to the assessors of last year \$2,000 worth of diamonds and \$7,000 worth of silver tableware.

To destroy the bad odor of onions after eating, take a little sprig of parsley and in five minutes the odor will disappear.

A young man from Beaver Dam told us Saturday that some of his neighbors were setting rabbit boxes to catch tobacco worms.

The King's Daughter's gave the audience a delightful evening at their entertainment in the Opera House Wednesday evening.

Mr. B. F. Wedg showed us at his marble yard Monday some beautiful monuments in Georgia marble. They are splendid work.

Messrs. Billie Whitehurst and Mark Cherry ran their bicycles from Bethel to Greenville, 16 miles, in 1 hour and 5 minutes Thursday.

Fare for the round trip from Greenville to Ocracoke, by the Old Dominion steamers, is only \$2 for the round trip. That is cheap enough.

Superintendent N. M. Lawrence with a choir from the Oxford Orphan Asylum will give an entertainment here on Monday night of next week.

Mrs. Fannie Moore, widow of the late Rev. Ridding Moore, died Saturday night at the home of Mr. J. L. Daniel, in this town. She was 81 years old.

There was a very pleasant picnic on Saturday in Mr. F. T. Carr's grove, near Willow Green. Several young people from Greenville were in attendance.

The Glasgow says Mr. L. Banks Holt, of Graham, listed the stock belonging to his Alamance farm—74 head—at \$28,000, an average of a little less than \$500 each.

Nothing so helps a town as for the news to go abroad that its people are progressive and never let an opportunity pass by unimproved for reaching a higher plane of prosperity.

A little two-year-old boy was struck by an engine on the Seaboard Air Line, near Cary and instantly killed. The child sat between the cross-ties and laughed at the engine as it approached.

While so many other improvements are in progress here why not talk some about factories? We believe Greenville could secure both cotton and tobacco factories. Does any one doubt that they would pay?

There were lots and lots of pretty girls here on the 4th, both at the races and at the German. In commenting upon them a gentleman who was here remarked to the REFLECTOR: "I have seen none that surpass your Greenville girls" His head is level.

"I think madam," said the physician after a careful investigation of the patient's case, "I think madam the trouble must be with the liver."

"I don't see how that can be, doctor; I never eat it myself, and the boards haven't complained.

The tables were turned on some of the applicants before the Board of County Commissioners to have the valuation of lands reduced. In one or two instances the Board issued an order to the parties to appear before them on the first Monday in August and show cause why the valuation should not be increased.

Schools.

The attention of parents having boys to educate is called to the advertisement of Wilson Military Academy, in this issue. Maj. J. W. Yerex, Superintendent of the school, has recently removed it from Fayetteville and the full term will open in Wilson, September 4th. The building has been thoroughly overhauled and the equipment will be the equal of any military school in the State. The most thorough instruction is given in literary and commercial branches.

One of the best schools in Eastern North Carolina for boys is the Scotland Neck Male School, Prince & Wilson, principals, an announcement of which will be found elsewhere in this paper. The course of instruction is thorough. Fall session begins August 28th. Catalogue will be furnished on application.

## JULY JUMBLES.

Served Crisp for Hot Weather.

Dr. W. H. Barwell is quite sick.

Mrs. Bettie Lawrence is quite sick.

Mr. Frank Tidale, of Newbern, is in town.

Miss Lizzie Jones is visiting relatives at Dongola.

Ex-Senator and Mrs. T. J. Jarvis are at Morehead.

Miss Ada Tyson, of Farmville, is visiting friends here.

Master Walter Wilson has gone to Nashville for a visit.

Rev. M. T. Moye, of Wilson, is visiting Mr. E. A. Moye.

Master Jessie Smith has gone to the country to visit relatives.

Miss Rosalie Rountree, of Kingston, is visiting Miss Dot Flanagan.

Miss Naomie Arnhem, of Tarboro, is visiting Mrs. S. M. Shultz.

Miss Bettie Bynum, of Saratoga, is visiting Mrs. W. R. Parker.

Miss Mary Moye returned Tuesday evening from a visit to Wilson.

Dr. C. A. Whitehead, of Scotland Neck, is visiting friends here.

Master Frank Skinner has gone to Hertford to visit relatives.

Miss Caddie P. Davis, of Hamilton, is visiting Mrs. C. Stephens.

Mr. J. J. Rollins, Postmaster of Paotolus, spent Monday here.

Miss Ida Rogers, of Whichards, spent Monday with friends in town.

Mrs. Mary E. Ford and Miss Jennie Fort are visiting Mrs. J. T. Matthews.

Mrs. E. T. Stewart and children, of Washington are visiting Mrs. A. J. Griffin.

Miss Lela Cherry left this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. White, near Clinton.

Mr. G. M. Bernard and family returned Monday evening from Wrightsville.

Misses Beale Harding and Lizzie Murphy are going to Ormondsville for a visit.

Mr. Hermon Sutton, of Kingston, spent Thursday and Friday here with relatives.

Miss Bruce Sutton, of Kingston, spent Thursday and Friday with Miss Lina Sheppard.

Messieurs J. B. Cherry and F. G. James returned Tuesday evening from Morehead.

Miss Sallie Lipscomb, has returned home from an extended visit to Raleigh and Wilmington.

Jelly will greet after spending a few days last Monday morning for his home in Baltimore.

Miss May Warren, of Falkland, and Miss Mercer of Wilson, who is visiting her, spent Monday here.

Miss Louella Pool, of Williamston, arrived Thursday evening to visit her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Clark.

Little Miss Nell Keel, of Farmville, has been spending a few days with her little friend, Miss Alice Lang.

Miss Ruth Harris, of Wilmington, arrived Thursday evening to attend the German and visit Miss Jennie James.

Mrs. Otten Warren and children, of Penny Hill, arrived Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wilson.

Mr. D. M. Prince, one of the principals of the Scotland Neck Male Academy, is here Saturday in the interest of his school.

Mrs. W. H. Wiggs, who has been visiting the family of her brother, Mr. L. F. Goodrich, returned to Fayetteville today.

Mrs. M. H. Quinley, of Kingston, who has been spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Forbes, return home Saturday.

Miss Lina Sheppard came home Thursday morning from Kingston where she stopped to spend a few days on her return to Morehead.

Misses Daisy Rainer, of Kingston, Lottie and Blanche Thornton, of Fayetteville, spent Thursday and Friday here, the guests of Miss Lortense Forbes.

Mr. W. A. Pitts, of Alabama, spent a few days here with his daughter, Miss Leonard Pitts, who is visiting Miss Myra Skinner, and left Monday morning.

Mr. H. D. Sheppard, of Baltimore, has been spending a few days with relatives here at his old home. His friends here are glad to know he is meeting with much success.

Don't Forget the Orphans.

The concert by the orphans next Monday night will be in the Court House. Admission for adults 25 cents, children 15 cents or two for 25 cents. An address of welcome will be delivered by Hon. F. G. James. The orphans should have a large house.

Emblems of the C. R. Jr.

Mrs. J. B. Cherry, State Secretary of the Kings Daughters, has just received from the Central Council a supply of badges, pins, book marks and certificate cards for use of the Daughters and Sons. They can be had by application to Mrs. Cherry, who will also take great pleasure in giving any information about the order.

That is Our Aim.

## Pleasure at Ocracoke.

The editor received a note this morning from "Uncle John" Cherry at Ocracoke. He says 165 people went down Saturday night and they are having a huge time. Everybody is praising the fare and management of the hotel. Mr. Cherry adds: "Fishing is better than ever. Come down and bring others to help me catch them." This invitation is awfully tempting, and there will be another big crowd to go down next Saturday.

What Will the Harvest Be?

WINTERVILLE, N. C., July 5 '95. Editor Eastern Reflector.

To-day while walking with Mr. E. S. Edwards over his farm I was shown a turkey gobler that was setting upon potatoes as nicely as a hen upon eggs. Mr. Edwards had put his cull potatoes under his grape harbor to protect them from the sun. The gobler had made a nice and well strawed nest near by and had roiled about 73 potatoes upon them. Mr. Edwards discovered this some days ago and expects to put eggs under him as soon as he finds out the gobler means business.

A. G. Cox.

A Frog Fight.

Messrs. F. G. Carson and J. H. Enbanks, of Bethel, told us that while they were coming to Greenville on the 4th they saw a "scrap" that was not down on the regular programme for the day. Nearing a pond along the road they noticed a great commotion in the water, and getting closer the cause was found to be two big bullfrogs engaged in a fight. The frogs were up on their hind legs, had each other by the lip and with their fore legs were pummeling each other in regular Corbett-Sullivan style. There were not any frogs to call time, so first one frog and then the other would bellow as he got worsted.

Base Ball.

The following is the score of games as played by the National League Saturday:

At Chicago.—Chicago 0, New York 5.

At Cleveland.—Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 5.

At Cincinnati.—Cincinnati 16, Brooklyn 15.

The following is the record of the clubs, including the games played Saturday:

CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.
Baltimore,	33	20	.623
Boston,	33	20	.600
Pittsburg,	37	26	.588
Chicago,	35	28	.576
Cleveland,	36	27	.572
Cincinnati,	34	26	.567
Philadelphia,	32	25	.561
Brooklye,	32	26	.552
New York,	28	30	.483
Washington,	23	34	.404
St. Louis,	20	42	.323
Louisville,	9	49	.155

Falkland Items.

FALKLAND, N. C., JULY 5 1895. Mr. J. M. Williams is quite sick.

A few of our people will go to Ocracoke Saturday.

Miss Mae Mercer, of Wilson is visiting Miss Lela Warren.

Miss Bettie Bynum of Saratoga is visiting Miss Lizzie Peebles.

Many people from here attended the big races, etc. in Greenville on the 4th.

Mrs. J. M. Edwards and little son, of Wilson, are visiting the family of Mr. J. S. Harris.

The first picnic of the season in this neighborhood was given at Mayo's Mill Wednesday by the tony managers. G. H. Mayo, W. J. Cook, W. S. Newton, and W. M. Evans. A large crowd attended, many being present from Tarboro, Wilson, Greenville, Rocky Mount, Conetoe, Griffon, Farmville and Saratoga. All enjoyed the music and dancing until 12 o'clock when dinner was prepared and every one went to the table, all had as much as they could eat and even more. The table was well prepared and was managed successfully. After dinner the young folks engaged in dancing and talking to their sweethearts, the older ones looking on. Everything passed off pleasantly, ending with a nice dance in Smith's Hall at night.

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## GREENVILLE'S BIG DAY.

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THE RACES WERE FINE.

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Twenty-six Couples Participate—A Scene of Gallantry and Caution.

Boom! went the signal gun, jump! went the people.

When somebody touched off a cannon early on the morning of the 4th it acted as a regular eye-opener and warned all of our glorious anniversary of our National Liberty was here. The sound echoed through the surrounding country and told our friends and neighbors that Greenville was awake, and immediately they came pouring into town in great numbers. They came from everywhere—big folks, little folks; old folks, young folks; pretty folks, ugly folks; white folks, black folks—everybody.

Some a walking, some a riding, some a running, some a gliding, some a rowing, some a rowing, all about in pleasure, but none on trouble.

The crowd was just immense, away up in the thousands.

Of course the races were the chief attraction of the day and were all the talk as the crowd swelled larger and larger through the morning. The DAILY REFLECTOR with the full programme was much in demand and went off like hot peanuts.

"Ten cents to the race track!" was the cry on every hand, and long before the hour for the races people were piling in the hacks and going out. Nearly all the white people went out to the track while the colored brother gloriously celebrated the day by walking around town arm in arm with his sweetheart, eating streaked candy, drinking red lemonade, popping roast peanuts and looking longingly at that pile of Old Brick water-melon before the Old Brick Store, it was a big day for all, white and colored.

New Tobacco.

Messrs. J. H. McLawhore and J. L. Griffin brought the first load of new tobacco to market to-day and sold it at the "Planters Warehouse." We saw samples of it which showed that it was a fine cure. We hear that Messrs. Jesse McGowan, Hardy Stokes and Billy McGowan also cured barns this week.

Too Tired to Smile.

Weak, Weary and Worn. Dizziness, Impure Blood—Cured by Hood's.

Many weak and worn-out women know just what this means. In totally unit condition for work, they force themselves through the daily routine of duties, almost to dis-couraged to even look for relief. But it is to be found in Hood's Sarsaparilla, which makes the blood pure, builds up the nerves, makes the weak strong and gives a cheerful spirit. Read this:

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The following entered:—George D., B. W. Edwards, Rectford—John G., Dictate, Simon P., Joseph Parker, Dictate, A. J. Baker, Palizada—N. H. Whitfield.

1st Heat.—John G., Dictate, Palizada, Simon P. 2nd Heat.—John G., Dictate, Palizada, Simon P. 3rd Heat.—John G., Dictate, Palizada, Simon P. 4th Heat.—George D., Rectford, Boston, Mand. Winners—George D. 1st, Maud 2nd, Rectford 3rd.

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THIRD RACE—OPEN TO ALL—2 OUT OF 3.

The following entered:—Henry W. Beecher—W. V. Revis. Rush Miller—G. J. Studdard—Little Steve—Wm. Ellis—Lumber Jim—S. Simons.

1st Heat.—Little Steve, Rush Miller, Lumber Jim, Henry W. Beecher. 2nd Heat.—Little Steve, Rush Miller, Lumber Jim, Henry W. Beecher became lame and was withdrawn at this heat.

BICYCLE RACE—MILE DASH.

The following entered:—Walter McWerne, Claude Chapman, Gus Hardee, Walter McWerne won in 3:02, Gus Hardee second.

FOOT RACE—HALF MILE DASH.

The next thing was a foot race between boys under 14 years for a purse of \$1.00 for first and 50 cents for second. There were twelve entries and was won by Jimmie Anderson first Charlie Skinner second, Rommy Higgs came in last and was awarded five cents for making the whole distance.

The crowd came in from the track in fine spirits and well pleased with the race. The Pleasure Club have cause for congratulation upon the excellent manner in which everything was conducted.

THE GERMAN.

The festivities of the day

closed in the most brilliant German Greenville has ever known. Twenty six couples participated, and such a picture of beauty is seldom seen. The floor of the Greenville Warehouse, in which the German was held, had been polished to the smoothness of glass and everything placed in splendid keeping for such an event. Such a transformation did the old house proud—the "wrappers" giving place to exquisite toilets of many charming fair ones; glances from eyes "unhazy," blue and hazel that were "cutters" in to hollers; "by-bidders" and "pin to garters;" the "cheeks" never being drawn on the "cheeks" until Prof. "Griard" the balza's orchestra had "fried" the last "note" on harp and violin. Entrancing music, the lovely women, gallant men, the "sandy lungs" and "green tips" just had no place in the "salo" as all as the following list shows:

Ladyette—Miss Blanche Thornton, of Fayetteville with W. B. James. Miss Nannie Fleming with J. B. White. Miss P. B. Warington, of Farmville, with P. S. B. Harper, of Greenville. Miss Hennie Sheppard with Wayne Mitchell, of Kingston.

Miss Ada Tyson, of Farmville, with J. W. Peebles, of Falkland. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hooker. Miss Myra Skinner with H. W. Whedbee.

Miss Bettie Bynum, of Saratoga, with Bruce Cotton, of Co tondale. Miss Dorra Carr, of Castoria, with J. L. Fleming. Miss Florence Williams with W. C. Askew, of Farmville.

Miss Leonard Pitts of Alabama, with J. B. Cherry, Jr. Miss Patricia May, of Spight's Bridge, with R. D. Cherry. Miss Nannie King with G. B. King. Miss Maggie Howard, of Conetoe, with J. B. Fleming, of House.

Miss Bessie Jarvis with Jesse Spight. Miss Ella Howard, of Conetoe, with Ralph House, of House.

Miss Ella King with I. I. Moore. Miss Bettie Tyson with C. S. Farham. Miss Julia Foley with B. E. Farham. Miss Bettie Grimsley, of Snow Hill, with J. L. Starkey.

Miss Annie Foley with Almon Hart, of Tarboro. Miss Lillian Cherry with Cliff Whitehead, of Scotland Neck.

Miss Jennie James with Herbert White. Miss Will Harris, of Wilmington, with Will Carr, of Castoria. Miss Carrie Cobb with W. M. Arnhem, of Tarboro.

Miss Lottie Thornton, of Fayetteville, with W. S. Bernard. Stage—Richard Hester, Abe Morris, M. M. Moye, Fred Carr, Thomas Hooker, John Howard, Marion J.obb.

The chaplains were Messrs. J. H. Bloom, Charles Skinner and R. J. Cobb.

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Condensed Schedule.  
**TRAINS GOING SOUTH.**

Dated	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4
June 23, 1895.	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Weldon	11 55	9 27		
At Rocky Mt	12 10			
At Florence				

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June 23, 1895.	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Florence	8 15	7 35		
At Fayetteville	10 55	9 35		
At Weldon	12 22			
At Wilson	1 20	11 28		

**Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road**  
Leaves Weldon 8:40 p. m., Halifax 4:00  
p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:35 p. m.,  
Greenville 6:37 p. m., Kinston 7:25  
p. m., returning leaves Kinston 7:20  
a. m., Greenville 8:22 a. m., arriving  
Weldon at 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m.  
Daily except Sunday.

**Train on Washington Branch**  
Leaves Washington 7:00 a. m., arrives Parlane  
8:40 p. m., Tarboro 9:50; returning  
leaves Tarboro 4:50 p. m., Parlane 6:10  
p. m., arrives Washington 7:35 p. m.,  
Daily except Sunday. Connects with  
trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

**Train leaves Tarboro, N. C. via Al-  
bemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sun-  
day, at 5:00 p. m., Sunday 9:30 p. m.;  
arrive Plymouth 9:20 p. m., 5:20 p. m.,  
returning leaves Plymouth daily except  
Sunday, 5:50 a. m., Sunday 9:30 a. m.,  
arrive Tarboro 10:25 a. m. and 11:45  
a. m.**

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Wind Swept Point—Only  
Two Lives Lost.

The British ship Speke, which left  
Antwerp three hundred and thirty-  
four days ago for this port, ended  
her voyage yesterday, says the San  
Francisco Examiner, and from the  
reports of her crew it was one of the  
most unlucky voyages around Cape  
Horn that have been undertaken for  
many months. The vessel sailed on  
June 16, 1894, and all went well until  
August 22, when the vessel was al-  
most within sight of Cape Horn. On  
that day a gale that had been blow-  
ing all the preceding day increased to  
a hurricane. Several of the light-  
er or stiffs were blown to ribbons, and  
the first mate, J. Bruton, went aloft  
with the men to assist in replacing  
them. While he was in the fore-  
mast the ship gave a lurch as a  
great wave broke on deck, and  
about the same instant a dark body  
was seen to fall from the yard of the  
foremast through the flying spray  
and sink into the sea. It was the  
first mate who went overboard and  
was never seen again. It was im-  
possible to make any attempt to  
save the drowning man.

A seaman named Donerice was  
badly bruised by being knocked  
about the deck, and several others  
were laid up from bruises received  
the same way. The next day the  
gale moderated somewhat, but a  
heavy cross sea was running and  
the ship labored heavily.

The relieving tackles on the tiller  
were carried away, and the next  
wave that broke on the deck washed  
away the midship steering gear.  
Some new sails were set, but they  
were blown away again, and the  
vessel rolled and pitched at the  
mercy of the storm. Then came a  
week of moderate weather, and ad-  
vantage was taken of it to make re-  
pairs.

On September 7 the vessel passed  
Cape Horn, and five days later,  
after weathering a succession of  
gales, another hurricane was en-  
countered. The first blast of the storm  
threw the ship on her beam ends,  
and the sea made a complete breach  
over the hull, washing the deck  
clear. The rush of the tremendous  
body of water over the decks washed  
hastily away and tattered as though  
about to fall. One of the seamen,  
named J. Auzon, was assisting in  
furling the mizzen topsail when the  
sea was felt so strongly aloft that he  
was shaken from his perch and fell  
into the sea. He made a struggle  
to swim after the vessel, but nothing  
could be done to save him and he  
was drowned. He was only  
twenty years of age and a native of  
France.

**A SOFT LINING.**  
A Bird Steals a Ten-Dollar Bill for  
Her Nest.

A ten-dollar bill, which had dis-  
appeared mysteriously some time  
ago, was recovered by Assistant  
Coin Teller Philip Turpin, of the  
sub-treasury, in a peculiar manner.  
He has a beautiful farm plot on Cliff  
creek, near the Little Miami river.  
One evening about the beginning of  
May Mr. Turpin was getting ready  
to attend a soiree in Newtown,  
about two miles distant. The  
weather it will be remembered at  
that time was unusually warm, and  
he left the windows of his room open.  
Mr. Turpin had taken his money,  
among which was a ten-dollar bill,  
and laid it on a center table, intend-  
ing to put it in a pocket of his other  
trousers. The room is at the corner  
of the house, and has windows on  
both sides.

He stationed himself at one of the  
windows and commenced to shave.  
The birds were singing outside and  
flying about the house and through  
the open windows, joyful, no doubt,  
at the advent of spring, while others  
were busy in trees building nests.  
It was a luxury to shave amid such  
surroundings, and when Mr. Turpin  
had finished he looked sleeker than  
ever. After washing he prepared  
to don his Sunday-go-to-meeting  
clothes. After arranging his necktie  
to give the best effect he went to  
the center table and began picking  
up his money, but was not a little  
surprised to find a ten-dollar bill  
missing. He thought that the wind  
might have blown it on the floor, and  
he began looking there for it.

After a long time spent in vain,  
he gave up the search there. He  
then went out into the yard, and  
began hunting among the flowers and  
grass for it, thinking that it might  
have been blown through the open  
windows, but he had to go out to that  
solace more a ten-dollar note.  
Two weeks later a severe wind  
storm blew a robin's nest out of a  
tree near the front porch. Mr.  
Turpin picked the nest up, and was  
about to cast it away when he  
noticed what appeared to be a piece  
of paper of peculiar color. He ex-  
amined it and found it to be cur-  
rently of some denomination, but it was  
not until he had carefully torn the  
nest apart that he discovered it to be  
a ten-dollar bill. It was appar-  
ently the one he had lost, a bird  
having flown into the room and  
snatched up the money. The bill  
was in pretty bad condition, and he  
redeemed it at the treasury.

**ARCTIC SUNBURN.**  
Acute Sunburn is a Great Annoyance  
of the Frigid Zone.

To be afflicted with sunburn is a  
great misfortune, and it is not  
until the heat of the sun has been  
felt so strongly aloft that he was  
shaken from his perch and fell  
into the sea. He made a struggle  
to swim after the vessel, but nothing  
could be done to save him and he  
was drowned. He was only  
twenty years of age and a native of  
France.

For nearly ten days the hurricane  
continued without intermission, and  
during that time the vessel pitched  
back nearly to the Cape again.  
Then came a day of fair weather,  
but the next morning saw the storm  
in all its fury again. The sea once  
more was washing over the vessel,  
and one wave larger than the rest  
swept over the bulwarks, smashing  
in the door of the fore-cabin and  
flooding the quarters of the men.  
It went all it took off the sky-  
line of the cabin, filling the rooms  
of the officers with water and dam-  
aging a quantity of provisions in  
the storerooms. Many more sailors  
were blown away, and the men of  
the crew were so knocked about by  
the storm and rolling of the ship  
that only nine were fit for duty by  
the time the storm subsided.

The moderate weather was only  
for a few days, when it seemed that  
the storm had gathered all its forces  
for a final effort to wreck the vessel.  
All of September 27 the hurricane  
was more severe than any of the  
previous days, and the seas rose al-  
most like mountains. During the  
height of the tempest the midship  
rudder chain parted. At the same  
time the relieving tackles parted  
again, and the rudder was  
almost useless. Nothing could be  
done to steer the vessel while the  
storm lasted, and in that time she  
got broadside to the seas. At times  
it seemed that the vessel would roll  
completely over. Then the cargo  
began to move to starboard, and by  
the time the rudder chains were  
temporarily repaired the vessel had  
a heavy list. It was impossible to  
get the steering gear in repair so  
that it could be depended upon, and  
the vessel was headed for the Falk-  
land Islands.

It took her nearly five months at  
Stanley to make repairs, and on  
February 7 last she sailed again.  
She had fair but variable weather  
until within five hundred miles of  
port, when a streak of calms was en-  
countered, and it took her twenty-  
two days to make port. She sailed  
in through the Heads with every  
piece of canvas she could carry set,  
and made a great circle, to an an-  
chorage at Alcatraz Island.

**GREATER THAN THE MISSISSIPPI**  
Canadian Geologists Tell of an Enor-  
mous Receding River.

The largest river of any age of  
which there is any evidence, in the  
world, according to a remarkable ge-  
ological discovery reported by the  
Royal Society of Canada at its 157th  
meeting at Ottawa, was a great re-  
ceding river in northern Canada,  
says a dispatch to the New York  
Sun. Dr. Robert Bell, who produced  
scientific evidence of the correct-  
ness of his discovery, pointed out  
that it was generally admitted by  
geologists that the continent of  
North America immediately before  
the glacial period stood at a much  
higher elevation than at the present  
time, amounting to, perhaps, be-  
tween two and three thousand feet.  
The inevitable result of this must  
have been to change the river sys-  
tems from what they now are, and  
to create in the north a gigantic  
river draining an area of over one-  
third of the entire continent of  
North America, and forming a  
drainage basin seven times as large  
as that of the St. Lawrence.

The central portion of the great  
river was the middle of what is now  
Hudson bay, as proved by the ex-  
isting depressions of land in the  
north of Canada and the great  
depth of the center of Hudson bay.  
Its lower part discharged through  
what is now Hudson straits into  
Davis straits. It is also maintained  
that the upper half of the St. Law-  
rence basin, both in preglacial times,  
and also at a later geological period,  
discharged its waters northward by  
way of what is now Hudson bay. It  
is asserted that this constituted one  
of the main branches of this great  
northern river. Other large branches  
were the present Saskatchewan,  
the Nelson river, which rises west  
of the Rocky mountains, the  
Churchill, largely augmented by the  
reversal of some of the upper rivers  
of the Mackenzie basin, and the  
great tributary streams that came  
down the present Churchill inlet,  
Fox channel and Ungava bay, one  
of which must have fully equalled  
in size the Mississippi of  
our own day.

**A Case in Natural History.**  
Many years ago Frank Webster  
classified a fish as an oviparous,  
vertebrate animal, breathing by  
means of gills or branches, and liv-  
ing mostly in the water. Now  
comes another Webster—surnamed  
Loper—who keeps a stall in the city  
market and who declares by his acts  
that a fish is either a fruit or a vege-  
table.

Because of this peculiar entomol-  
ogical classification the new Web-  
ster is in trouble. The fishermen at  
the city market are after him and  
the city may cancel his lease.  
Some time ago Loper secured from  
W. N. Irwin a lease on stall 46, city  
market. The lease gave him per-  
mission to deal in fruit and vege-  
tables. He sold fresh fish, too, along  
with bananas and potatoes, and now  
the fishermen want the city finance  
committee to declare that a fish is  
neither a fruit nor a vegetable, and  
that Mr. Loper is deceiving the pub-  
lic by selling it as fish.

There is a strong probability that  
Webster Loper may have his lease  
cancelled.—Kansas City Star.

**A Romance That Has Extended Over  
Many Years.**  
Messrs. Oehm & Co., have just  
completed a fine silk flag, on a spe-  
cial order, to which is attached a  
pretty romance, says the Baltimore  
Sun.

Five years ago, after the close  
of the war, a young man living in a  
suburb of Boston, Mass., conveyed  
his invalid sister to a hotel at Old  
Point Comfort, hoping the genial  
climate would aid in the restoration  
of her health. The orphan children  
and only heirs of a wealthy leather  
magnate, with interests in the great  
panneries at Salem and leather  
houses in Boston, they had abun-  
dantly means to entertain in lavish  
style and soon were the center of a  
select circle at the noted resort.

Among the most intimate friends  
they won by their hospitality was a  
Maryland girl of much grace and  
beauty, who was that season's belle  
at Old Point. The young New Eng-  
lander courted her assiduously, but  
as she boasted that she was a "little  
rebel" and "would never marry a  
Yankee," he postponed the "pop-  
ping of the question." However,  
before parting he frankly told her  
that she had stolen his heart and he  
would never wed another.

**THE CROP OF NOVELS.**  
Fiction Forms the Majority of Manu-  
scripts Sent to Publishers.

Novels form the largest part of the  
book manuscripts received by pub-  
lishing houses. Out of 100 manu-  
scripts received during a recent fort-  
night by a prominent publishing firm  
sixty-two were novels. In another  
case fifty-one out of 100 manu-  
scripts submitted during three  
weeks were novels. This same pub-  
lisher told me that sometimes the  
percentage of novels would reach  
75 per cent. This tendency for novel  
writing is undoubtedly due to the  
fact that the greatest "hits" in the  
literary world are made with  
novels, and this stimulates the  
average writer to work in this field.

Of all these novels it is plain to  
be seen from the figures given in  
the preceding paragraph that a scores  
must be written before one is accep-  
ted against him. During this in-  
vestigation process I selected fifty-  
seven recently published novels is-  
sued by six different houses, and I  
learned that the entire number  
printed of these fifteen novels was  
41,000 copies, or about 2,700 copies  
of each. And in this fifteen 9,000  
copies were printed of one novel—  
really the only successful novel of  
the lot. It is safe to say that of  
these fifteen novels, the average sale  
of each will not reach 1,000 copies.  
But giving that number to each,  
the novel selling at \$1; the author  
would receive less than \$100 for his  
manuscript, deducting for mutilated  
copies and those sent to the news-  
papers, etc. I know case after case  
where authors did not receive \$50,  
all told, as a return for a novel, and  
sometimes very much less than that.  
—Philadelphia Press.

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having a strong liking for the sunny  
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a colored cook named Penin,  
who understood the mysteries of  
corn pone and hoe cake, and whose  
dish of terrapin, wild turkey or  
venison ragout could not be beaten.  
One day Penin's mistress con-  
ceived the idea of giving her a treat,  
and took her to the park to see the  
animals in the "zoo." She was de-  
lighted with everything she saw,  
and standing before the lions' cage  
asked:  
"What dat say, honey?" pointing  
to the label at the top of the cage:  
"Lion hab. Africa."  
"Oh, that says the lion came from  
Africa."  
"Shore nuff! And do elephant, whar  
do come from?"  
"Africa."  
"An' de hippopotamus, whar  
dey come from?"  
"Africa."  
"An' de corkerilles?"  
"Africa."  
"An' de ostriches?"  
"Africa."  
"An' de monkey, an' camela, an'  
giraffa, an' cape buffler, an' ante-  
eaters, an' big snakes—whar dey  
come from?"  
"Africa."  
"An' de big pink flowers down by  
de fountain?"  
"Yes, they came from Africa.  
Why, Penin, your ancestors come  
from Africa, too."  
"Shore nuff! Shore nuff! Bress  
your heart, honey, you pears to me  
Africa makes de biggest show on dis  
yere yard."—N. Y. Home Journal.

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ing will be held at 10 o'clock, A. M.  
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tions or real or personal property or ex-  
cessive charges. Any person having  
any complaint to make will present  
them in writing to said Board on said  
day with such evidence as they may  
have.  
By order of the Board,  
**W. M. KING, Clerk.**

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Having duly qualified before the Su-  
perior Court Clerk of Pitt county as ex-  
ecutrix of the Last Will and Testament  
of Warren Tucker, 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 said estate must  
present same for payment on or before  
the 15th day of June, 1895, or this notice  
will be paid in bar of recovery.  
This 15th day of June, 1895.  
**SUSAN E. TUCKER,**  
Executrix of Warren Tucker.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
The undersigned having duly qual-  
ified before the Superior Court Clerk of  
Pitt county as administratrix of Win-  
fred May, deceased, notice is hereby  
given to all persons holding claims  
against the estate to present them to  
the undersigned for collection on or  
before the 15th day of May 1895, or this  
notice will be paid in bar for their re-  
covery, and all persons indebted to said  
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