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34,000 POUNDS PAINT Just Arrived At BAKER & HART Where you will find a complete line at all times. They handle paints in car lots always keeping good assortments, quality unexcelled, they guarantee it 100 per cent pure.

Baker & Hart H. L. CARR General Hardware Sole Agent for Devoes Lead and Zinc Paint, Jewel Stoves and Ranges, Syracuse Farm Implements, Gant's fertilizer sower Keen-Kutter Edge Tools.

ADVERTISE The John Flanagan Buggy Company Organized in 1866, reorganized and incorporated in 1904 with authorized capital of \$50,000. Manufacturers of High Grade Buggies and Carriages

Not Quite! How often you can get a thing "not quite" done—a nail or screw driver or a few lading. Have a good tool box and be prepared for emergencies. Our line of tools is complete and we will see that your tool box does not lack a single useful article.

Of Course! You get Harnes Horse Goods &c of J. R. Corey From the Bluffton, Ind., Farmer: "When I tried out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact."

Notice to Creditors Having duly qualified before the Superior court clerk of Pitt county as executor of the last will and testament of J. J. Laughinghouse, Jr., deceased, notice is hereby given to all parties indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of December, 1908, or this notice will be placed in bar of recovery.

FARMERS' EDUCATIONAL MEETINGS. To be held at William- ton and Greenville. Congressman John H. Small has arranged for two farmers' educational meetings to be held in this district. One of these meetings will be held at William- ton on Saturday, February 1st, and the other at Greenville on Monday, February 3rd. They will be primarily in the interest of tobacco culture.

WILL SENATE ADOPT THE BILL? Passenger Rate Debate is a Fight. Will the Senate ratify the compromise effected by Governor Glenn with the railroads? Until last night's session the average answer would have been in the affirmative, and there was a general belief that no serious opposition to it would develop.

FOR PROHIBITION. OAKLEY ITEMS. Oakley, N. C., Jan. 28 1908. Joe Gurganus is spending a few days at Stokes with friends. Mrs. S. G. Williams is quite sick. A few from this place attended church at Oak Grove Sunday.

THE NORTH CAROLINA. Sufficient Water Depth at Cape Lookout. Mr. H. E. C. Bryant, the Washington correspondent of the Charlotte Observer, writes that paper as follows: Representative John H. Small of the first district has received the following information from the chief constructor of the United States navy, concerning the silver service for the United States cruiser North Carolina: "Referring to your communication of the 1st inst., requesting certain information in connection with the presentation of a silver service to the U. S. S. North Carolina * * * it is expected that the North Carolina will be delivered to the government at the navy yard, Norfolk, Va., about the 1st of April next."

AN APPRECIATION EXPRESSED. The Sunday School of the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church desires to record its appreciation of the long, faithful services rendered by Brother Jonathan White who has just gone from us. Though unable to be with us for months, we have entertained the hope that he might once again meet with his class, but the good Lord ordered otherwise. In the early hours of January 24th, 1908, he went home and left a place held for many years in the Sunday School to be filled by another—sometimes the superintendent, at other times a teacher, but always devoted. His interest in the Sunday School work found demonstration in the faithful labor bestowed on his little country school for years and years. We appreciate his fidelity and would imitate him in the devotion shown.

How the Vote Stands. The voting contest for the gold headed umbrella which the Arolian Band will present to the popular school teacher in the county, stood this morning as follows: Miss May Brooks 550 Miss Verda Waldrop 386 Miss Lillie Bennett 375 Miss Annie Irvin 106 Miss Charlotte Ireland 75 Miss Birdie McKinney 70 Miss Julia Bready 60 Miss Olive Gaston 60 Miss Bessie Helen 37 Miss M. Theresa Cooke 21 Miss Bettie Wright 20 Miss Catherine McEmery 17 Miss Sallie Kilpatrick 17 Miss H. P. Hankins 11 Miss Lillie Savage 10 Miss Melville Gibson 8 Miss Mary Smith 7 Miss Eula Cox 6 Miss Elsie Vincent 6 Miss Payne 6 Miss Blanche Keebee 5 Miss Henrie Brown 5 MISS Eitzbach Wade 3 MISS Randolph Arohie 3 Miss Elizabeth Jones 3 Miss Bessie Poe Law 3 Miss Mary Lee Woodard 2 Miss Abbie Smith 2 Miss Florence Felton 2 Miss Lilly Helen Pair 2 Miss Bessie Harding 2

Roanoke Trestle Burned. About 4 o'clock this morning, the railroad trestle leading to the Roanoke bridge was discovered on fire. The fire had been burning for some time, six or seven being spared having been destroyed. All trains were forced to go around by Scotland Neck and Weldon. It is expected to have the track open this afternoon.—Tarboro Southerner 27th.

Clearance Sale. On Saturday, January 18th, we will begin a clearance sale which will last 10 days, to get ready for spring goods. Our entire stock of embroideries, laces, shoses, silks, dress goods one third off. No goods will be charged at the low prices. J. F. Havenport, 117 1/2 d 2 w

Another Word to Subscribers. In the past two weeks The Reflector has mailed statements to all subscribers who owe a dollar or more for the paper. It has been quite a task to make out and mail all these statements and besides the labor it has cost a good bit of money. The amount due by each subscriber is not large, but the aggregate means a considerable sum to the paper. Now we hope no subscriber will think the statement was sent to him just to pass away the time. It represents an amount you owe for your paper and should be paid promptly. If it is not convenient to come in person and pay the bill, send it to us by mail. Do not keep us waiting for the amount.

One thing to bear in mind is that all who have received these statements and fail to pay in a short while will be dropped from the subscription list. The recent ruling of the postal authorities will compel us to do this. The law will not let us send the paper to subscribers who are in arrears unless one cent postage is paid on each paper, and no publisher can afford to do this. We prefer keeping all the names on our list, but unless those who owe pay soon the paper will stop going to them. If every man who owes for the Reflector would pay us at once, like he ought to do, it would help us make many improvements in the paper.

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses have been issued by Register of Deeds, R. Williams, since last report: WHITE. G. T. Hudson and Malissa Tripp. H. C. Kinsaul and Lena Vale. T. P. Langley and Nettie L. Evans. B. F. Worthington and Pattie Tucker. David Morgan and Rachael Letchworth. COLORED. Sam Black and Lila Bryant. Daniel Dupree and Cora Blunt. Sam Dixon and Addie Chapman. Peter Newborn and Lena Allen. Harrison Atkinson and Mary Ann Smith. James Sagg and Annie Carman. Blount Howard and Puss Williams. Benjamin Stewart and Rebecca Langley. Garfield Harper and Lonie S. Atkinson. Julius King and Bertie Murphy. Warren Spell and Rosa Lane. Geo. Jones and Nora Braxton.

Notice to R. F. D. Patrons. Postmaster at Grifton desires to call attention to the practice of some patrons of rural delivery of placing loose coins in their boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs. This practice imposes undue hardship on rural carriers in removing loose coins from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes. The postmaster, therefore, urgently requests that patrons of rural delivery provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in advance of their needs. It is also very desirable that rural patrons place in their mail boxes small detachal cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary, in purchasing supplies of stamps. By order of P. O. Dept. S. V. Laughinghouse, P. M. Grifton, N. C.

Your credit is good with us for Edison Phonograph, regardless of where you live, write for catalogue and terms. W. H. Russ Bros. & Co. Washington, N. C.

What About Christmas?

With the compliments of the season to all our readers we ask you the question of the hour

WHAT ABOUT CHRISTMAS

The children are asking it with wondering and hopeful expectations of what Santa Claus is likely to bring them.

The older people are asking it, not so much in speculation regarding the remembrance that Christmas will bring to them, but rather as an inquiry as to how they may provide suitable and satisfactory presents for relatives and friends without too heavy a drain upon their time and purse.

Any way helps to solve the problem and that you in the joy of going your Christmas shopping with pleasure and satisfaction and ease.

We offer the advantage of selection that can only be found in a very extensive showing of first class goods. We take pleasure in pleasing our customers and will do all in our power to help you to just the right article at the right price, so that you may leave your store and that you are satisfied and perfectly satisfied in every respect.

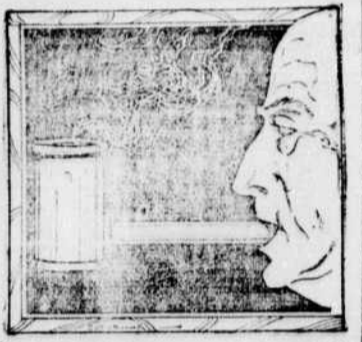
We extend to you a cordial invitation to call and see our line of

HOLIDAY = GOODS

Our store is very ready at our store at an early hour, and waiting one and all a very large stock of goods, we remain,

Yours truly

J. L. & J. G. MOYE



Jack and Jill were both quite ill. New coughs and colds have to go. When they were in a very bad way, Dr. Wooten's Rocky Mountain Tea, 35c. Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug Store.

It fills the arteries with rich red blood, makes new flesh, and healthy men, women and children. Nothing can take its place, no remedy has done so much good as Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 35c. Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug Store.

THE WIND PIPE
In the wrong place make a lot of work for plumbers. It may look like working against our own interest, but we don't do

That Kind of Plumbing
When you call us in we do an honest job at an honest price and trust to that method to secure your work the next time you need plumbing. We would like to have your work, be it much or little. Give us a trial order and judge if we don't deserve your steady custom.
C. A. Dickens

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Miss Lillie Bennett	193
Miss May Brooks	100
Miss Annie Irvin	62
Miss Julia Bready	60
Miss Bessey Helen	27
Miss Birdie McKinney	20
Miss Sallie Kilpatrick	16
Miss Bettie Wright	16
Miss Olive Gaston	10
Miss Catherine McEmery	20
Miss Lillie Savage	7
Miss Mary Smith	11
Miss H. P. Hankins	11
Miss Payne	5
Miss Melville Gibson	5
Miss Blanche Forebee	5
Miss Verda Waldrop	5
Miss Henzie Brown	5
Miss Elizabeth Wade	5
Miss Randolph Archie	3
Miss Elizabeth Jones	3
Miss Bessie Poe Law	2
Miss Mary Lee Woodard	2
Miss Abbie Smith	2
Miss Florence Felton	2
Miss Lilly Helen Fair	2
Miss M. Theresa Cooke	2
Miss Enla Cox	1
Miss Elise Vincent	1
Miss Bessie Harding	2

The First in America.
The first Life Insurance Company organized in America is the Mutual Life of New York, which was organized in 1852, and has had steady growth for sixty-six years. Notwithstanding wars and epidemics, it now has assets aggregating \$500,000,000. It issues all forms of life policies, at low-est rates consistent with safety, pays high annual dividends, thus reducing premiums every year. Its cash and loan values are very liberal, all death claims, and matured endowments paid promptly.

I have been with this company for five years and have written over \$200,000, and not one dissatisfied policyholder that I know of.

Thanking my friends for the patronage I have received, I beg to say I am still with the Old Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

H. Bentley Harris.
25 2nd St.

New President.
The board of trustees of Atlantic Christian College, at Wilson, elected Rev. J. C. Cadwell president to succeed the late Dr. J. J. Harper.

A talking cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells of others every where to give it without hesitation, even to very young babies. The wonderful great leaves and tender stems of a herb, growing in the mountains of the Rocky Mountain, and active in its medicinal properties. No opiates, no stimulants, no harshness, no injury to the system. It is a natural plant extract, that helps to loosen the phlegm, and soothes the inflamed membrane. The Spaniards call this plant "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Bryans Drug Store.

MAYBE you'll realize the business value of being well dressed; everybody doesn't grow out of the fact that people have to judge your ability and standing by the way you look, until you give them something else to judge by.

That Means that we are in a position to increase the business value of every man in this town; we've got Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes for you; and if you live up to your looks in these clothes, you'll be a sure success in

Business.

C S FORBES

Get The best for Comfort

Royal and Borden Felt Mattresses and a 3 piece Bernstein Iron Bed have no equal.

TAFT & BOYD

READY TO Serve You.

With anything wanted in the way of Heavy And Fancy Groceries Complete stock to select from and goods delivered promptly anywhere in town. I am also ready to accommodate you with Hay, Grain and all kinds of Feed Stuff. Bring, send or phone your orders and your needs will be promptly supplied. It is a pleasure to serve patrons.

C G STARKEY

Farm For Sale.
The Johnson farm, one mile from Greenville, on North side of Tar river. Splendid farming and pasture land. About 255 acres. For terms apply to F. M. Wooten.

The Bank of Greenville GREENVILLE N. C.

Wipe Out

the past. Begin anew. Start by opening a Bank Account with us. Our best efforts combined with those of our directors are constantly directed towards absolute safety for our depositors. Come in and have a talk with our cashier

Sincerely,
JAMES I. LITTLE Cashier

W. D. DRESBACH D. M. CLARK
Dresbach & Clark
Civil Engineers and Surveyors
Greenville North Carolina.
Building, estimating and land surveying a specialty. Office on Third street near postoffice.

W B HIGSON
Has just unloaded 6 car-loads No. 1 choice Timothy Hay which will be sold on Greenville market also 2 cars of Cotton Seed Meal and 2 cars of Cotton Seed Halls.

See Him
For Cracked Corn, Mill Chops, Bran Oats of all kinds. Corn Meal and Corn Headquarters for all kinds of Feed.

Close to the Market

New Shoe Shop
On February 1st I will open a Shoe Shop in the building on 5th street opposite Hotel Bertha. Shoes made to order and all kinds of repair work. Save your orders and work for me.

JOE BARTOVICH

CHICKENS
Chickens, Turkeys, Geese and Ducks for sale at Rainbow Stables, in front of market house.

STRAY TAKEN UP.
I have taken up a male (barrowed) hog, weight about 125 lbs, color black and white spotted, marked swallow fork in left ear. Owner can get same by proving property and paying charges. C. D. Harrington, R. F. D. No. 5, Greenville, N. C.

WA Z H I N G T O N S

Tremendous High-grade Stock of Fine Merchandise Having been brought to Greenville and Placed in C. T. MUNFORD'S big store for a quick sale.

CONSIDERATION! After considering what we and our Creditors think best, and they say the only wise thing to do with this combined gigantic stock of high-grade merchandise is to sell and satisfy our creditors, the best way possible, as we have no ready cash to keep them quiet, we must listen to them, have this sale, and throw this immense stock on the market. We must take their advice, mark it down like they say, so we can raise a few dollars to send them so that every time the train blows our color won't change, knowing that as soon as the mall is handed to us we will open after where some house wifes like this: "You must pay this bill at once."

Our Doors will be thrown open to the Public January the Twenty-fifth, 1908

C. T. MUNFORD.

Teddy Bear's New Year Resolutions.

RESOLVED— That throughout this year 1908 I will try to be good and do good; that I will try to help myself and help others; that I will stand by the old town and the home people and help to boom the burg.

RESOLVED— That to December, inclusive, I will quit dissipating—quit dissipating my dollars by taking them out of circulation here around home and sending them to the big cities to buy the things that I can buy and ought to buy right here in town.

RESOLVED— That I will stop smoking—stop smoking pipe dream dope suggesting big bargains to be had, unsight unseen, from the gigantic stores in the gigantic cities, and go around among the stores here at home looking for bargains that are there to be seen with the naked eye.

RESOLVED— That I will patronize, by preference, the stores that advertise in the home paper and therefore have enterprise enough to tell the people what they've got in stock.
(Signed) TEDDY BEAR.

Bro'er Rabbit: "Say, Teddy, that last resolution is the goods, all right."

The Holidays Have Passed and all are down to business again.

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

The Reflector ranks as one of the best advertising mediums in all Eastern North Carolina and its circulation has enjoyed a healthful increase during the past year. Send in your ads and you will be benefitted. Try it

Let your orders for Job work Come along also.

The Reflector.

The Reflector wants your "AD."

Some Speculation as to the Origin of the phrase "kick up didos"—for the plural is formed either with or without the "s"—is allowable. It occurs, for example, in Quiller Couch's "Delectable Duchy," but the more common form is "to kick up a row." The word is in a dictionary one. Dr. Murray says that it is "United States slang." He defines it as a prank, a caper, a disturbance, a row, a shindy. He quotes, as the earliest use in English literature, this sentence from "Sam Slick in England" (1843-4): "Then Italian singers recited their jabber and cuttin' didoes at the private concert." He says that the origin of the word is uncertain.

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One Kind of Economy.
"Some people have queer ideas of economy, don't they?" said a street man. "I know a fellow who went with a man on an 'L' station to go downtown. He saw a friend on the opposite platform and called over to him to come across. He went with him to his office on a matter of business. The man said he would, and after asking the ticket checker to pass the word over that his fare was paid he handed out a cigar to the checker and came over to my side. He was greeted with a laugh by the man who had called to him and naturally asked what it was for. 'Didn't you give that ticket checker a fifteen-cent cigar?' asked the friend. 'The man admitted that he gave the kind he usually smoked.' 'Well, just come across without saying anything about it, pay your fare and save a cent.' 'The man rubbed his chin and looked serious. He had become so accustomed to tipping everybody for any sort of favor that he never thought of the other plan.'—New York Press.

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"No. When did you move?"
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"Northwest."
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The Face and the Emotions.
Habitual worry shows itself in the action of the facial nerve—the nerve of expression, as anatomists call it—producing lines, which in course of time become permanent. The same is true of many other emotions and states of mind, and those which are dominant in the life of the individual will ere long produce permanent changes in the face. The secret of the beauty which age cannot wither is to possess a beautiful mind. Chin straps and depilatories and electricity and massage and cosmetics are not make-up compared with this—Full Mail Gazette.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 23.—In a column devoted to prohibition which leads in a local paper, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church here, member of the State committee and recognized leader of the Wilmington Anti-Saloon forces, this afternoon attacks the press-quotes, as the earliest use in English literature, this sentence from "Sam Slick in England" (1843-4): "Then Italian singers recited their jabber and cuttin' didoes at the private concert." He says that the origin of the word is uncertain.

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Wants All To Know

Reading, Ga., September 15, 1908.
MESSRS. E. C. DE WITT & CO.,
Greenville, N. C.

Gentlemen—Years of the 6th to hand, in every way you see fit for the benefit of the suffering. I will answer all correspondence as to my own case. I recommend KODOL to all their grumbling about their stomachs, and have bought many their bottles. All that is required is a trial of KODOL. It makes for itself.
Yours very truly,
G. N. CORNELL.

Kodol for Dyspepsia.

digests what you eat, takes the strain off of the heart, and contributes nourishment, strength and health to every organ of the body. For Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Inflammation of the mucous membranes lining the Stomach and Digestive Tract, Nervous Dyspepsia and Catarrh of the Stomach.

CONFORMS TO NATIONAL PURE FOOD AND DRUG LAW

Digests What You Eat

For Sale by Jno. L. Wooten.

Robert Spell SHOE REPAIRER

Shop in Winslow's Stables on Fourth Street. All work done promptly and satisfactorily.

SEND ME YOUR ORDERS.

CAPUDINE CURES COLDS and GRIP It removes the Cause. Relieves the aches and feverishness. Contains the Acetaminophen.

A useful thing about a girl's going to boarding school is the way she learns there to like the things to eat at home.

J. S. MOORING

Prohibition Election Goes Over to That Date—New Aldermen Elected.

The board of aldermen met in adjourned session Thursday night to take up business left over from the regular meeting.

Alderman Flanagan moved that the first business be election to fill vacancies in the first and fifth wards caused by the members in said wards changing residence to another ward.

F. C. Harding was placed in nomination for alderman of the first ward and under a suspension of rules was unanimously elected by acclamation.

A. M. Moseley was placed in nomination for alderman of the fifth ward and under a suspension of rules was unanimously elected by acclamation.

Both these gentlemen were sent for to be notified of their election and requested to come to the meeting, but neither of them could be found.

The consideration of the petition for an election on the question of prohibition was then taken up. Alderman Flanagan moved that final action on the petition be postponed until January 30th.

He said he had talked with several well known prohibitionists who advised that it is best to wait until that time to see what action the legislature will take, so that if an election is held in Greenville it may be legal.

Mr. G. E. Harris for the petitioners stated he wished to protest against the board making any further postponement of the matter. The people had signed and presented the petition in good faith, and he saw no need of the aldermen trying to evade their duty.

He was here to do his duty by protesting against any such action as further postponement.

Alderman Moore said he fully agreed with Mr. Harris and thought it an injustice to the people of the town not to call the election as petitioned for.

Mr. E. B. Fickler for the petitioners also spoke in protest of postponing and said he wanted to ask some questions. Has the petition been checked over by the board of aldermen?

"It has," answered Alderman Bowen.

"How many names of qualified voters does it contain?" asked the speaker.

"A sufficient number to call the election," again answered the alderman.

"Then you should go ahead and call the election," added Mr. Fickler.

Mr. E. H. Shelburn, another of the petitioners also spoke and said if the petition had sufficient names to call the election the duty of the board of aldermen was to call it.

Some one then stated that Rev. M. T. Plyler's name had been mentioned by Alderman Flanagan in making his motion as one to whom he had talked about postponing until the 30th, and Mr. Plyler being present was called on to make a statement.

Mr. Plyler said that personally he is for prohibition and always has been. He favors prohibition in Greenville and he favors it in North Carolina. If it comes to a vote in Greenville he will vote for it; if it comes to a vote in North Carolina he will vote for it. While there is a division of opinion among people as to what is the best thing to do, for himself he can see no harm to come to the petition or to wait a few days to see what the legislature does and get all the light possible on the situation. He believes the board of aldermen is composed of gentlemen of honor and that it is their purpose to act honorably by the petitioners. What is the best thing to do is a question. He was just from Raleigh.

NEGRO PREACHER BOUND TO FEDERAL COURT ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

On Thursday John W. Hinman, a colored preacher, was given a preliminary hearing on the charge of wrong use of the mails, before U. S. Commissioner H. T. King, and was held under bond for appearance at Federal court, being unable to give the required bond the negro was committed to jail.

The charge against Hinman is a very serious one. Mr. William McArthur, who lives in Beaver Dam township on one of the rural mail routes, was troubled over finding anonymous threatening notes in his mail box. These notes demanded \$500 from Mr. McArthur, the writer saying he needed that much money, and the demand was accompanied with the threat that failure to get the money would be followed by trouble.

Mr. McArthur became alarmed over the threat and reported the matter to Mr. W. C. Hines and asked if the proper course would not be to put a detective on the case. Mr. Hines took charge of it himself and was not long in locating the guilty party. At the preliminary trial Hinman admitted that he had put the notes in Mr. McArthur's mail box.

Alderman Flanagan called for the question and his motion was adopted by a vote of 5 to 1.

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The charge against Hinman is a very serious one. Mr. William McArthur, who lives in Beaver Dam township on one of the rural mail routes, was troubled over finding anonymous threatening notes in his mail box. These notes demanded \$500 from Mr. McArthur, the writer saying he needed that much money, and the demand was accompanied with the threat that failure to get the money would be followed by trouble.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

What the Special Session is Doing.

Governor Glenn in a special message to the legislature yesterday, submitted a bill, recommending action upon it, which would prevent the merger of parallel or competing railroad companies.

It was said that the object of such a law would be to defeat any attempt upon the part of the Southern Railway or the Atlantic Coast Line Railway to swallow up the Seaboard Air Line Railway and the Norfolk and Southern Railway.

In the Senate a resolution to confine legislation to those matters embraced in the proclamation of Governor Glenn stating for what purpose the Legislature is convened; and the subsequent messages from the governor to the general assembly, raised the question of the power of the legislature in extraordinary session to consider matters extraneous to the proclamation calling the legislature together. It was the desire of most of those who discussed the resolution that the extra session be brief.

Still there were several bills introduced in both branches of the Legislature, with a view to local legislation, and members have signified their intent to introduce bills requiring three readings, which means six days for passage.

In the house Mr. Douglas, of Wake, introduced a prohibition bill, prohibiting "the manufacture, sale, barter, exchange, giving away to induce trade, to furnish at public places or otherwise of disposing of any alcoholic, spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages or other liquors or beverages by whatever name called, which will produce intoxication.

Another prohibition bill will be introduced in the Senate this morning by Mr. Long of Fredell.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Mr. J. White Dead.

The announcement this morning that Mr. Jonathan White had passed away at his home in West Greenville, at a little before 4 o'clock, brought sadness to all who heard it. He was an upright man, a good citizen, and was esteemed by every one.

Mr. White was born in Hertford county in 1851, making him in his 57th year at the time of death. He moved to Greenville in 1881 and made his residence here since that time. His genial manner and kindness of heart won him a host of friends. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church and a prominent Odd Fellow.

He was married in December, 1871, and is survived by his widow and six children. The latter are Mrs. D. D. Overton, Mrs. E. H. Foley, Miss Lollie White, Messrs. Milton, John and Harry White.

The funeral service will be held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Jarvis Memorial church, the remains leaving the residence at 2.30. The interment will be in Cherry Hill cemetery with the honors of the Odd Fellows fraternity.

Pythian Banquet.

The annual banquet of Tar River Lodge No. 93, Knights of Pythias, will be given in the halls of the lodge next Friday night, Jan. 31.

Members of the lodge desiring plates for themselves and their friends should see one of the committee, which is as follows: E. G. Flanagan, Dr. R. L. Carr, J. S. Moore, F. M. Wooten, H. B. Smith.

A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right. If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at J. L. Wooten's drug store. 25c

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TRY TAKEN UP

We have taken up a black male hog, a few white spots on side, marked half moon in left ear, crop in right ear, weighs about 200 pounds. Owner can get same by proving property and paying \$1.00. G. W. Jefferson & Bros. 3 1td 3 tw. Fountain, N. C.

A CURE FOR MISERY

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria pi-on produces, says R. M. James, of Louisa, S. C. It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 40 cent bottles. It cures a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts your jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of lame back. Sold under guarantee at J. L. Wooten's drug store.

Personal Property Sale.

On Wednesday, Feb. 5th, 1908, at the late home of Nathaniel Williams, deceased, in Beaver Dam township, I will sell at public auction for cash the personal property belonging to the estate, consisting of household and kitchen furniture, farming utensils, a lot of cotton seed, fodder, &c. A. J. Moye, Administrator. 16 1td 3 w.

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