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AFFECTIONATE BIRDS. To the naturalist wild life is every day more interesting than that of domesticated creatures.

GOV. R. B. GLENN Of North Carolina, says About GOWAN'S PNEUMONIA CURE The Great External Remedy For Cough, Cold, Croup, Whooping Cough, and Chest Troubles.

TOMATO BISQUE. Tribute to This Culinary Triumph and Gastronomic Joy. Very often when a person sits down to a dinner he is confronted by the alternative—conscience food.

THE MODERN ACTOR. A Stage Hand Compares Him With the Stars of the Past. "Actors travel on their nerve so much nowadays it makes 'em think they're nervous," said the old carpenter.

ABUSE OF THE HORSE. Many Thoughtless Ways in Which the Animal is Tortured. The small always seem and well vented out at the rear or in the doorway, and in cold weather, out at the head and in the loose testicles of summer and dry, says a student of a string July morning.

BUSINESS STRAIN. Do Not Do Your Work Over and Over Again. When Roeder was asked how he managed to accomplish so much with so little friction he replied: "I never do my work twice. Many people do their tasks a dozen times over in anticipation. They waste as much energy in thinking about their work in advance, as they do in actually doing it."

His Willing. Abraham Lincoln's pioneer, always in the lookout for disaster and to try to avert it beyond its true proportions, is only one of a large class of people who use up in one way and another a good deal of vitality which might be profitably applied.

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TRADE MARK F.S.R. REGISTERED. THE GREATER ATTRACTION. A well known baritone, who very much resented being accompanied indifferently, completely lost his temper at rehearsal and threatened the instrumentalist that if he played better he would take away the keyboard and smash it.

FARMERS' BONE The Great Cotton Fertilizer Is known wherever Cotton is grown and Fertilizers used, as the greatest producer of large yields. See that the trade mark is on every bag—it guarantees against imitations and insures you are getting the genuine Royster goods.

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**A RECORD OF THE CIVIL WAR.**

**OF INTEREST TO THE OLD VETERANS.**

List of Officers in the Confederate Army of 1861-64—Second Installment.

Having in a previous communication given the full general and lieutenant generals of the Confederate army in the late war between the states, we now proceed to give the list of major generals with State and date of rank as follows:

- David E. Triggs, of Georgia, May, 1861.
- Earl Van Dorn, Mississippi, September, 1861.
- Gustavus W. Smith, Kentucky, September 1861.
- Bernjamin Huger, South Carolina, October, 1861.
- J. B. Magruder, Virginia, October, 1861.
- Manuel L. Love, Maryland, October, 1861.
- George Crittenden, Kentucky, November 1861.
- W. H. Lovin, Florida, February, 1862.
- Samuel P. Heintz, Missouri, March, 1862.
- Benjamin F. Chestnut, Tennessee, 1862.
- Samuel Jones, Virginia, March, 1862.
- J. P. McCown, Tennessee, March, 1862.
- Samuel W. Withers, Alabama, March, 1862.
- John C. Hinton, Arkansas, March, 1862.
- Samuel H. Bruce, Kentucky, March, 1862.
- Frederick McLewis, Georgia, April, 1862.
- J. E. B. Stuart, Virginia, July, 1862.
- Samuel G. French, Mississippi, August, 1862.
- George L. Stevenson, Virginia, December, 1862.
- G. E. Peckett, Virginia, October, 1862.
- David R. Jones, Georgia, October, 1862.
- John H. Torney, Alabama, October, 1862.
- Daniel H. Maury, Virginia, October, 1862.
- Martin L. Smith, Florida, November, 1862.
- J. H. Walker, Missouri, November, 1862.
- Arnold Elzey, Maryland, December, 1862.
- Frank Gardner, Louisiana, December, 1862.
- Patrick R. Cleburne, Arkansas, 1862.
- Isaac R. Trimble, Maryland, January, 1863.
- David S. Donaldson, Tennessee, January, 1863.
- W. H. C. Whiting, Mississippi, February, 1863.
- Edward Johnson, Virginia, February, 1863.
- Robert E. Rhodes, Alabama, May, 1863.
- W. H. T. Walker, Georgia, May, 1863.
- Henry Hath, Virginia, May, 1863.
- John S. Bowen, Missouri, May, 1863.
- Robert Ransom, North Carolina, May, 1863.
- Wm. D. Pender, North Carolina, May, 1863.
- Celamus M. Wilcox, Tennessee, August, 1863.
- Jermy F. Glimar, North Carolina, August, 1863.
- Fitzhugh Lee, Virginia, August, 1863.
- William Smith, Virginia, August, 1863.
- Howell Cobb, Georgia, September, 1863.
- John A. Wharton, Texas, November, 1863.
- William T. Martin, Mississippi, November, 1863.
- Chas. W. Field, Kentucky, February, 1864.
- J. Patton Anderson, Florida, February, 1864.
- William B. Bate, Tennessee, February, 1864.
- Samuel F. Maxey, Texas, April, 1864.
- Robt. F. Hoke, North Carolina, April, 1864.

**THE PROPOSED PROHIBITION LAW.**

**WHAT IT WILL AND WHAT IT WILL NOT DO.**

**By The State Organizer of the Anti-Saloon League of North Carolina.**

**WHAT IT WILL DO.**

It will abolish every licensed whiskey and brandy distillery in the State.

It will abolish every saloon and dispensary in the State.

It will stop the wine traffic within the State. For wine can be sold only at the place of manufacture in quantities of two and one-half gallons or more and not shipped anywhere in the State.

It will stop the sale of all those chemical mixtures by whatever name known that will produce intoxication.

It will place under the most stringent and binding regulations pharmacists and physicians, who may have intoxicating liquors for medical purposes only.

It will allow the officials of any county or town to regulate or prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors by pharmacists in the drug stores.

**WHAT IT WILL NOT DO.**

It will not prohibit the farmer from making cider from fruits grown on his own land and selling the same at home or in his immediate neighborhood.

It will not stop the manufacture and sale of his wine and spirits at home or in his immediate neighborhood.

It will not stop the sale of medicinal preparations and chemicals which may have alcohol in them, or allow them to be sold by medicinal agents in solution, such as camphor, vanilla, etc.

It will not repeal existing prohibitory laws.

It will not prohibit the sale of wine to ministers or church officials for sacramental purposes.

If this law fails to be ratified by the people at the polls on May 26th, 1908, it will not affect the present status of any existing prohibition law in the State. In other words, the dry territory will not be changed.

We are sure when you have studied this law you will agree with us that it is fair.

Under this law, Greensboro's voting wet would not make it wet, and Salisbury's voting dry would not make it dry. Under local option Greensboro has voted dry, and as a locality she must remain so until the locality has voted the other way. This vote on "the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors" in North Carolina is quite a different thing from local option.

Again, this law is right. For the influence of liquor is never local. Salisbury or Wilmington citizens, while controlling the sale of the traffic, do not control the dangerous and damaging influence of this traffic. This influence is felt for hundreds of miles around. Every citizen in the State has a right to self-protection against the influence of this traffic, now centered at a few points, and the only protection is the abolition of the traffic throughout the State.

**Tolerance.**

The little I have seen of the world teaches me to look upon the errors of others in sorrow, not in anger. When I take the history of one poor heart that has sinned and suffered and represented to myself the struggles and temptations it has passed through, the brief pulsations of joy, the feverish inequity of hope fear, the pressure of want, the desertion of friends, I would fain leave the erring soul of my fellow man with Him from whose hand it came.—Longfellow.

**EVASIONS OF LAW.**

Charged by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

State Superintendent Joyner is issuing to county superintendents county boards of education, county treasurers, judges, solicitors and clerks of the Superior courts, and mayors of towns and cities, a circular letter containing a compilation of the law in regard to fines, forfeitures and penalties and reports of those required by law of the various officers of the various courts. Under section 5, Article IX of the constitution of North Carolina all fines, forfeitures and penalties are appropriated by the constitution to the public school fund of the county. The Supreme court has decided, in the case of school directors vs. the city of Asheville, that all such fines, forfeitures and penalties imposed by municipal officers for the violation of town or city ordinances, or for any other misdemeanors, belong to the common school fund of the county.—Raleigh News and Observer.

**To Remove Tax on Unstamped Tobacco.**

The committee on ways and means has authorized a favorable report on a bill introduced by Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, removing the tax on unstamped tobacco to the benefit of the State.

The bill also provides that farmers and growers of tobacco may sell the leaf of their own growth and delivery to manufacturers of tobacco, snuff, cigars and pipes, or to manufacturers of cigars and pipes, and not be subject to the duties and manufacturers tax.

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We wish to announce to our many patrons and friends that we now occupy our new three story brick factory, on the corner of Cotanch and Fourth streets, opposite R. L. Smith's stables.

Our factory is modern in every respect, equipped with the best machinery run by Electricity, and only the best material is used for manufacturing our Buggies and Carriages. We invite you to call any time to inspect the plant and material used, which Mr. Flanagan will take pleasure in showing you, whether you wish to purchase anything or not.

Forty years experience at Buggy manufacturing, and the reputation our vehicles have attained over the large territory in which they are used, is sufficient guarantee that our work is the best and that the interests of our customers is protected.

We make the best Buggy on the market for the money, sell for cash or on time, and protect the purchaser with this guarantee:

If any axle, spring or wheel breaks with fair and reasonable usage within one year from date of purchase caused by imperfection in material or workmanship, and is returned to us by the purchaser, we will replace the same free of charge.

We also have for sale the best Wagons made by manufacturers of long experience and fully guaranteed—Piedmont and Hackney.

R. I. Davis & Bros. at Farmville and J. R. Harvey & Co., at Grifton, are agents for our Buggies, and all of our work sold by them is subject to our guarantee.

**The John Flanagan Buggy Co.**  
Greenville, N. C.

**How Many Bricks Have You Sent Away?**

That sounds like a funny question, addressed to every citizen of this town and community, but it's really a serious one.

Listen: There is now just completed a magnificent building of red brick exterior and concrete interior right in the business heart of one of the biggest of American cities. It occupies a whole block and calls itself in large lettered sign "The Largest Monolithic Building in the World." It has many floors, with about a hundred acres of floor space. The entrances are of solid marble. The floors are beautifully tiled.

Oh, it's a Jim Dandy!

Now, how many bricks have you sent to the city to go into this big building? Honest, how many? Of the hundreds of thousands of bricks put into the walls of this building it stands has contributed not a single red brick. Country people, the people of small towns and cities far away from the big metropolis, have sent in the bricks for the construction of this splendid edifice.

You may have sent in a few rods of bricks yourself without knowing it.

Listen: This magnificent structure, which ornaments a city you probably never will see yourself, is built of bricks bought with the dollars of people living in towns just like ours—towns that would like to have some new brick buildings themselves now and then. Every dollar contributed to the city building fund means a nice, happy hod of bricks for this big, beautiful skyscraper, "largest in the world" of its kind. This building was put up through the kind donations of their unknown country cousins, by a firm that ran a small store in that city a few years ago.

But this firm conceived the cute idea of having thousands of strangers contribute bricks to build its fine, large, new store.

And the building is a Mail Order Store. See?

**TRAINING DIVERS.**  
The Way Science Helps These Submarine Workers.

The admiralty trains divers, and every British warship carries at least one representative of the craft and frequently more. There are training schools at Portsmouth, Devonport and Sheerness.

One of the difficulties with which divers have to contend is breathing not realized by a landman—namely, that the greater the depth the greater is the pressure of water on the man's body and the greater the labor and exhaustion of working. The naval authorities limit their men to a depth of 120 feet. The greatest depth to which a man has descended is said by Siebe to have been 204 feet, and the pressure at that depth was extraordinary—namely, eighty-eight and one-half pounds to the square inch. One wonders how any human being could stand it. Twelve fathoms, or about seventy feet, would be enough for most men. The gas bubbles would probably begin to bleed, and the pressure on the head would be very serious. A practiced diver can of course descend much deeper without such unpleasant sensations.

His dress consists more than 2100. It is of tanned wild rubber and made in one piece, with a big opening at the neck. The helmet is of copper and screws on to the shoulders so tightly that the water cannot penetrate the joint. Air is pumped down to him by a pipe made of canvas and rubber, and outlet valves, which only open outwardly, are placed at convenient places to permit the diver to breathe fresh air. These valves are extremely important, as by them the diver can regulate his supply of air.

In addition to this pipe the diver has a life line, enabling him to communicate with his assistants above water. This was formerly done by a series of concurred tugs or jerks on the line, but that method has been superseded as a means of communication by the telephone. The wires being conveyed by the life line. He therefore touches the button and talks as if he were in the city.

Another great improvement is the use of the electric lamp, though in some West Indian waters a diver can see clearly for some distance. In other waters, again, the darkness is intense twenty or thirty feet down. The weight of the dress is extraordinary and is necessary to enable the diver to maintain his stability. His helmet weighs considerably over a quarter of a hundred weight, and his boots, taken with his rubber shoes, weigh about as much. While if these be not sufficient he claps lead upon his shoulders.—London News.

**Getting Off Easy.**

A sergeant in one of the Irish infantry regiments has a small but active wife, of whom he stands in considerable awe. One day he lost his temper. The object of his wrath was a dog belonging to the wife of one of his superior officers. The lady overheard some of the statements and took him severely to task.

"You ought to be ashamed to say such things and to lose your temper with an animal," she said, while the big sergeant looked shamefaced and anxious. "I shall report your language."

"Do—do to her, ma'am?" faltered the patient soldier.

"To my husband," said the lady haughtily.

"Do so, ma'am," said the culprit cheerfully. "I will do exactly as I please to her, as long as she is in my wife."

**Plant Like a Camel.**

The nearest thing to a camel among plants is a curious specimen of the camelion family which bears the name of the Boerhaavia sonora. This plant like the camel, is a native of the desert, and it has to go without water longer than the animal. As the rainy season in the desert comes only once a year, nature provides the plant with a reservoir to store up enough moisture to last it between times. The organ in which the water is stored is located at the base of the stem. It is covered with a sort of mackintosh envelope, through which the water can neither escape nor evaporate. This water holder rests on the sand throughout the entire period of drought, but when the rain comes it springs into activity.—San Francisco Chronicle.

**Selfishness.**

The most selfish man we ever knew never made it pay. He was poor and unsuccessful in every undertaking. The man could have made a success in life had he recognized the rights of others and been less conceited as to his own ability. The longer we live the more we become convinced and dismayed by a little public spirit pay. A little loyalty to your town pays. When a man becomes known as a hog his business suffers.—Aitchison Globe.

**JASPER WARE.**  
The Famous Pottery Produced by Josiah Wedgwood.

Wedgwood achieved his great fame as the inventor and producer of jasper ware. This invention was the result of his great love for the classic art and classic history, to which he was introduced by Bentley.

Wedgwood was intent on widening the field of ceramic art and longed to imitate the cameos of Greece and Rome. After years of patient and secret experimenting he produced in 1770 the jasper ware so inseparably connected with his name and through which much of his fortune was acquired.

This ware is of an extremely delicate texture. Its ingredients are silicate of baryta, carbonate of baryta, clay and flint. In the earlier pieces the entire body was stained with the metallic oxide used for coloring. This is known as "solid jasper." In 1777 an idea occurred to him that was necessary and did a certain amount of the "underglazing," which is so beautiful a feature of all of the jasper ware of Josiah Wedgwood's period. The pieces were fired in an open kiln.

It was not until 1777 that Wedgwood perfected his process and became absolutely sure of his results. Danger in firing was obliterated and great relief in relief made possible.—H. T. H. Holley in Scribner's.

**Couldn't Stand It.**

A Cuban official tells the tale of a certain Cuban millionaire:

"An unfortunate man once obtained access to this millionaire and started to lay before him his woes. He depicted his wretched poverty in most vivid colors. Indeed, so graphic was the man's sad story that the millionaire felt himself affected as he had never been before. With tears in his eyes he summoned his servant and in a quivering voice said:

"John, put this poor fellow out. He is breaking my heart!"—Everybody's.

**Captain Cook's Chilling.**

Young James Cook, destined later to become England's greatest navigator, was at seventeen placed on probation in the shop of a small tradesman at Smiths, near Whitby. Seeing a new shilling in the till, he took it out, replacing it by one of his own. The master, missing the bright shilling, searched Cook's box and found it there, sent for a constable and for Cook's father and explained the boy with theft. The plumed, the master expressed his regret, and although Cook's father and the master both pressed him to stay, his reply was "No, father, I must go. Once a thief, always a thief, I must go." And he then went to the sea.—"Captain James Cook."

**After the habits of families had been won by the great Duke of Marlborough, Lord John Hay, who commanded a regiment of Scotch dragoons when the regiment of foot called the king's, consisting of 1200 men, submitted to him and surrendered their arms and colors, ordered, to prevent their running away and the necessity of setting a strong guard over them, that every man should take a piece out of the waistband of his breeches, which obliged them to hold them up with one hand, and in that posture they marched with a guard of only twenty-five dragoons and a sergeant.**

**A Ready Host.**

An Irishman walking in one of the streets of Dublin saw a man leading a dog on the opposite side of the street. He got rather interested in the dog and crossing the street, he touched the man on the shoulder and said, "Would you mind telling me the breed of that dog?"

"The man, who happened to be in a bad temper, turned round and, looking at him, said, "Yes, it's a bulldog, it's between a monkey and an Irishman."

"Shure," said Pat, "it's related to both of us."—Illustrated Bits.

**Saved Walking.**

Some years ago there lived in Perth, Scotland, a man of convivial habits, well known by his Christian name, Jamie. One dark night an acquaintance found Jamie lying at the foot of an outside stair.

"Is that you, Jamie?" asked the acquaintance in a voice of the greatest astonishment.

"Aye, it's me," replied Jamie in a tone of complete resignation.

"Have you fallen down the stair?" was the next question.

"Aye, I fell down, but I was comin' doon, whether or no."

**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. Staff of men to handle orders and your goods will be promptly supplied. It is a pleasure to serve patrons.

**C. G. STARKEY**

**W. B. HIGSON**

Has just unladen 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 Hulls.

**See him**

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

**Close to the Market**

**W. B. HIGSON**

I have on hand for sale one Good Double Edger, 1 Planer, Moulder and Molder, 1 Resaw Machine and lots of other machinery. I will sell on easy terms.

**W. B. HIGSON.**

**TRouble With a Pipe.**

should be attended to at once. The longer you put it off the greater the danger of a serious break and lots of trouble.

**WE WILL DO THE PLUMBING**

Whether the damage be much or little, do it promptly, too so as to prevent as much trouble and annoyance as you can. Though it is against our own interests we urge you to send for us at the first sign of trouble. There will be less for us to do and you to pay then.

**C. A. Dickens**

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Cotton Buyers, Brokers in Stocks, Cotton, Grain and Provisions.

PRIVATE WIRE to New York, Chicago and New Orleans.

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Railroad, Steamship and Bridge Surveyors a specialty. Office on Third Street near postoffice.

**FOR SALE**

At the Old Station Mill, one saw mill, Crise mill, and elevator with 3 acres of land with buildings and improvements thereon. Also one fine pole of oak and four loads of good poles, will sell together or part. For particulars see ad.

**J. S. MOORING, or T. R. MOORE**  
Jan 23, 2w 4

**NOTICE.**

I have purchased the interest of the late W. T. Fleming in the mercantile business heretofore conducted under the firm name of Fleming & Mooring, and will continue to carry on the business at the same stand. All accounts due the firm are payable to me. Thanking the public for the patronage given the firm in the past, and hoping to merit a continuance of their favors, I invite all to call to see me at the same stand.

**J. S. MOORING**

**LET US HAVE YOUR ADVERTISEMENT.**

Advertise Advertise.

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## Getting What You Want

Always brings satisfaction to the buyer, and being able to supply your wants is equally gratifying to the seller. This is the condition at

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We have just what you want. The goods are right and prices are right.

### Stock Was Never More Complete

Every department is filled with goods suitable for the needs of the family, the home, the farm, or the office.

In Ladies, dress goods, trimmings, etc. we are unsurpassed. Just now is the season for

## White Goods

And we are giving special attention to laces, embroideries, edgings, etc.

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Greenville's Department Store

### OTTERS AS ANGLERS.

Clever at Catching Their Finny Prey and Dainty in Eating It.

Hunters and trappers have so depicted their bearing animals that few are left who catch and eat fish, and it is fortunate that they are now comparatively scarce in our northeastern states, for he is a terrible and persevering foe to fish. He is so dainty that he will frequently kill several large fish in a day, devouring only those portions which best please his palate, leaving the remainder on the water side to become the prey of other fish loving creatures.

For the pursuit of his finny prey the otter is admirably adapted by nature. The body is lithe and serpentine, the feet are furnished with a broad web that connects the toes, which are infinitely service in propelling the animal through the water; the tail is long, broad and flat, and the short, powerful legs are so loosely jointed that it can turn them in almost any direction. The hair of the body is of two kinds—one a close, fine, soft fur, which lies next to the skin, protecting it from exposure to heat or cold, and the other composed of long, shining, coarse hair, which permits the water to glide easily through water. The teeth are sharp and powerful, preventing the slippery prey from escaping, so that the quick and wary fish fall easy victims to the otter's superior aquatic powers. So easily does it glide into the water, scarcely a ripple is seen to mark the time and place of its entrance, and on emerging upon the shore its body is withdrawn from the stream with the same noiseless ease.

When the otter is engaged in eating the fish captured, it holds the slippery prey between its forepaws and begins with the back of the neck, cutting away the fine, fleshy part of the body in of two kinds—the head, tail and other parts. The average daily food is about four fish, weighing two or three pounds, not necessarily all trout, but trout and young salmon are preferred to other game fish—Lionel Ribbed in Recreation.

**Hate at First Sight.**

There are some who argue that love is born at first sight. However that be, I am certain that it is often thus with me. I have seen men in my time the first sight of whom was an insult to me—sudden, stinging, like a slap on the cheek. It is a strange thing, and I have never heard it explained satisfactorily. Sometimes in my own case I have attributed it to even so slight a thing as a certain turn of the nose, a curve of the lip, a drop of the eye, and again I have felt that it was due to nothing visible about the man, but rather to some subtle emanation from the very soul of him that maddened me as though I had inhaled the fumes of some powerful drug. Have you ever felt this?—American Magazine.

**Truancy Vindicated.**

An old gentleman once seeing a small boy playing in the streets and remembering that the school term had begun a short time previous thought it his duty to take the youngster to task for being absent from school. Approaching the boy, he inquired:—"My son, how is it you are not at school instead of idling in the streets?"

"Well, pap, out of work, mam's sick, brother Johnnie got his arm broke, the baby's gettin' teeth, I ain't got no shoes and, besides that, there ain't no school today!"—Judge's Library.

### TO MY FRIENDS.

Having been away for several months I wish to announce to my friends and patrons of the "Empire" of Pitt that I am still connected with the firm of Chas. M. Stieff, and if beholders are allowed to misjudge the happy term home as a synonym for "hanging out place" I still call Greenville my home, and while I intend to be away from Greenville a great deal of my time during this fall a postal care of box 325, Greenville, will reach me within a day or two. We now have a number of slightly used upright pianos, some of which have been rented during the summer months, others which were temporarily used by artists at the exposition and for orchestra work, at bargain prices.

We also offer a special school piano for \$225 00 fully measuring up in standard to any \$350 00 instrument. This piano is especially built for college and school work for the special price named above and is fully guaranteed by my firm for 10 years. Those interested in a school piano or in a good slightly used piano for the home should write me at once and will profit by it, and as ever I am always mindful of my patrons' protection and interest as well as my firm's interests. Grateful for past patronage. Very resp't.

G. G. Fineman,  
Box 325 Greenville, N. C.

It takes a cyclone to lift a house off the farm, but it takes a life insurance policy to lift the mortgage. Life insurance, is simply a matter of dollars and "cents." The Mutual Life of New York is the oldest, largest, strongest and therefore the best in America.

H. Bentley Harris,  
22 1/2 Itw Special Agt.

Just received a fresh lot of wheat bran and ship stuff at F. V. Johnston's, 20 4/4 Itw.

90 days and rust proof seed oats just received at F. V. Johnston's near A. C. L. depot, 20 4/4 Itw.

**Irretrievable.**

"George" sharply demanded Mrs. Ferguson as they sat at breakfast a few mornings ago, "what did you do with that letter to Aunt Rachel I gave you to mail for me last Wednesday?"

Mr. Ferguson clapped his hand on the breast pocket of his coat.

"Was it to Aunt Rachel?" he asked, hastily extracting from the pocket a bundle of letters and miscellaneous documents and looking them over.

"Of course it was. I wrote to ask her to come and spend the next six weeks with me."

"Laura," gasped Mr. Ferguson. "I mailed it!"—Chicago Tribune.

**The Iron Crown.**

The famous iron crown of Lombardy was of gold and precious stones set in a thin ring of iron which was believed to have been formed from a nail of Christ's cross. It was made by order of the queen of the Longobards in 591 and presented to her husband. With this crown Charlemagne was crowned and after him all the emperors who were kings of Lombardy. It was this same crown that Napoleon put on his head at Milan on May 26, 1805, exclaiming as he did so: "God has given it to me! Woe to him who touches it!"

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With its Capital paid in of	25,000.00
Surplus and Profits of more than	40,000.00
Making a Total of Capital and profits in excess of	65,000.00
It has also Deposits amounting to	175,000.00
Making total sum for the accommodation of our customers of more than	240,000.00

It is the policy of this bank to aid in every legitimate way the development of the financial interest of Greenville and Pitt county.

### Get The best for Comfort

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

# TAFT & BOYD

**Last Round for Taxes.**

I will make the last visit over the county to collect taxes due for the year 1907 at the following times and places:

Falkland, Falkland township, Tuesday March 5, 1908.

Farmville, Farmville township, Tuesday March 5, 1908.

Bethel, Bethel township, March 5, 1908.

Pactolus, Pactolus township, Thursday March 5, 1908.

Grimesland, Chicod township, Saturday March 7, 1908.

Ayden, Contentnea township, Saturday March 7, 1908.

C. D. Smith's Store, Beaver Dam township, Tuesday March 10, 1908.

Bell X Roads, Belvoir township, Tuesday March 10, 1908.

Stokes, Carolina township, Saturday March 14, 1908.

Grifton, Swift Creek township, Saturday March 14, 1908.

All who fail to pay will be advertised and cost added to their taxes. Pay promptly and save cost and trouble.

12 1/2 m L. W. Tucker, Sheriff.

Flour—Henry Clay is the very best, at S. M. Schultz.

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### A COURT CASE FROM PITT COUNTY

#### BEING ARGUED IN SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE.

### RIGHT VIEW OF STREET PAVING, CITIZEN AND TAX PAYER GIVES LOGICAL REASONS

**Why the Route Should be Through Evans and Ninth Streets Instead of Dickinson Avenue.**

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I see through the columns of your paper that the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville have not yet determined whether they will pave Dickinson avenue from Five Points to the A. C. L. depot, or whether they will pave Evans street through Forbestown to Ninth street, and thence up Ninth street to the depot. As a citizen and tax payer of the town of Greenville, I am naturally interested in all matters of public interest relating to the development and welfare of the town.

To my mind there are several reasons why the paving should extend along Evans street to Ninth street, and thence to the depot, rather than along Dickinson avenue to the depot.

1st. The paving of Evans and Ninth streets will make a much better appearance than Dickinson avenue, making a very much better effect in appearance by reason of one long straight thoroughfare from the court house to Ninth street.

2nd. Dickinson avenue is not in proper shape to pave. The end near Five Points has no side walk of any consequence, and I am informed that the property owners along Dickinson avenue want an enormous price paid by the town for the right to extend the street and side walk to proper width. I do not think the town should expend thousands of dollars to improve a street that is too narrow and unshapely to make a decent appearance, and I do not think the tax payers of the town should be called upon to pay an enormous price to the property owners along Dickinson avenue for the privilege of making a side walk wide enough for a decent appearance, when the town is greatly enhancing the value of their property by an outlay of thousands of dollars in way of public improvements on Dickinson avenue.

3. In the future Evans and Ninth streets will be more generally used by the public at large than Dickinson avenue. All the tobacco brought to Greenville from all directions on the south side of the river passes down Ninth street, except what comes into Greenville from the Washington road. New if the greater amount of hauling goes over the Ninth street, and in view of the fact that Evans street from Five Points to Ninth street is sufficiently wide to make a handsome appearance than Dickinson avenue, and in view of the fact that it is impossible to get a side walk of reasonable width on Dickinson avenue without incurring considerable expense, it seems to me that the sensible, reasonable, and logical route from Five Points to the depot is along Evans street to Ninth street, and thence to the depot rather than down Dickinson avenue. I do not favor taking from property owners of Dickinson avenue their private property at enormous prices in order to lay a foundation for a public improvement that would enhance the value of the property along Dickinson avenue more than the value of the small narrow strip of land necessary to widen the street and side walk to a proper width. Let the paving go down Evans street to Ninth street and the public interest of the town will be better served than by going down Dickinson avenue.

The plaintiff in the case is represented by Senator Fleming, from Pitt, and the defendant by Hon. Geo. Reuntree, from Wilmington.

All kinds of fruits and candies at J. B. Johnston's 8 3/4 Itw

Maine Seed Irish potatoes at J. B. Johnston's. 17 4/4 Itw

Subscribe for the Reflector. 2-314 Itw

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### Tutt's Pills

This popular remedy never fails to relieve Constipation, Sick Headache, Bileousness, and ALL DISEASES arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion. The natural result is good appetite and solid food easily assimilated. Sugar coated and easy to swallow. Take No Substitute.

20 CENTS A DAY FOR RUM.

Stop and Think How Much it Costs You.

The following letter, written to a Pennsylvania crocer, makes interesting reading not only to men who spend money for liquor, but to men in legitimate business who have goods to sell.

"Dear Sir:—Having been accustomed to spending twenty cents a day for whiskey, I find by saving it, I can order from you during one year the following articles:

3 Barrels of flour,  
100 Pounds granulated sugar,  
20 Pounds corn starch,  
125 Pounds macaroni,  
6 Pounds ground pepper,  
60 Pounds of white beans,  
10 Pounds soda,  
20 Pounds roasted coffee,  
25 Cans tomatoes,  
24 Cans mackerel,  
50 Pounds best raisins,  
10 Pounds packages herbs,  
20 Pounds rice,  
1 Barrel crackers,  
100 Pounds hominy,  
18 Pounds mince meat,  
1 Dozen brooms,  
12 Bottles machine oil,  
20 Pounds Oolong tea,  
24 Cans green peas,  
20 Pounds dried apples,  
25 Pounds prunes,  
20 Pounds laundry starch,  
25 Pounds table salt,  
25 Pounds lard,  
12 Bottles maple syrup,  
100 Bars soap,  
2 Gallons chow-chow,  
1 Ream note paper,  
500 Envelopes,  
2 Newspapers for one year.

"I had no idea my drinking had been costing me so much. I now live better and buy more for my family."

**Young Man, Save Your Money.**

It is almost impossible for a young man who does not save money to make a business start in the world. Most young men are washing for better positions and bewailing the impossibility of doing anything on a small salary. They want to strike out for themselves, they want to go West or South, they want to make money land over fist—but their ambitions are checked right at the start for the want of a little ready money to begin on.

A young man who has not the stamina and backbone to put aside little temptations and save a portion of his salary each week or each month is not likely to accomplish much in life. If his purpose is not strong enough to enable him to make a few sacrifices for the sake of his ambition, he can not expect to be successful ultimately. The history of successful men shows strong purpose and invincible determination.—American Boy.

**Stray Taken Up.**

I have taken up one yearling, about 2 years old, unmarked, yellowish color. Owner can get same by proving property and paying charges. W. H. Tripp, 11 1/2 Itw. Winterville, N. C.

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### NOTICE.

State of North Carolina, Pitt County, In the Superior Court, A. H. Taft vs. Mary Davis Sale of land under execution

By virtue of an order of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County in the above entitled action directed to the undersigned Commissioner, I will on Monday the 16th day of March, 1908, at the Court House door of Pitt County in Greenville, sell to the highest bidder for cash (for no portion among the parties above named other than L. A. Reel and wife), the following described tract or lot of land, to-wit: Lot No. 2 in the division of the lands made in this cause, and allotted to the estate of Mary Ann Stokes, containing 16.14 acres more or less, and more particularly described as follows: "Beginning at a pine tree corner of the Hickman Farm, and running north 56 degrees east 43 poles to a stake, thence a 1/2 degree east 27 1/2 poles to a Gum stump, thence north 56 2/3 degrees west 10.25 poles to a stake with pointers, thence south 53 degrees west 60 poles to a stake on the right side of the path, thence north 47 1/2 degrees east 21.5 poles to a stake at the corner of a ditch, thence with the ditch south 53 degrees west 37.5 poles, thence with the ditch south 53 degrees west 10 poles to a stake, thence north 53 degrees east 47 poles to a stake, thence north 53 degrees east 47 poles to a stake on the west side of the path, thence south 53 degrees east 21.5 poles to a stake in the Hickman Farm, thence with said ditch south 53 degrees east 37 poles to a stake, thence north 53 degrees east 47 poles to the beginning as shown by map filed with the report in this cause."

This the 25th day of Feb., 1908.

L. W. Tucker, Sheriff of Pitt county.

### Notice to Creditors

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court clerk of Pitt County as executor of the last will and testament of Jennie Cherry, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against 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 for payment, on or before the 21st day of January, 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This Jan. 23rd, 1908.

Joseph G. Moyer, Executor of Jennie Cherry.

1 23 1/2 Itw.

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### Notice of Execution Sale.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court, R. L. Roberson vs. W. G. Matthews, and G. R. Matthews.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Pitt County, in the above entitled action, I will on Monday the 23rd day of March, 1908, at 12:30 o'clock p. m. at the court house door of this county, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, a one half interest, or all the right title and interests in and to the following described real estate which G. R. Matthews has conveyed to W. G. Matthews, to-wit: "One House and lot situated on Pleasant Street, Bethel, N. C., known as the Dock Andrews place, and being the same which was willed to W. G. and G. R. Matthews by their mother, as will fully appear of record, adjoining the lands of M. O. Blount and heirs, and containing 1 1/2 of an acre more or less."

This Jan. 30th, 1908.

L. W. Tucker, Sheriff.

### Notice to Creditors.

Letters of administration upon the estate of James D. Bullock, deceased, having this day been issued to the undersigned by the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, and in view of said appointment as such administrator, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment, daily authenticated, on or before the 14th day of February, 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement to me.

This the 8th day of February, 1908.

Administrator of James D. Bullock, deceased.

Jarvis & Dlow, Attorneys. 2 10

### Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court clerk of Pitt County as executor of the last will and testament of William Bryson Dixon, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against 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 for payment, on or before the 15th day of February, 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This the 15th day of Feb., 1908.

2-15 1/2 Itw W. H. ARNOLD, Executor of William Bryson Dixon.

### J. W. PERRY & CO.

NORFOLK, VA.

Cotton Factors and handlers of Bagging, Ties and Bags. Correspondence and shipments solicited.

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### 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.

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

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### 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 mail is handed to us we will open after where some house writes like this: "You must pay this bill at once."

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

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

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### Corey

White and black spotted borrow hog, weight 100 pounds smooth crop and hule in both ears. Owner can get same by proving property and paying cost and damages. W. J. Evans, R. F. D. No. 1, Greenville, N. C. 1 m d w.

### Notice to Creditors.

Letters of administration upon the estate of James D. Bullock, deceased, having this day been issued to the undersigned by the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, and in view of said appointment as such administrator, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment, daily authenticated, on or before the 14th day of February, 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement to me.

This the 8th day of February, 1908.

Administrator of James D. Bullock, deceased.

Jarvis & Dlow, Attorneys. 2 10

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Having duly qualified before the Superior Court clerk of Pitt County as executor of the last will and testament of William Bryson Dixon, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against 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 for payment, on or before the 15th day of February, 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This the 15th day of Feb., 1908.

2-15 1/2 Itw W. H. ARNOLD, Executor of William Bryson Dixon.

THE FERTILIZER THAT NEVER FAILS HYCO Tobacco Guano COLUMBIA GUANO CO. NORFOLK, VA.

A TRICKY CRAFT. The Barangayan is Dangerous and About as Fast as a Snail. He is a brave traveler who trusts himself to a barangayan for the first time without misgiving.

GOV. R. B. GLENN Of North Carolina, says About GOWAN'S PNEUMONIA CURE The Great External Remedy For Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough and Chest Troubles.

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF AYDEN In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business Feb. 14, 1908.

MEETING A LION. Charged With Food, His African Majesty Showed No Fight. That the lion is not always the tearing, roaring, wildly ferocious beast of legendary description may be seen from the following story.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. We are now revising the subscription list The Eastern Reflector to make it comply with the law of the Government Post-office Department which goes into effect April 1st.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF PITT. I, J. R. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Treading Warts. Children's hands are often disfigured by warts, and they can be cured in a simple way. Get hartshorn and sweet oil of equal mixture and paint the warts with this each day.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FARMVILLE Farmville, N. C. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 19, 1908.

After I had proceeded some 150 yards the lion got up leisurely and followed along the road behind me. He had a short mane, and his eyes were a lovely amber red in the weak sunlight.

ADVERTISE. We hope every subscriber will attend to this promptly as we had rather not drop a single name from our list.

WHITE & TAYLOR, AYDEN, NORTH CAROLINA. HAVE AN ATTRACTIVE LINE OF Dry Goods, Notions, Pants, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Millinery, Floor Oil Cloths.

Chicks and Chickens. The cocks and hens of the barnyard are unique among feathered animals in the fact that they have no specific name. We call them chickens, but as a matter of fact a chicken is a young barnyard fowl, and the term should not be applied to an old fowl.

AYDEN A GOOD TOWN. It Has Enticing Business Men - The Editor Visited There Friday. Ayden is among the good towns in Pitt county and is going ahead at a fast rate.

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ORINOCO TOBACCO GUANO. Grows the finest Tobacco because it is prepared expressly for Tobacco--from twenty-three years experience--no guess work, but careful study of the requirements of this particular plant.

STANDS NEXT PUBLIC SCHOOLS. MAYOR EATON BEFORE NATIONAL B. & L. ASSOCIATION.

Address of the Mayor of North Carolina's Twin-City Feature of the Closing Day of the Session at New Orleans. New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.

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GREATLY INCREASED EARNINGS. SHOWN IN REPORT OF SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

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