

WINTERVILLE APARTMENT

In Charge of F. C. NYE

Authorized Agent of The Eastern Reflector for Winterville and Vicinity—Advertising Rates on Application

Winterville Apartment advertisement text including details about furniture, services, and contact information for F. C. Nye.

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Teachers' Association report text, detailing the activities and financials of the Greenville Teachers' Association.

Construction and building news text, including reports on the State Board of Education's plans for school buildings.

Local news and community events text, including reports on social gatherings and local incidents.

H. A. WHITE INSURANCE AND BONDS GREENVILLE, N. C.

BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP advertisement with detailed product description and manufacturer information.

REAL ESTATE

I am now offering some very desirable Residence lots for sale. If you are expecting to build you a home or want to make a paying investment it will be to your interest to see me. I also have some splendid Manufacturing sites on railroad sidings for sale. Terms to suit purchasers.

L. C. ARTHUR, GREENVILLE, N. C.

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WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA.

Hay, Oats and Corn.

of W. B. HIGSON. He will sell you Better Feed and More for Less Money than any man in town.

Place headquarters for Corn, Hay, Oats, Cotton Seed, Meal, Hulls, Bran, Chicken Hominy, Cracked Corn, Corn Meal and all kinds of Feed.

Umbrella Etiquette in Turkey. In China ladies are attended by servants who hold umbrellas over their heads. The Chinese and Japanese introduce both the umbrella and parasol into their decorative arts and handicrafts. In western Turkey it is necessary to close an umbrella on meeting people of high rank, and a European traveler who was passing one of the residences of the sultan was nearly run through by the guard before he comprehended that he must not do so. Every one passing the actual residence of the sultan lowers his umbrella as a salutation to "the brother of the sun and the moon."

STORIES OF THE SEA.

Quenching a Blaze in a Hurry on Board a War Vessel.

FRANK OF A TRICKY MASCOT.

There were lively times on deck when the Big Monkey Got Himself Mixed Up With Hot Pitch and Gun Cotton and Took a Trip Africa.

We were making passage from Norfolk, Va., to Lisbon, Portugal, in the United States steamship Alliance. It was shortly after 4 o'clock. I had just gone to my room for a pillow of repose when the saloon came to a stop with a sudden lurch. I was sitting in my seat, Mr. Du Bois' he said.

"Yes; here's a pillow!"

"For God's sake give it to me quick! The saloon's a-fire, but don't say anything! I'll have it out in a minute!"

I handed him the pillow of water, but was not going to take any chances of a fire on a man-of-war with fifteen tons of powder not six feet away, so I ran to the ship's bell and rang the fire alarm as furiously as I could. In less than five minutes the crew was on deck and the water was pouring into the hold. The fire was burning in the bow, and I jumped in among the great ladders of sails and passed them out, and when one could not endure the smoke any longer another took his place, and I began to look around and take stock of the affair.

I had often wondered what I would do in case of a fire on the ship. I would save my watch, as I could, but never used it, so it hung from my neck. I had a book of mine, but I would be sure to take along my best girl's picture, and there were a few other little longings which must not be parted with. Well, when the fire was over, what had I gathered together? Not my watch, not my best girl's picture, not anything that I had thought I would have. I had only my pocket watch, but I had filled my pockets with extract of beef and nothing else, but I had something good to eat in my trunk.

How did the fire start? The sailmaker, whose duty it is to keep the sails in good order, is permitted to go to the sail room at any time, but he is supposed to always carry a peculiar lantern, consisting of a common candle in a globe of horn, and a glass lens to give a steady light for his needs there. The candle goes away with any danger from oil that might be spilled and catch fire, and the globe is of heavy brass, and glass, precludes a possibility of breakage. This time the sailmaker, desiring a little more light, had taken his lantern away from the light of a tallow dip, and the cloth had caught fire. It was a terrible mass of burning and melting, and he was in there, and they were all huddled up on deck and spread out with extract of beef and nothing else, but I had something good to eat in my trunk.

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Now in Sam White store on Five Points. More room and larger stock. Come to see me.

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Opposite Center Brick Warehouse.

Taft & Vandyke Have just a solid car load BUCK STOVES

Also 100 Rolls Matting, Fine Line Couches, Portieres and Lace Curtains

PULLEY & BOWEN

Home of women's fashions, Greenville, S. C.

Norfolk and Southern Railway

Fitzgerald, Wilcott & Kerr, Receivers. REDUCED RATES ACCOUNT. INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR-ELECT. W. W. KITCHIN, RALEIGH, N. C. JANUARY 12, 1909.

The Norfolk and Southern Railway announces that for the balance of the season reduced fare tickets will be sold from points on its line.

From Greenville \$3.05; Washington \$3.70; Grimesland \$3.40; Chowanocounty \$3.60; Farmville \$2.60; Walsenburg \$2.45; Stantonburg \$2.15; Middlesex.

Tickets on sale January 11th, 1909. And for trains schedule to arrive at Raleigh before noon, January 12th, limited for return passage January 13, 1909.

THOS. FITZGERALD H. C. HUGHES G. MGR. NORFOLK, VA.

J. H. STARKEY CENTRAL Barber Shop

Has a Nice Line of Fresh Groceries and can Supply your needs. He pays highest price for all kind of Fur.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Edmond & Fleming proprs.

Located in main business section of the town. Four chairs in operation and each one provided over a skilled barber. Our place is inviting, razors sharp. Our towels clean. We thank you for past patronage and ask you to call again when good work is wanted.

W. P. EDWARDS, Agt., Greenville.

French Cleaning and Dying. All work guaranteed.

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MADE AND PREPARED BY WHEELER'S SUPERIOR FERTILIZERS CO. GREENVILLE, N. C.

ESSENTIAL FOR ALL KINDS OF CROPS AND VEGETABLES. PUT IN YOUR BAG—WHEELER'S SUPERIOR FERTILIZERS.

The Most Beautiful Line

Refer fitting out your home you should care and look over our line of Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, Mattings, Druggies, Rugs, and Pictures

Also a hundred and one small things—too numerous to mention—that you need, which will rival in quality and price those found elsewhere

TAFT & BOYD FURNITURE and STOVES.

Superb Service to BALTIMORE

VIA CHESAPEAKE LINE STEAMERS "COLUMBIA" and "AUGUSTA"

Diningrooms on Saloon Decks. Elegant Table d'Hote Dinner Fee. Club Breakfast 25 to 50c. Polite Attention and the very best service in every way.

Leave Norfolk (Foot of Jackson street) daily (except Sunday) 6:50 p. m. Arrive in Baltimore 7:00 a. m., connecting with rail lines for Philadelphia, New York, and all points east and west.

For all information and reservations address E. T. LAMB, Gen. Agt. CHAS. L. HOPKINS, T. P. A. NORFOLK, Va.

A TERRIFIC CRASH

At Munford's Big Store

The Big Sale is still going on to raise money for creditors. Come quick and get your share of the Low Prices.

THE STOCK MUST BE SOLD.

Furniture and House Furnishing Goods For Cash or on Installments. In Building Formerly Occupied by Dispensary. Large Stock of everything needed in your house. Our Prices are low.

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J. W. PERRY & CO. COAL COAL COAL NORFOLK, VA.

D. W. HARDEE, Groceries and Provisions

Cotton Bagging and Pressing

Fresh Goods kept constantly in stock. Country Produce Bought and Sold

D. W. Hardee, GREENVILLE N. C. North Carolina

GREENVILLE CANDY KITCHEN.

(Next door to Sam White)

All kinds of Candy made fresh every day. Large line of confectionery on the boat in these lines call on us.

PEACHEO'S BROS. Proprietors.

COAL AND WOOD

We have Seales to wash your coal, clean it, and pack it in the yard, dry wood and quick delivery. Phone 215.

C. W. HARVEY & COMPANY

Official Statement.

Showing the number of meetings held by the Board of County Commissioners during the year ending December 31, 1908, and the amount of money received and expended during the same.

NUMBER OF MEETINGS 19.

R. W. King, at ended 19 days as comm'r at \$2 per day \$38.00
Traveled 281 miles, at 5c 14.05
Total \$52.05

John Z. Weeks, attended 18 days as comm'r at \$2 per day \$36.00
Traveled 100 miles at 5c 5.00
Total \$41.00

M. T. S. Jr., attended 14 days as comm'r at \$2 per day \$28.00
Traveled 570 miles at 5c 28.50
Total \$56.50

D. J. Holland, attended 18 days as comm'r at \$2 per day \$36.00
Traveled 705 miles at 5c 35.25
Total \$71.25

N. T. Cox, attended 19 days as comm'r at \$2 per day \$38.00
Traveled 1961 miles at 5c 98.05
Total \$136.05

Total amount allowed dears \$529.25

No unverified accounts have been added.

Richard Williams, Register of Deeds and ex-officio clerk of Board of County Commissioners in and for the County of Greene, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement, given under my hand at office in Greenville, N. C., this 2nd day of December, 1908.

R. WILLIAMS,
Clerk Board Com'r for Pitt Co.

Notice of Sale.

North Carolina, in the S. C. B. F. Pitt County, C. D. Moore, Clerk.

By virtue of the authority in me vested by an order of court made in a special proceeding pending in the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., all the land of which H. O. Campbell, deceased, ex parte, the undersigned, will sell to pay to said sale to the highest bidder on Monday the 14th day of January, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, in the town of Grimesland, N. C., all the land of which H. O. Campbell died seised in and near the town of Grimesland, N. C., which was divided up into eleven (11) small farms or tracts, and one hundred and twenty-four (124) lots, as shown on a map filed in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court, as follows: Lots in block A, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map, 36 acres, more or less; Farm No. 1, as shown on said map, 22 acres, more or less; Farm No. 2, as shown on said map, 20 acres, more or less; Farm No. 3, as shown on said map, 59 acres, more or less; Farm No. 4, as shown on said map, 156 acres, more or less; Farm No. 5, as shown on said map, 19 acres, more or less; Farm No. 6, as shown on said map, 27.70 acres, more or less; Farm No. 7, as shown on said map, 54.61 acres, more or less; Farm No. 8, as shown on said map, 49.10 acres, more or less; Farm No. 9, as shown on said map, 138 acres, more or less.

Also to be sold to town lots: Lots in block A, numbered 1 to 9 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block B, numbered 1 to 8 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block C, numbered 1 to 8 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block D, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block E, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block F, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block G, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block H, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block I, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block J, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block K, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block L, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block M, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block N, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; Lots in block O, numbered 1 to 12 inclusive, as shown on said map; 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The following cases have been disposed of: B. B. Jones, assault, guilty.

Henry House, assault with deadly weapon, pleads guilty, fined \$10 and costs.

Henry Harrington, assault with deadly weapon, pleads guilty, fined \$15 and costs.

Wilson Wright and Arthur Price, gambling, pleads guilty, each 30 days on road.

Alfred Atkinson, housebreaking and larceny, guilty, 12 months on roads.

Samuel Bryant and Ned Kitzell, temporary larceny, not guilty.

Mellie Butler, retailing liquor without license, not guilty.

Herbert Dudley, larceny, guilty, 4 months on roads.

Neal McKinley, larceny, pleads guilty, 4 months on roads.

Peter Henby, appeal from mayor's court, pleads guilty, 30 days on roads.

Frank King, affray, guilty, 3 months on roads.

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My sketches of Pitt county are now ready for the printer, and I have decided to add sketches of some of the county's prominent citizens.

In a few days I shall begin calling upon them for data, facts, etc., for such sketches.

No man can afford to forego such a chance to advertise. Sketches of Pitt county will be a book of 200 pages, bound in cloth, and sell for \$2.00.

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WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

Newsp Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor. Winterville, N. C., Jan. 29, 1909.

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AN ADDRESS. To The People of North Carolina.

There is a proper and not unnatural public interest as to the present policy of North Carolina.

By an overwhelming majority the people of North Carolina have declared for the suppression of the liquor traffic in this State.

The State Anti-Saloon League stands simply for the enforcement of this expressed will of the voters of the State, and we appeal with confidence to the General Assembly elected by these voters to see that in no particular shall the verdict of last May be evaded.

We do not ask for more than the people have declared for, nor do we expect less. The people have had so unmistakably declared their wishes, it becomes the duty of their law-makers to provide in all cases the proper legal machinery for enforcing their newly expressed will, and for punishing all violators of the new statute.

As a part of our progress in striving for industrial leadership, and because the first consideration here must be the development of a strong, efficient people, the State in the same spirit in which it resolved upon the distilleries, and we earnestly ask for a general law providing for the payment of \$25 for each capture made by a sheriff, a policy which has worked successfully in Cumberland and other counties, and without which the machinery is manifestly inadequate. Beyond this we ask nothing.

We do not believe that the whiskey interests can bring any strong pressure to bear upon our law-makers for any weakening of the present law, but we do not think it amiss to warn our people against agitation for seemingly innocent or unimportant amendments. To make an change will open up the whole subject afresh, and offer another much-coveted opportunity for the whiskey forces to spend money in an effort to corrupt public sentiment. We have seen indications, for example, of a plan to use the apple growers as cats' paws—the liquor interests insiduously endeavoring to arouse a spirit of dissatisfaction among them in the hope of weakening the law for their own ultimate advantage. We warn our farmers against these schemes; we cannot afford to make a hole in the dike which might lead in the end to bringing down the whole flood of corruption and intemperance again upon our homes.

It is our belief that the people of the state, the Anti-Saloon League, and the general assembly, are alike resolved upon a "stand pat" policy. Let us have no hurtful agitation, and if it come, let the blame be upon the heads of the whiskey element.

If they seek to violate the law, swift and sure punishment must be meted out to them. Upon this point we ask all good citizens to be alert. It is the duty of every citizen to see that our prohibition law is thoroughly enforced, but it is not more the duty of the temperance man than of any other good citizen. It is now one of the State's statutes which every official and citizen is sworn to support, and whatever his original attitude may have been, it is as much the duty of every

man to support the prohibition law as it is the duty of every citizen to support the laws against gambling, theft, or arson. The same penalties provided by law for failure to enforce these last named laws are also available in the matter of prohibition, and the duty of the citizen is the same in each case. Any neglect (if such) should be promptly removed as provided by the statute.

Good citizens everywhere should also let their officials, sheriffs, deputies, and their solicitors know that the better public sentiment of the community is behind law enforcement, and in such cases even a determined minority, acting with the law as a club, can secure some thoroughgoing enforcement which is expected in strongly prohibition communities.

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If they seek to violate the law, swift and sure punishment must be meted out to them. Upon this point we ask all good citizens to be alert. It is the duty of every citizen to see that our prohibition law is thoroughly enforced, but it is not more the duty of the temperance man than of any other good citizen. It is now one of the State's statutes which every official and citizen is sworn to support, and whatever his original attitude may have been, it is as much the duty of every

man to support the prohibition law as it is the duty of every citizen to support the laws against gambling, theft, or arson. The same penalties provided by law for failure to enforce these last named laws are also available in the matter of prohibition, and the duty of the citizen is the same in each case. Any neglect (if such) should be promptly removed as provided by the statute.

STATE NEWS. Happenings of Interest in North Carolina. J. W. Cahoon, a blind man living near New Bern, walked into an open draw on Neuse river bridge, and falling to the water below was drowned. He leaves a wife and several children. E. C. Sather, who lived near Concord, committed suicide by shooting himself in the breast. The Southern Railway has considerably reduced its working force in the shops at Spencer. 'Willingham will treat you right' N. C. Honey in pound frames, 10 cents, at S. M. Schultz. Genuine 90 day cat cats for sale. Apply to C. E. Rountree, 17 d & w t f. For seed lots of all kinds see F. V. Johnston in front of N. & S. depot. 1262 2w. Sell your cotton seed to F. V. Johnston and get the highest market price. 1262 2w. Sell your field peas to F. V. Johnston, in front of Norfolk & Southern depot, and get the highest cash price. 122 4d & 2tw. Have just received a big shipment of 90-day oats. Call to see us. The Central Winterville Co. 126 4d 1tw. Heart Shingles #4. \$3. at J. H. Cobb's mill. G. T. Tyson. 127 3d w 1t