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Then show it by your works. <br> People should be getting enough idea of bad roads now to want good ones. <br> It will not surprise us much if the present legislature fails to establish any new county at all. $\qquad$ <br> There are a lot of them who think better of senator Jeff Davis since he said it. $\qquad$ <br> The Farmers' Union says sheep are preferable to dogs, but the legislature say they will take the dog. <br> Ecuador and Peru are having little spat between themselves. Both of them need spanking. <br> Begining February first, up stairs sleeping in Pullman cars will come a little lower than down stairs. <br> The dogs are barking more than ever. Must have heard from the a rigit to. $\qquad$ <br> Latham the French aviator, says rying has become so common that bacis home. $\qquad$ <br> Greenville near-beer joints closed conctime ago. Those in other parts their minds to do lilkewice. $\qquad$ <br> wrian et redy ior Washington's | Some people are so non-progres sive in their ideas that it is a wonder they are satisfitd to live in anything but $\log$ houses, <br> The harem skirt is said to be the latest. We are waiting for Cowan of the Wimington Dispatch, to enlighten us as to what it is. <br> The fellow who is always kicking his town ought to get his toes padded. Then there would be less the town. $\qquad$ <br> Some people get on "the other side" <br> a question just for the popularity they think it brings them, and not because of a principal involved. <br> As there is hardly a newspaper in North Carolina that is not talking good roads, the evidence is pretty strong that the people are much interested in the question. <br> From recent happenings, both the Standard Oil Company, and the dog, can feel that they are it in North Carolina. At any rate the law is with them. $\qquad$ <br> The legislature has selected ground hog day, Feb. 2nd, at night, to consider the near-beer bill. Near-beer had as well maks up his mind to go back in the hole. <br> An Ohio man advertised that he would sell himself to the woman who made the highest bid. There need be no surprise in that, since it has come to light that so many Ohioans are for sale. <br> The Reflector has shown that to have good roads in Greenville township will add nothing to the taxes that people now pay. At the same time it will save the heavy indirect tax that bad roads impose. <br> For several months Greenville has been entitled, by virtue of her post office receipts, to free delivery of mail. But we doubt if the government lifts a figure toward giving ville palf in shape to reenit. <br> When men can have a good thing and not pay a cent more for it than bad things cost them, it looks like icason to take the former. That is just the situation when it comes in Gre matter of having good roads in Greenville township. <br> We would hate very much to have the community in which we live and get our living brand us as a man always clicecd to progress and munity. Yet there are some men who wear such a stamp. | Senator Jeff Davis gave Marion Butler a whack he will likely remember. He showed up Butler's role of hanging around to press claims for the fat fees in them. This fol lowing the drubbing that North Car olina gave Butler last fall must make him very sore. $\qquad$ <br> The Wilmington Star boils a bariel of logie down in this one brief the one who kills more time than anything else" You will find the gentleman in every town, with noth- ing to do but go around and knock every good thing that comes along The occupied man is busy trying to build up his community. $\qquad$ <br> As the report has not come yet, we are wondering what class the census figures has Greenville in. Yet the town had a population of 2565 in the census of 1900, and has done some growing since that, we are satisfied that it will not be less than 2023 this time. See? <br> At their mid-winter meeting in Winston-Salem, the editors adopted resolutions favoring State aid to good roads, conservation of natural resources and public health, a liberal Stonewall Jackson Training School, and urging North Carolina senators to support a bill to stop the government from printing stamped envel- opes. As a rule editors go after the right things. $\qquad$ <br> We understand that complaints have been made about the bad condition township over which some of the rural mails have to be carried. It danger condition continues there is livery routes being discontinued This is another reason why the people living on these routes should favor the building of good roads as quick as possible. $\qquad$ <br> There are men in Pitt county who a little less than four years ago took iish East Carolina Teachers' Train ing School, with the expectation of landing in office before now on the popularity such opposition won for them. Those same men today could not get votes enough to be township constable if they tried. In less thing can be said of some of the opponents to bonds for good roads. Representative G. M. Mooring, of Pitt, hes introduced in the legislasevcral to provide houses in the meotings. This is a wise monsure. There ought to be some suitable somblies of a public nature, and | these builangs could be provided without any great expense. A fixed place for holding townsait cozven- tions, elections and meetings of a general publice naturo, would be a great convenience to the poople. Speaking of Editiors Cowan and Whichard the Raleigh Times says: "Sorrel tops are not contagious and we see no reason why they should have any 'effect' on the surroundings' We assume that the word, "contagious" is used advisebly and that in he question of heredity.-Greensboro Headredity is the word you want, Bob. While they aro not "contagious" they do have some "effect on the how every jealous fellow keeps trailing Cowan and us because we outshine 'em. $\qquad$ <br> Mr. Tax Payer of Greenville township, pack these figures back good and hard in your mind: The 15 now paying as a road tax, and getting no roads for the money will pay the interest on a bond issue of $\$ 50,000$ to build good roads all over the township, set aside a sinking fund sufficient to pay off the bonds when they are due, and provide some over $\$ 1,000$ a year to maintain the roads after they are built. So the only difference between having bad roads and good roads is to apply a different method of expending the 15 cents road tax you are already paying and not let it be practically wasted every year. <br> What effect does the hookworm have on the color of the hair? Pat- ton, of the Charlotte Nows, zays it causes red hair, but Cowan, of the Wilmington Dispatch, resents the allegation end threntens to show the expect to see Whichard, of the Greenville Reflector, for obvious reasons, come to the defense of the red-head, ed man. Patton, however, has been making a specisl study of has beon and may be able to defend his posi-tion-Raleigh Times. <br> Go way, boy, and quit such silly questions. We had red hair before this hookworm business was ever born But, by way of information according to the theorizers, hookworms have a hanking after pale, sallow folks, and don't waste brenth trying to catch the florid kind. <br> Mr. Citizen, of Greenvillo township: If a candidate for public oftice solicits your support and you orent you are simply aiding a sires. 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| Lets have township boys CORN contests PIIT COUNTY cAN take the lead <br> Some Woman in Each Township can <br> Easily Raise the Necessary Amount -Will Only Require About $\$ 30$ for <br> Fach Boy-Will be a Great Incen- <br> five to Corn Growing. <br> There is at the present time more enthusiasm among the farmers relative to corn culture, than there has ever been since Pitt county has had an existence. This is a good omen and it would be well to yearly encourage this enthusiasm. There is terest more of the boys of the county in the boys' corn contest. In furtherance of this idea it is suggested that some patriotic woman in each township in the county interest herself enough in the future farmers of this splenđid county to raiso sufficient money to give one boy from each township a trip to Washington, D. $\qquad$ that the successful boy in Falkland most enjoyable trip. Mrs. F. E. Elks, of Grimesland, will raise the money for the most industrious boy of Chicod township. Who will volunteer to try to raise the necessary funds $\qquad$ this laudable undertaking, can send their names to Miss Henriette Moye, Farmville, N. C., who will furnish any explanation and suggest plans by which this problem can be solved. Prof. W. H. Ragsdale is in hearty sympathy with this movement, and, if his health will permit, will accompany the party and be their chalent congressman, Hon. John H. Small, will give the movement en couragement and will show the boys all the civolity possible for one who is wise in the ways of Washington City. <br> We calculate that thirty dollars will be sufficient for the round $\stackrel{\text { trip. }}{\text { Let }}$ <br> Let's encourage the boys and wo- men, for what would not be proud to have her boy enjoy such an educational outing. men, for what woman in the county a free trip from the State at large is so small that it is not much incen probabilities of his succeeding in the incentive to work is enhanced many told. $\qquad$ rules governing the State boys' corn contest, with probably one or two exceptions, which will be mentioned later. <br> The Reflector wants to see Pitt county the first to adopt this town ship plan. We would like to hav suggestions rrom all parts of the county in regard to such a contest. The time to start such a movement is now. $\qquad$ If a man needs a loan it doesn't take him long to discoover who his friends are. |  |  |  |
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