

VIEWED FROM THE OTHER SIDE.

Opposed to Election on Bond Issue For Good Roads.

Editor Reflector:

The writer has hesitated to mix in with the Reflector on a question which seems to be pretty well fixed with the sentiment of its editorial columns, well knowing that it is bad policy to try to shoot an assailant with his own gun, but it seems to me that the position of the bond agitators is soaring into such ethereal atmosphere that something ought to be done to call their attention to a few facts before they melt their wax in the rays of the evening sun.

The writer also recognizes that an argument with a newspaper is not unlike one with a woman, and therefore is prepared to have the paper say the last word.

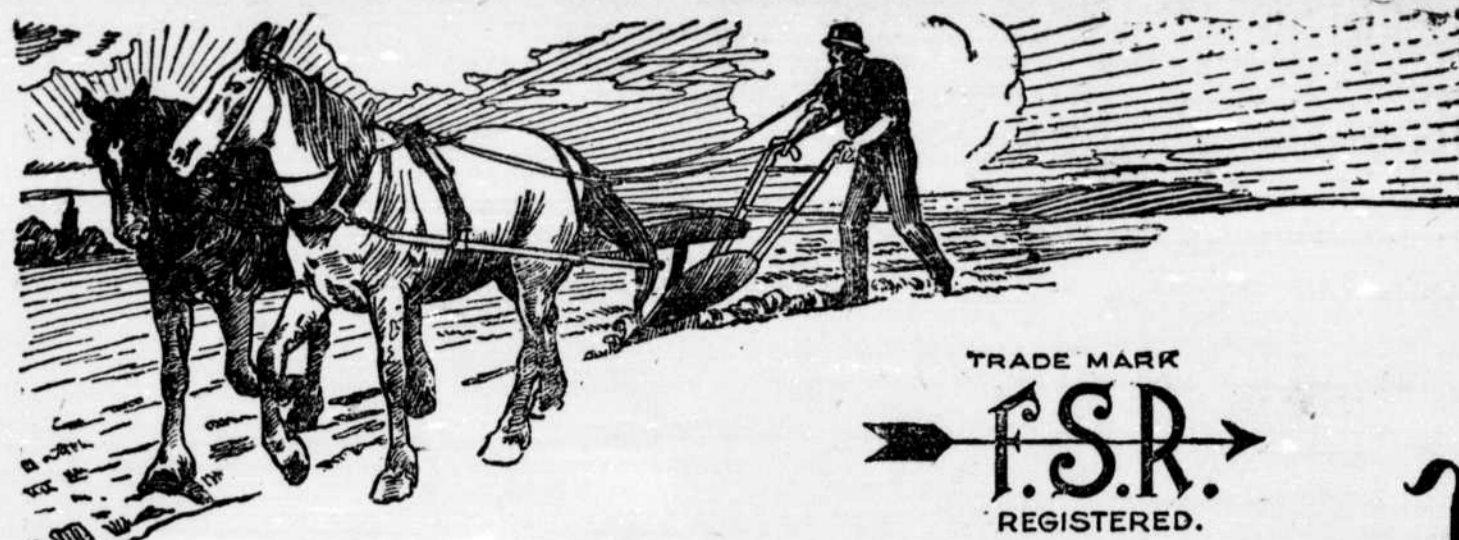
It sounds somewhat strange to hear the advocates of the bond bill accusing those who oppose it of being afraid of the electorate—especially so, when in the meeting that brought forth the bill and a motion was made to defer the matter until the general public could be apprised of the step proposed, those who daddied the bill voted the motion down, and that, too, in face of the fact that only forty-eight hours notice had been given of the meeting and half of that time extended over a Sunday. On the other hand when those who opposed the measure called a meeting, there assembled in the town hall in response thereto about the largest crowd exclusively of white people that has ever assembled therein since it was built, and no one seemed to be afraid of the people gathered there. In the light of all this, who is it that is afraid of the people?

How really amusing it is to look at the pious attitude of the bond bill advocates, after they have loaded the pistols—one with paper wads for the use of the people and the other with lead which they propose to fight with, parading before the camp of the Israelites and loudly challenging them to battle!

In order to have a fair fight, Mr. Editor, why not give both sides the same weapons? Why should a new registration be required for the election proposed, when it has been so short a time since the general election? Men who voted then, are certainly qualified now. Why should the trouble and expense of a new registration be incurred? And further, Mr. Editor if we lick you fair in one battle, why should the county be put to the cost of holding elections for your convenience just to see if your fever has gone up since the last walloping?

It seems to me that your idea of a fair fight to decide a matter, is to give you the best and most advantageous weapon, and then amend the usual rules of combat so as to give you as many trials at the plum as suits your desires. This is sometimes done when a big boy jumps on a little one, for the little fellow's benefit, but it is a new wrinkle in the code of grown folks to follow any such procedure, especially when the fellow who starts the fight claims to have the best side.

If the daddies of the bond bill will please come down off their lofty perch at the top of the hen house, and wait a fair fight, and will take the responsibility of putting the county to the useless expense of calling the election, let them take out of the bill now pending before the legislature the clause that calls



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for a new registration and that one which allows more than one election on the matter, and we will withdraw further opposition to its passage and meet them at the polls.

W. F. EVANS.

MEETING

Of County Teachers Next Saturday, February 11th.

The Teachers' Association of Pitt county will hold its February meeting next Saturday. The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School.

The officers of the association take much pleasure in announcing the program, as it is the best one we have yet been able to arrange. It will be composed of two addresses, one by Dr. George D. Strayer, of the department of education in Teachers' College of Columbia University, New York. The other address will be by Mr. A. S. Cook, superintendent of schools, Baltimore county, Baltimore, Md.

It is very seldom that we have the opportunity of having such men as Dr. Strayer and Supt. Cook. Dr. Strayer enjoys a national reputation in the sphere of education. His books have a wide sale, and his opinions are respected and quoted throughout the United States.

Superintendent Cook, of the Baltimore county schools, is well known as one of the ablest county superintendents in America. His count is regarded as having among the best organized and managed schools in the country.

We cannot too strongly urge upon the teachers of the county the importance of this meeting. If you have never before attended a county teachers' meeting, be sure to attend the meeting next Saturday. It will

be a splendid opportunity to hear two of the best educators in the United States.

We are hopeful of having all of the teachers present. Visitors will be welcome and we hope to have many of our citizens with us.

H. B. SMITH,
Pres. Pitt Co. Teachers' Association.
W. H. RAGSDALE,
County Superintendent of Schools

Rochdale Items.

Rochdale, N. C., Feb. 8, 1911.
Mr. C. E. McLawhorn and son, Melton, visited relatives near Ayden last Tuesday.

Mr. T. E. Little left for Scotland Neck (his future home), last Tuesday.

Mr. Walter Sheppard, of Trinity College, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Sam Erwin.

Misses Wynn, Taylor and Hardee, of Greene county, were visiting Miss Winnie Evans at Mr. Ivey Smith's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Joe Moye and sister, of near Farmville, were visiting at Mr. Ivey Smith's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gay, of Farmville, and Mr. and Mrs. Liss McLawhorn, of Ayden, were visiting at Mr. F. M. Smith's Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. W. F. Walters filled his regular appointment at Arthur Sunday.

Miss Keturah Tyson has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. Willis Smith went to Farmville Monday.

Mr. Frank Tyson and mother, of near Farmville, are visiting Mrs. Toab Tyson, Jr.

President of Another Road.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 8.—Charles Markham, president of the Illinois Central was today elected president of the Central of Georgia.

STUDYING DRAINAGE.

Young Man Preparing Along Practical Lines.

Mr. B. B. Everett, brother of R. O. Everett, former city attorney and law partner of Judge James S. Manning, has been here on a visit preparatory to going to the University of Wisconsin for the purpose of studying the subject of drainage. Mr. Everett has attended the A. and M. and is a graduate of that school. He desires to pursue a subject that is interesting the east a great deal. He is a farmer, the son of a farmer, and one who means to make the most of a technical education.—Durham Cor. News and Observer.

The young man referred to is also a brother of Mr. S. J. Everett, of Greenville, and has visited here. The knowledge of drainage he is seeking will put him in position to be of great service to his section when he returns.

Woodland Items.

Woodland, N. C., Feb. 8, 1911.
We are glad to hear that Mr. Roy Sutton is improving.

Mr. W. A. Nobles went to Ayden yesterday.

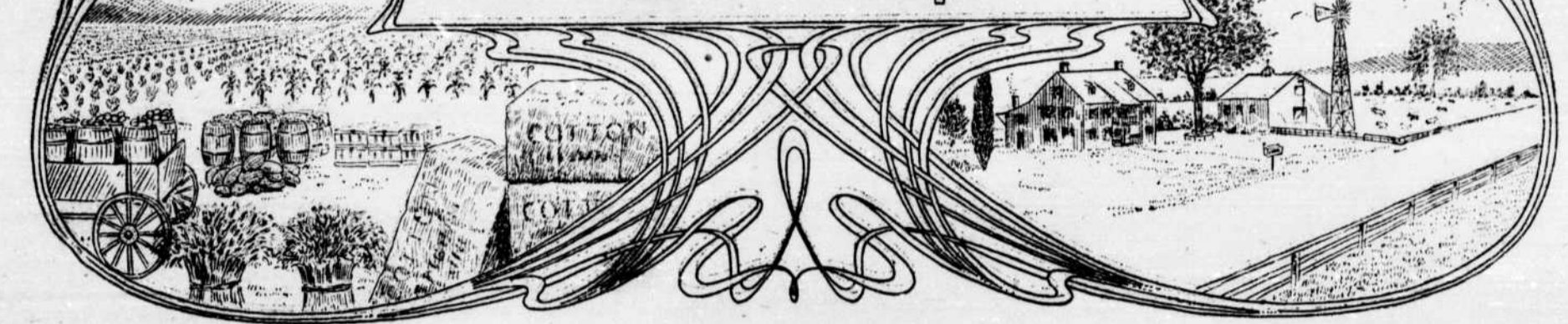
Mr. J. L. and Miss Clara Nobles went to Ayden yesterday.

The Woodland boys will meet at Woodland next Saturday evening, at 7.30 o'clock to organize. All who wish to play or who are interested, will please be there, it being the 11th day of February, 1911.—Doctor McLawhorn, Captain.

We have one farmer who says he has tobacco plants. Guess we will have a soon crop.

We have some measles in our community.

Mr. William Craft, of Grifton, paid as a visit Sunday and returned Sunday night.

The Carolina Home and Farm
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Agriculture is the Most Useful, the Most Healthful, the Most Noble Employment of Man.—George Washington.

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DEATH OF WILLIAM W. MOORE.

Popular Young Man Succumbs After Brave Battle.

The death at 3 o'clock this morning of William Wallace Moore at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Murphy on Montford avenue came as a shock to a large circle of friends in Asheville. Mr. Moore had been in failing health for the past several years and while some of his intimate friends realized that he was a very sick man others were not aware that his condition was so critical. Mr. Moore came to Asheville from eastern North Carolina nearly 20 years ago. He was appointed a clerk in the Asheville post-office by former Postmaster J. P. Kerr in 1893, and had been in the service here continuously for almost 18 years. At the time of his death Mr. Moore was superintendent of city carriers and city distributors.

"Billy" Moore, as he was familiarly known among a large circle of friends, was a fine fellow. He was a gentleman in every sense of the word; a friend, one might say, to everyone. His was a gentle nature. He was free from malice or hatred and ever delighted to do a friend a service. In June, 1908, when the great struggle for the Democratic nomination for governor of North Carolina was on at Charlotte, Mr. Moore over-exerted himself in the cause of Mr. Craig. He became enthusiastic, as almost everybody else did at that time, and his vocal organs practically gave way. For months and months after the convention Mr. Moore could not speak above a whisper. In fact, he never entirely regained his voice. The strain during those convention days evidently weakened his constitution and at times since then Mr. Moore found it necessary to cease work for days at a time. However, he was on duty not so long ago, and as usual, was cheerful and hopeful. Mr. Moore was born March 26, 1872, and was therefore almost 39 years of age. He was a staunch and sterling Democrat. His friends in Asheville were numbered by the hundreds.—Asheville Citizen, Feb. 8th.

Make no haste to be rich if you would prosper,

SUGGESTIONS ON
CORN CROP WORK

How Our Farmers Can Obtain the Best Results the Coming Year in Selection and Cultivation

Editor Reflector:

I read in the Daily Reflector recently a call from Prof. W. H. Ragsdale to all the boys, members of the corn club of 1910, and those who desire to become members in 1911, to a meeting to be held in Greenville on February 18th. I wish to add to that call an invitation to the fathers of the boys. We want to give all the encouragement to the boys that we can, for the boys of today are to be the men of tomorrow. As agriculture is the foundation of our future prosperity, it is essential that we do all we can to educate our boys along that line.

The great American grain food for men and stock is corn, and by using good methods in preparing and cultivating our lands, we can very easily make all the corn we need on our farms. I have been in the demonstration work in this county two years, and my observation and experience has taught me that we can make 50 bushels of corn where we are now making 15 bushels. I had numbers of men on my work last year who made 75 bushels, and some as high as 110 bushels on high land.

There are four things that are essential to good farming:

1. Drainage. Where land is full of water it shuts out the sun and air, and no plant can grow in cold, wet seed bed.

2. Deep Breaking. When we break to 3 or 4 inches we may expect a 3 or 4 inch crop. Experiments have shown that corn sends some of its roots 3 or 4 feet deep where the soil

is porous. Furthermore, in case of excessive rains the water sinks below the roots of the plants, and in dry seasons allows the roots to go down and get moisture.

3. Humus. Without humus we can never get the results our lands are capable of producing. It is especially necessary to have humus in our soil to get the best results from commercial fertilizers. I believe the farmers of our county use every year thousands of dollars worth of fertilizers that does them practically no good, because of not using it intelligently. Right here I want to say we should study the fertilizer problem more, and the practical application of fertilizers to the soil.

4. Last, but not least, the selection of good seed. I have men on my work in this county who in paying close attention to the selection of their seed have improved their corn from an ordinary one-eared variety to a very good two-eared variety. We should always select our seed corn from the field, for then we can get the right type of ear from the right type of stalk. When we select our corn from the barn, we do not know whether it grew on a one-eared stalk or a two-eared stalk. In my work I have gotten the best results in every instance where the prolific corn was planted.

We will have with us the 18, Mr. C. R. Hudson, the head of the demonstration work in this State and Mr. I. O. Schaub, the head of the boys' corn club work. We desire that the boys and men will bring with them some corn, and the gentlemen above mentioned will go over the exhibits and help them select the best ears for planting.

JOHN EVANS.

GREETINGS FROM CALIFORNIA.

Mr. T. F. Christman Writes From the Golden State.

The editor is in receipt of a letter from Mr. T. F. Christman, at Taolunmo, Cal., and while it is mainly personal, we know his host of friends here will be glad to read the extracts from it given below:

"I have been receiving The Reflector for sometime, and enjoy it more than I have words to tell. It carries me back to the good old times when I was there and spent some of the happiest days of my life. I was very sorry to learn of the death of 'Hen.' Blow. With all his faults, he had some noble traits of character. There are not many of the boys left now that were members of the band when I joined it in 1880.

"I am glad to see that Greenville is still improving, and if you can only get a few factories there to give employment to your people, which you are advocating so earnestly, you will be right up with the best of them.

"Now that I am settled for some time to come, you will please continue to send me The Reflector to January 1st, 1912. Trusting this will find you well and prosperous, and wishing you success in making The Reflector still better as the years go by, I will close with regards to the force and best wishes to all."

MONTAGUE ELECTROCUTED.

Pays The Penalty of His Most Brutal Crime.

By Wire to The Reflector.
Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 15.—Nathan Montague, a negro, was electrocuted in the State penitentiary here at 10.30 o'clock this morning. The negro's crime was a most brutal one. He murdered J. L. Sanders, of Granville county, his daughter, Mary Sanders, and little grand daughter, Irene Overton, also committing criminal assault upon Miss Sanders. After the murder and assault he robbed and burned the house. The crime was committed in December.

Save what you are going to spend when you are old.

POOR PRINT

PITT COUNTY

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Had Record Breaking Attendance Saturday.

The association met in the beautiful auditorium of the Training School Saturday morning at 11 o'clock with a record-breaking attendance.

The meeting was called to order by the president, H. B. Smith, after which "The Old North State" was sung. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. B. F. Huske, of New Bern, in a most impressive manner.

After a chorus delightfully rendered by the students of the Training School, President Wright most happily introduced Mr. Albert S. Cook, superintendent of public instruction of Baltimore county, Maryland. Mr. Cook spoke of the conditions that were found in his county and showed the wonderful development that had taken place during the past few years in regard to the increase in the salaries of the teachers and the excellent system of the grade supervisors, who visit all the schools. He said that these worked directly with the teachers. Mr. Cook is one of the strongest superintendents in America and it was indeed a rare opportunity to our teachers to have him speak to them.

After another delightful chorus, Supt. W. H. Ragsdale introduced Dr. George D. Strayer, head of the Teachers' Training College of Columbia University, New York. Dr. Strayer has a magnificent personality and he had his audience under complete control. His subject was "A Higher Type of Democracy Needed in Our Schools." He contrasted the schools of America and those of England and Germany by showing the hurtful influence of aristocracy on their schools. He urged three special needs in our schools:

1. Equality of opportunity—to grow in intelligence, individuality.
2. Equality to grow in responsibility. Teachers must not be czars, but they must let their students share the responsibilities of the school.
3. Equality in the power of appreciation of the good, the noble, and the beautiful.

Money making education alone is not the ideal education, but an education that will make life happier, grander, and nobler. Progress is rapt up more in the teachers than in any other group of men or women on earth. He urged the teachers to have a high conception of their work. His speech was a gem. We were delighted to hear the announcement from President Wright that Dr. Strayer had consented to lecture for one month at the Training School this summer, beginning June 6th.

Prof. Ragsdale announced that the schools where there was no special tax would only be five months in length, that incidental expenses would have to be deducted from this amount.

The association is under many obligations to the program committee for securing these distinguished educators, to the students of the Training School for their excellent choruses, and to President Wright for the hearty welcome which he extended to us.

REPORTER.

All that seems to be needed for a man to get absorbed in a thing is for it not to amount to much of anything.

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C.S. CARR, Cashier

LOSES HIS HAND.

Mr. W. W. Moore Sustains a Serious Accident.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. W. W. Moore, who lives just below town, was out hunting. He shot at some birds, killing one and wounding another. He went in pursuit of the wounded bird which took refuge in some bushes. Mr. Moore was reaching his left hand after the bird, holding the gun about midway with his right hand, when in some way the hammer of the gun struck some object causing it to fire and the entire load went through his left hand. The load of shot struck near the thumb and literally tore his hand to pieces.

Drs. Fountain and Skinner amputated the hand at the wrist.

BAPTIST CHURCH CALLS PASTOR

Rev. C. M. Rock, of North Wilkesboro, Called.

At the conclusion of the service Sunday morning, Memorial Baptist church held a conference to hear and act upon the report of the pulpit committee. The committee recommended Rev. C. M. Rock, of North Wilkesboro, and the church by unanimous vote extended him the call to become pastor. Mr. Rock visited Greenville two weeks ago and was greatly liked by all who met him. He has the reputation of being an able preacher.

Free Advertising Cuts.

Merchants should bear in mind that The Reflector is prepared to furnish for their use, free of charge, advertising cuts suitable for any line of business. All you have to do is call at the office, look over the specimen pages of the cuts and select the ones you wish to use. If you have not time to do this, telephone to No. 56, and ask for a representative of the paper to be sent to your place of business with the specimen cuts to show you.

Falls Victim to Thieves.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for 12 years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for constipation, malaria, headache, dyspepsia. 25 cents at all druggists.

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The Bank of Greenville
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Photographs of the Old Men.

A week ago when the two old colored men, Fred Venters and his son Fred, the father 105 years old and the son 76, were in town, some gentlemen had pictures of the old men taken. Mr. J. G. Moye presented one of the photographs to The Reflector and we are going to have a cut of it made to print so our readers may get a look at these remarkable old men.

Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it.

Distinguished Guest of Mr. Wright.

Dr. George D. Strayer, of Columbia University, and Mr. Albert S. Cook, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Pres. R. H. Wright for two days. These men are on a tour through the South for the purpose of inspecting schools. This is the only school in North Carolina they stopped to see. From here they will go to Charleston, Savannah, to several schools in Georgia, New Orleans, and finally to an educational meeting in Mobile. Both of these men are warm personal friends of President Wright's.

HOW THEY ARE IN FRANKLIN COUNTY

PEOPLE THERE ARE DELIGHTED WITH THEIR GOOD ROADS

MR. H. A. WHITE GETS LETTER

Franklin Township Has a Road Law Similar to The One Proposed For Greenville Township—They Are Enthusiastic Over Results of The Law.

The bill now pending in the legislature to permit the people of Greenville township to vote on the question of issuing bonds for good roads, was drawn almost similar to one passed a few years ago for Franklin township in Franklin county. Mr. H. A. White recently wrote Mr. H. A. Vann, of Franklinton, to ascertain how the people there were satisfied with results, and received the following reply:

Franklinton, N. C., Feb. 6, 1911.
Mr. H. A. White,
Greenville, N. C.

My dear Sir:
I have your letter of January 31st, relative to the road question, and would have answered more promptly but have been so very busy that this is my first opportunity.

There are such a number of things to be said for roads that I hardly know where to begin. From an economical standpoint, good roads mean more to the farmer than anybody can state in words. You can stand on our streets today and see a little mule hitched to a one-horse wagon in town with three bales of cotton on, and that same mule, before we had good roads, could hardly get here with one bale. Farmers who had wood for sale and couldn't market it on account of the bad roads, are now bringing their wood to town, hauling from half to three-quarters of a cord at a time, from five miles out. I know farmers who used to market their products four miles from home because they had an "improved" road to go over; now they bring them seven (7) miles to Franklinton because they have a good road. Another farmer who owns about 200 acres of land told me that he saved enough in three days hauling, using two mules and hauling wood five miles, to pay his road tax for this year. One man fought the bond issue so hard that when he found that he was beaten, he had to be carried home and was sick for a week. When the engineer got to his place laying out the road, he not only had become an enthusiastic road man, but took down his front fence to make room for it.

If we were to hold the election over again, I don't believe there would be five men to vote against it. To show you in a more substantial way how farmers feel about it, we have not had to pay a single cent in damages and we have completed over forty (40) miles of roads.

Another question is the increase in land values. There's a farm three miles from town which couldn't be sold at \$2,500; two months after a good road was put through it, it sold for \$3,700 cash.

These facts I've given you are

rather "rambling," but its hard to take just a few things that are being said for a thing, when everything you hear is in favor of it and nothing against it.

With best wishes for success of your election, and assuring you of my willingness to give you any information possible, I am,
Yours very truly,
A. H. VANN.

WITH MRS. F. G. JAMES.

Entertains About Eighty of Her Lady Friends.

At her handsome residence, on Fifth street, Thursday evening from 8:30 to 11:30, Mrs. F. G. James was "at home" to about eighty of her lady friends.

The guests upon arrival were given a cordial welcome by Mrs. H. A. White and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Jr., who received at the front door, and to this was added the greeting of the hostess and her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Skinner, of New York, who received at the library door.

Mrs. H. L. Fennell, of Wilmington, served punch in the hall.

The home was tastefully decorated with palms, ferns and potted plants. Decorated tally cards were passed by little Misses Ada James and Nell White, and the amusement of the evening was progressive heart dice, the guests being awarded unique favors each time they progressed. At the end of the game each player received an additional souvenir, a miniature drum filled with bon bons.

Salted almonds, cake and frozen marangues were served.

The pleasure of the evening was increased with vocal solos by some of the guests.

The naturalness and ease with which Mrs. James always entertains, made this occasion all the more enjoyable.

DELIGHTFUL EVENING.

Pres. and Mrs. Wright Entertain the Seniors.

President and Mrs. Wright gave a reception in honor of the senior class of E. C. T. T. S., on Saturday evening. In the receiving line were President and Mrs. Wright, Dr. Geo. D. Strayer and Mrs. Beckwith. Mr. Cook and Miss McKinney, Mr. Brogden, of Raleigh, and Miss Mary Wright of Washington; Mr. Austin and Miss Davis. Misses Pugh and Graham presided at the punch bowl. Other ladies of the faculty met the guests at the door and assisted in entertaining them.

The house was tastefully decorated in class colors, green and white. In the halls and parlors plants were used. The dining room was elaborately and effectively decorated in vases and candles with artistic green and white shades. The color scheme was carried out in the ice cream, cake and bon bons. The bright, happy faces and evening dresses of the guest added much to the effect of the scene.

The chorus singing of the seniors was an enjoyable feature of the evening.

The seniors greatly appreciated the honor of the entertainment and the privilege of meeting socially the distinguished guests, Dr. Strayer, Mr. Cook and Mr. Brogden.

It's so natural for women to raise children that a few of them want to raise Cain instead.

CAR LOAD

Ninety Day Seed Oats just received---J. R. & J. G. MOYE.

See J. R. & J. G. MOYE for Composition Roofing---Much cheaper in price and lasts longer than inferior shingles.

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Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds Moore issued licenses to the following couples last week:

White.

Boyd Parker and Lula L. Gay.
J. Bryant Dixon and Frandy Buck.
W. B. Edwards and Rebie Forbes.
Roland Corey and Rosa Rouse.
Andrew Wooten and Rebecca Jefferson.

Walter Harris and Annie Barnes.

Colored.

Will Clark and Allinda Hardy.
Claude Farrow and Mary Etta Brown.
Simon A. Short and Ada E. Hardee.
Art Newton and Jennett Norville.
Thad Shivers and Mary E. Gray.
Isaac McCoy and Lula Harris.
Willie Williams and Mary Patrick.
William Manning and Mary Saton.
Ada Williams and Mittie House.
Ed. Wilson and Bessie Anderson.

As to Advertising.

Business people are constantly realizing more and more the value of the daily paper both as an advertising medium for the individual establishment and for a community as a whole. The best possible way for the home merchant to build up his own business and at the same time aid in the general upbuilding of his city is to make liberal use of the advertising space in his home newspaper. In that way he gets his own product before the people he wants to reach and by using newspaper space instead of less effective mediums he aids in making it possible for the newspaper to grow and develop and become a more potent force in the community.—Winston Sentinel.

The public never does its own business, so it's never done.

OUR AYDEN DEPARTMENT

IN CHARGE OF R. W. SMITH

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AYDEN CORRESPONDENCE.

Notes of Interest From the Surrounding Community.

Ayden, N. C., Feb. 14.—Mrs. Louisa Harris, of Rountree, is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Lou Nichols, from near Arthurs, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hemby.

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. E. Stokes died at her home near Hadocks X Roads last Sunday of measles. She leaves a husband and seven children. She was the daughter of the late John McLawhorn, a very prominent farmer of the Black Jack section.

Dr. J. B. Gunter, who located here, has moved back to Fountain. He made many friends while here, who regret to see him leave Ayden.

The editor of the Ayden Department is in receipt of a nice calendar from his old friend, J. B. Tripp, of San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Mexico City.

We are of the honest opinion that the small negro boy, who informed Chief of Police Dunlap, concerning the whereabouts of Louis West, the notorious outlaw, at Maxton, last Friday night, is justly entitled to some of Carnegie's hero fund, also Chief Dunlap should have all the reward offered by the towns and individuals, as his act of heroism is one to be long remembered.

Miss Fannie Hardee, of Greenville, who is teaching near Willow Green, spent Sunday in town.

Messrs. J. R. Turnage and R. W. Smith made a business trip to Raleigh last Thursday.

Harry, a small son of Mr. R. Wingate, fell from a picket fence last week and broke his leg below the knee.

Mr. Jake Frizzell spent Sunday here visiting his brother, Dr. M. T. Frizzelle.

Miss Julia Taylor, of Greene county, spent Sunday in town visiting Miss Lucy Turnage.

We have seen peach and plum blooms. This is evident that spring is near at hand.

Judge J. L. Hobgood spent last Saturday here on business.

The way our people do like to skate is a sight.

Mr. David Gibb, who left last fall for a visit to his mother in Edinburg, Scotland, returned Sunday night, looking much refreshed by his visit.

Gardening is the order of the day. Degree work every Monday night at the Odd Fellows.

Nichols and Swain have opened a stall for the sale of the substantial things of life on Market street.

Sheriff J. T. Keel keeps busy looking after the law breakers.

Mr. Dickinson, bookkeeper and stenographer for J. R. Smith Company, is visiting near Kinston for a few days.

Miss Sybil Taylor, of Kinston, spent

Sunday visiting Mr. J. C. Jones.

Mr. Harry Cox, of New Bern, spent Sunday here with his parents.

Mr. E. G. Cox, of Greensboro, spent Sunday here with his family.

Dr. Roy Cannon, who has been at school in Richmond came home Friday.

We learn that more meat was put up the past fall than any season for a long time, and remarkable to relate, the price remains so high, when there is so little sold. But since killing time, the cholera has been raging and killed lots of hogs.

There will be a mock trial at the Seminary auditorium Thursday night. The public is invited. These occasions are very enjoyable.

There was an entertainment at the graded school last Friday night, for the benefit of the Methodist church.

Rev. Mr. Caraway will preach a special sermon for the Odd Fellows next fourth Sunday at 3 o'clock, p. m. A full attendance is requested. The members will meet in the lodge, on their regalia and march in form to the Methodist church.

Mr. Major Smith, of Cheraw, S. C., is at home for a few days visiting his mother, Mrs. R. W. Smith, in Ghent.

Mr. J. Brink White and 560 more in their community have the measles.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF AYDEN AT AYDEN, N. C.

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, January 7, 1911.

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OLD TESTAMENT TIMES BROOKLYN TABERNACLE BIBLE STUDIES

A DISCOURAGED PROPHET'S FLIGHT

I Kings 19—February 19 They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.—Isaiah 40:31

So signal a victory of Truth over error, of God over Baal, doubtless greatly encouraged Elijah, the Prophet. It was God's victory and Elijah rejoiced on that account, and because he had, in so large degree, been the Divine agent in the matter. But soon he learned that Queen Jezebel was as implacable a foe as ever. She viewed the matter, not as a combat between the Almighty and Baal, but as between her prophets and Elijah. When she learned that her prophets had been slain, she was enraged and sent word to Elijah that his fate must be the same. So unexpected a turn of affairs Elijah had not anticipated. He had the courage to meet the King and to denounce the eight hundred and fifty priests of Baal, but a mere message from a woman sapped his courage. He fled into the wilderness—there, strangely enough, to pray the Lord to take away the life which he had run away to protect.

Let us not forget, however, the suggestion in the previous study that the course of Elijah was intended to be typical—to foreshadow the experience of the Church during this Gospel Age. Let us examine this feature a little further and note the typical and antitype.

Not only is Jezebel referred to in Revelation as symbolizing a corrupt Church system, incalculating false doctrines against the Lord's nominal people (Ahab, her husband, as representing the civil power and Elijah, typical of the saintly class of the Church), but let us also note that the time of no rain was also typical, as mentioned in the Book of Revelation. Four times is this same period of three and a half years referred to as the period in which the true saints of



The discouraged prophet.

God were hidden from the eyes of the world in general in a wilderness condition. And during the same period there was a great drouth and famine, spiritual, amongst the people. Those three and a half years, in Revelation, are styled three and a half times, and again, twelve hundred and sixty days, and again, forty-two months.—Rev. 12:14; 13:5; 11:3; 13:5

"The Still Small Voice"

In Revelation, however, these various references to three and a half years are symbolical—each day for a year—and hence signify twelve hundred and sixty years in the antitype. Many believe that those years began to count in 538 A. D. and that they ended in 1798. Those who thus understand the matter recognize the increased interest in the Bible which followed 1798 to signify the time of rain (refreshment and blessing), which for the past century has brought great enlightenment to the whole world. But, however we may apply those three and a half years, symbolical years (twelve hundred and sixty literal years), most evidently they cover the antitypical period represented by Elijah's experiences in the wilderness.

If this be a true application it implies a measure of fear and cowardice for a time on the part of God's saintly people. As Elijah again went into hiding it would imply that the saintly ones became obscure. While they were in this wilderness condition a second time, God directed their course and taught them some important lessons, represented in Elijah's experiences related in this lesson. He was shown a strong wind, tearing the mountains and breaking in pieces the rocks, but this was not the Lord's manifestation of himself, but merely an illustration of power. The next lesson was an earthquake, but neither was this the Lord. Next came a fire, but not in this could Elijah fully discern the Lord. Finally came the still, small voice and wonderful message of grace and Truth. In this Elijah recognized God as he did not recognize him in the other manifestations.

The antitypical Elijah, God's saintly people, are today learning to discriminate between different manifestations of Divine power through different agencies. Windy voices of words, which comes even as a hurricane, bringing devastation to the present order of Society, is not the voice of God, but the voice of humanity. The earthquake, representing a great time of social unrest, disturbance, upheaval, is not God's message to Elijah, but nevertheless, is a manifestation of another power which he has in the world, by which, ultimately, the present order of things will give way before the Kingdom of his dear Son. The fire, representing consumption, destruction, anarchy, is not the Lord, but merely human passions which he will permit. The Elijah class are to understand God through the still, small voice heard by the ears of their hearts—the voice of Truth, the voice of God's Word speaking to his people today most wonderfully, yet unheard by the antitypical Ahab, Jezebel and others, intended only for the antitypical Elijah class—the Lord's faithful followers.

"I Have Yet Seven Thousand" Notwithstanding this voice, Elijah felt disconsolate and desired to die, thinking of himself as being alone considered to the Lord. But the Lord answered him, "I have left me seven thousand in Israel who have not bowed the knee unto Baal." Similarly today there are two classes in spiritual Israel. One class is in the wilderness condition, separate from the world. Another, a large class, is still more or less associated with and bound up in Babylon, although at heart they do not acknowledge any but the true God nor bow the knee to others.

"When ye hear I am come then can ye arise."

The joy of your heart springing up in your eyes? Can ye come out to meet me whatever the cost be. Though ye come on the waves of a storm-crested sea? "When I call, can ye turn and in gladness come out. From the home of your childhood, the friends of your heart? With naught but my promise on which to rely. Afar from their love—can ye lie down and die? "Yea, we'll take up the cross and in faith follow thee And bear thy reproach, thy disciples to be. Blest Saviour, for courage to thee we will fly; Of grace thou hast promised abundant supply."

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EROSION IN APPALACHIANS.

U. S. Geological Report Shows Extensive Destruction in Mountains

A report on an exploration in the southern Appalachians, by L. C. Glenn, professor of geology in Vanderbilt University, just published by the United States Geological Survey, is a timely contribution to a subject now engaging wide public attention. It places in the hands of those interested in the best utilization of the great Appalachian watershed the most authentic and detailed information yet presented on the subject, representing as it does the results of expert field investigation.

A Story of Ruined Lands.

The purpose of Prof. Glenn's study was to note the extent and the effects, and so far as possible the cause, of erosion in the region examined and to determine the means of preventing the widespread evil results of unwise agriculture and lumbering. Accordingly, he traveled from stream to stream valley through the southern mountains, noting and recording with great exactness hillside and mountain side wash and wear, soil removal by gullying and soil burial by overwash, stream clogging and stream overflow, the filling of mill ponds and the wrecking of dams and bridges, and numerous other evils that the attributed by many observers, in large part, to reckless deforestation and injudicious attempts to cultivate slopes that are not adapted to agriculture.

Investigations Made in Eight States.

Prof. Glenn's studies include parts of eight States—Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, and Alabama. In the course of the study it was noted that steep slopes formed of certain rocks could be safely cultivated, but that others, different rocks were cultivated with disastrous results. Observations were made of countless gaping chasms started in steep hillsides by the drag of logs "snaked" down from timbered hill-tops—chasms that cave and throw down timber and cause the wash of masses of gravel and cobblestones over fertile valley lands below. Bars and shallows formed in navigable streams by sand and gravel loosened far upstream by agricultural and forestry malpractices were noted at hundreds of places and are specifically mentioned in the report.

Agriculture and Forestry Involved.

According to Prof. Glenn the problems thus studied geologically must find their solution in methods that relate largely to forestry and to agriculture. The agricultural problem involves the selection of the areas best suited for agriculture because of fertility and character of soil and moderate slope of surface and the study of the ways in which areas may

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best be handled to prevent their own destruction through erosion, as well as the destruction of other lands and property by the waste material they deposit and the floods they help to generate.

Much of the area is not properly agricultural land and should not be cleared and forced into agricultural use, because that forcing means quick destruction both of the area itself and of the lower-lying areas on the same streamways. Such misuse also slower but none the less sure interference with navigation on the more remote parts of the mapor streams systems.

The forester would protect steep slopes by keeping them clothed with timber, coax back tree growth on denuded areas, keep down forest fires protect and perpetuate the supply of hard wood, protect the fame and the fish, and enhance the beauty and charm of the region as a health and pleasure resort, as well as prevent the navigable streams from filling up with the sand and silt whose removal is now costing annually large sums of money.

Prof. Glenn gives also an account of a study made in the basin of Monogahela River in West Virginia and Pennsylvania soon after the great flood of March, 1907, which destroyed millions of dollars worth of property.

The report is published as Professional Paper 72 of the United States Geological Survey, and can be had free by applying to the Director of the Survey at Washington. It consists of 133 pages and is illustrated by maps and half tone plates.

Roosevelt "Cooked."

Christy, the artist, has painted a picture of the battle of San Juan Hill and has omitted Colonel Roosevelt from it. He explains this omission by the assertion that Roosevelt was not in the fight, and he can prove it by history. Roosevelt and the Rough Riders, says Christy, were three-quarters of a mile away during the attack on Kettle Hill. The ensuing controversy is going to be at least some diversion from the Dr. Cook talk, which has become a little stale.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Is There too Much Politics in Papers?

We believe in political papers. In a country governed like ours they are necessary. We think that when a man reaches the age that entitles him to vote he should look carefully into the principles of the different political parties and select the one whose principles he considers best. Then he should stay with that party as far as he goes in politics, unless he becomes convinced that its principles and politics are wrong. While we believe this, we see no reason why a voter should become so wrapped up in his party that he feels bitter toward all who differ from him.

There are people in every community who are not satisfied with a newspaper unless it is very bitter toward the opposite party. To use the idea expressed by another, they expect the editor to be continually "prancing and pawing the earth, chewing the bit and foaming at the mouth and calling men liars, scoundrels and devils." They want to say very hard things themselves through papers and let the publishers take the "cussing" and financial loss which comes to the paper because it contains such articles. They are ready to say almost anything, them and take the blame, they not being seen in the matter at all. These people are very hard to suit and can never be satisfied unless the editor bows down to them on every occasion. This we dislike to do. We prefer to keep our manhood. These people never stop to think that the masses of the people are not hot headed over politics. The people generally want some politics in papers, but do not want to much. They think a man can stand by his party without getting so full as to explode. The editor frequently hears men say, "I do not want your paper, as you have to much politics in it." Others say, "I will not take your paper during campaign year, as I do not want to read so much about politics." Some will not take the paper because there is too little politics of their sort, and others will not take it because there is too much. Under the circumstances what shall editors do? Our idea is that they should go along and do what they think is right, regardless of what people say or do. This is about what we expect to do. We are willing at all times to leave our course in such matters with the masses of the people.—Smithfield Herald.

Libeler Takes His Medicine.

London, Feb. 15.—The appeal entered by Edward F. Mylius, author of the libelous story about King George, was withdrawn today. The writer has consented to serve the number of years which he has been sentenced without further legal struggle, but it is believed he will be pardoned.

CATARRHAL ASTHMA.

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MR. F. L. BOULLION, 2018 State St., Little Rock, Ark., writes: "I have been a sufferer with the asthma for about four years, and I tried different kinds of medicines and could not find any relief for it. "I tried your medicines, bought a bottle of Peruna, and after taking about half of it I must say that I have not had the asthma since. Before I took the medicine I did not know what it was to go to bed without having the asthma."

Systemic Catarrh.

Mr. Samuel Burden, 701 Springfield Ave., Summit, N. J., writes: "In the fall of 1900 I had repeated attacks of cold, which developed into systemic catarrh. "It left me very weak and all run down. When I got up in the morning it would take about an hour to get my head and throat clear. "It also left me with a very weak, all-gone, empty feeling in my stomach, which I thought was dyspepsia, for which I tried different remedies with very little improvement. "I finally decided to give Peruna a trial. I felt benefited with the first dose. After taking three bottles I was entirely cured. I cannot speak in too high terms of your wonderful discovery, Peruna."

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Rochdale Items.

Rochdale, N. C., Feb. 15.—Mr. Bill Flaungan, from near Farmville is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ivey Smith. Miss Winnie Evans attended the teachers' meeting at Greenville Saturday.

Mrs. F. M. Smith visited her sister, Mrs. John Joyner, near Farmville, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Walter Sheppard returned to school at the Training College last Thursday.

Mr. Mark Smith and sister, Miss Trilby, and Miss Winde Evans visited at Mr. A. J. Moye's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLawhorn visited their mother, Mrs. Jennie McLawhorn, near Ayden, Monday.

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The Public Conscience.

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It is said that corruption wins more than honesty, and the individual conscience, when not engaged in passing judgment upon public or private conduct, may be said to be right. This clearly demonstrable by the applause, which, in every theater is accorded the hero, and the hissing which follows the conduct of the villain. It is not difficult to regulate other people's conduct, or to obtain a right expression as to their conduct.

All life appears to be periodic. There is progress and then a retrograde movement. Yet, ever, there is an advance, however slight, from year to year. Every phase of life is like the pendulum of a clock. It swings through its arc from ultra conservatism to ultra radicalism, and, unfortunately, if it paused at the golden mean, time, so far as its record is concerned, would be no more in the municipality and in the nation we have these periods of great public awakening, and the conscience of the people discloses only the fairer features of the individual. There is such a period now in American public life. The public conscience approves and demands right things and right men. This is good; this augurs well. Do you ask me will it be vitalized in legislation and public life? My answer is—it depends. Sin is too much what the other fellow does. "Orthodoxy is my doxy; heterodoxy is your doxy." It is easy and satisfying to applaud the hero and to hiss the villain. It is not easy to admit that you may be the villain and he may be the hero and exact justice to all men, and special privileges to none. Off go our hats to the sentiment and we beam with satisfaction over the thought that we believe in it. But suppose the crystallization of the conscience into

law and business should lessen dividends, decrease incomes, lessen the value of a dollar, increase the value of a man—then, is there not danger of a new public conscience? May we not be compelled to "close our theaters, to lose our heroes and our villains, to take a new photograph wherein may appear the keen eye of the man who feels that he can look after me better than I can look after myself, and the pallid face of the man who feels that it is perhaps better to be looked after by some one else than it is to take poverty's chance?"

The trumpet call of public conscience today is not to the meek and the lowly, but to the high and mighty. Since the world began, business and wealth have had no such opportunity for the Angel of the Lord to write their names down beside that Abou Ben Adhem as they have just now. There may be lessening of dividends, they may not be able to drive so many men if they listen to this conscience, but in listening to it, they will behold a miracle, and that miracle will be that those whom they used to drive will, under the changed conditions, follow them gladly. The world must be led. The hour has almost gone when it can be driven.

Happy the democrat who, in the hour of peace, will sacrifice somewhat of his power, not for the larger, but for the common good. These men can make the ideals of the republic real if they will. Let them try the yoke of brotherhood and if they do not find the yoke easy and the burden light, it will not be heard to discard it. I plead for this because, just now, it is the public conscience; unheeded, it will become the public wrath.—Gov. Thomas B. Marshall, of Indiana

Coxville Items.

Coxville, N. C., Feb. 10, 1911. Quite a number of our young people attended church at Timothy Sunday.

We are grieved to learn that Miss Sallie Chapman is very sick with measles.

Miss Marie Lancaster, of Vanceboro, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Faye Corey.

Mrs. C. A. Tucker and son, of Greenville, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Joyner.

Miss Ida Burney spent last week with Mrs. P. C. Chapman near Vanceboro.

Rev. M. A. Adams, of Winterville, will fill his regular appointment here Saturday night. Everybody come.

Miss Gladys Haddock, of Ayden, who has been visiting relatives in this section, returned home Monday.

Mrs. N. R. Corey and son, Henry, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. W. Cannon, near Ayden.

Miss Lula Smith, of Winterville, spent last week with Miss Lydia Chapman.

Mr. Hugh S. Corey, of Rocky Mount spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

Wife Got Tip Top Advice.

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"Needs Investigation, Anyhow"

Under the above head the Monroe Journal, edited by Mr. R. F. Beasley one of the most able editors in the state, has the following to say of the insurance grafters:

Notwithstanding the governor's strong recommendation that the legislature make some investigation of the condition under which fire insurance is sold in this state, the insurance lobby has secured an unfavorable report to a bill providing for such investigation. The fire insurance companies have stated the way of all such corporations. Such policy has always been to declare that there was nothing wrong, and if there was, it was none of the public's business. Thus at a time when the good will of the public might have been secured by frank and open dealing, every one of these corporations have blindly pursued the policy of doing nothing until driven to it. If there is nothing dead up the insurance branch it would hurt nobody to let a legislative committee walk up and sniff around some.

The insurance companies have had everything their own way in North Carolina; the insurance department is really a device for protecting them and not the people. They may prevent an investigation now, which, of course, only means a more stringent one at some future time.

The Journal, it seems to us, is looking at the matter from the correct viewpoint. A great many thought no investigation was needed when the matter was first suggested. But the activity of the fire insurance companies to prevent investigation is calculated to cause one to pause and think. Some of the methods they are using to prevent investigation also suggests that they would not be overly scrupulous when the business in hand was strictly that of insurance. If they resort to crooked dealing to prevent an investigation it is not too much to suppose that they would use the same methods in other matters—Raleigh Times.

How Draft Horses Have Paid.

I started without capital, and on a rented farm, six years ago owning light-weight farm teams. I began farming with mules. I deliberately put aside the wise instruction of Dr. Taft Butler and other instructors who advised me to use a good type of draft horses. The only possible explanation for my trial of mules is that great fallacy, "mules work much on little feed," this having been taught me since infancy. But I am giving my experience as a young farmer doing his own work, and I emphasize this truth: Nothing can be gained by saving feed at the manger and losing it in the fields, light eaters necessarily being light haulers. I worked my mules hard for two years, but by weighing the grain and hay fed, and comparing its cost with the actual value of the team work, I could not find any possible means of ever recovering the purchase money except by selling them. I soon was compelled to admit that the mules would not do any more work than good mares, and besides I wanted to be raising colts for later service. Selling my mules I purchased a registered Percheron mare, and with several neighbors, the registered Percheon stallion referred to. I did not seek two horses, but found well-quartered, short-coupled, and very attractive animals. After using them under every possible condition, should I lose them, I would not go

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Australia and the Panama Canal.

At the present time food products exported from San Francisco, on the west coast of America, have to travel over 13,300 miles of water to reach the European markets. With the completion of the Panama canal the distance will be shortened to 7,660 miles, as against over 12,000 miles from Australia. The shortening of the sea route through Panama from England to the east also threatens the Australian coal trade, and opens up a further field for competition. New Zealand likewise stands to benefit, as the short cut through Panama will enable her to get food exports quicker than Australia to Europe. In other respects, so far as Australia trade is concerned, the gentlemen this paper has interviewed think that the position will be in status quo.

The Panama canal will in no way shorten the trip from London to Australia. The distance via Suez is 11,200 miles, and via the Cape of Good Hope, 12,340 miles. By way of the Panama canal it would be 12,520 miles. The journey from New York to Sydney, however, will be considerably lessened, a 10-knot steamer saving from eight to twelve days. The American manufacturer and the Australian importer are pointed, to as chiefly likely to benefit in this respect.—From a Sidney Newspaper.

Some men would be brighter if they were to reflect more and some would reflect more if they were brighter.

We are unable to recall the names of any of our acquaintances who are too respectable to enjoy life.

A girl may not enjoy flirting unless she knows it makes some other girl miserable.

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This world is divided into two classes—one is fuming and fretting because they think they do not get justice, and the other is worrying and filled with fear because they think they will.—Durham Sun

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PITT COUNTY AND GREENVILLE GAVE MORE THAN STATE.

Referring to the provision in the bill to establish a teachers' training school in Western North Carolina, requiring the town in which the school is located to give \$25,000—

The landmark is correct in its statement. The first appropriation made by the State for the eastern school was only \$15,000, and the county of Pitt and town of Greenville together donated \$8,000 to it. Two years ago the State made another appropriation of \$50,000, making a total of \$65,000 against the \$15,000 of the county and the town. Of course the State made appropriations for running the school after it was opened, but in the matter of buildings and equipment the county and town are yet \$33,000 ahead of what the State has put in, and the property all belongs to the State. But Pitt county and Greenville have no regrets at making the investment to secure the institution. It is one of the best in North Carolina, and we believe the State is going to do the right thing by it from year to year. If the town that gets the Western school only has to give \$25,000 it should grasp the opportunity to do so.

NOT KILLING THE GOOSE, BUT SAVING THE EGGS.

We heard one anti bonds for good

roads man, using Aesops goose and golden egg fable to argue his side. He said that to issue bonds to build roads would be killing the goose that lays the golden egg by destroying the 15 cents road tax now being collected for roads. Just the reverse of this argument is true. To issue bonds to build roads would be gathering these "15 cents road tax eggs" in a basket and applying the aggregate to the accomplishment of some good, instead of letting the eggs be dropped here and there, one at the time, and their value lost because nothing could be accomplished with one by itself. That is about the result of the expenditure of the road tax under the present system—there is so little to do anything with that the money is spent in giblets and the benefit of it lost before more money can be had to do more with. This same 15 cents road tax applied as the road advocates are working for, will pay interest on the bonds to build the roads, create a sinking fund to pay the bonds when they mature and have some over for maintenance of the roads after they are built. The difference between having good roads and not having good roads is the way the 15 cents tax is applied.

DISGUSTING.

The fashionable 400 of New York ought to take some side trips into the country and learn enough about good manners to know how to behave themselves in public, especially to be decent when they assemble within a church. The Dieces-Gould marriage took place Tuesday afternoon, and here is the way the New York World pictured some of the scenes in St. Bartholomew's church where the ceremony was performed:

The ceremony was witnessed by about four hundred, including many well-known theatrical folk and opera singers. Of the 400 within the church probably 250 were women, and of these fully 200 forgot the sacredness of the edifice and their

Ex-King Manuel, of Portugal, is said to have something like \$100 a day for spending money. Lots of us would like to have the privilege of trying to get along on one-tenth that much.

PROHIBITION NOT A FAILURE

The last Raleigh Christian Advocate contained a letter from Mrs. T. A. Person, who is now in Frankfort, Ky., where she will remain until the first of April before returning to Greenville. While the letter was mainly intended for the Young People's societies of the North Carolina conference, yet it contains a comparison of bar rooms and prohibition that we give to our readers. It says:

One thing I feel I must speak of, and that is, the bar-rooms. They are many. Let no one say prohibition is a failure. What if a man,

or fifty, or a hundred men as that a thousand times better than a whole town full of it? And yet, a few lone some jugs cry: "Prohibition is a failure." The way to see what prohibition really is, is to visit a liquor store.

Young women of Carolina, for many years it will be your lot to mould the opinion of our great state and whether you ever vote or not, it is yours to control the vote of husbands, brothers, and sons, which is all the same, and I think, a little better.

THE END OF IT ALL.

The prices of many things may go up, but pencils, pen and ink remain about stationary.—Durham Sun.

A paper weight will have to be put on that to hold it down.—Greenville Daily Reflector.

It is as you observe, gentlemen—you can drive a horse to water, but a pencil simply must be lead (purchased).—Charlotte News.

Well! Well! Aye, ink well. Such stuff is certainly not all "write" and we move to blot (ter) it out.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Such copy is a waste of ink and paper and the pen will shut you in if you don't shut up!—Greensboro Daily News.

In other words, we suppose you want a stop-per put in the bottle. All write, here goes.

Under the gain of population reported by the last census, the number of representatives in congress will be increased from 391 to 433, the increased number to take effect March 3rd, 1913. No State will lose a member, as was recently indicated but several will gain. The States that gain congressmen are as follows: Alabama 1; California 3; Colorado 1; Florida 1; Georgia 1; Idaho 1; Illinois 2; Louisiana 1; Massachusetts 2; Michigan 1; Minnesota 1; Montana 1; New Jersey 2; New York 6; North Dakota 1; Ohio 1; Oklahoma 3; Oregon 1; Pennsylvania 4; Rhode Island 1; South Dakota 1; Texas 2; Utah 1; Washington 2; West Virginia 1.

In New York City, Monday was a bitterly cold and stormy day, but big Tim Sullivan, the Tammany politician, made many a poor soul happy. At his club house on the Bowery, he distributed 7,000 pairs of shoes and socks to a line of wretched humanity filing back for many blocks. In line was a man who was once a multi-millionaire but who lost all his wealth in Wall street. Big Tim is always doing some noble thing like this.—Wilmington Star.

This generosity of Big Tim may not be heralded around so much as the gifts of millions, with strings attached, by Rockefeller and Carnegie to colleges and libraries, but it is the kind that gets close to the needy and does the most real good.

The Charlotte Observer makes a broad assertion, yet one that rings true, when it says: "The strength of sentiment in the legislature for wider-open divorce may be explained and probably is explained, by the

circumstance that there are among the members some attorneys who as regards divorce represent the desire of particular clients more than anything else. All of our newer divorce legislation, temporary and otherwise has come that way."

It recalls to mind how the millionaire, Flagler, a few years ago got a law passed by the Florida legislature that gave him opportunity to divorce an insane wife and marry another woman. Whenever a divorce bill comes up, you can feel sure that it is in the interest of somebody.

The Reflector subscription contest that has been in progress for ten weeks, came to a satisfactory close Tuesday and the winners received their prizes. The contest was a good one for the paper and added several hundred new names to both the daily and weekly editions of the paper. We wish to thank every faithful worker in the contest, as well as those who helped them. It is our purpose to endeavor to make the paper so pleasing to its readers that every name on the subscription list will remain there permanently.

There ought to be a large number of Pitt county farmers and their sons in Greenville next Saturday. Besides the awarding of prizes that day for the boys' corn growing contest last year, plans will be perfected for the contest this year. It is proposed to have township prizes this year and the number of contestants should be large. Mr. C. R. Hudson and Mr. I. O. Schawb will both be here Saturday, and will help those who bring specimens of their corn to make proper seed selections.

If a man buys stolen goods, knowing at the time that they are stolen, the law holds him guilty with the one who really stole the goods. That looks just as reasonable that a man who buys blind tiger liquor should be held equally as guilty as the man who sells it. The purchase is helping to cause a violation of the law, and knows it at the time, there could not be a seller unless there was a purchaser.

February 22nd is the day designated as Bill Nye day in the public schools of this State. In addition to observing the day with appropriate exercises, donations will be made to erect a memorial building to Nye at the Stonewall Jackson Training School. We hope the schools of Pitt county will take prominent part in this.

Forsyth county will apply to the legislature for the passage of a bill permitting that county to vote on the question of issuing bonds for \$750,000 to build good roads. That looks like people up there don't think a bond issue would ruin the county. They know that to put the money in

roads will be a good investment.

Issuing bonds to build good roads is an investment and not a burdensome mortgage that can never be paid as some people imagine. And it is the best investment a community, a township or a county can make. Good roads pay for their cost many times over.

An example of the inaccuracies of the last census enumeration is shown in the town of Hendersonville. The report gave that town a population of 2,818, and the citizens went to work and took the census over, the result showing 3,705. This is quite a difference in figures.

A mass meeting of citizens of Iredell county declared in favor of issuing bonds for \$400,000 to build good roads, the question to be submitted to a vote of the people. Can Pitt county, one of the best in the State, afford to stay behind in the matter of road building.

The question is frequently asked, what is the last heard from West, the Wilson murderer? We think the last really heard from him was the afternoon he did the fatal shooting. There have been rumors and rumors, but while they were about West he was not about them.

The governor of Georgia claims to have discovered a plot to distribute boll weevils throughout the cotton belt of Georgia and South Carolina. The idea of the conspirators seems to be to cut down the size of the cotton crop by spreading the pest.

As long as negroes are allowed to hang around without visible means of support, tragedies like the one in Wilson last week may be expected. A rigid vagrancy law strictly enforced would do good.

The Durham Herald very wisely suggests that if the legislature does not down the clubs, you will see these take the place of near-beer saloons. Yes, and white folks and negroes will both have them.

There are some people who get mad with the Bible because it condemns their conduct, but what's the use? They cannot change the Bible, hence the proper thing to do is change their conduct.

If a man is both a bachelor and a justice of the peace in Henderson county will he have to pay double tax?—Raleigh Times.

And if he had a dog also he would catch it three times.

The legislature has sounded the death knell for near-beer, its sale being prohibited in this State after the first of July. We hope as much will be done for liquor in clubs.

The price of funerals has been reduced in Baltimore, but that will be one bargain the women won't be dying to get.—Wilmington Dispatch.

You are wrong Cowan. They can't get a funeral without dying.

New Orleans spent \$15,000 in the fight trying to land the Panama exposition. Even if the exposition was lost, the city got the worth of the money in advertising.

Whether Greenville is the best town in the world or not, it is good enough for us to be saying all the good we can about it. You go and do likewise, and quit your kicking.

Greensboro sets the example by voting to establish a commission form of municipal government. We believe every town of consequence could be better governed on that plan.

Jim Robinson, of the Durham Sun, intimates that it is easy to "love your neighbor as yourself" if it happens to be a pretty and sweet girl living next door.

For once the Greensboro News has commended the Raleigh News and Observer. Surely it must be an indication of the approach of universal peace.

There have been no bad weather stunts in this section since ground hog day, but there is time enough yet for some to come.

There were forty-five applications for law license at the recent examination by the Supreme court, and ten of them failed to pass.

The legislature ought to pigeon hole the amendments to the divorce law, and let them be considered as they come.

Since Hendersonville came out so well on a recount, some of them are wanting to talk Greensboro into doing likewise.

It sounds good that the Greenville road bill has passed the legislature. Now the question can be settled by the people themselves at the polls.

The senate did right in killing that divorce bill, which ought never to have passed the house.

Those favoring the establishment of Piedmont county made a big fight for it, but they lost.

Generally speaking, there is a compassion for the blind, but not when it's a tiger.

The senate should go ahead and dismiss Lorimer. Then the next fellow may not try to buy his seat.

It went by that name just to evade the law, but in reality it was not near-beer.

The man who has the welfare of the public at heart makes the best citizen.

Almost every newspaper in the State is working for good roads in its county.

Unanimity of purpose is something the business interests of Greenville need.

When they have once been to Greenville they want to "come back."

It will pay Morse to observe the rules of the prison.

THE SAND CLAY ROADS.

How to Build Them—Same Conditions Exist in Pitt.

[By Prof. M. Goode Homes, Department of Civil Engineering, University of South Carolina.]

South Carolina is peculiarly blessed in having at hand proper materials and conditions for constructing an ideal system of roads. Over the larger part of her area are found, side by side, sand and clays excellent for constructing sand-clay roads; which for our requirements, if properly constructed, are surpassed by none. The sand-clay road is elastic and resilient and thus will not stiffen up the teams as in the case of the harder surfaces; our climate is not cold enough for them to be injured by frost; and for years to come they will be strong enough to bear our average traffic.

Experience has shown that the tendency is to calculate too little rather than too much sand for given amounts of clay, and it will frequently be necessary to make the second and third application of sand. Whenever the road becomes sticky or cut up in wet weather or cracks upon in dry weather add more sand. On the other hand if the road breaks up during a dry spell add more clay.

There are two conditions to be dealt with in building sand-clay roads—the road may run through a sandy country, in which case clay must be added to the surface; or if the road be of clay it must be improved by the addition of sand. Since in these two cases the methods of construction are entirely different, they will be treated separately in detail.

Two In Wrong Order.

In arranging the photographs of the winners in The Reflector subscription contest, for Tuesday's paper, through an oversight two of them were placed out of position. Miss Nellie Barnhill appearing as winner of the third prize and Miss Lelia Stokes the fourth, when they should have been reversed. The error was not detected until after part of the paper had been printed and mailed.

Some men borrow trouble and some buy it by the bottle.

Even a stingy man loosens up when asked for advice.

POOR PRINT

BILL NYE MEMORIAL DAY
FEBRUARY TWENTY-SECOND

To County Superintendents and Public School Teachers.

The public press of North Carolina has always responded generously and unselfishly to every call of the public schools for service, and no agency has been more potent in prompting the development of these schools and the progress of education in the State. The county superintendents and the public school teachers now have an opportunity to express their appreciation of this service, and to render at the same time a valuable service to a most worthy cause by co-operating heartily with the "Bill Nye Memorial Committee" in their commendable effort to raise funds for the erection of a central or main building at the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School, to be known as the "Bill Nye Memorial Building."

The committee has prepared an interesting program for the celebration of Bill Nye day in the public schools. A hour devoted to honoring the memory of such a man, who loved all children and all men, who devoted his splendid talents to making them happier and better through his writings, will be properly and profitably spent.

I earnestly request and urge the county superintendents of each county to distribute these programs to the public school teachers of the county, accompanied by a letter to each teacher, directing the setting apart of an hour in the school for this celebration, and urging the hearty co-operation of the teachers for the success of the celebration.

The noble work of the Stonewall Jackson Training School for giving wayward boys of the State a chance to be trained into good citizens should appeal strongly to the hearts of the children of the public schools, who but for the mercy of God might be like these wayward boys. It is a privilege, therefore, for these children to have an opportunity to make a contribution to such a work. It will do them good. I earnestly urge, therefore, that county superintendents and teachers lend their hearty co-operation in securing at least a penny contribution from every child in the public schools for the erection of the Bill Nye Memorial Building for increasing the facilities at the State's school for training wayward boys.

I designate Wednesday, the 22nd day of February, for this celebration. I suggest that the teacher devote an hour on this day to reading to the pupils this booklet and to arousing an enthusiastic interest in Bill Nye and his work in the work of the Stonewall Jackson Training School, concluding the exercises with an earnest appeal for a contribution of at least one penny from every child, to be brought next morning.

All contributions should be forwarded by the teacher or the principal of the school to Mr. R. W. Vincent, secretary of the Bill Nye Memorial Committee, Charlotte, N. C., and they will be acknowledged in the columns of the Charlotte Observer.

Very truly yours,
J. Y. JOYNER,
Superintendent Public Instruction.

All men are born honest, but it requires constant practice to keep that way.

The Carolina Home and Farm and The Eastern Reflector.

An Egg Romance.
Among all the strange wooings of knighthood and the amorous adventures of old romance, there could scarcely be found a story to match that of the South Dakota grocer's clerk and the New York heiress, who have just realized their affinity through the medium of a soft boiled egg.

According to the veracious news dispatch, a young man of Alexandria, S. D., while packing a crate of eggs, wrote his name and address together with the date on one of the biggest of the ovals. Three weeks passed by, and then one morning a beautiful young woman in far-away Brooklyn, N. Y., found this very egg by her breakfast plate.

The handwriting had a certain artistic flourish that caught her eye, and what was more important the egg was perfectly fresh. This last fact she interpreted as a token that something wonderful was in store for her.

And so, half playfully, she wrote the grocer's clerk away off in Dakota, telling him how she admired his honest egg and also his sentiment in inscribing his name upon its shell. Forthwith, the clerk replied. Photographs were exchanged. A week later he went to Brooklyn on a visit. His suit prospered, and now his friends out west have received wedding announcements tastefully penned on egg shells that are wrapped in cotton.—Atlanta Journal.

Newspaper Men like Wilson.

Woodrow Wilson, governor of New Jersey, made a decided hit with the newspaper men of Washington during his two days' visit. In his speech at the National Press Club and in little interviews thereafter the governor of New Jersey represented a miracle of the political writers of the national capital. They found at last a man who advocated absolute publicity in public affairs, who derided the policy of concealment on the part of office-holding, and who said that the people's business was too often handled by individuals as though it were private business.

In sizing up the governor, also, the 26 newspaper men who faced him found an undeflected man. He was easy and direct. He answered any question put to him freely, with never a suggestion of the politician's apology, "I am sorry, but I can't say anything about that."

Doctor Wilson was told that his arguments against a committee on committees, cited in his book on "Congressional Government," had been used at a recent democratic caucus.

"That book was written a good many years ago," said Doctor Wilson, "when I had never even seen congress."

These answers were typical of the governor and his attitude; no concealment, no pretence, no affectation. And the men who met him were treated to constant exhibitions of fine, manly courtesy without a suggestion of insincerity.—Raleigh Times.

Grimesland High School.

The honor roll of Grimesland high school is as follows:
Carrie Godley, Harry Proctor, Edith Fancette, Thomas Proctor, Ethel Phelps, Janie Datts, Thelma Bryan, Elancho Proctor, Henry Whitehead, Willie Godley.

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A SUGGESTION.

M. Clark Talks of The Matter of Road Building.

Reflector:
question of issuing \$50,000 in for the purpose of building lay roads in Greenville town seems to have been pretty well sed, both pro and con, not in mass meetings held for that se but also in the columns of paper. However I believe the ing information and suggest might be of some value to the in settling this issue.

It will be the duty of the first assistant to supervise in a general way all road work, to be present and give instructions to road overseers or others wherever drainage, grading, filling across streams that require openings or any other road improvements are being carried on, and to keep a complete record in detail of all such work being done. It should also be required of this officer to publish in the newspapers of the county a month report of all road work completed or being carried on.

It will be the duty of the second assistant to act as clerk to the commission, to keep a complete record of all the proceedings of the commission and to act in whatever capacity ordered by the commission; such as assessing damages to property, purchasing road machinery, letting contracts for road maintenance after the road has been completed, etc.

It will be the duty of the chairman of said commission to supervise in general way all work being carried on by the commission, and to have temporary jurisdiction in all road matters not having been decided by the commission assembled.

The commission thus created should be required to give a sufficient bond to make them responsible to the county, and should be paid a salary in keeping with their labor and responsibilities. In case of unworthiness the electors should have power to recall either or both associate commissioners and elect their successors.

In making the above suggestions, I believe I am calling your attention to the principal methods that will give Pitt county the best possible results under our present system of taxation and road working. And also give ample opportunity for experiments with sand-clay or other systems of road construction.

D. M. CLARK.

as often as is deemed advisable by them.

It will be the duty of the commission as a whole to organize and systematize the present road forces and road workers, to decide all questions pertaining to road improvements, such as kind of improvement, roads to be improved, drainage, grading, etc. But it shall be distinctly understood that the road funds of each township shall be applied to the roads of that township.

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Parental Co-Operation Essential.

The matter of having the elements of agriculture taught in the public schools of the county seems to be a difficult problem to solve. Superintendent Nisbet and the board of education are using their influence in that direction and in a number of schools a class in agriculture is being taught, but we learn that in several districts this study is not being taught at all and that in many instances where a class is taught only a small number of students are in the class. One of the main reasons for this lack of interest in the fundamental principles of the agricultural industry seems to hinge on the fact that parents do not encourage their children in the study and that they are negligent about furnishing them with the necessary books. This is a sad state of affairs. The only solution to farm problems is the employment of scientific methods of production and marketing crops, and when parents refuse to furnish boys the proper books from which to obtain much knowledge, they are knocking at the very vitals of the success of those boys.—Marshville Our Home.

PASSED EXAMINATION.

High Honor Comes to Greenville Young Man.

Under an appointment of Congressman John H. Small, and following a course of preparation therefor Mr. W. R. Wilson in January stood an examination at Fort Slocum, New York, for admission in West Point military academy. He has received notice from the war department of having successfully passed the examination, and he will enter the academy next June. This is a high honor, and Mr. Wilson is receiving the congratulations of many friends on his success.

Satisfied Policy Holder.

Greenville, N. C., Feb. 10, 1911.
Mr. H. B. Harris,
Mgr. Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y., Greenville, N. C.

Dear Sir:
I am in receipt of first years dividends on my Educational Fund Policy which is very satisfactory. These policies are for \$7,000 and cost at my age (35 years) \$95.55. The dividend received was \$26.25, or about 26 per cent. of the premium. I consider this a splendid investment and protection.

Yours truly,
J. S. MOORING.

Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Texas, when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, its the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

The Greatest of all our Tasks.

Permanent soil improvement—we can not help believing—is one of the very safest businesses in which a farmer can engage at his time, and especially in this true in the South when prices for all farm products are already high and likely to go higher. Rich soils from which large crops of these high-priced products may be secured at low cost for cultivation are sure to appreciate very rapidly in value in the coming years. So, we believe our idle time, at least, may be well used in bringing about all manner of soil improvement. The most satisfactory permanent improvement we have ever made on our land has been underdrainage. It is an improvement that not only begins to pay dividends on cost at once but continues to do so, without any further expenditure, for generations. Men all over the South are beginning to awake to the need of underdraining and the reclaiming of swamp lands. The man with the little rich creek bottom is as much interested as the owner of vast areas for he realizes that where he only has a little he must make that little do its very best, and he knows such land can not and does not do its best—without ordinary surface drainage.—A. L. French, in Progressive Farmer.

One of the fastest ways to get crazy is to begin to worry about the things beyond your control.

PURE RICH BLOOD.

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If you have that blue, discontented feeling through the day and pass restless nights, trying unsuccessfully to get a refreshing sleep, take a month's treatment of MI-O-NA stomach tablets, and bring the sunshine into your life.

MI-O-NA costs but 50 cents at Coward & Wooten's, and druggists everywhere. Guaranteed to cure indigestion and immediately relieve all stomach misery or money back.—Feb. 9, 21, Mch 2.

Money Was Scarce.

"Speaking of pioneer days," remarked an Oregonian, "reminds me of a story that has come down about old Joe Meek, who was the first provisional governor of Oregon.

"There was a small detachment of troops under him at Oregon City, and as communication was difficult with those parts in that day their pay did not reach them by any means regularly.

"Word reached the settlement one day that a boat was coming up the Willamette, and the soldiers got the idea this boat was bringing their deferred pay. After a yawl had put ashore and some men had entered the governor's house, the soldiers got together and sent a committee in to wait on his excellency. The committee told him that they had heard there had been money aboard the vessel and asked if they could not get at least some of their pay.

"Boys," said the governor, "I'm very sorry, but what you ask is impossible. To tell the honest truth, there was barely enough on that boat for me and the officers."—New York Sun.

Mr. Miller Was Short.

Henry Miller dropped in at the St. Regis a couple of days ago, and, being hungry, ordered rather an elaborate lucheon. When the check was presented he found he was in financial straits. He had but \$1.45, which sum was considerably less than the amount of the bill.

"Why, I haven't enough to settle," said Mr. Miller to the waiter.

"I'll get the head waiter," said the man who had served the actor.

The head waiter came over, and Mr. Miller explained that his financial embarrassment was only temporary. The head waiter did not seem pleased. "What is your name?" he asked.

"Henry Miller."

"Are you Miller, the transfer man?"

"No."

"What is your business, please?"

"I'm an actor."

"Oh, said the head waiter, "I'm sorry, but I'll have to insist on payment now."—New York Telegraph.

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WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT IN CHARGE OF PAUL N. STROTHER.

Authorized Agent of The Carolina Home and Farm and The Eastern Reflector for Winterville and vicinity
Advertising Rates on Application

Winterville, N. C., Feb. 11.—Exercises were given in Winterville High School auditorium Friday morning by Miss Doushall's room.

A nice lot of hats, both straw and fur, just arrived at A. W. Ange & Company's.

Mr. P. T. Anthony, of Greenville was in town yesterday on business. Prof. H. F. Brinson went to Greenville yesterday evening.

Remember those peg-tooth harrows at Harrington, Barber & Company's. Miss Martha Cherry left for her home near Greenville, yesterday evening, where she will spend Saturday and Sunday.

If you want a nice sewing machine see A. W. Ange & Company, they have a nice line.

Said your wheat and corn to be ground at Harrington, Barber & Company's mill. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Miss Addie Copeland went to Greenville this morning to attend the teachers' meeting.

Mr. Roy Causey and C. E. Langston went to Greenville this morning. Rev. B. W. Spilman, secretary of Sunday school board of the Southern Baptist Convention, will lecture in the Baptist church February 23rd.

Winterville, N. C., Feb. 15.—Several of the young people of Winterville gave Mrs. J. D. Cox a delightful storm-party Saturday night. It was a pleasant surprise to Mrs. Cox to receive such a jolly young crowd. There was plenty of music and all present seemed to have a very good time.

Rev. G. C. Vause, of Ayden, preached here Sunday in the Free Will Baptist church. As it was a very inclement day several people did not attend church.

Miss Helen Smith spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle, Mr. Samuel Worthington.

Mrs. J. D. Cox went to Ayden Tuesday evening.

Misses Lizzie Whitley and Bessie Baker spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ruben Walk of Ayden.

Rev. C. J. Harris went to Greenville Tuesday evening on business.

The regular monthly missionary meeting was held in the Baptist church Sunday night. They had an excellent program composed of recitations, reading papers, and songs.

Miss Minnie Evans spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, who lives near Grifton.

Mr. Albert McCauley, of Chapel Hill, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. F. C. Nye.

Miss Fattie Sutton and Mr. Jesse Rollins went out in the country to a pound party last night.

North Carolina Day will be celebrated in the W. H. S. auditorium Friday afternoon, at two-thirty.

Machine grown seed Irish potatoes at Harrington, Barber & Company's. Harrington, Barber & Company have opened up a nice line of hats.

See us for your hats and shoes. Harrington, Barber & Company. Hats and cancat at A. W. Ange & Company's.

Our spring stock of slippers has

come. We invite one and all to give them a look before buying. A. W. Ange & Company.

WITH MRS. R. J. COBB.

Delightfully Entertains at a Valentine Party.

Among the recent social diversions here has been nothing more pleasant than the Valentine party given by Mrs. R. J. Cobb, on Monday evening, February thirteenth.

The parlors and hall were beautifully decorated with graceful festoons of red hearts, and the punch bowl, presided over by Mesdames Albion Dunn and H. A. White, was also decorated with hearts.

From the hall the guests were invited into the parlors where at many small tables they merrily engaged in the game of progressive heart-dice, each couple progressing were given gold and silver fans made in heart-shape.

To Mrs. E. B. Picklen was awarded the first prize—a lovely little heart-shaped cut glass bowl and the baby fell to Mrs. Chas. Laughinghouse. Mrs. J. H. Moye received as consolation, a heart-shaped clock.

The same idea in shape and color scheme was carried out in the refreshments—a salad course—which was served in delicate heart-shaped receptacles.

Among out of town guests were Mrs. Hardy Fennel, of Wintahgon, and Mrs. Hunter Marshall, of Lynchburg, Va.

"Wall Street Items."

Grifton, N. C., Feb. 12, 1911.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Causey have moved in their new residence on Wall street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stokes expect to move in their new house sometime during this month.

Mrs. R. E. Stokes and daughter, Miss Annie, went to Ayden Friday.

J. G. Fornes and B. H. Stokes made a flying trip to Winterville Friday.

Mr. E. W. Causey killed hogs Thursday.

Mrs. Bettie Mills, from near Cattail church, has moved to Fairmont.

Mr. O. M. Causey is all smiles—it is a fine boy.

Miss Etta Wooten is on the sick list.

Mrs. Charles Dudley and children have been very sick with measles.

Mrs. J. G. Fornes and Mrs. L. C. Stokes spent Saturday with Mrs. O. M. Causey.

Miss Sallie Causey, who is teaching near Cattail, spent Sunday with her mother on Wall street.

Miss Corrie May of Black Jack, and Mr. Claude Edwards were the guest of Miss Annie Stokes Friday.

Prisoner Commits Suicide.

By Wire to The Reflector.
Indiana, Pa., Feb. 15.—Making a score from strips torn from his blankets and fastening one end of the improvised rope to the top of his cell, John McCombs, a wife murderer, committed suicide today.

WITH MRS. B. W. MOSELEY.

Entertains at Valentine Reception Tuesday Afternoon.

Mrs. Bennett W. Moseley entertained most charmingly at a Valentine reception, Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Hunter Marshall, of Lynchburg, Va., and Mrs. George B. W. Hadley. The reception was to welcome to her home town, Mrs. Hadley, who for several years has lived in LaGrange, but who has lately returned to Greenville, again to live among her girlhood friends.

Receiving in the hall were Mrs. L. C. Arthur and Mrs. E. B. Ficklen. Introducing the guests to the receiving line were Mrs. Charles Laughinghouse and Mrs. R. W. King. In the receiving line with Mrs. Moseley were Mrs. George Hadley, Mrs. Hunter Marshall and Mrs. T. M. Meade, of Danville, Va.

Mrs. W. H. Dall and Mrs. T. E. Hooker received the guests at the library door, directing them to the tea table presided over by Mrs. J. G. Moye and Mrs. M. H. Quinerly.

Mrs. Charles Forbes and Mrs. J. L. Hassell then invited the callers into the dining room where they were served a dainty ice course by Mesdames E. A. Moye, Jr., R. J. Cobb, Albion Dunn, J. A. Andrews, C. S. Carr, R. O. Jeffries and Miss Ruth Gordon, of Chatham, Va.

On leaving the dining room the guests were greeted cordially by Mrs. J. L. Wooten and Mrs. H. A. White.

Little Miss Francis Moseley, the daughter of the house, assisted by her little friend, Miss Alice Lee Hooker received the cards of the many guests, about a hundred having called to do honor to Mrs. Moseley and her guests.

The home was very beautiful with its radiant lights, and myriad scarlet hearts. Pan Cupid was found slyly drawing his bow from the midst of a clump of ferns on the table in the dining room. In every nook were fresh green things and trailing vines, where softly shaded lights shed their glow on the lovely faces and gorgeous raiment of the women who thronged the house and made it echo with their soft laughter.

Greenville society is delighted to welcome to its ranks Mrs. Hadley, who as Miss Bruce Forbes was one of our most charming and popular girls.

Scotland Neck Items.

Scotland Neck, N. C., Feb. 14, 1911. Editor Reflector:

I have been here just two weeks today, will give you a few items, thinking it may be of some interest, to some of your readers at least.

I have learned some things since I've been here that I think ought to put the farmers to thinking.

Mr. Noah Biggs raised one hundred barrels of corn on a plot of three acres of land and he sells this improved corn at one dollar per peck and gives one-half of the proceeds to the orphanage at Thomasville.

Mr. Frank Thiery has three cows from which he gets ten gallons of milk per day. Have not learned how much butter he gets from them.

It is said that there have been more horses bought here and taken out to the farms in the surrounding county than in many seasons.

Hard Organ and Monkey.

A hand organ grinder with a monkey amuse struck town today. These visitors have been rare of late years. The monkey wore long pants and shoes, hence for some of our citizens there was a fellow feeling.

Never run into debt without you see plainly a way to get out again. Learn a little every day, and then proceed to forget the most of it.

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Most concerts are all right, if there are not cats in them.

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VALENTINE ANNOUNCEMENT

Miss Hennie Whichard Entertains Honor of Miss Lillian Burch.

On Tuesday evening Miss Hennie Whichard entertained her young lady friends at a Valentine party, honor of Miss Lillian Burch.

The home throughout was decorated in keeping with the Valentine season, cupids and hearts being evidence everywhere, while here and there hearts pierced with arrows warned the guests that a surprise was in store for them.

In the hall, the color being red, the guests were welcomed by the hostess and guest of honor. Passed into the parlor, which was in pink and white, was served by Misses Lizzy Jones and Hennie Ragsdale.

They were then invited by Miss Ward Moore and Lucille Cobb into the living room, which was also pink, where the game of the evening was progressive heart dice, there being five tables of players. Miss L. C. Jones making the highest score.

She was awarded the prize, a heart-shaped box filled with bonbons. Then then beauty lends such a festive touch to the table; the scarlet berries set high in dainty dishes make a beautiful contrast with the silver and snowy linen. The girls may ask for cream with his, they are entirely satisfactory to with nothing more than a generous sprinkling of sugar.

Now, if your garden has no strawberry bed, please for the sake of the fire, if for no other reason, plant right away. The best varieties can be obtained at small cost; they will be reset every other year, as do best the second season.

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two, three, four—four days since I have visited us with his benevolent rays—how we miss the glad shine with its genial warmth.

Let us study how to manage our household with the least labor. I think we may lighten our burden materially by judicious planning. This cost us nothing but a little turn-of-things around and moving them over together.

In exchange of ideas on this subject would be beneficial and interesting. I remember well how much I was troubled in trying to roll out crust, I just could not make it until one day speaking to my mother about it, she said, "turn your feet over frequently." In those few words lay the secret of making pie rolling a pleasure.

Enigma of Five Letters and Two Syllables.

1st is in ceiling but not in floor. 2nd in hinge but not in door. 3rd in rich but not in poor. 4th in fen but not in moor. 5th in barn but not in store. The whole is a country and article of its manufacture not extended elsewhere.

Charade of Three Syllables.

1st a pronoun you will see, 2nd an adverb of simple degree, 3rd a noun whose grains are gold.

Entire an animal in heraldry old.

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1st and last alike you see, 2nd a word we all revere, 3rd every heart she is most dear.

1st a transitive verb also we know, 2nd last is part of a foot we find, 3rd a noun 'oh yes, but never mind, what call you these syllables three?

MISS NELLIE BARNHILL
Winner of the Fourth Prize.

OUR HOME DEPARTMENT BY REFLECTOR READERS

Our readers are invited to exchange ideas about home under this department.

Wherries and Other Things About Home.

have just come in from the garden where I have been helping to plant strawberries; this ought to have been done in the fall, but "better late than never" applies very aptly to this particular branch of gardening, for of all things in the fruit nothing is better than the strawberry—unsurpassed in flavor, earliest of the fruits in this climate, of culture, and can be prepared in the table with such little trouble, then beauty lends such a festive touch to the table; the scarlet berries set high in dainty dishes make a beautiful contrast with the silver and snowy linen. The girls may ask for cream with his, they are entirely satisfactory to with nothing more than a generous sprinkling of sugar.

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JUDGES ANNOUNCE THE WINNERS

LAST HOURS OF CONTEST VERY BUSY ONES

LOSERS CONGRATULATING WINNERS

Judges Committee Composed of Mr. C. S. Carr, Chairman; Mr. S. T. White, and Attorney F. C. Harding, Make Official Announcement of Result After Carefully Checking the Votes Won by Each Contestant.

The task of tabulating and counting the votes in The Reflector's contest has been finished, and the following is a list of the prize winners: First grand prize, Miss Faye E. Corey, one \$100.00 piano.

Second grand prize, Miss Roland Jenkins, one full year's course in East Carolina Teachers' Training School.

Miss Nellie Barnhill one Buffet, Miss Lelia Stokes one traveling trunk.

The winner of the grand prize had gentlemen is assurance of their personal honor and integrity. They are well known and highly esteemed by their business associates, and by all with whom they come in contact with.

When sunning up the amount of work done during the ten weeks of the contest it is tremendous. It is in keeping with the prize list, and with The Reflector's determination to make the contest a great success. The most striking feature is the very large number of new subscriptions added to the list, and the new territory entered which had not heretofore been covered by The Reflector.

The winners may well feel proud of the fact that they have won a magnificent race, and have come out with the honor of having outdone workers who themselves have done exceedingly well, and who under ordinary circumstances would have had enough votes to win.

One feature of the contest that we do not like is that every one could not win a prize, but we feel that those that did not win did their duty and have nothing to blame themselves for.

MISS FAYE E. COREY
1,225 votes; the second grand prize 1,225 votes; the next prize 1,225 votes; and the next prize 717,500 votes.

The committee of judges, consisting of Messrs. C. S. Carr, S. T. White, and F. C. Harding, had a large amount of work to perform in connection with the contest and they did it in a splendid manner. The Reflector Company and the Contest Manager appreciates very much the assistance of these capable and efficient gentlemen in the capacity of judges.

In checking over and adding the certificates that represented the votes, the greatest care was used. Each little slip was handled as though it was a \$1,000 bill. The certificates were first assorted by names of contestants and then each contestant's votes were tabulated on an adding machine. No more care is put into compilation of a bank statement, than was exercised by the judges, and it may be safely said that each contestant got exactly what was due them for the work done.

The successful contestants are named today as the result of the official count of the prominent gentlemen who acted as judges and who had no concern in the contest other than to accept the invitation of the management to make a thorough and complete canvass of the votes. The mere mention of the names of these

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MISS ROLAND JENKINS



MISS FAYE E. COREY



MISS LELIA STOKES

Card From Miss Stokes.

Editor Reflector:

Please permit me through your paper to return thanks to all my friends who aided me in your recent subscription contest. I wish also to thank The Reflector for the gold watch and trunk which were awarded me as prizes. Again thanking each and every one who helped me, and congratulating all the winners in the contest, I am,

Very sincerely,
MISS LELIA STOKES.

PROCEEDINGS OF COMMISSIONERS

LARGE AMOUNT OF BUSINESS AT FEBRUARY MEETING

BORROW \$10,000 TEMPORARILY

Orders Drawn on Treasurer for Sunday Purposes—Fees Collected by Officers—Elections Ordered in Two School Districts—Other Matters of Minor Importance.

The board of county commissioners met in monthly session on Monday, 6th, all the members being present. Orders in the following aggregate sums were drawn on the treasurer: For paupers, \$225.50; county superintendent of health \$25; county...

Some exemptions from smallpox were made and also corrections in taxes erroneously charged. Oliver Wade was placed on the pauper list for two months. Tama Bullock and Henry Wooten were placed on pauper list to receive \$1.50 each per month.

Stray Taken Up. I have taken up one heifer, color light brown with white spots on body and forehead, unmarked. Been with my stock about 3 months. Owners can get same by identifying and paying charges.

IT IS RIGHT TO OBSERVE THE SABBATH

This Was Emphasized at The Men's Prayer League Sunday.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Men's Prayer League in the Methodist church, Sunday afternoon. In the absence of both the president and vice president, the meeting was conducted by D. J. Whichard.

The subject for discussion was "Sabbath Observance," and the talks by the leaders, Messrs. E. G. Flanagan and Harry White, were splendid. Mr. F. M. Wooten was appointed as one of the leaders on this subject, but was sick and got Prof. H. B. Smith to take his place, and the latter also made a fine talk.

The meeting next Sunday afternoon will be held in the Presbyterian church. Subject, "Obedience—Its Reward." Text, II Kings 5:1-14 and I Sam. 15:22. Leaders, Messrs. S. F. Litton, K. W. Cobb and Z. T. Broughton.

New North Carolina Industries.

For the week ending 8th, the Chattanooga Tradesman reports the following new industries for North Carolina:

- Concord—\$100,000 realty company. Charlotte—\$100,000 lumber company; \$10,000 realty company. Durham—\$10,000 realty company. Elizabethtown—\$10,000 telephone company. Greensboro—\$50,000 quarries; \$25,000 lumber company. Gastonia—Realty company. Henderson—\$25,000 vehicle company; \$25,000 manufacturing company. Kenly—(R. D. Pinkney)—\$20,000 hardware company. Lexington—\$125,000 cotton mills company. Mt. Airy—\$10,000 drug company. Raleigh—Construction company. Statesville—\$50,000 furniture company. Thomasville—\$25,000 hardware company. Wilkesboro—\$25,000 realty company. Washington—\$25,000 lumber company.

The Newspapers.

Of the newspapers of the State the Wilmington Star truthfully says: "The press of North Carolina is doing more for the State than it ever did. The newspapers are doing more for our cities and towns than at any other period in the history of the State. The press all over North Carolina is alive and from the seashore to the mountains is emphasizing the resources and advantages of North Carolina. These resources and advantages are recognized as they never have been and the editors believe in them and are proclaiming them. The best thing North Carolina can do to make progress is to support the papers which have waked up."

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and dealer in odd parts of harness, leather and shoe findings. NEXT TO EXPRESS OFFICE Greenville, N. C.

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Apologize to The Standard Oil Co.

Counsel for the Standard Oil Company, which recently began damage suits for \$250,000 against Hampton's Magazine as publisher, and \$100,000 against Cleveland Moffit, the writer of an alleged defamatory statement concerning the Standard Oil Company, today received written retractions from the publisher and the writer.

The article in question said the Standard Oil Company manufactured and sold impure materials which went into the candies and that when the various dealers were arrested and fined, the Standard Oil Company paid the fines.

"Upon investigation" writes Mr. Moffitt in a letter given out today, I have ascertained that your company was in no way connected with the transactions referred to, and I hasten to retract in the fullest manner all charges made against your company and to express my sincere regret that I should have fallen into this serious error."

Another letter from Benjamin B. Hampton, president of the Broadway Magazine Company, incorporated, publishers of Hampton, express regret that the apparently erroneous statements had been made and agree to publish a full retraction in the next number of the magazine.—Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch.

Incompatible.

The weekly lesson in Sunday school dealt with the corrupting influence of luxury and worldiness, and the golden text was a well known sentence that the superintendent wished all the children to remember.

It sounded like an easy text to learn, and the superintendent, mounting the platform for a final review of the lesson when the school assembled for closing exercises, was sure of a pleasing response from his pupils.

"Who," he began, "can repeat the golden text?"

A score of hands were raised and the superintendent chose a little girl with blue eyes, a well-bred, well-behaved little girl from a well-to-do and particular family, to repeat the text for him.

"Well, Dorothy," he said, "you may tell it to us. Stand up so we can all hear you."

"You cannot," she said distinctly—"you cannot serve God and Mamma." —St. Paul Dispatch.

N. S. Schedules ROUTE OF THE NIGHT EXPRESS

Schedule in effect December N. B.—The following schedules published as information and are not guaranteed.

TRAINS LEAVE GREENVILLE Eastbound.

- 1.09 a. m., daily, Night Expressman Sleeping Car for Norfolk. 1.40 a. m., daily, for Norfolk and New Bern and Norfolk, connect all points north and west. 6.30 p. m., daily except Sunday Washington.

Westbound.

- 3.25 a. m., daily for Wilson and eight, connects north, south and west. 7.51 a. m., daily except Sunday, Wilson and Raleigh, connect all points. 4.56 p. m., daily, for Wilson and eight.

For further information and valuation of sleeping car space, apply J. L. HASSELL, Agent, Greenville, N. C.

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S. A. L Account

MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION FEBRUARY 28-29, 1911.

Account of the above celebration the Seaboard Air Line Railway sell exceedingly low round tickets to the above named points from all points on its line.

Tickets Will be on Sale Feb. 27th, and Limited to Return March 11th.

Upon payment of \$1.00 to Special Agent, located in St. Charles Building, New Orleans, tickets be extended until March 26th.

Those holding round-trip tickets to New Orleans account of Mardi Gras will be sold round trip rates from New Orleans to any in Texas or Louisiana.

For rates from your station, apply to your local agent, or address undersigned.

H. S. LEARD, Division Passenger Agent, RALEIGH, N. C.

A. C. L FLORIDA—CUBA

Why not take a trip to FLORIDA or CUBA? They have been brought within easy reach of the splendor through train service of the ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD.

Write for booklets, rates or other information, which will cheerfully be furnished.

T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent, WILMINGTON, N. C.

Legal Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having duly qualified before the Superior court clerk of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of Penelope Hathaway, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are notified that they must present the same to the undersigned for payment on or before the 17th day of January, 1912, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 17th day of January, 1911. F. C. HARDING, Attorney. ABNER EASON, Adm. of Penelope Hathaway

MORTGAGE SALE

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by William L. Jones and wife Bettie L. Jones, to J. G. Williams, on the 30th day of October, 1909, as appears of record in book B-9, page 455 of the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, the undersigned will expose for sale for cash before the Court house door in Greenville, N. C., on Saturday the 18th day of February, 1911, the following described tract of land, to wit:

"A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, and described as follows: In Tar River Township, North side of Tar River adjoining the lands of J. B. Fleming and others, and known as a part of the Shivers land containing 22 acres more or less, and bounded on the South by the Greenville and Bethel road, on the West by Billy Mooring's and North by Billy Whichard; East by Ed Jones' land."

A. M. MOSELEY, Assignee, of J. C. Williams.

NOTICE.

North Carolina.—Pitt County. In the Superior Court. Helen Tyson vs. George Tyson.

The defendant above-named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt County, to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior court of Pitt county, to be held on the 2nd Monday after the first Monday of March, 1911, at the court house of said county, in Greenville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 20th day of Jan., 1911. D. C. MOORE, Clerk Superior Court.

Julius Brown, Atty for plaintiff.

Reduction Sale of Stock of Jewelry.

Notice is hereby given to the public generally, that beginning on Wednesday, the first day of February, 1911, W. S. Atkins, trustee, will close out at cost and at greatly reduced prices, all of the entire stock of jewelry, and 5 and 10c goods formerly owned by C. E. Bradley, in Greenville, N. C. This sale will begin on Wednesday, February 1st, and continue for 30 days.

This stock contains a full line of sterling and plated silverware, china and cut glass; a full line of musical goods; a large number of solid gold rings and a large assortment of other jewelry, both solid and filled goods, ordinarily carried in a jewelry stock.

This will be a cash sale but prices will be greatly reduced, and the public generally are requested to call and take advantage of the wonderful bargains offered.

W. S. ATKINS, Trustee.

Mr. Mattland Boyd Dead.

Mr. Mattland Boyd died this afternoon in West Greenville, after an illness of ten days with pneumonia. He was 30 years of age and the youngest son of the late Mr. John F. Boyd. He is survived by three brothers and four sisters. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the service being held in the Episcopal church.

—The Daily Reflector, the 9th.

NOTICE OF DISOLUTION.

J. M. Reuss having sold his entire interest in the firm of J. M. Reuss & Company heretofore existing in the Town of Greenville, N. C. to John E. Williams, the firm of J. M. Reuss & Company is hereby dissolved by mutual consent from and after this date. In the firm of dissolution the said John E. Williams takes all the accounts and assumes all the liabilities of the said J. M. Reuss & Company. All persons owing said firm will, therefore, make payment to said John E. Williams and all persons having claims against the said firm having claims against the said firm present them to said John E. Williams for payment.

Witness our hands and signatures, this the 27th day of January 1911. J. M. REUSS JNO. E. WILLIAMS

I having purchased the interest of J. M. Reuss in the firm of J. M. Reuss & Company will continue the business at the same place, and shall be glad to have the patronage of the former firm favor me with a continuance of their patronage.

This the 27th day of January 1911. JNO. E. WILLIAMS Having sold my entire interest in the firm of J. M. Reuss & Company to John E. Williams he will continue the business in the name of John E. Williams at the same old stand, and I take pleasure in commending him to the favor and patronage of the public.

This the 27th day of January 1911. J. M. REUSS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

I, Jennie McLawhorn, having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of J. R. McLawhorn, deceased, do hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement with me, and notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate, to file their said claims with the undersigned within 12 months from date hereof, or this notice will be plead bar of their recovery.

This the 24th day of January 1911. JENNIE McLAWHORN Administratrix of the Estate of J. R. McLAWHORN, Deceased F. C. HARDING, Atty.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed and delivered by Edward Adams and wife, Lydia Adams, to R. W. King, on the 4th day of March, 1910, and duly recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, North Carolina, in Book D-9, page 577, the undersigned will expose to public sale, before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 4th day of March, 1911, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina, and described as follows, to-wit:

Situate in Contentnea township, adjoining the lands of Alonzo Moseley, Alfred McLawhorn, Henry McLawhorn and others, containing twenty acres, more or less, and being the land sold to said Adams by Pennell Nelson to satisfy said mortgage deed. Terms of sale, cash.

This 31st day of January, 1911. R. W. KING, Mortgagee.

Jervis & Blow, Attys. Mortgagee. 1td 3tw.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of administration upon the estate of I. S. Owens, deceased, having this day been issued to the undersigned by the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to us for payment on or before the 15th day of February, 1912, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to us.

This the 11th day of February, 1911. W. D. OWENS, J. B. GARDNER, Administratrix of the estate of I. S. Owens, deceased.

Jervis & Blow, Attorneys. 1td 5tw

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed and delivered by M. B. M. Butler, Alonzo Cherry, M. S. Harvey, Travis Allen, J. R. Boyd, William Lillie, S. F. Fleming and Willis Clark, trustees of A. M. E. Zion church, of Greenville, N. C., to F. C. Harding, on the 12th day of March, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of register of deeds of Pitt county, in Book P-9, page 82, the undersigned, will, on Saturday, the 11th day of March, 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

Situate in the town of Greenville, North Carolina, on the south side of First street, and on the west side of the lot on said street, known as the Tucker lot, and on the east side of the lot known as the Jonah Latham lot, and being the lot upon which the church building of the A. M. E. Zion church in the town of Greenville is situated, containing 1-4 of an acre, more or less. Also one other lot in said town of Greenville, and being the corner lot upon which the A. M. E. Zion parsonage is built, and adjoining the lot of Boston Boyd on the east and Reed street on the west and containing 1-4 of an acre, more or less.

This sale is made to satisfy the terms of said mortgage deed.

This February 8th, 1911. J. T. ALLEN, Assignee of Mortgage. 1td 3tw

Notice

In compliance with Section 80. of the Rev. laws of 1909, I will attend at the following named times and places, for the purpose of receiving the taxes due from those who are yet delinquent. All persons owing taxes for year of 1910 are urgently requested to meet me and pay the same. I will be at:

- Arthur, Beaver Dam township, Wednesday, March 1st, 1911. Bells X Roads, Belvoir township, Thursday, March 2nd, 1911. Beth I, Bethel township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911. Stokes, Carolina township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911. Crimesland, Chicod township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911. Ayden, Contentnea township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911. Fainville, Fainville township, Tuesday, March 7th, 1911. Falkland, Falkland township, Saturday, March 11th, 1911. Pactolus, Pactolus township, Monday, March 13th, 1911. Gardeners X Roads, Swift Creek township, Tuesday, March 14th, 1911. This February 10th, 1911. L. W. TUCKER, Tax Collector Pitt County.

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator will, on Tuesday, 21st day of February, 1911, sell at public sale, at the residence of the late J. R. McLawhorn, in Contentnea township, Pitt county, all of the personal property of the said J. R. McLawhorn, consisting of hogs, chickens, corn fodder, cotton seed, oats, hay, farming utensils and all other property belonging to the estate of the said J. R. McLawhorn, and continue until all of said property is sold. Terms of sale, cash.

JENNIE McLAWHORN, Adm. of the estate of J. R. McLawhorn. F. C. Harding, Attorney. 1td 3tw

Stray Taken Up.

I have taken up one bull, about three years old, pale red color, marked smooth crop in right ear, split in left ear. Owner can get same by identifying and paying charges.

D. L. HOUSE, R. F. D. No. 1, Stokes, N. C. 1td 3tw

DESCENDANT OF PITT COUNTIANS

Desires to Get in Correspondence with Relatives.

The following letter, recently received by Sheriff S. I. Dudley, was handed to The Reflector for publication that any relatives of the gentleman writing it may be read the letter and correspond with him if they desire:

Aledo, Tex., Feb. 1, 1911.
To the Sheriff of Pitt County, N. C.:
Will you please inform me if there is living in your county at this time any persons by the name of Braxton. If there are, I suppose they are relatives of mine and I would be glad to correspond with them. My father and mother were born and raised in Pitt county. My grandfather Braxton's given name was John, and my grandmother was named Hannah. My father's name was Lucy Braxton. One of his brothers was named Council (or Counce), another was named John, and I think another was Charles. He had one sister who married a man by the name of Luke Lohon or McLohon. There may have been more brothers and sisters, but these are all that I can call to mind now.

My father's first wife and my mother was Elizabeth Parker. There were three children born to that union; the first one named Marion died in infancy, the second, Elbert, lived to be about 12 years old and died in Tennessee, the third and last one was myself, Elias, and I am 66 years old. My mother died in Pitt county in 1846 and my father married a second time in 1848 or '49. His last wife was named Lizzina Tripp, daughter of Arter Tripp, of Pitt county. They moved to Tennessee in 1849 and raised six children, all of whom are living there, except one who is living in Texas.

My father has been dead near 25 years. My grandfather Parker, I think, lived and died in Pitt county. My mother had two brothers and two sisters that I can remember, the brothers being Frank and James Parker, the sisters Sylva, who married Simon Hamilton and Rachael, who married a man by the name of Jesse Braxton. They moved to Tennessee in an early day.

If you can place this letter in the hands of any of my relatives you will confer a very great favor upon me, and I will be glad if they will write to me immediately.

Yours truly,

ELIAS BRAXTON.

(As Braxton is a very familiar name in this county, and many people by that name are still living, we suppose relatives of the writer of the above letter will be easily found.—Ed.)

ANNIVERSARY OF THE MAINE.

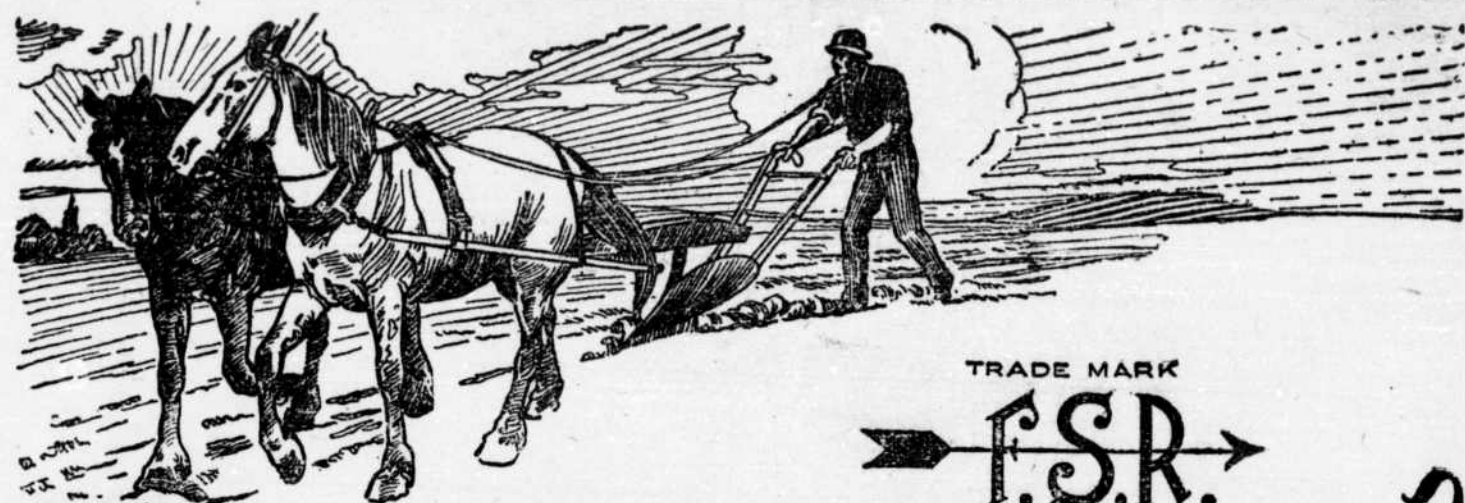
Patriotic Americans Decorate The Wreckage With Colors.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Havana, Cuba, Feb. 15.—This is the thirteenth anniversary of the blowing up of the battleship Maine and the occasion was commemorated today by a party of patriotic Americans who draped the exposed portions of the wreck in American colors. The work of raising the wreck was temporarily abandoned while the decorations wrapped flags over the wreckage.

Never speak evil of one. Be just before you are generous.

Avoid temptation through fear you might not withstand it.



TRADE MARK
F.S.R.
REGISTERED.

The Origin of Royster Fertilizers.

Mr. Royster believed that success awaited the Manufacturer of Fertilizers who would place quality above other considerations. This was Mr. Royster's idea Twenty-seven years ago and this is his idea to-day; the result has been that it requires Eight Factories to supply the demand for Royster Fertilizers.

F. S. ROYSTER GUANO COMPANY,

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MACON, GA. COLUMBUS, GA. MONTGOMERY, ALA. BALTIMORE, MD.

A BUSY FARMER.

One Who Does Work Six Days in the Week.

Ayden, N. C., Feb. 14, 1911.

To the Editor:

Thank you for your good opinion, but I expect you have misjudged me. I don't think I could write anything that would interest any one, and if there is one thing that I do poorer than anything else it is writing. I can do the spelling O. K. In fact, I have no time to write, as I work every day, except Sunday, as regular as the clock ticks. I boast that I can do more work of a light nature than any white man in my, or your, county. Pretty broad claim, but I can do it, taking age, etc., into account.

When night comes I want to read as bad as I want to eat, that is, I get as hungry to read as I do for something to eat, so by the time I look over your paper, the Standard Laconic, the News and Observer, the Kinston Free Press, the Progressive Farmer and the Literary Digest, I have gotten sleepy and hunt the bed. Am up next morning by 5 o'clock, feeding stock and very often milk my cow by lantern, especially if I am going to the tobacco market.

I reckon I struck the right calling when I decided to follow farming for a living, for I don't mind the sun up to 85 degrees, nor the rain no more than a turtle minds the mud.

I took the initiative in my county when Mr. Grimes was trying to organize the farmers into the Tobacco Growers Association, also the initiative in the Cotton Growers Association, and raised money and sent to headquarters. I am not ashamed of my occupation and don't mind anybody seeing me in my working clothes. You would not know me, Mr. Editor, if you could see a picture of me taken

sometime just as I have been helping to clean out and put down the tobacco flues at the beginning of the curing season.

Now, I will promise to write a short article now and then, but can not write often, as I am always busy.

My cabbage are already up now, and I am working on a garden today and hope to plant it tomorrow. Have a fine patch of rape which I sowed broadcast last October. It is now ready for grazing.

I just write this letter to show you I am a bona fide farmer.

W. A. DARDEN.

Love making is one kind of a cold weather picnic.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

North Carolina,
Pitt County.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed and delivered by W. H. Smith and wife Ada Smith to F. C. Harding, dated 27th day of January, 1908, and duly recorded in the Register's office of Pitt County, in book Z-8, page 100, the undersigned will on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, it being the first day of the March Term of Pitt County Superior Court, expose to public sale before the Court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land, to wit:

Lying and being in Pitt County, North Carolina, in Chicod Township, adjoining the lands of the Beaufort County Lumber Company, the lands of J. B. Smith, the lands of W. L. Smith and Blount Adams, containing 28 acres more or less and being the identical or parcel of land whereon W. H. Smith and wife resided on the 27th day of January, 1908. This sale is made to satisfy the terms of said mortgage deed.

This the 11th day of February, 1911.
L. A. WHITE, Assignee.
F. C. HARDING, Attorney.
11-d 3t-w.

FOR BUSY SHOPPERS

Business Locals—The Reflector Bargain Column.

CLOVER SEED, DIFFERENT KINDS and garden seed—all kind—bulk or in packages. F. V. Johnston. 2 18—2tw.

2,500 BUSHELS OF SEED OATS, Burt or 90 days, apple, rust-proof, turf, black Tartarian, and white sprogue. F. V. Johnston. 2 18—2tw

DON'T BUY STALK CUTTERS AND Disc harrows before seeing J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw

LAWN FENCING FOR SALE BY J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw

NEW STYLES IN HAIR PUFFS AND switches just received. J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw

PURINA SCRATCH FEED MAKES hens lay. For sale by J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw

RED BLISS SEED POTATOES home grown. J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw.

BUY THE NEW VEGETABLE FIRE matting, beautiful patterns and coloring perfect through the entire length. J. R. & J. G. Moye. 2 14 1tw

JUST ARRIVED—CELERY, GRAPE Fruit and oranges, at S. M. Schultz.

SAM FLAKE

Harness Repair Shop

and dealer in odd parts of harness, leather and shoe findings.

NEXT TO EXPRESS OFFICE Greenville, N. C. 11-d 3t-w.

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PITT COUNTY BOY
IN THE NORTH

REAPING SUCCESS IN THE LEGAL PROFESSION

WAS A FORMER REFLECTOR BOY

A Letter From a Former Pitt Countyman That Takes Us Back to Early Days—Home Folks Glad at His Success in the North.

Occasionally there comes some pleasant reminder of the happy past from a friend of the days of youth that is truly refreshing. The editor is in receipt of such a letter from a "chum" of other days, Mr. C. F. Wilson, of Morrinstown, N. J., and while it is written in a personal way, he is so well remembered here that we know many of our readers will be interested in some extracts from it. His letter takes us back to those days in our early business career, now a quarter century gone, when Claude Wilson was one of the Reflector boys, and he, Ed. Harris (then poet on the paper) and the editor spent many happy hours around the "shop" and in the woods on the river together. In the latter 80's Claude drifted away from us, a little later cast his lot in the North where he has risen to great prominence in the legal profession, and his success makes us proud of this former son of Pitt county and one of "our boys."

But no, Claude, "we are not getting old" yet, even though some of the things you write about were a long time ago. True there are furrows gathering in the brow, it takes stronger glasses for us to see how to read, some gray hairs would appear if the "red" did not keep them bid, and there are grown children around the family fireside, things that would ordinarily make a man think he was getting old. But the heart is yet young, and those happy days of the past seem but as yesterday.

This reminiscent mood is about to take us off from the letter, which in part is as follows:

I want to congratulate you upon the neat appearance of your paper and its newness, if I may be permitted to coin a word which seems to fit.

I am prompted to write you by some items in your issue of the 15th. The name of T. F. Christman, who writes from Tuolumne, Cal., seems perfectly familiar, although it is now twenty years since I have been in Greenville except to pass through on the train. I remember "Hen" Blow perfectly, and can see him in my mind's eye as I write. He worked for father in the register of deeds office away back in 1884, while I was serving my apprenticeship with you. And to read about Miss Bruce Forbes' party, (Miss Hadley you say so is) and Will Moore's death in Asheville!

These things certainly bring the old town back to me. Of course it has grown entirely beyond any familiarity I had of it. Water supply, sewers and electric lights! What city airs! And bond issue! How was it ever done? You must have had some cheerful funerals.

Keep up the good roads movement. Money cannot be spent for a better public improvement. Morris county, N. J., having a population of about 70,000, and about the area of Pitt, bonded for \$400,000 some eight years ago, against substantial opposition, and protest, to build stone roads. No one now regrets the work. The county now pays about \$30,000 yearly to keep these roads in repairs. It is well worth it, however.

You and I are growing old, aren't we? But we are still trying to do right and live decently I know. I have succeeded up here and our firm is the leader of our bar. I have argued and won some big cases in our court of last resort, and have succeeded in learning a little bit of law and am still learning. Last year I was sent to Texas and the year before to California twice on business, and I am going to argue a case in the Nevada Supreme court in April or May. Just think of it! A Pitt county farmer boy being sent across the continent on a business transaction involving something over \$100,000. Well, it made me smile, I'll confess, but I won out and closed the matter.

WHAT THE LAW
MAKERS ARE DOINGPROCEEDINGS OF THE N. C.
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

ANOTHER NEW COUNTY ASKED FOR

Senate Passes The Cobb Farm-Life School Bill and The State Building Bill—Revenue Bill Again Has Consideration of the House.

Senate—Wednesday.

One of the petitions presented to the senate was from bachelors of Hendersonville protesting against the Ewart bill imposing a tax on dogs, bachelors and justices of the peace. One of the bills ratified was to allow the town of Farmville to issue bonds for improvements.

These were among the new bills introduced:
Lemmond of Union: Extend the time in which practitioners of optometry may register.

Pharr of Mecklenburg: Empower commissioners to reduce taxes of auditorium company, Charlotte.

House—Wednesday.

In the house were more petitions against the sale of near-beer, and also petitions favoring issuing bonds to erect an administration building. The committee on salaries and fees made a favorable report on the senate bill increasing the salary of the governor to \$6,000.

These were among the new bills introduced:
Pethel: To amend the revenue law of 1909.

Privott: To prohibit wearing military uniform for private purposes.
Privott: To amend the military law.

Kelly: To promote the higher education of the blind.
Kelly: For relief of pupils at State Blind School.

Wall: To amend the law of 1907 regulating hours of labor in factories.

Spainhour: To protect innocent deaf, dumb and blind women.
Williams of Buncombe: To define

the crime of vagrancy.
Hofer: To regulate insurance companies.
Spainhour: To make husband and wife jointly liable for support of family.

Williams of Buncombe: To establish Teachers' Training School for Western North Carolina.

Senate—Thursday.

In the senate were many additional petitions asking passage of the law prohibiting the sale of near-beer.

The Roberts divorce bill that had passed the house was given an unfavorable report by the senate committee to which it was referred.

These were among the new bills introduced:

Hobgood of Guilford: For maintenance of State Normal College and to build additional dormitories.

Sikes of Wake: Provide for erecting fire-proof building to house the State library and State records.

Cotten of Pitt: Authorize Bethel school districts to appropriate funds.

House—Thursday.

The house finance committee reported favorably on the bill providing holding an election in Greenville township on the question of issuing \$50,000 bonds for building roads.

The committee on pensions reported favorably on the bill to erect a monument to the women of the Confederacy and Representative J. S. Carr made a stirring speech supporting it.

The committee on public service corporations reported unfavorably the bill reducing fares on three railroads that refuse to build mileage.

The Piedmont county bill came up as a special order, and after lengthy discussion was defeated.

These were among the new bills introduced:

Sikes: To provide additional clerical assistance for the governor.
Mooring: To amend the charter of Bethel.

Kellum: To authorize loan of money on shares by farmers.

Marshall: To provide free textbooks for children attending public schools who are unable to pay for same.

Thorne: To amend the Revised relating to costs of criminal cases in justices of the peace courts.

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