

## NORTH CAROLINA HAPPENINGS

NEWS ITEMS TAKEN FROM OUR  
EXCHANGES TODAY

CONDENSED FOR OUR BUSY READERS

**Suicide Near Bew Bern—Hall Starm**  
at Wilmington—Homocide in Lee  
County—Criminal Assault in Du-  
pkin County—Negro Tries to Kill  
His Family in Concord.

While burning off some old straw  
in a field near Hookerton, last Satur-  
day morning, the clothing of Mrs.  
Mary Heath caught fire and she was  
burned to death, despite the frantic  
efforts of her daughter, who had  
been assisting her in burning the  
straw, to extinguish the flames of  
her mother's burning clothing. The  
daughter herself was badly burned,  
as was a horse who was in the field  
hitched to a plow. The fire burned  
more rapidly than the woman ex-  
pected and caught her in a trap, be-  
fore she was aware of it. Mrs.  
Heath was a widow and an indus-  
trious woman, who was loved and  
respected by her neighbors.—Kinston  
Free Press.

Feeling against J. S. Sugar, the  
Jewish merchant at Snow Hill, who  
was bound over to court under a  
\$500 bond on the charge of arson,  
has undergone a great change, after  
a fuller investigation of the disas-  
trous fire which occurred there last  
week. The weight of public senti-  
ment has acquitted him of any crim-  
inal connection with that fire. In  
chronicling the news, the Free Press  
but stated the facts as they were  
presented. However, the paper takes  
pleasure in giving Mr. Sugar the ben-  
efit of this public statement and  
hopes that a full investigation will  
exonerate him entirely.—Kinston  
Free Press.

Out of a dense, black cloud, which  
swept down upon the city with a  
startling suddenness, yesterday, after  
noon at 6 o'clock, came one of the  
worst hail storms that has visited  
Wilmington and vicinity in ten years,  
in the opinion of many. Except the  
smashing of several skylights, there  
was no damage in the city, but it is  
feared that truck throughout this sec-  
tion has suffered. Information regard-  
ing which was not obtained last night  
on account of the fact that the elec-  
trical storm accompanying the hail  
prevailed until a late hour and those  
having telephones in the country  
were afraid to answer the calls.—Wil-  
mington Star.

Jonesboro, March 14.—The first  
white homicide to occur in Lee county  
since its establishment took place  
three and a half miles east of Jones-  
boro yesterday morning, when Mr. M.  
A. Wood killed Dr. J. C. Cox, by  
striking him across the head with a  
piece of pipe. It seems that they fell  
out over a shop account. Dr. Cox de-  
cided owing the account, and it is al-  
leged that Mr. Wood then struck Dr.  
Cox while sitting on a log at Mr.  
Wood's mill. It is reported that  
there was only one eye witness  
to the killing. Mr. Wood has made  
his escape, though the sheriff and a  
posse of men are in search of him.

Will Cannon, a half-witted negro,  
was arrested yesterday on the farm



## The Origin of Royster Fertilizers.

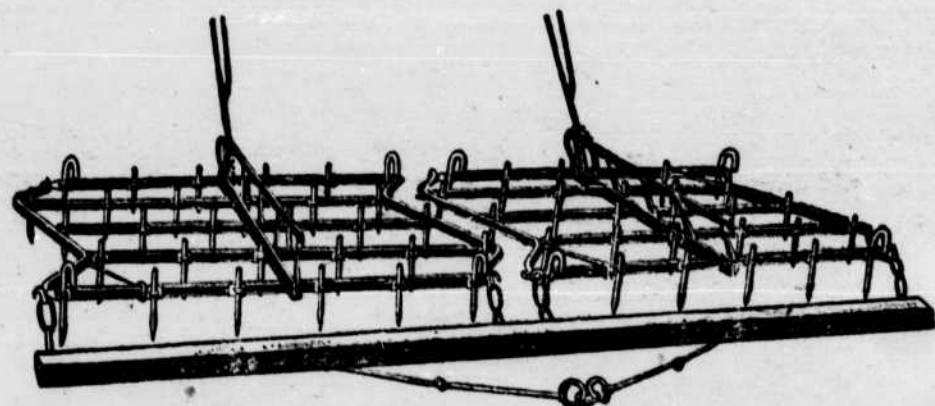
Mr. Royster believed that success awaited the  
Manufacturer of Fertilizers who would place quality  
above other considerations. This was Mr. Royster's  
idea Twenty-seven years ago and this is his idea  
to-day; the result has been that it requires Eight  
Factories to supply the demand for Royster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

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FACTORIES AND SALES OFFICES.  
NORFOLK, VA. TARBORO, N. C. COLUMBIA, S. C. SPARTANBURG, S. C.  
MACON, GA. COLUMBUS, GA. MONTGOMERY, ALA. BALTIMORE, MD.

## DON'T MISS THE BEST

We Sell We Sell



## A Full Line of Farm Machinery

IF THERE IS ANY DOUBT IN YOUR MIND AS TO WHETHER OR  
NOT WE HAVE THE BEST, LET US PROVE OUR POINTS TO  
YOU ON OUR CULTIVATORS, WEEDERS AND ON ALL OUR  
FARM AND GARDEN IMPLEMENTS

*Hart & Hadley*  
EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

of Mr. J. P. Allison, in No. 2 township  
and is now in jail. In a fit of in-  
sanity Saturday night Cannon at-  
tempted to murder his entire family,  
assaulting his step-son with a razor.  
The boy managed to keep away from  
him until he secured a poker and  
knocked Cannon down. The neigh-  
bors came to the rescue and when  
the officers arrived yesterday Can-  
non was bound and tied securely  
with a strong rope. Arrangements

are now being made to place him in  
the asylum at Goldsboro.—Concord  
Tribune.

New Bern, N. C., March 13.—Yester-  
day morning about 9:30 o'clock, Miss  
Mattie Barrington, 18 years old,  
daughter of Jesse Barrington, of Er-  
nuls, a small station on the Norfolk  
Southern railroad, seven miles from  
Newbern, committed suicide by blow-  
ing part of her head off with a double  
barrel shot gun. She went into an

unoccupied room, loaded the gun with  
No. 4 shot, placed it on the floor and  
against her head and then touched  
the trigger. Her health is supposed to  
be the cause of the deed.

SEE J. R. & J. G. MOYE FOR LAWN  
and cemetery fencing. 3 13 17w

UNLOADING NINETY-DAY SEED  
oats. J. R. & J. G. Moye. 3 13 17w



Agriculture is the Most Useful, the Most Healthful, the Most Noble Employment of Man.—George Washington.

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### THERE WILL BE WAR IF THIS THING GOES ON

#### INSURRECTORS INVADE TEXAS

Mexican Detective Seize Arms and  
Ammunition in San Antonio.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Washington, March 22.—The seizure  
of arms and ammunition by alleged  
agents of the Mexican government  
at San Antonio and the invasion of  
Texas by Mexican insurrectors,  
brought the Mexican situation for-  
cibly to the attention of President  
Taft again today. Appeals have  
come from Brewster county, Texas,  
for protection against further inva-  
sions. This and the action of private  
detectives in the employ of the Mex-  
ican government in seizing a munition  
in San Antonio has given the  
situation a serious aspect.

#### Statistics on Tobacco Average.

The legislature voted down the  
measure authorizing the agricultural  
department to collect statistics con-  
cerning the acreage and condition of  
the tobacco crop during the season,  
that the trade might use this infor-  
mation to establish prices, which  
usually, because of lack of infor-  
mation, start low at the opening of the  
market and the small farmer sells  
his crop at a disadvantage.

The cost of gathering this infor-  
mation would be a mere bagatelle  
and, as Mr. O. L. Joyner, a promi-  
nent tobaccoist of Eastern North  
Carolina, who was here yesterday  
suggested, the tax listers could easily  
secure the acreage of last year and  
the present year. Of course the con-  
dition would depend upon the sea-  
son, but with the number of acres,  
which information the above plan  
would certainly reveal, the probable  
yield would be very accurately an-  
nounced before the opening of the  
market.

The Southern Tobacco Journal was  
in favor of the idea to provide some  
way of securing accurate statistics  
as to acreage, etc., if such a plan  
would be adopted throughout the to-  
bacco growing sections, it would be  
of inestimable value to the trade.  
We think Mr. Joyner's plan is a  
good one.—Wilson Times.

### AROUND THE CAMPUS.

East Carolina Teachers' Training  
School Notes.

Supt. Chas. L. Coon, of Wilson  
schools, gives instruction in writing  
at the Training school each Saturday.  
Miss Davis read an excellent paper  
at the March meeting of the Pitt  
County Teachers' Association on  
"The Gathering of Local Historical  
Material."

Mr. Austin of the science depart-  
ment, addressed the Edgecombe  
County Teachers' Association at their  
March meeting.

Dr. Kent, a member of the general  
assembly from Caldwell county, vis-  
ited the school and made an interest-  
ing and helpful talk on the relation  
of the teacher to the health of the  
community.

Mr. Ragsdale spoke to the teach-  
ers of Martin county on March 18th.  
The spring term for teachers open-  
ed March 14th. Almost double the  
number that could be accommodated  
applied for admission.

Mr. F. C. Nye, of Winterville High  
school, on a recent Sunday evening,  
made a most interesting talk to the  
Y. W. C. A., on "Home Missions in  
Eastern North Carolina." He showed  
thorough knowledge of conditions.

Mr. Ragsdale made a talk to the  
Y. W. C. A., on last Sunday evening.

The students have derived a great  
deal of pleasure and profit from se-  
lections from grand opera given by  
the vast singers on a Victor talking  
machine. Only the red seal records  
have been used. Miss Muffy has given  
delightful running comments on the  
singers and operas. She realizes  
the value of bringing the students in  
contact with the best in music.

#### Well Known Here.

The news of the sudden death of  
Mr. W. M. Russ, of Raleigh, which  
occurred last night, caused some sad  
hearts in Greenville where he was  
well known and had a host of friends.  
He married a Greenville lady, Miss  
Henrietta Williams, and all hearts  
go out to her and the children in their  
great sorrow.

The best treatise that can be writ-  
ten on how to manage a husband is  
a good cookbook.

### SCENES OF DISORDER IN ITALIAN COURT

#### PRISONERS ATTEMPTED ESCAPE

Soldiers Called Into Court to Quell  
and Restore Order.

Viterbo, Italy, March 22.—Rioting  
caused by opposing lawyers during  
the Camorrist trial today caused a  
hasty adjournment of the case and  
soldiers were called in to clear the  
court room. The Carabinieri guard  
found themselves unable to cope with  
the situation and a company of reg-  
ular infantry was compelled to bat-  
tle the contestants into submission.  
The prisoners attempted to escape  
from the cage but were finally whip-  
ped. A riot was precipitated when  
Cavalier Santo, crown advocate, made  
a motion to place the gold ring men-  
tioned in Salvis testimony in evidence.  
No sooner had the motion been made  
than opposing counsel began hurling  
taunts and insults at the lawyer rep-  
resenting Gennaro Abeternaggo, the  
betrayer of Camorra. The court  
tried in vain to restore order, spec-  
tators joining in the tumult. Cam-  
orrista battered the door of the  
cage, attempting to force the lock,  
but were beaten back by Carabinieri.  
Finally soldiers were called in and  
order restored. The judge then sus-  
pended court and reprimanded the  
lawyers.

#### CABINET MEETING.

#### Reciprocity, Mexican Situation and Tariff Discussed.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Washington, March 22.—The cabi-  
net met today for the first time since  
the president went on his Southern  
trip. Reciprocity with Canada, the  
Mexican situation and the tariff  
commission were considered. His  
message to the special session of  
congress was gone over in detail. It  
is understood the message will deal  
only with reciprocity and the tariff  
commission.

When slander is denied is the time  
it really gets busy.

Just how far does the kitchen  
range?

### FARM LIFE SCHOOL LAW.

With Explanation of Its Workings Be-  
ing Issued in Booklets.

The county farm life law and ex-  
planations by State Superintendent of  
Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, is  
just issued from the state depart-  
ment of education and is being dis-  
tributed into every county in the  
state with a view to stirring up move-  
ments for the establishment of such  
schools which are especially de-  
signed to prepare boys for agricul-  
tural pursuits and girls for home  
making and house keeping on the  
farm; conduct agricultural and farm  
demonstration work and demonstra-  
tion and extension work for the ad-  
vancement of farm life conditions in  
the localities, this to be done in co-  
operation with the state and national  
departments of agriculture, with  
meetings for the farmers and farm-  
ers' wives and daughters at the  
school from time to time. Only ten  
of these schools can be established  
with state aid any one year. The lo-  
cality securing one must issue \$25,-  
000 bonds for the school plant and  
\$2,500 annually toward maintenance.  
Then the state adds \$2,500 annually  
toward support. The indications are  
that there will be a rush by a number  
of enterprising counties for the ten  
schools which will be available for  
this year.

#### Good Corn Yield.

Floyd Gayer, the Oklahoma boy  
who won a trip to Washington by  
growing 95 bushels of corn to the  
acre, says he did it as follows: "Broke  
land in November 12 inches deep.  
Harrowed land thoroughly, planted  
it in rows three feet apart and 14 in-  
ches in the drill. Cultivated it on the  
level; used harrow and cultivator  
very freely. Cultivated it seven times;  
worked late in season in order to  
hold moisture. Had very dry weather.  
Carried water and put it on corn to  
keep it from suffering."—The Sun,  
Baltimore.

#### Small Fire.

This afternoon a house belonging  
to Sam Humphrey, near the corner  
of Evans and First streets, caught  
fire in the roof. It was put out with-  
out any damage of consequence.



## SCHOOL CHILDREN WORKING FOR MONUMENT

### CAPT. BERRY HAS FINE OATS.

Ayden is a Go-Ahead Town With Progressive Business Men.

While in Ayden Wednesday afternoon, Capt. Berry showed us some oats ahead of anything reported this season. Capt. Berry has six acres in oats that will average about 10 inches high, and the field is a pretty scene.

If other public schools of Pitt county are taking as much interest in the Confederate monument to be erected in Greenville as the graded school of Ayden is taking, it is not going to take long to raise the fund. As soon as school was over Wednesday afternoon a large number of the pupils went out canvassing for pennies to fill the monument contribution ships which each had. They were hustling, too.

Ayden is keeping up that go ahead spirit characteristic of the town. The town has some substantial business men and they are enterprising. We could not help noticing that those whose names most frequently mentioned in the Ayden department of The Reflector had the most customers about their places, which is good evidence that printers' ink pays.

Drummers evidently regard Ayden as a good town by the numbers who stop there. We saw two trains arrive, and out of each a number of the traveling men poured out. A business man told us that he had a call from a drummer about every 10 minutes.

### WOMEN'S BEAUTY.

#### Imperfect Digestion Causes Bad Complexion and Dull Eyes.

The color in your cheeks won't fade, the brightness in your eyes won't vanish, if you keep your stomach in good condition.

Belching of gas; heaviness, sour taste in mouth, dizziness, biliousness and nausea occur simply because the stomach is not properly digesting the food.

MI-O-NA stomach tablets give instant relief to upset stomachs, but they do more, they put strength into the stomach and build it up so that it can easily digest a hearty meal.

"I had stomach trouble for 6 years—for days at a time I could eat nothing at all. After taking MI-O-NA treatment I am in perfect health and can eat anything."—E. M. Campbell, 1200 S. Prospect, Sedalia, Mo.

MI-O-NA is sold by Coward & Wooten, and druggists everywhere, at 50 cents a large box. It is guaranteed to cure indigestion, and all stomach distress, or money back.

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### New Spring Suits.

Frank Wilson, the king clothier, announces today that his high grade lines of new spring suits are arriving daily, and extends to all an invitation to call and see them. The new modes for spring are very handsome and stylish and are made up in all the new colors and patterns in cashmeres, chevrons, worsteds and legens.

Our prices are reasonable and we guarantee satisfaction with every garment or your money refunded.

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FRANK WILSON.

### Cures Colds, Coughs and Catarrh.

If you, dear reader, could spend an hour looking over a few of the thousands of testimonials that we have on file, you would not go on suffering from catarrh, that disgusting disease that will surely sap your vitality and weaken your entire system if allowed to continue.

You would have just as much faith in HYOMEI as we have, and we have so much confidence in its wonderful curative virtue that it is sold the country over under a positive guarantee to cure catarrh, croup, sore throat, coughs and colds or money back.

No stomach dosing when you breathe HYOMEI. Just pour a few drops of the liquid into the inhaler, and breathe it in.

It is mighty pleasant to use; it opens up those stuffed-up nostrils in two minutes and makes your head feel as clear as a bell in a short time.

Breathe HYOMEI and kill the catarrh germs. It's the only way to cure catarrh. It's the only way to get rid of that constant hawking, snuffing and spitting.

A complete HYOMEI outfit, which includes a bottle of HYOMEI and a hard rubber pocket inhaler, costs \$1. If you already own a Hyomei inhaler you can get an extra bottle of HYOMEI for 50 cents. Sold by Coward & Wooten.

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### Don't Kill Robins.

It is against the law to shoot robins. There was a time when it was not, but in those days so many of these beautiful and valuable birds were killed, it looked as though they might be wiped out by the wholesale slaughter. Just now the robins are here in great numbers. Many of them will locate in Spartanburg for the summer, while others will go farther north to spend the season. They are beautiful, harmless birds and any community in which they locate and build their nests is fortunate. Don't let the boys kill them—we know the temptation it is to be a healthy sport loving boy—but the birds in this country are entirely too scarce to be made a sacrifice just for the sport of killing them.—Spartanburg Herald.

### New North Carolina Industries.

For the week ending the 15th, the Chattanooga Tradesman reports the following new industries established in North Carolina:

Greensboro—\$125,000 boiler and machine works.

Morehead City—\$25,000 hospital company.

Mt. Pleasant—\$10,000 knitting mills

Oxford—\$25,000 construction company.

Wilmington—\$10,000 motor car company.

Winston-Salem—\$50,000 development company; supply and construction company.

### Said Something.

The Greenville Reflector says that "when a man feels that one day in his home town is worth two days anywhere else, he is getting his attachment on right." Brother Whichard said something that time that is as true as holy writ, and as inspiring.—Durham Sun.

He is a wise dentist who can quiet his wife's jaw.

Instead of hoping for the best, get busy and hustle for it.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## THE BANK OF FARMVILLE

FARMVILLE, N. C.

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

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$ 32,071.22	Capital stock paid in.....\$ 16,500.00
Overdrafts..... 371.61	Surplus fund..... 4,125.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures..... 1,785.35	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid..... 2,455.15
Due from banks and bankers..... 30,255.32	Time certificates of deposit..... 15,244.01
Cash items..... 889.20	Deposits subject to check..... 91,763.05
Gold coin..... 900.00	Cashier's checks outstanding..... 25.03
Silver coin, including all minor currency..... 777.54	Certified checks..... 7.00
National bank notes and other U. S. notes..... 3,069.00	
Total.....\$ 130,119.24	Total.....\$ 130,119.24

State of North Carolina—County of Pitt, ss:

I, J. R. Davis, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. DAVIS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

W. M. LANG,

W. J. TURNAGE,

R. L. DAVIS,

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of March, 1911.

(My commission expires July 3, 1911).

J. A. MEWBORN,  
Notary Public.



## East Carolina Teachers' Training School Greenville, N. C.

### Spring and Summer Courses for Teachers

1911 Spring Term, March 14th to May 20th—ten weeks. Summer Term, June 8th to July 29th—eight weeks.

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FIVE POINTS, GREENVILLE, N. C.

## C. T. MUNFORD'S BIG STORE HOME FOR EVERYBODY

### THE COTTON MILLS.

#### Why Bulk of Them are in The Carolinas.

The New Orleans Picayune cannot understand why the bulk of the cotton mill business of the South is confined to the two Carolinas and Georgia, or why Georgia, in the way of cotton spinning, is so far behind the two Carolinas. The Picayune prints a table showing the increase in spindleage since 1840, when North Carolina had 47,934, now 3,374,917; when South Carolina had 16,336, now 4,064,320, and when Georgia had 42,559, now 1,972,833. Analyzing the figures, The Picayune says they show that in 1840 Georgia had 19 textile mills with 42,559 spindles; South Carolina 15 mills with 16,335 spindles and North Carolina 25 mills, with 47,934 spindles.

In 1860, just before the outbreak of the war, Georgia had 3 mills with 85,186 spindles; North Carolina 39 mills with 41,884 spindles and South Carolina 17 mills with 20,890 spindles. In the twenty years between 1840 and 1860, in which the Southern textile industry made quite notable progress, the rate of increase in the number of mills in Georgia was greater than the rate either in North Carolina or South Carolina, and the number of Georgia spindles was more than doubled, and in 1860 was greater by about 14,000 than the aggregate number in the other two states. In 1880 when the textile industry had begun to revive, the forty mills in Georgia had about 24,000 more spindles than the sixty-three mills in the two Carolinas. In the next twenty years there was a decided change in the relative positions of the three states. With the Georgia mills increasing in number from 28 to 63, the South Carolina mills increased from 14 to 80 and the North Carolina mills from 49 to 177 in number. There was a far greater increase proportionately in the number of spindles, bringing the aggregate total in North Carolina and South Carolina to 2,564,781, while the increase in Georgia was only to 817,345. The year 1910 found Georgia with 157 mills, having 1,972,833 spindles, or an average of 12,566 to the mill; South Carolina with 135 mills and 4,064,320 spindles, or an average of 21,930, and North Carolina with 331 mills and 3,374,917 spindles or an average of 10,169 spindles to the mill. It shows that much interest is being taken in the subject of Southern cotton spinning when the three leading Southern states in that industry make it a matter of discussion, but the question might be asked with vastly more property, why it is that such other cotton states as Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas have so few cotton spindles at work, they having only hundreds of thousands, where the three first states mentioned have millions.

In explanation of this "mystery" as the Picayune calls it, some think there "is not in the Gulf states the population of women and girls available for cotton mills, whereas, the Atlantic states have." Some others believe that our people are not as willing to invest their money in manufacturing as are those of other states. The truth is the big planters of the lower cotton belt states have not yet waked to the possibilities of cotton manufactures. They are too content to plod along in the old ways and do not yet realize how far the world has left them.—Charlotte Chronicle.

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### CRYING FOR HELP.

#### Lots of It in Greenville, But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys cry for help. Not an organ in the whole body so delicately constructed. Not one so important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the first indications of kidney trouble.

It is the kidney's cry for help. Heed it.

Doan's Kidney Pills are what is wanted.

Are just what overworked kidneys need.

They strengthen and invigorate the kidneys; help them to do their work; never fail to cure any case of kidney disease.

Mrs. Disco Pittman, Walnut St., Tarboro, N. C., says: "For some time I had not been feeling well and thought that my kidneys might be disordered, as my back was very weak and the kidney secretions annoying. My husband got me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and since using them, my back has become stronger and my kidneys have been normal. I am now feeling much better in every way and therefore am willing to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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## N. S. Schedule Professional Card

### ROUTE OF THE

## NIGHT EXPRESS

Schedule in effect December 18th N. B.—The following schedule figures published as information ONLY and are not guaranteed.

### TRAINS LEAVE GREENVILLE Eastbound

1:00 a. m., daily, Night Express Pullman Sleeping Car for Norfolk.

3:40 a. m., daily, for Norfolk and New Bern. Parlor car service between New Bern and Norfolk, connects for all points north and west.

6:20 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Washington.

8:25 a. m. daily for Wilson and Raleigh, connects north, south and west.

7:51 a. m., daily except Sunday for Wilson and Raleigh, connects for all points.

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Winterville, N. C., March 18.—Rev. J. H. Griffith, of Kinston, preached in the Episcopal church Friday morning at 11 o'clock. He preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation.

Mrs. Hattie Hines, of Oak City, is visiting her sister, Miss Lizzie Harold a student of W. H. S.

Harrington, Barber & Company can sell you the best flour, namely, Royal. Prices right.

Misses Dora Cox, Elizabeth Boushall, Alex. Bradley and Mrs. F. C. Nye went to Greenville Friday evening on business.

Mr. P. T. Anthony, of Greenville, was in town Friday evening.

See Harrington, Barber & Company for your low quarter shoes, for ladies, misses and children.

Rev. T. H. King, of Smithfield, the former pastor of the Baptist church here, was in town Friday. He made a very interesting talk in the W. H. S. auditorium.

You will find a nice line of dried fruits at A. W. Ange & Co.'s.

Miss Addie Johnson, of Ayden, is visiting Mr. J. R. Johnson.

A large crowd from Winterville went out to the school breaking up at Mills school house Friday night. They returned this morning.

A nice lot of new horse collars just arrived at A. W. Ange & Co.'s.

Miss Edith Mumford, of Ayden, is visiting Mrs. A. W. Ange.

Mr. Roy Cox went to Greenville Friday evening on business.

Misses Vivian Roberson, Rosa Jones and Neta Liles went to Greenville this morning.

Miss Eva Langston left for Washington this morning.

Dr. W. R. Cullum lectured in the Baptist church Friday night. He will lecture tonight and three times Sunday.

Winterville, N. C., March 22.—Mr. Heber Hamilton, of Ayden, was in town Sunday.

Miss Annie McGlohorn, of Renston, entertained a host of friends Saturday night at her home. Ice cream was served and all present seemed to enjoy themselves.

Harrington, Barber & Company will pay you the highest market price for your chickens and eggs.

Mr. F. A. Edmondson, of Stantonburg, was in town Sunday.

Dr. W. R. Cullum, of Wake Forest, made five excellent lectures on the book of Matthew in the Baptist church, Friday night, Sunday, and Sunday night. He had large congregations every service from the city and country. We are to be congratulated on being able to hear such a speaker.

The singing class from the Oxford orphan asylum will give their entertainment here next Friday night in the W. H. S. auditorium. Let everybody come out.

Harrington, Barber & Company have received a nice line of spring and summer hats, for young men and old men.

Mr. C. T. Cox went to Greenville Tuesday evening.

Miss Lizzie Harold spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Oak City.

Mrs. H. F. Brinson went to Greenville Tuesday evening.

Rev. R. E. Stanfield is assisting Rev. R. L. Caraway in a meeting here in the Methodist church this week. We are having some very good preaching here, so all be sure and come out to hear him.

### "In A Rut."

How often we hear the expression "in a rut" We hear it so often because it so exactly describes the mental condition so many people get into. Just as wheels slip down into the deep ruts made by other wheels, so our minds are prone to travel along in the line of least resistance, and it is often very hard to get them out of it.

The trouble is that so few of us know how to think, or will take the trouble to think. It's hard work to really think; it's so much easier to let the mind float along in a kind of a dull, dreamy lethargy, only half working. Mental inertia is the great handicap of most people. Inertia is the tendency of a body to resist motion or change of direction, and mental inertia is the tendency to resist mental activity. It grows on one, so that after a while the victim very seldom does any real thinking, and finally forgets how altogether. His mind is always in a kind of stupor, skimming along and "getting through" all right, but never waking up and really going after things hard.

The great difference between men we call "brainy"—big, successful, capable men who do big things—and men who are the opposite is that the brainy men know how to think and do think and the others do not. Put a business proposition before the great majority of men and they will view it in its superficial aspect, as one who sees only the exterior of a thing. A man who thinks will go at one stroke right to the heart of the thing; at a glance he will see the flaw in the plan if there be one, or the big opportunity, if it is there; while the chances are that the ordinary man will not see either, simply because he doesn't take the trouble to wake up his mind and dig into the thing with energy and determination.—The Merchants Journal.

### SECTION OF SHELVING FALLS.

Breaks About \$500 Worth of Crockery and Glass.

The other day a section of shelving in the warehouse of Hatch's 5 and 10 cents store, that was heavily loaded with crockery and glassware, broke from its fastenings and fell to the floor. Mr. Hatch and his sales people heard the crash and going to investigate found the shelving had fallen, and a great mass of broken goods scattered over the floor. Fully \$500 worth of goods were broken to fragments in the crash.

## WILLIAM M. RUSS EXPIRES SUDDENLY

FOR TWELVE YEARS CLERK OF  
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THE FORMER MAYOR OF RALEIGH

End Came at 12:15 This Morning When Mr. Russ Became Sick in Bed—He Was Nauseated and Arose in a Few Minutes He Died Just As a Physician Arrived.

William M. Russ, mayor of Raleigh for six years, and clerk of the Superior court of Wake county for 12 years, died suddenly at his home this morning at 12:15. In apparent excellent health yesterday on the streets talking with friends, his sudden death will come as a great shock to his many friends, and there will be the greatest sympathy for his bereaved family.

Mr. Russ retired last night at his usual hour and was feeling particularly well. Shortly before midnight he began coughing and a feeling of nausea came on him. He told his wife of this and got out of bed, relieving his nausea. In doing this he coughed greatly and he took a seat in a chair. In a few minutes his condition became alarming and physicians were summoned. But before they arrived Mr. Russ had died, the physicians pronouncing his death due to dilatation of the heart.

Mr. Russ was a man who had made many friends, for he was a genial man with good nature and jolly being features of his life. He was the center of any crowd in which he happened to be, and was among the most popular of men, having a large acquaintance throughout the state. For years before he entered into politics he was a traveling salesman, having great success in this line and in life insurance work.

In 1894 Mr. Russ was elected mayor of Raleigh and proved a most efficient official. At that time the mayor presided over the city police court, and the remarks of Mayor Russ in the hearing of cases and trials became celebrated throughout the state. During his term as mayor he took great interest in the schools of the city.

Elected for three terms as mayor, Mr. Russ was in 1898 elected as the clerk of the Superior court of Wake county, and in December, 1898, resigned his position as mayor to accept the county office. He was re-elected in 1902 and again in 1906, holding the position for three terms, twelve years, and proving one of the best and most efficient clerks of the court in the state. In 1910 he was not nominated for re-election and retired from office last December, entering this year into the insurance business with Mr. W. R. Crawford.

In the inception of the movement to erect a monument to the memory of Ensign Worth Bagley, Mr. Russ was selected as the chairman of the committee having this in charge. He gave his hearty co-operation in the work and at the unveiling of the monument in the Capitol Square was in charge of the exercises of the day, which he conducted most admirably.

The death of Mr. Russ, occurring at an early hour this morning, made it impossible to arrange the details for the funeral. These will be announced later.

Mr. Russ was born in Wake county on June the 6th, 1857, and was the son of the late Hajor J. P. H. Russ, who was at one time secretary of state, and Adeline Elizabeth Hutchins Russ. On March 31, 1891, he was married to Miss Henrietta Williams, of Greenville.

During his early manhood Mr. Russ was a commercial traveler, and was very prominent throughout the state. He later went into the insurance business. In 1894 he was elected mayor of the city of Raleigh. He was re-elected in 1896 and again in 1898. In the fall of 1898 he was elected clerk of the Superior court of Wake county and resigned as mayor in December of that year. To the office of clerk of the court he was re-elected in 1902 and again in 1906, retiring from office in 1910.

At the time of his death he was engaged in the insurance business with Mr. W. R. Crawford in this city. He was a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd, being one of the vestrymen.

Mr. Russ is survived by his widow and four children—Misses Bettie and Julia and Masters Richard and William Russ, Jr. To all of these there goes the deepest sympathy of this entire community, in which Mr. Russ was held in great esteem.—Raleigh News and Observer.

### QUEER FREIGHT LOSS.

In Sealed Car After 4 Days Automobile Catches Fire and is Consumed

The Atlantic Coast Line car, perhaps, lay claim to a freight loss that has seldom if ever occurred to any railroad in the world, as happened recently between this city and Norfolk, on the Norfolk division of the company. Among the twenty-five cars that made up a through freight train, there was an automobile car containing one automobile under seal from Jacksonville, Florida, to a point in Virginia. It was a matter of impossibility to have entered the car except by the seal and this had not been broken. When at a point near Nourneys was reached the fireman looked back and he noted smoke coming from under the eves of the car, and the train was stopped and an investigation was made. It was found that the fire was on the inside of this car, and when the seal was broken and the car entered, the automobile contained therein had been practically consumed and the inside of the car was burning rapidly.

Due to the fact that there was little means of fighting the fire, the entire car was consumed, but the rest of the train was shifted from it, and outside of the car and automobile, there was little other loss. The railroad company are at a loss to know how the fire originated for the car had been several days in transit and was then nearing the point of its delivery and it was hard to conceive of how fire might have been kept smoldering for the possible four or five days that the car had been enroute. It is equally as difficult to fathom out as to how the fire might have started on the inside of the car after it was sealed in Jacksonville. There is little in the way of an explanation of how it started and all the railroad company knows is that it is a total loss along with a freight car.

The average boy thinks better of the cuff on his sleeve than of the one his teacher gives him.

Silent tongue, silent trouble.

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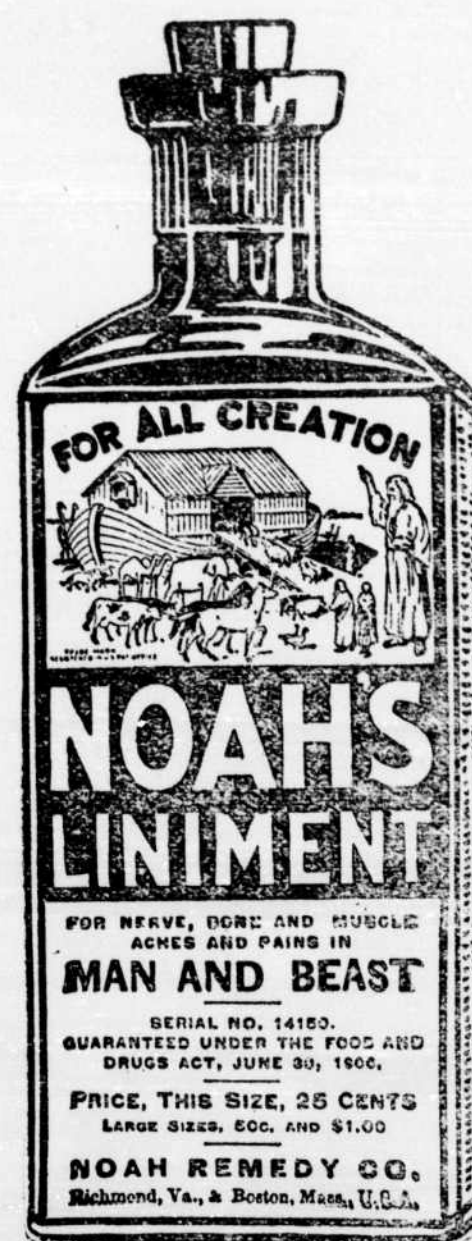
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Drug stores in cities and towns, general stores in the country, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 the bottle, and money back if not satisfied. Isn't this fair?



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**Cured of Bone Rheumatism.**  
"I had been suffering with bone rheumatism for three years. I have been using Noah's Liniment, and can say that it cured me completely. Can walk better than I have in two years. Noah's Liniment will do all you claim. Rev. S. E. Cyrus, Donald, S. C."

**Pain in Side and Neuralgia.**  
"For five years I suffered with neuralgia and pain in side. Could not sleep. I tried Noah's Liniment, and the first application made me feel better. Mrs. Martha A. See, Richmond, Va."

**Couldn't Raise Right Arm.**  
"I caught cold and had a severe attack of rheumatism in my right shoulder and could not raise my arm without much pain. I tried Noah's Liniment, and in less than a week was entirely free from pain. A. Crooker, Dorchester, Mass."

**Stiff Joints and Backache.**  
"I have used Noah's Liniment for rheumatism, stiff joints and backache, and I can say it did me more good than any pain remedy. Rev. George W. Smith, Abbeville, S. C."

**Sprained Ankle.**  
"I have been benefited greatly by Noah's Liniment, using it for a sprained ankle. Mrs. W. D. Robertson, West Somerville, Mass."

**Pains in the Back.**  
"I suffered ten years with a dreadfully sore pain in my back, and tried different remedies. Less than half a bottle of Noah's Liniment made a perfect cure. Mrs. Rev. J. D. Billingsley, Point Eastern, Va."

**Neuralgia and Toothache.**  
"My wife suffered for several years with neuralgia and toothache. She used about half a bottle of Noah's Liniment and got immediate relief. J. S. Fisher, Policeman, Hodges, S. C."

**Rheumatism in the Neck.**  
"I received the bottle of Noah's Liniment, and think it has helped me greatly. I have rheumatism in my neck and it relieved it right much. Mrs. Martha A. Lambert, Beaver Dam, Va."

**For Horses.**  
"We have never used a liniment we consider the equal to Noah's Liniment for bruises, sprains, strained tendons and to use on throat, sides and chest for distemper, colds, etc. Richmond Transfer Co., Richmond, Va."

**Better Than \$5.00 Remedies.**  
"We cheerfully recommend all stable men to give Noah's Liniment a trial and be convinced of its wonderful curative properties. We have obtained as good if not better results from its use than we did from remedies costing \$5.00 per bottle. Norfolk and Portsmouth Transfer Co., Norfolk, Va."

### SAYS LAURA JEAN LIBBY

"A Husband is a Woman's Best Friend."

"A husband is a woman's best friend!" exclaims Laura Jean Libby, the eminent authoress and expert on matters of the heart. How true it is! Though he may be neglectful and forgotten for weeks, when the bill collector comes around the husband is called to the front. Whatever minor position he may occupy at other times, just after the first of the month he becomes important. He must face the grocer, meet the milliner and answer the missive of the dry goods man.

Whether the suffragists will admit it or not, a husband is a very handy thing to have around the house. He can fix the furnace, bring up the coal, talk back to the hired man, and some exceptionally brave and hardy ones have been known to go to the extent of taking their lives in their hands and discharging the cook. They save a lot of trouble when ladies want to go to the theatre and are extremely used as companions in going to bridge parties and returning from the same.

A sad and silent figure he may be, and his name appears in the blaze of social lights only as "among those present," but when he gets away even the busiest club woman of a wife soon finds that something is missing. In a theatre or at a reception he makes the finest fur-holders and

wrap carriers, and nothing else forms so excellent a background for brilliant costumes as a row of them standing up at the back of an opera box.

Laura Jean is right. A woman has no better friend than a well-trained husband. And the women realize it. Whenever the supply of husbands runs short in any community there is sadness and sorrow. Bachelors are all right in their way, but the only genuine is the man who marries. He fights the world's battles, keeps up its fires, moves its furniture, looks after its children, and pays the bills. Though he seldom gets a monument until he has passed away from this vale of tears, he is a hero, too.—Baltimore Sun.

Many a man in his reflective moods wonders why his wife loves him, and so does his neighbors.

## Tutt's Pills

After eating, persons of a bilious habit will derive great benefit by taking one of these pills. If you have been

**DRINKING TOO MUCH,**  
they will promptly relieve the nausea,

**SICK HEADACHE,**  
and nervousness which follows, restore the appetite and remove gloomy feelings. Elegantly sugar coated.

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### Coville News.

Coville, N. C., March 21.—Quite a number of our young people attended the entertainment at Buck school house Thursday night.

Miss Carrie Chapman, who has been teaching near Winterville, closed her school Friday. We are glad to have Miss Chapman with us again. We are glad to know Master Joe Ray Burney is improving.

Mr. Claude Burney, Misses Marie Lancaster and Faye E. Corey went to Greenville Saturday.

Mr. Cletus Lancaster, of Vanceboro, spent Sunday at Mr. N. R. Corey's.

We are very glad to see Miss Sallie Chapman out again.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing in this section.



ST. PATRICK PARTY  
AT TRAINING SCHOOL

## EVENING OF MUCH MERRIMENT.

The A's Give a St. Patrick's Party to  
The E's.

The A's, the first year class, under the direction of Miss Graham, the class advisor, gave a St. Patrick's party to the E's, the one year class, and the faculty on Saturday evening. Emblems of old Erin and the green and white were used in profusion. The large room on the second floor used for the entertainment was decorated with potted plants and vines against a white background; the black boards were covered with drawings of shamrock, Irish symbols, songs and jingles. A booth was cut off at one end of the long hall and artistically decorated with the colors and the Irish flag; here green punch was served from a punch bowl sunken in a mass of green.

After an Irish song, sung by the class, partners for "Blarneying" were found by matching lines of cut up jingles. Up and down the long hall the couples strolled, chattering sense and nonsense on a given topic, progressing to another partner and topic at the tap of the bell.

After this there was much merry-making over a doll dressing contest. Irish potatoes, tissue paper and tooth picks were to be turned out finished dolls. Miss Deamon received the prize, an Irish pennant, for what the judges pronounced a fine Boer Rabbit, but which was intended for St. Patrick. Miss Sue Pittard received the booby prize, a snake and spider for a clever baby doll. The Last Rose of Summer was played on the graphophone as good-night. The E's proposed a clever toast to the A's then gave a yell. This closed what was truly a delightful St. Patrick's evening.

## "Keep it Out of the Paper."

"Keep it out of the paper" is the cry which the local newspaper publisher dail hears. To oblige often costs considerable, though the party who makes the request thinks the granting scarcely worth saying "thank you" for. A newspaper is a peculiar thing in the public eye. The news gatherer is stormed at because he gets hold of one item and is abused because he does not get another. Young men and often young women, as well as older persons, perform acts which become legitimate items for publication and then rush to the newspaper office and beg the editor not to notice their escapades. The next day they condemn the same paper for not having published another party doing the same thing they were guilty of, forgetting apparently their late visit to the printing office.—Stanly Enterprise.

## A Note of Warning.

The fact that many towns in the state are eagerly adopting the commission form of government without knowing much about it, shows that the people are not satisfied with the way in which their affairs have been conducted and officials in towns that are yet saying nothing about a change had better put their ears to the ground.—Durham Herald.

Occasionally a girl lets her parents select a husband for her so that she will have some one to blame for

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY.

Mrs. B. J. Whichard Entertains Lady Friends.

On Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 6 o'clock, at her home on Evans street, Mrs. D. J. Whichard entertained at a St. Patrick's day party.

All the decorations of the home were in keeping with the day, the color being green. From chandeliers, grill, walls and curtains hung festoons of shamrocks and golden harps of Erin, with the flag of Ireland much in evidence.

Upon arrival the guests were met by the hostess, and after being shown to the cloak room were invited into the dining room where fruit punch was served by Misses Lizzie Jones and Hennie Ragsdale. The punch bowl was wreathed in smilax studded with harps, and numerous flags waved over it, while from around the base peeped green frogs.

The game of the afternoon was progressive Ireland, and at each progression the hostess presented the winners with Irish favors. After three games sandwiches and tea were served by Misses Hennie and Essie Whichard, Lillian Burch and Willie Ragsdale. Other games were then played, each guest being presented a favor at the conclusion. Following this pistachio cream and orange ice with cake were served, the cakes served, the cakes bearing small flags bearing small flags of Erin.

## SALE OF COCA-COLA DROPS.

Charlotte "Dopers" Calling for Something Else Now.

With the recent publications of evidence given in the case of the United States against a number of barrels and kegs of coca-cola, from Chattanooga, Tenn., where the case is being tried, many injurious things have been said and the effect has been immediate so far as local sales have been concerned.

Thursday nearly every soda clerk in Charlotte realized that coca-cola was not being called for with the same vim from the imbibers. Today the sale has been still less. Since publication of the statement that worms and vermin were found in the vats at the main plant of the coca-cola house in Atlanta, Ga., when the place was inspected by government experts, the drinkers of the fluid have been less thirsty and have spent less money on the "dope."—Charlotte Chronicle.

## Predicts a New Party.

It is too early to suggest that party government is outmoded; for the spirit of partisanship is tenacious and the majority of men will still continue to attach themselves, ignorantly or determinedly, by chance or by choice, to one of the greater political organizations. But it is not too early to suggest that parties are a means, not an end, that the object of their existence is supposed to be the welfare of the nation, not the exploitation of private interests. Government of the people by a party, for the party, seems but a poor travesty of Democracy—unless the party is justly entitled to use the prefix "national." Perhaps the time is not far distant when such a party, based on a coalition of the sincere and far-sighted, will change the whole outlook and spirit of politics in this country.—March Forum.

## Report of the Condition of

## THE BANK OF GREENVILLE

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 192,839.05	Capital stock paid in....	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....	4,415.17	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid.....	6,113.61
Banking house .....	\$4,200.00	Time certificates of deposit.....	\$69,628.99
Furniture & Fix. ....	4,327.32	Deposits subject to check .....	156,026.02
Demand loans.....	4,913.74	Cashier's checks outstanding.....	655.93
Due from banks and bankers.....	46,054.10		
Cash items.....	3,026.84		
Gold coin.....	227.50		
Silver coin, including all minor coin c'rey .....	1,179.83		
National bank notes and other U.S. notes .....	12,241.00		
Total .....	\$273,424.55	Total .....	\$273,424.55

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of Pitt, ss:

I, Jas. L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAS. L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

B. W. MOSELEY,

W. B. WILSON

J. G. MOYE,

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of March, 1911.

H. D. BATEMAN,

Notary Public.  
(My commission expires October 3rd, 1911.)

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GOLD  
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C. S. CARR, Cashier

## Mrs. Margaret Moore Dead.

Mrs. Margaret Moore, an aged lady of this county, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Little, in Carolina township. She is survived by five children, Mrs. Little and Mrs. J. A. Hyman, of this city; Mrs. William Johnson, of Martin county; Mr. E. B. Moore, of Washington, and Mr. Joe Moore, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

## Menace in The Harem Skirt.

The agitation for the trouser skirt is nothing less than the assault of the masculine authority. Such an undertaking in our country is more menacing and perhaps more effective than the agitation of the suffragettes in the United Kingdom.—From Negro.

The proper time to do a thing is when it should be done.

## IN THE WEST.

Southern Farmer in the West Thinks  
"Back Home" is Good Enough.

Johnson City, Tenn., March 16.—The following letter was given out for publication at the offices of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio railway today:

"Hotchkiss, Colo., Feb. 24, 1911. 'As we promised several parties to 'write up' this country, we will proceed to make good and do not think there is a better way to do this than a comparison with the South in some respects at least.

"To begin, if you converse with a farmer in the South he will sometimes tell you that it is not a farming country, and that is just the opinion one will have of this country on arriving here to see thousands of acres of land as bare as a sand bank or covered with sage brush and in what is termed the farming districts. No grass, no cooling springs from which to quench your thirst, no timber convenient from which to build a shelter from the broiling sun or protect from the night's cold. Some fence posts may be cut from the scrubby cedars on the dry side hill land and by the way, land is not level as might be supposed, but is rolling or broken by gulches, draws, etc., and is surrounded by high mountains. There is not precipitation enough to even germinate grain much less bring it to perfection.

"There are some streams of water at various distances which are supported by the melting of snow in the mountains and on these must the ranchers depend for moisture to germinate and mature his crop. Such are the conditions to be overcome in what real estate men call the gems of the west. But little assistance can be expected from nature. A farm must be 'made,' so a man or community of men must go to some vantage point on a usually distant stream, sometimes 40 miles and with plow, pick and shovel build a ditch over the soil, rock, ravines and about everything in the catalog of topography to get a stream of water on his land for domestic use and irrigation. This water absorbs alkali from the soil and all filth it comes in contact with and is unfit for drinking purposes, though mostly used. This ditch must be frequently cleaned and kept in order and is a source of constant expense to say nothing of having those above you appropriate the water while you are acting the part of a 'bed bug,' besides right of way and other troubles constantly annoying. The water delivered at your farm, only one phase of the problem is mastered, soil being of a hard nature requires the energy of three to five horses and strong, heavy implements to put in a tenable condition and must then be furrowed out for irrigation after each cultivation and alfalfa sod must also be kept furrowed out, as nothing grows without you bring the water to it.

"The heavy cropping and flowing of water through the soil soon exhausts it and after two or three crops it must be seeded to alfalfa to restore its fertility. Of course the alfalfa is a valuable hay crop also, but one can not eat it, so it is unprofitable unless it can be exchanged for other commodities and so much is grown that the supply is getting in excess of the demand, so this makes some other money crop necessary, therefore, the western farmer has his problems and as tough ones

as any where.

"The rancher gets large crops and sure when he has enough water, but remember his expenses are heavy, and sure also, he must pack his products—a thing an eastern farmer disdains to do. He has also to pay high freight charges on what he purchases and ship less freight to meet competition.

"Now, I have explained the side of the question not usually given to the public, but with varying conditions applicable generally. It takes brains as well as soil to grow a crop here and if the capital accumulated in the South and spent in working the west for a fortune had been judiciously invested in developing the resources of the South, we might have made the west sit up and take notice. The money and effort spent here to make a home will also bring things to pass in the South.

"M. P. SNUFFER."

## AND THEN HE LIVES.

Ate Four Pounds of Cheese, Drank a  
Quart of Vinegar.

Four pounds of cheese and a quart of vinegar—how is that for a lunch? And all eaten within the space of a very few minutes without a cracker or a particle of bread. And when the last hunk of the cheese had been devoured and the last drop of vinegar swallowed the young man performing the stunt walked out of the store and is living and doing well, although it has been nearly two days since the inroad was made on the big cheese in the store of Mr. W. C. Tise in this city Thursday afternoon.

The young man performing the feat was Gilmer Lakey, a drayman, and the eating was witnessed by four of his companions, who chipped in and paid for the lunch to see Lakey eat the quantity of cheese with the aid of two pint cups of vinegar. Lakey had stated that he would eat four pounds of cheese if somebody would pay for it. And he ate it and when he had finished remarked that he could go some more, but guessed he would wait awhile as he hated for the fellows to pay for so much. —Winston Journal.

## As Viewed by Another.

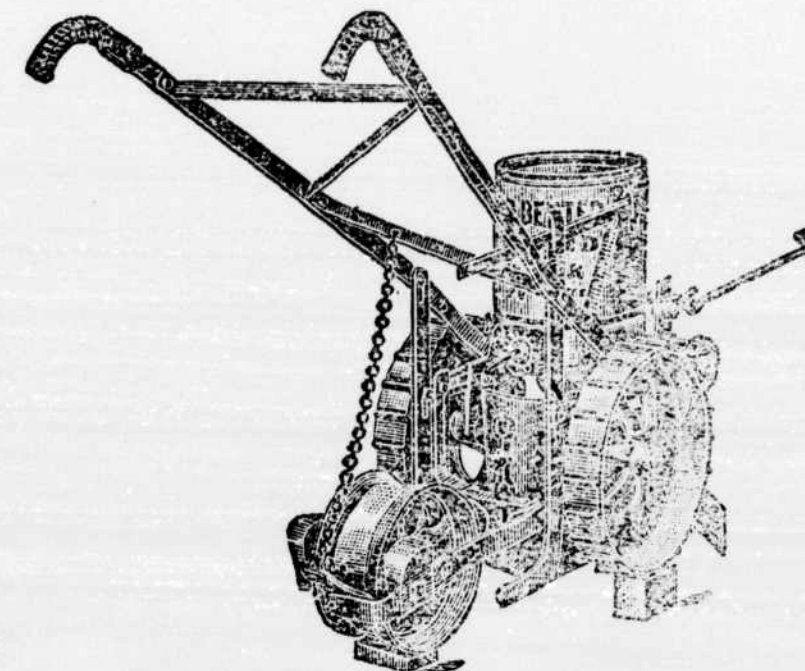
The Greenville Reflector keeps hammering away for new enterprises for its town. "The Reflector will certainly be glad," it says, "when it succeeds in hammering into the minds of the people the fact that Greenville needs more manufacturing enterprises. The growth of our population is slow because people cannot afford to move to a town unless they can find some employment there. If there were started up in Greenville manufacturing enterprises to give employment to an additional thousand people, the thousand people would be here in a very short time. Every additional citizen helps the town that much." And with such a consistent advocate for the city as Greenville has in The Reflector it can't keep from growing. Greenville might grow faster if it had a few more people with Whichard's spirit. But they will catch the idea from him after awhile. He is the town's best man.—Raleigh Times.

A large part of the admiration a woman can feel for a man is because he has to shave.

Some people grumble about everything, be it right or wrong.

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## Ledbetter Planter



Plants Cotton one seed at a time. No skips no bunching. Plants a peck or more to the acre one to six inches apart, always one seed at a time. Saves half the work and labor in chopping. Positive force feed means absolute regularity of drop without cracking or crushing the seed. Each plant has room to grow, though chopping be delayed.

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See every seed as it comes from the hopper to spout. Plants Corn one grain at a time, eight inches to forty-eight inches apart. Plants Pea Nuts any quantity desired. TRY THE LEDBETTER. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

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GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA  
at the close of business March 7th, 1911

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 180,407.19	Capital.....	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....	2,403.95	Surplus.....	19,900.00
U. S. Bonds.....	21,000.00	Undivided profits.....	3,614.99
Stocks and bonds.....	3,000.00	Circulation.....	21,600.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	7,281.30	Bond account.....	21,000.00
Exchange for clearing house.....	8,919.67	Dividends unpaid.....	62.63
Cash and due from banks.....	47,586.04	Cashier's checks.....	438.13
5 per cent. redemption fund.....	1,050.00	Deposits.....	165,465.11
	\$271,043.13		\$271,043.13

We invite the accounts of Banks, Corporations, Firms and Individuals, and will be pleased to meet or correspond with these contemplating changes or opening new accounts.

We want your business

F. J. FORBES, Cashier







## ORPHANS SATURDAY NIGHT.

## In Auditorium of The East Carolina Teachers' Training School.

The singing class of the Oxford Orphan Asylum will give an entertainment here Saturday night, 25th. As there is no hall in town suitable for such an occasion, the faculty of the Training school kindly permitted the use of the auditorium by the orphans. There should be a large attendance, for besides enjoying an entertainment worth more than the price, it is for the benefit of a most worthy cause.

## Farm Equipment.

It seems but yesterday, when I think back and recall my first practical experience of farm life. Of course, I grew up on the farm, but it was as the lilies grow, "I toiled not, neither did I spin." But when I married a young farmer and went to housekeeping in a two-room shack on a one-horse farm, I then commenced to see the seamy side of it all. Our house was on top of a high hill—all the water was to be carried from the spring up that hill. We had a stove just big enough for two and hardly that, no conveniences for bath whatever. We had chills and fever off and on during the whole seven years we lived at that place; and I am sure it was on account of the surface drainage going into the spring. We spent enough for doctors and medicine to have dug a well and run the water indoors. We had no more chills after leaving there, but were some time regaining our impaired vitality. Then I had no sewing machine; so it was necessary to spend days at a time at my mother's, sewing, or else hire my sewing. We spent enough in that way to have bought a machine twice over. Finally, in 1901, my husband bought a machine for \$19. I am using it still and it is as good as ever.

This is a fair specimen of the mistaken economy of young farm folks. The little old stove by this time was used up to a finish. My husband bought me a \$75 Majestic range with a 15-gallon reservoir, for heating water. It was grand. I could sit six half-gallon jars of fruit on a wire bottom in the reservoir and boil them. The fruit canned in this manner was perfect, retaining its shape and natural juices.

We never did have any convenience for washing and ironing—always hired it out. But a neighbor had a washing machine and wringer that were perfection. She did her own wash, and that in an hour or two. She also had a low buggy and a gentle horse for her own use. I had to walk or await my husband's convenience to go abroad. A man knows what he needs for his work, and gets it. A woman knows too, but as a rule does without it. I knew a woman who spent the whole afternoon driving a 10-penny nail through a tin lid. She was making a coca-cola nut grater! Her husband could have bought one for a dime. And as for a meat knife—a razor-backed case-knife that is worth lightning keenness, one that belonged to our great-grandfather, is the sole dependence. It has a cob handle, and if it should break there are plenty more cobs. I tell you, it is just such makeshifts as this that take the life and interest out of women on the farm—Raleigh Progressive Farmer.

## A Warning to Farmers.

A few days ago the United States department of agriculture issued a bulletin that contains a warning to farmers against purchasing clover seed which has recently been imported into this country from Chile. The seed was sent in three separate shipments aggregating 370,000 pounds. This seed has been found to be contaminated with two kinds of dodder seed in such proportion that 450 seeds would ordinarily be sown in each square rod planted with the Chilean clover seed.

The dodder weed is said to be a native of Australia, and reached Chile in shipments of alfalfa seed. It is a small shrub of the laurel family, and has the reputation of being extremely destructive to alfalfa and ordinary clover. The distinction between the two varieties of the pest is not made clear in the office of the bulletin, but it is safe to assume that one is fully as vicious as the other. It is said the dodder winds itself about the stems of the clover and quickly destroys its life.

According to the bulletin, in the particular lots of Chilean clover seed regarding which the warning is given, the clover seeds themselves are of peculiarly fine appearance, and are fully 50 per cent. larger than ordinary clover seed. Such being the case, little difficulty should be experienced in detecting the dodder. When the infected seed is discovered it should not only be rejected, but if the laws will permit it to be done, it should be confiscated and burned by the proper authorities.—Greensboro News.

## A Country With Only One Bank.

There are no public banking institutions in the Dominion Republic, and but one private bank with agencies in the more important of the towns which buys and sells drafts makes loans, and is the repository of the government funds.

Buying and selling drafts is an important source of revenue to this bank and also to many private individuals.

Money is easily placed at almost any time at 1 1/2 per cent a month, and sometimes at 2 and 2 1/2 per cent, with first class real estate or personal security. Long time loans of large amounts are placed at 12 per cent per annum. Municipalities, borrowing money for improvements and other purposes, pay 1 per cent a month.

There are very few depositors in the local bank. Most of the well-to-do people, both among the merchants and farmers, never think of depositing their money, but have small private safes or secrete their hoardings in some other manner.—Moody's Magazine.

## Kills A Murderer.

Merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims, but Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate the stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing constipation, headache, biliousness, chills. 25c at all druggists.

The successful speculator watches the corners and keeps out of them. Vocal teachers are always howling about their work.

A man doesn't have to be a detective in order to find fault.

## NEWSPAPER PRESS FOR SALE.

Having placed an order for a new fast newspaper and book press, to be installed the middle of April, we have a newspaper press that will be sold at a bargain for delivery May 1st.

It is a Monona Leverless Press, large enough to print four 6-column pages, or two 9-column pages and has steam fixtures so that it can be run either by hand or power. Been in use six years.

It is a splendid press for a weekly paper and is in good condition to do many years good service. We used a press from the same factory for 17 years before installing this one, printing a daily paper with small circulation about 10 years of that time. Its speed, 800 an hour, is too slow for a daily paper with the present circulation of The Reflector, and for that reason we are having to displace it with a faster press.

Any one interested and wanting a good press for a weekly newspaper, can see this press at work every day in the Reflector building, before our new press is installed. Any one who cannot come to see it at work and examine it, can get particulars by addressing

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Greenville, N. C.

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## An Uneven Distribution of Churches.

In Colorado, within seventy miles of Denver there is a promising village of twelve hundred inhabitants, says Charles Samuel Tator in an article in Success Magazine entitled "The Mad Race for Souls." In that village there are eight churches. Round about in the mountains are communities that have from thirty to ninety pupils in the public school, and can muster one hundred and fifty adults at an all night dance. The population is scattered, the pupils go to school on burros and on horseback. For some reason these people have no church nor Sunday school. Bishop Anderson of the Episcopal diocese of Chicago says that there are forty towns in Illinois, ranging from two hundred to eight hundred in population, without any church. Yet the

three examples given from Massachusetts could easily have been found in the State of Illinois. It rather looks as if some of the lean churches should be cut down out of the herd and led to pastures new.

## Visiting Minister.

The Presbyterian congregation here were delighted to have Rev. J. S. Wood, of Weldon, preach for them Sunday morning and night. His sermons were excellent and much enjoyed.

It's too bad that when a man puts his foot in it he is not in a position to kick himself.

Laugh at a fool and he imagines that your are laughing with him.

MEN'S PRAYER LEAGUE  
REMARKABLE ORGANIZATION

## MUCH INTEREST EVERY MEETING

The League is Doing A Good Work in the Community.

Every Sunday people are heard to speak of the Men's Prayer League as a remarkable meeting of men, and so it is. The meeting Sunday afternoon in the Presbyterian church had large attendance and all took keen interest in it. The subject for discussion was "Blessings Multiplied," and while the unusual thing happened that only one of the appointed leaders, Mr. C. C. Pierce, was present, after he had made a splendid talk others took the place of the absentees, and the meeting measured up to the standard the league has set.

Next Sunday the meeting will be held in the Christian church. The subject for that day is "The Watchman's Duty." Text, Ezekiel 33:1-3. Leaders, Messrs. J. C. Tyson, H. D. Bateman and J. A. Bland.

Men, if you want to spend a profitable Sunday afternoon, make some study of the subject and attend this meeting. Besides the interest in the meetings of the league, it does some good work through its charity committee wherever the need is found.

## STORY OF "MARYLAND."

Another Version of How Words Were Welded To Classic Music.

Alas! it was war-time, I had already tasted the sweets of emancipation, the woods were full of hand-picked and delightful officers and privates, eager to be entertained and heartened for the fray. Like all the other girls of my acquaintance thereabout, I grew up in a night, and soon there was plenty of women's work for us.

Even now, writing it after so many, many years, I seem to feel again the pulse of that thrilling time. And it was there that there came intimately into my life of its strongest influences, in the radiant person of my cousin, Hetty Cary, daughter of my uncle, Wilson Miles Cary, of Baltimore, my father's elder and only brother. She, with her youngest sister, Jennie, had taken the lead in the secessionist movement among the younger girls in Baltimore, who having seen all their best men march across the border to enlist with the Confederates for the war, relieved their strained feelings by overt resentment of the Union officers and troops placed in possession of their city.

It was Jennie Cary who set Randall's stirring poem of "Maryland" to the air of "Lauriger Horatius" (brought to her by Burton Harrison when a student at Yale College) and first sang with a chorus of her friends in a drawing room in Baltimore. She tells me that the refrain, as originally printed in the copy of verses set by them out of a newspaper, was simply "Maryland!" and that she added the word "My" in obedience to the exigency of the music.

As the song thus boldly chanted by young Confederate sympathizers, in a city occupied by their enemy and under strict martial rule, was to drift over the border, to be caught eagerly by the troops of the Maryland, and to echo down the ages as the most famous battle song of the Confederacy, it is fitting that to Miss Jennie Cary should be awarded all the honor

of this achievement. We both sang it amid a little group of visitors in September, 1861, standing in the doorway to Captain Sterrett's tent at Manassas, the men of the Maryland line facing us in the dusk of the evening. This was in answer to the request sent in from the soldiers to their friend, Captain Sterrett, "that they might hear a woman's voice again."

I can hear now the swing of that grand chorus, as the men gradually caught up the refrain, and echoed it, and by the next day, to my cousin's joy and pride, the whole camp at Manassas was resounding with "Maryland!"—Mr. Burton Harrison, in Scribner's.

## TYPHOID TRANSMISSION

The Ubiquitous House Fly as a Typhoid Transmitter.

The house fly, well named as the typhoid fly, is one of the chief factors in typhoid transmission. This indiscriminating insect finds equal congenial habit in filth and in food; it thrives with indifference in the manure heap, and in such human food as butter and milk. We speak of typhoid as the autumnal disease, because, with regard to incidence, sporadic cases as apart from epidemics, it attains its highest mortality in the fall of the year. Many an urbanite has returned from his vacation down with typhoid, or from an automobile trip with it; whereupon those tainted wells have been blamed. Wells are certainly from time to time at fault; but probably not so often as has been assumed. Possibly the urbanite has contracted the "rural" typhoid before he ever got out on his jaunt or his holiday. The incubation (from the time of exposure to the infection to the manifestation of the "invasion") is in typhoid about a fortnight; following upon this the disease endures a month to six weeks. Thus, counting back two months from the fall rise in typhoid deaths to the time when the disease is contracted, we shall have come upon the time when the filthy house fly prevails most. Upon his legs, his wings and his body he carries the bacilli, many thousands for each insect, in addition to those he has himself ingested. A noted physician has written about "the fly that does not wipe his feet." But he does wipe his feet; and upon more than that. One sees him alight upon a lump of sugar, or upon the nipple of a baby's bottle. Each pair of his six legs is vigorously rubbed together than the wings are as conscientiously scraped; and finally the toilet is completed with a message of the abdomen. By such process are thousands of pathogenic bacteria deposited upon the human edible that is the fly's resting place.—John Bessner Huber, M. D., in American Review of Reviews.

## Sold a Few Buggies.

Mr. E. G. Flanagan returned today from Columbia, S. C., where he had been on a trip in the interest of the John Flanagan Buggy Company. He says he sold five carloads of buggies on the trip.

## Farm Machinery.

You want to give particular heed to the large advertisement of Hart Hadley to be found on another page. They have a full line of farm machinery and implements of the very best makes.

## Legal Notices

## PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS

North Carolina—Pitt County  
In the Superior Court.

J. C. Harrington )  
vs.  
Annie Harrington )

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county against the defendant by the plaintiff for the purpose of obtaining absolute divorce and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior court of Pitt county to be held on the 1st Monday in May, 1911 at the court house of said county in Greenville, North Carolina, 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 9th day of March, 1911.  
D. C. MOORE,  
Clerk Superior Court  
Pitt County

## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

North Carolina—Pitt County.  
J. G. Moore, administrator of )  
George Forbes, deceased, )  
vs.  
Jane Forbes, George Forbes, )  
and Mahala Forbes. )

The defendants George Forbes and Mahala Forbes above named, will take notice: That an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county, to sell the land of the late George Forbes to make assets for the payment of his debts said defendants being heirs at law of the said George Forbes, deceased, and the said two defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, at his office, in the town of Greenville, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of April, 1911, and answer or demur to the complaint and petition filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 28th day of February, 1911.  
D. C. MOORE,  
Clerk of Superior Court.

W. C. James & Son,  
Attys for plaintiff 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 12th day of February, 1912, or this notice will be filed 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. 1td 5tw  
Jarvis & How, Attorneys.

## LAND SALE.

By virtue of a mortgage executed and delivered by Adam Homby and wife to L. E. Moore, on the 28th day of May, 1907, which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Pitt county, in Book L-S, page 283, the undersigned will sell for cash, before the court house in Greenville, on Monday, April 2, 1911, the following described parcel or tract of land, lying and being in the county of Pitt and in Cantonment township, adjoining the lands of J. E. Allen on the north; L. J. Moore on the east; the new road from Winterville to the old plant road on the south; and another tract of said land, containing 125 acres more or less. For a more accurate description, reference is hereby made to said mortgage.

This March 3, 1911.  
F. G. JAMES & SON,  
Attorneys for owner of the debt.  
3 9—1td 3tw.

## NOTICE.

North Carolina—Pitt County.  
In the Superior Court—Before the Clerk.

Ange & Forest, Town of Winterville, Joseph Worthington, )  
A. G. Cox, W. B. Wingate, )  
L. L. Kittrell, W. B. Nobles, )  
Louis Cannon, C. L. Tripp, )  
F. W. Weatherington and B. )  
T. Cox. )  
vs.  
B. W. Tucker, W. L. House, )  
and the Atlantic Coast Line )  
Railroad Company. )

The defendant W. L. House, above named, will take notice that a special proceeding, entitled as above, has been commenced before the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, for the purpose of proportioning the cost of opening and maintaining a ditch running through the lands of the above named parties, and draining same as is provided for in section 4026, of the Revisal of 1905; and the said defendant will further take notice, that he is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, in the court house in Greenville, North Carolina, on the 18th day of April, 1911, and answer or demur to the complaint in said special proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 18th day of March, 1911.  
D. C. MOORE,  
Clerk Superior Court

3 20—1td 1tw.

## PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS

North Carolina—Pitt County  
In the Superior Court

Hattie Sellers )  
vs.  
T. H. Sellers )

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county against the defendant by the plaintiff for the purpose of obtaining absolute divorce, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior court of Pitt county to be held on the 1st Monday in May, 1911 at the court house of said county in Greenville, North Carolina, 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 9th day of March, 1911.  
D. C. MOORE,  
Clerk Superior Court  
Pitt County

## NOTICE.

North Carolina—Pitt County.  
Service by publication Notice.

A. G. Cox, )  
vs.  
Fred Shackelford, R. W. )  
Shackelford, Gertrude )  
Shackelford, Frank Haddock, )  
Lewis Haddock, Whitford )  
Haddock, Janie Haddock )  
and Freddie Haddock. )

The defendants above named will take notice that a special proceeding entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county, to sell for division, three houses and lots in Winterville, Pitt county, known as the Carroll and Tyndall houses and lots, and willed by Martha Louisa Cox to the defendants above named; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of the Superior court of said county at his office in the court house in Greenville, Pitt county, North Carolina, on the 17th day of April, 1911, and answer or demur to the petition in said special proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This the 11th day of March, 1911.  
D. C. MOORE,  
Clerk Superior Court.

3 17—1td 3tw

## Stray Taken Up.

I have taken up three female hogs, black color, unmarked, weight about 200 pounds each. Owner can get same by proving ownership and paying cost.

R. T. STRICKLAND,  
R. F. D. No. 1, Greenville, N. C.

3 18—1td 1tw



## OUR AYDEN DEPARTMENT IN CHARGE OF R. W. SMITH

Authorized Agent of The Carolina Home and Farm and The Eastern Reflector for Ayden and vicinity.  
Advertising rates furnished

Ayden, N. C., March 17.—J. C. Nobles, Esq., returned Wednesday from a trip to Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

The condition of Mr. J. J. Smith seems a little more hopeful, but still is critical.

Dr. Merriman McKinney and family arrived from Baltimore Thursday and are stopping with his father in Ghent. The doctor will open his pharmacy in a few days.

Mr. John Tickle and family arrived Thursday from South Carolina. They will make their home in Pitt county. Mrs. Tickle was Miss Minnie Turnage, daughter of Mr. Joyner Wingate.

If you need any repairing done, in either wood or iron, or any work done, bring it to us.—J. R. Smith Company.

Owing to high water, Jones & Humble have taken out their seine at Pitch Kettle.

Remember the orphan concert next Thursday night, 23rd.

The clock at J. R. Smith Co.'s store was opened Thursday. Miss Edith Mumford won the first prize, the dishes; Miss Hattie Armstrong, the second, silver butter knife; Mrs. E. C. Turnage, the third, a can of Wesson cooking oil. You get a ticket with each dollar purchase.

Mr. William Cox has purchased the livery business near the depot of O. L. Kittrell.

We heard that our community would have the stock law, but judging from the amount of wire fence sold here, it must be a mistake. We notice two cars have been unloaded in the last few days.

A full supply of hardware, mill supplies, building material, glass; a car each of lime and cement, paint and oils ready mixed.—J. R. Smith Company.

Capt. D. G. Berry brought in a bunch of cats that would measure 10 inches high; a very fine variety. He said he had six acres of them.

Glad to see Messrs. J. J. Hines and Elias Turnage out again, both having been sick several days.

Mr. E. E. Swain has sold his interest in the market business to Mr. Heber Samrell, and has moved his family to Winterville.

Prof. Ragsdale was here Monday visiting the graded school.

Misses Mattie Johnson and Eva Hart are home again. Their school closed last week.

Rev. J. R. Tingle is confined to his room with carbuncles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Willingham, of Kinston, are visiting Mrs. Jessie Cannon.

There is a new son stopping with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hatton.

The Ayden Odd Fellows expect a good time at Belhaven on April 6th, at the district meeting. Quite a crowd will go from here, by land to Greenville, then by water to Belhaven. Mr. J. R. Turnage is the orator of the occasion.

Mr. A. L. Harrington, of Kinston, was here Thursday looking after his real estate business.

Rev. Mr. Webb, who has completed

the study of sacred history at the Seminary, left Friday for his home at Kinston.

Don't forget the orphan concert, Thursday night.

Ayden, N. C., March 21.—The concert by the singing class from the Oxford orphan asylum will give their entertainment here next Thursday night in the Methodist church. Let every body come out.

Mr. E. G. Cox and family left Monday and will make their home for a while in Greensboro.

Rev. Mr. Caraway, of Lee street, has moved his family to the dwelling recently vacated by Mr. E. G. Cox, on East avenue.

Hardware, all kinds of mill supplies and belting, at J. R. Smith Co.'s.

Possibly the largest deal was consummated in Ayden Saturday that ever has been in the history of the town. Messrs. J. R. Smith & Bro.

sold to Mr. L. L. Kittrell, of Winterville, their entire mill, gins and electric plant, consisting of a system of ginnery, grist mill, 2 C-H. P. engines, 2 25 and 50 H. P. engines, dynamos, motor, saw outfit, planing outfit, resaw, edger, band saw, tools, harse, undertaking outfit, wagons, mules, timbers, electric lines, buildings, etc. Mr. Kittrell took charge last Monday morning. He will move his family here in short. Mr. Kittrell is a man of pluck and energy and we look for improvements in all branches of this establishment. We consider that Ayden is fortunate in securing such citizens as Mr. and Mrs. Kittrell.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John I. Nobles near Roundtree, suffered a stroke of paralysis last Monday. At this writing he is able to be up.

Last Saturday a little son of Mr. J. W. (Sgt.) Dixon, at Willow Green, was standing too close to the fire and his clothes caught. Before the flames were extinguished the little fellow was seriously burned about the legs and body.

The condition of Mr. J. J. Smith, who on March 12th suffered a stroke of paralysis, continues to grow more serious each day.

We hear that Rev. T. N. Manning is very low with a carbuncle at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bob. Smith, near Frog Level. Mr. Manning was once a resident of Ayden, conducting a fancy grocery store on the corner where Dr. M. M. Sauls' pharmacy now stands, and has many friends in Pitt and adjoining counties, who will learn this with regret. In his young days he was a very active Free Will Baptist minister, and, when in his prime, could marry a couple a minute and possibly married as many as any man of his age. We hope he may yet be spared many years.

Mr. Joshua B. Carroll is conducting a very successful Sunday school at Hopeval school house near Ayden.

The Ayden editor is spending a day in Greenville.

April 11th is the day when Ayden

will vote on bonds for the erection of a modern school building.

It was a pleasure to visit our neighbor city, Winterville, a short while last Sunday and hear one of Dr. W. R. Cullum's lectures, which we fully enjoyed, besides meeting so many of our friends of younger days. Jolly Jim Greene is always so pleasant and in such good spirit he reminds us of a breakfast food advertisement. We spent a few hours in the home of our old boss, Mr. A. G. Cox. He showed us his chicken yard, full of incubators, brooders and chirping birds; a lot full of fine cattle and hogs, which he raises for home consumption, as well as market; his large modern barn full of feed and improved machinery had more the appearance of a model "Progressive Farmer" than a cotton planter manufacturer. The evening was short. We spent the time so pleasantly we were loth to leave. Some of the good people of Winterville are the "salt of the earth" and know how to make a visitor feel when within her "gates."

We think the measles must have found every man, woman and child in the community and we hear the whooping cough is on the way, looking for the little tots.

Once More.

Have you found that Reflector subscription statement in your mail yet? If so, please let us have a prompt remittance.

Some people have such good constitutions even medicine can't keep them sick.

The housewife is known by the bread she bakes.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF  
THE BANK OF AYDEN

AT AYDEN, N. C.

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, March 8, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....\$ 70,057.28

Overdrafts..... 11.09

Banking house, furniture and fixtures..... 831.09

Due from banks and bankers..... 55,054.52

Cash items..... 100.00

Gold coin..... 20.00

Silver coin, including all minor coin currency..... 2,373.18

National bank notes and other U. S. notes..... 2,552.00

Total.....\$ 131,639.16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....\$ 25,000.00

Surplus fund..... 15,625.00

Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid..... 4,736.94

Deposits subject to check..... 57,417.90

Savings deposits..... 28,859.32

Total.....\$ 131,639.16

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:

I, J. R. Smith, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of January, 1911.

Correct—Attest:

J. R. SMITH, R. H. GARRIS, R. C. CANNON, Directors.

STANCILL HODGES, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 20, 1911

NOTICE! NOTICE!

We wish to call your attention to our new line of fall goods which we now have. We have taken great care in buying this year and we think we can supply your wants in Shoes, Hats, Dress, Gingham, No-

ties, Laces and Embroideries and in fact anything that is carried in Dry Goods Store.

Come let us show you

Tripp, Hart & Co., Ayden, N. C.

Dr. Hyatt Coming.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be in Greenville April 3rd and 4th, Monday and Tuesday, for the purpose of treating diseases of the eye and fitting glasses.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the J. R. Smith Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. .... Second street in the town of Ayden, county of Pitt, State of North Carolina (J. R. Smith being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this certificate of dissolution.

Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 8th day of March, 1911, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1911.

J. BRYAN GRIMES, Secretary of State.

Happy Is That People

Our lesson the Prophet David places the holy, happy, blessed nation the Lord. It is a picture of the present and not of the past. It is an ideal picture. It will be realized when the Kingdom of God shall have been established amongst men—when Satan's power shall be restrained, when shall be bound, when the blessings of Restitution shall have uplifted mankind from sin and degradation.

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## OLD TESTAMENT TIMES

## BROOKLYN TABERNACLE

## BIBLE STUDIES

## HOLY NATION PICTURED

March 26

Happy the people that fear the Lord! Happy the people who have God for their God!—Psalm 145:19.

When God accepted Israel to be his people, he entered into a Covenant or agreement with them. He gave them the Law, represented in the Ten Commandments, as the basis of the nation which Moses mediated. Is-  
agreed to be faithful to God, and keep those commandments perfect. And God agreed that in that event would bless them; they should be people, and by doing the things taught in the Law should live everlastingly, not die. Not only so, but he promised to bless them in all the temporal affairs of life.

Israel failed to get these blessings, the same reason that any other people would have failed; namely, because God's Law is perfect, the measure of a perfect man's ability: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all heart, mind, being and strength; thou shalt love thy neighbor as self." Hence, the Israelites continued to die, as their fathers had done, as all mankind die—not being able to keep the Divine Law perfectly.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

Sanitary Values Placed On Various Styles of Toilets.

Sanitarians representing North Carolina and other Southern states engaged in crusades against typhoid fever and hookworm diseases at a recent meeting in Atlanta, have agreed on a sanitary valuation for the various styles of privies ordinarily used. As typhoid fever, hookworm disease and the dysenteries are carried in, and scattered with, human excrement, a privy which prevents the spread of these diseases has a high value.

Valuations expressed in percentages:

Failure to have any kind of a privy on premises represents 0 per cent, sanitary value. The ordinary privy open behind, unprotected from flies, dogs, washing rains, etc., has 10 per cent sanitary value.

The same style privy having a hinged flap in the rear coming down close to the ground is given a sanitary value of 25 per cent.

A privy having a covered seat, a closed hinged door in the rear, and tubs or pails in which the excrement is collected for subsequent disposal, if not rigidly fly proof, is valued at 50 per cent.

This same style of privy, having a rigidly fly proof vault under the seat and water tight tubs or pails, kept in good condition, is valued at 75 per cent.

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## A FEARLESS, HONEST PREACHER GIVES HIS OPINION OF PE-RU-NA.

An Up-to-Date Clergyman Describes an Up-to-Date Household Remedy that Has Had the Test of Time and Is Known the World Over.

Some preachers are afraid to give an outspoken opinion on any remedy, however highly they may esteem it. Others are not afraid.

One of those who is not afraid is quoted below. Read what he says. He means every word of it. If you doubt it write him a letter, enclosing a stamp. He will tell you what he thinks.

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Rev. J. T. Peeler

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REV. J. T. PEELER, Hendersonville, N. C., writes:



## WHAT GOVERNOR FOLK SAY.

## Democratic Prospects for 1912 Are Bright.

The Denver Times recently printed the following news item: Declared former Governor Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, a smooth-faced, dimpled-chinned man of forty-one years, when talking with a Times representative: "These are some of the things I favor—

"A reciprocity treaty with Canada.  
"A Popular election of United States senators.  
"Commission form of administration for cities.

"Uniformity of laws in the several states.  
"And I believe that the national democratic party will be successful in 1912 if it advocates real democratic principles.

"I am opposed to—  
"The new nationalism of Mr. Roosevelt.

"Protective tariff, bounties and subsidies in any form."  
Mr. Folk did not become heated while expounding his views. He is a calm man. He is cheerful, dark complexioned, a little above medium height and carries a hearty handshake around with him on his journeys. Just now he is here because of a contract that he had with the teachers' club of Denver to deliver an address at Trinity M. E. church.

"I favor reciprocity with Canada," said Mr. Folk in his room at the Brown Hotel, "because it will open up a vast domain to American trade and will not cost the country a cent. The United States is spending millions of dollars to open up trade in South America. The United States is spending hundreds of millions to build the Panama canal for the purpose of extending trade. The proposed treaty with Canada will cost nothing. I believe that it should be adopted by congress.

"As to the election of senators by direct vote of the people, it simply not only shed eternal emf et alardw is another step in government, not only only of and by the people but people but g

government for the people. When our constitution was being framed the fear was that the people might confiscate the property of the well-to-do. That the time would ever come when the rights of the people would be in danger through accumulation of capital, did not occur to our fathers of the republic, so they provided a house of representatives to representatives

sent the people and for a senate elected by the legislatures of the various states to represent property.

"We now have learned that property interests should not be inconsistent with the public interests, and that officials should represent no class but the entire public.

"The commission form of civic administration is an excellent one. A city government is not a sovereign government like a state or national government, but is a business corporation and should be modeled after a business corporation. The idea is to have five directors to conduct the affairs of the city. There is no reason that I know of why a commission system of administration should not be successful in a large city like Denver."

In reply to further queries, Mr. Folk said:

"I do not favor the new nationalism because I think the integrity of the states should be preserved. The

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## GREAT SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING.

## Twenty-Eighth Annual Convention of N. C. S. S. Association.

The greatest Sunday school meeting of the year will take place in High Point, April 24-28.

The music will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler. Mr. Butler has been for several years past with Dr. R. A. Torrey in his evangelistic tours. He is well known as a leader of evangelistic singing and as a soloist of unusual ability. His wife has a very sweet soprano voice. Their solos and duets are inspiring and uplifting.

The railroads have granted reduced rates from all parts of the state. The tickets will be sold on the certificate plan and will be one and one-half fare, plus 50c for round trip. Tickets will be on sale from April 22-26, with final limit May 2nd.

Each county is entitled to as many delegates as there are townships in the county. This does not mean that every township must be represented, but that the basis of delegation shall be the number of townships in the county.

All delegates will pay a registration fee of \$1.00. This will be paid at High Point when assignment to home is made. All delegates will receive entertainment during the convention, a seat in the convention with county delegation, a souvenir badge, convention program, a right to voice and vote in all the deliberations of the body, helpful literature of various kinds.

Entertainment will be provided all delegates by the citizens of High Point, during the three days of the convention.

Mr. Marion Lawrence, general secretary and Mr. W. N. Hartshorn, chairman of the executive committee, will be the representatives of the International Sunday School Association.

The program is one of the very best ever prepared on Sunday school work.

This convention is interdenominational. Those desiring to attend should send their names to the county association secretary, or J. Van Carter, general secretary, Raleigh, and receive appointment as a delegate.

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## THE BANK OF GRIFTON

AT GRIFTON, N. C.

in the State of North Carolina at the close of business, March 7th, 1911.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 26,783.16	Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 10,000
Overdrafts.....	321.43	Surplus fund.....	500
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	1,474.52	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid.....	551
Due from banks and bankers.....	10,163.58	Time certificates of deposit.....	1,756
Cash items.....	99.07	Deposits subject to check.....	28,641
Gold coin.....	25.00	Due to banks and bankers.....	210
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency.....	473.37	Accrued interest due depositors.....	328
National bank notes and other U. S. notes.....	1,999.00		
Total.....	\$ 41,958.23	Total.....	\$ 41,958

State of North Carolina, County of Hnt, ss:

I, G. T. Gardner, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. T. GARDNER, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1911.

J. C. GASKINS, Notary Public.

My commission expires December 31, 1912.

R. E. JENKINS, W. W. DAWSON, C. J. TUCKER, Directors.

## Atlantic Coast Line Railroad

## SCHEDULES

Between Norfolk, Washington, Plymouth, Greenville, and Kingston. Effective November 1st, 1910.

8:15 a.m.	Lv.	Norfolk	Ar.	1:35 p.m.
11:53 a.m.	Lv.	Hobgood	Lv.	9:45 a.m.
11:55 a.m.	Lv.	Hobgood	Ar.	9:42 a.m.
1:40 p.m.	Ar.	Washington	Lv.	8:00 a.m.
1:17 p.m.	Ar.	Williamston	Lv.	8:17 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	Ar.	Plymouth	Lv.	7:35 a.m.
1:12 p.m.	Ar.	Greenville	Lv.	8:23 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	Ar.	Kingston	Lv.	7:20 a.m.

For further information, address nearest ticket agent or W. H. WARD, Ticket Agent Greenville, N. C.

W. J. CRAIG, P. T. M. E. C. WHITE, G. P. A. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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## PROFITS IN PEANUTS.

## Great Possibilities of Crop Pointed Out in Agricultural Bulletin.

Washington, March 14.—The possibilities for the profitable cultivation of the peanut in the Southern states, especially in the cotton boll weevil belt, where this insect has rendered it almost impossible to grow cotton with success, are pointed out in a bulletin on "The Peanut" just issued by the department of agriculture. In fact, it is shown that the peanut may be grown in the boll weevil districts in the South with much more profit than the white staple. When the value of the commercial peanut crop of the United States for 1908 was estimated at \$12,000,000, the wonder is expressed that this article of food is not more generally cultivated, particularly in the South and southwest, where it can be grown with great profit.

The demand for the peanut as an article of food is naturally growing. In this connection, the interesting fact is developed that this country is a large purchaser of peanut oil from abroad, while there are thousands of waste lands in the South capable of producing enough peanuts to keep the cotton seed oil mills running and furnish more than enough oil for home consumption.

That the cultivation of the peanut is a profitable industry may be seen from the figures of the bulletin. An acre of first-class peanuts, calculating the yield at a ton of vines, worth from \$8 to \$10, and 60 bushels of peas, worth \$40 and \$60, will give an income of \$48 to \$70. The cost of growing an acre of peanuts is variously estimated at \$12 to \$25, thus showing a net return of \$36 to \$45. This is above the average crop as now grown in the United States, it is but decidedly lower than may be expected under favorable and proper conditions.

## A Fierce Night Alarm.

Is the hoarse, startling cough of a child, suddenly attacked by croup. Often it aroused Lewis Chamblin, of Manchester, O., (R. R. No. 2) for their four children were greatly subject to croup. "Sometimes in severe attacks" he wrote, "we were afraid they would die, but since we proved what a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup and for coughs, colds or any throat or lung trouble." So do thousands of others. So may you. Asthma, hay fever, lagrippe, whooping cough, hemorrhages fly before it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold by all druggists.

## Marriage Licenses.

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

WHITE.  
William R. Griffin and Margaret Ross.

COLORED.  
Benjamin Williams and Laura Johnson.

Oscar Gainer and Annie Little.  
Henry Speight and Annie Bynum.  
James Hardy and Laura Daniel.  
Fest Harris and Effie Foreman.

## Again With Munford.

Mrs. M. T. Cowell will again be with C. T. Munford in the millinery department this season. Mrs. Cowell has had years of experience as a trimmer, and her work is that of an artist.

## IN NEW YORK

## Where Curtiss Thought Out His Hydro-Aeroplane.

A story is told of Mr. Curtiss and his plan for this hydro-aeroplane, which illustrates the fact that, like other men of note whose energies are given largely to invention and original experiment. Mr. Curtiss is given to complete absorption in his work to the exclusion of all surroundings, no matter what they say may be, for during the period when he was planning these series of experiments, he attended a New York theatre with Mrs. Curtiss to see a popular play. The curtain went up on the first act and the aviator was apparently enjoying the acting, when just as the scene developed one of its most interesting climaxes he turned to Mrs. Curtiss and said, "I've got it." On the theatre program had been sketched what ultimately became the design for the new Curtiss hydro-aeroplane.

The French navy are now building a war vessel especially adapted for carrying aeroplanes, having long flat platforms from which to launch them and having also facilities to bring them on board if they land on the water alongside.

When aeroplanes are equipped like Mr. Curtiss, with hydroplanes and pontoons, they can be launched upon the water as you would launch a life boat from the deck of a vessel, and then start up and fly to the shore and, after returning, land alongside to be raised to the deck of the vessel and stowed away on deck or taken to pieces and placed below until needed again.—Augustus Post, in April Columbian.

## Advertising and Business.

An advertising expert who knows business as well as advertising—business building and business keeping—says this:

If you want to stay in business in the advertising field.

No matter how much business you are doing, keep up the energy that makes it.

You might as well cut off your leg because you are running well in a foot race as to cut off your advertising because your business is good.

"Don't need to," is the eventual preliminary to "Can't do it."

The only man who doesn't need to advertise is the man who has retired from business.

Advertising keeps a business healthy.

It tones up its liver, strengthens its biceps, steadies its heart and keeps its nerves in order.

Once in a while a man decides that he is doing so much business that he can stop advertising for a while and run on momentum.

Momentum is the gradual process toward a full stop.

The momentum business is usually prematurely full-stopped by the straight left jab of the well trained competitor who finds his opening in the fifteenth round.—EX.

## Has Millions of Friends.

How would you like to number your friends by millions as Bucklen's Arnica Salve does? Its astounding cures in the past forty years made them. Its best Salve in the world for sores, ulcers, eczema, burns, boils, scalds, cuts, corns, sore eyes, sprains, swellings, bruises, old sores. Has no equal for piles. 25c at all druggists.

## The Value of a Good Pastor

Though a great deal of useful work is accomplished by other agencies, the churches are now, as they have been for generations, the greatest factor for good in a community. The ministers are the directors of their activities, the generals and commanders of the forces that make for righteousness. In every good word and work they are foremost. An able, earnest pastor is a valuable asset to the community at large, as well as to his own church. He is a builder and is more valuable than factories, or even than schools. And just as the loss of a good pastor is a calamity, so the coming of a new minister brings a new force for good into the community. \* \* \*

"Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to the people." There is nothing so costly, nothing so wasteful, as immorality. We pay the bill in jails, hospitals, a crime of a thousand kinds, in ruined lives, in the transformation of men and women who should be an asset to the community into a heavy burden. A good pastor is a substantial acquisition to the forces that are fighting for the upbuilding of a city, that must fight continually in order to preserve it from the constant menace of evil. The fight goes on, and as one brave soldier falls another steps into the ranks to take his place.—Baltimore Sun.

## Colonel Bryan as a "Jiner."

During his visit to Boston last week Col. William Jennings Bryan made a brief address to the members of Horace Greely Lodge, Knights of Pythias, in which he said, "When I joined the Knights off Pythias, which was the first fraternity I ever joined, I was conscious of violating a kind of implied promise to my wife. When she was my sweetheart I remarked to her once that I didn't belong to any secret societies and so was not liable to go away from home in the evening. I did not say it very loud and was not conscious that she paid any particular attention to my statement, but when I went home about daylight after joining the Knights I found that it was one of the most distinct recollections in her mind. Now I am a Mason, an Elk, an Eagle, a Woodman, a Highlander and many others. I have observed that all these fraternities are all built upon words, phrases and teachings which represent heart characteristics. They teach the things which bind us together. I believe these fraternities are among the most potent influences in bringing mankind together.—Boston Post.

## Phonetically.

Upon a certain occasion General Sherman was the guest of honor at a banquet after which a reception was held. Among other people who fled in to shake hands with him General Sherman noticed a face that was very familiar, but which he could not place.

The man blushed and murmured behind a deprecatory hand: "Made your shirt, sir."

"Gentlemen, allow me to present Major Schurtz—Human Life."

"Ah, of course," exclaimed the general loudly, and turning to the receiving committee behind him, he said:

The less confidence a man has in himself the more he seems to have in others.

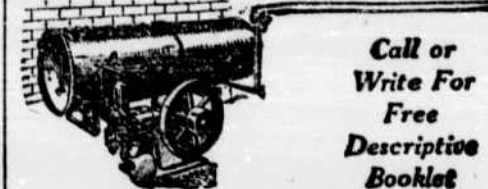


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"Who are you?" he asked in an apologetic aside, as he welcomed the guest heartily.



## THE SOIL.

## What Constitutes Soil Fertility? What Does the Term Mean to You?

What is soil fertility? What does the term mean to you? What is your standard of measurement? What are the conditions or factors which control or constitute soil fertility?

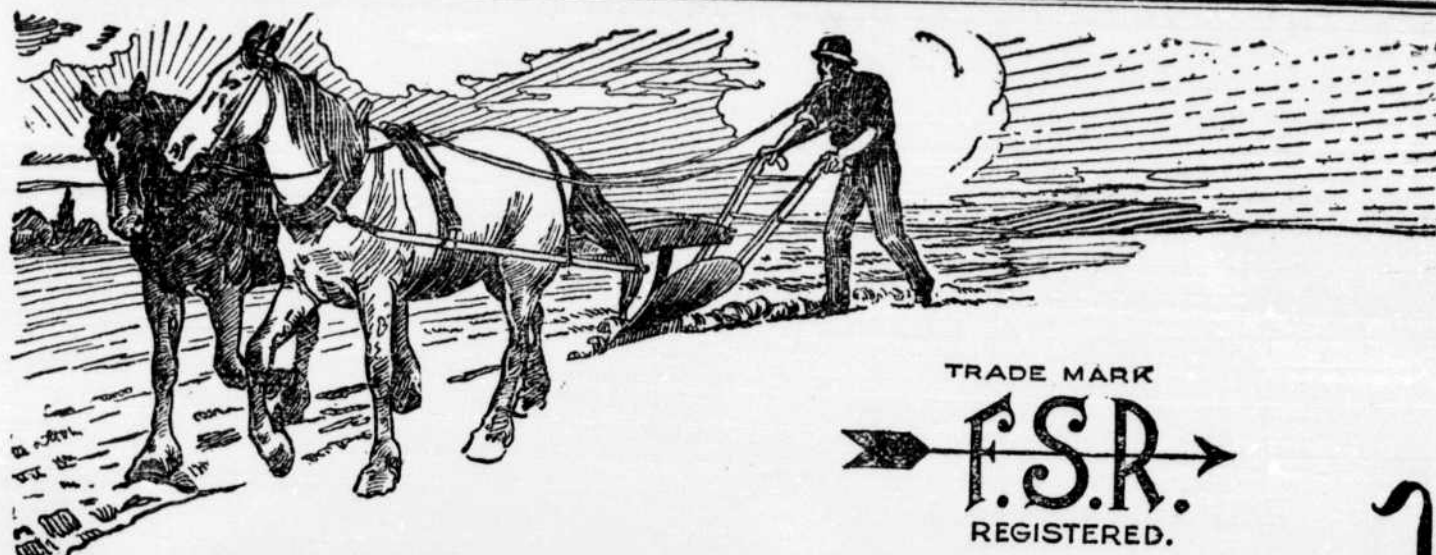
It appears that, to some, the quantity of the so-called plant foods, nitrogen, potash and phosphoric acid, which are applied to or contained in the land, is the most important factor in measuring the fertility of productive power of a soil. To others the proper amount of humus, or decaying organic matter in a soil, is the measure of its fertility, or at least, is the first essential of soil fertility. Still others believe that tillage determines more largely than any other factor the productive capacity of soils. And still others, even certain scientists and investigators have claimed that soil fertility is almost entirely a question of a proper supply of moisture in the soil, independent of its chemical composition, except as this chemical composition effects its power to furnish a proper water supply.

That all soils contain sufficient plant foods for the production of large crops, or that the supply of water is the sole measure of soil fertility, will be accepted by few; but if any one factor could be singled out as the most important in determining the fertility of any soil, it would certainly be the one of a proper supply of water. The lesson which must first be learned is, that soil fertility is dependent upon many different factors, and that if we neglect any one of the factors, or if we greatly exaggerate another, we shall most likely fall short of that grasp of the subject necessary to the best soil management.

If we admit that good tillage, sufficient plant foods, organic decay and bacterial life and a properly regulated supply of moisture are all essential to large crop production, or maximum soil fertility, it is not quite proper or accurate to state that any one of these is, in the true sense, the most important; but since all others of these are more or less dependent upon one, water, it may be placed first in consideration.

Most soils contain much more plant foods than would be required to produce scores of maximum crops; but these are useless for crop production until dissolved in the soil water. Organic matter decays through bacterial activities, which break down and render soluble plant foods in the soil; but one equally important function of decaying organic matter in the soils water supply. If, then, sufficient plant foods in the soil, decaying organic matter and a proper water supply are the three most important factors in soil fertility, it is entirely proper to place the water supply as first in importance. Organic matter would be placed second because its decay tends to render the plant foods already in the soil available to crops and to regulate the water supply in which the plant foods are dissolved and carried to the growing plants.

These, then, are our problems: (1) To control the water supply by drainage and the introduction of organic matter, and (2) to furnish soluble plant foods by introducing organic matter which in its decay will supply substances to dissolve the plant foods already in the soil, and by the addition of other supplies of plant foods in commercial fertilizers. Raleigh Progressive Farmer.



## The Origin of Royster Fertilizers.

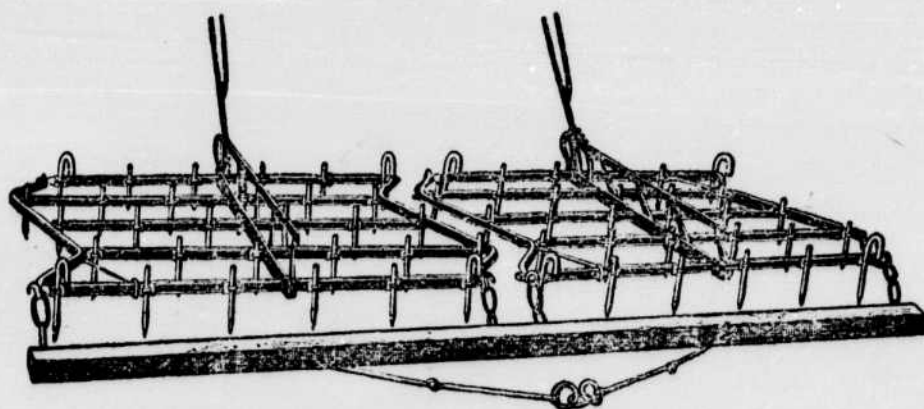
Mr. Royster believed that success awaited the Manufacturer of Fertilizers who would place quality above other considerations. This was Mr. Royster's idea Twenty-seven years ago and this is his idea to-day; the result has been that it requires Eight Factories to supply the demand for Royster Fertilizers.

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Very often you can sell things that you couldn't give away.

## Kinston Hospital.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Robert Bruce McDaniel Memorial Hospital at Kinston. This institution contains home-like comforts and the highest grade of hospital advantages. It is convenient to the people of Greenville and Pitt county, and offers its advantages at reasonable rates.

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Agriculture is the Most Useful, the Most Healthful, the Most Noble Employment of Man.—George Washington.

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## The Great Value of Neighborhood Co-Operation

By A. J. MOYE

Farmville, N. C., March 28, 1911.

There is a small island off the coast of England which is famous and prosperous beyond most islands, and this fame and prosperity is attributed to co-operation among its inhabitants in the raising of one specific breed of cattle. These cattle are widely distinguished in the United States and fabulous prices have been obtained by the islanders for superior specimens of the breed. By this co-operation they have produced a breed of cattle par excellence for butter. I of course refer to the island of Jersey.

The people over in Virginia in the vicinity of a small place named Smithfield, have by working together produced a superior ham and now all that they have are sold in the markets for from three to five cents per pound above any other ham.

Troy, New York, owes its prosperity to co-operation among its people in manufacturing linen collars.

If this little island has derived such great benefit from this spirit of co-operation only, cannot other communities do the same thing? What has been done can be done provided the same or similar conditions exist or may be caused to exist.

Whatever one can do himself well is best done by himself, but whatever the neighborhood can do best should be done by the neighbors co-operating together.

I will suggest some things in which I think it profitable if those residing in the same vicinity should all do alike. First, there should be a gathering at the public school house and the majority should rule, due regard being shown to the prejudice of those who are the most contentious.

Having decided that the Berkshire

hogs are the best for said community, then every one should raise Berkshire hogs who raises hogs. Soon some one would have some fine specimens for sale and might realize a handsome profit.

Whenever the neighborhood produced more than it could consume, then one advertisement could answer for all, thereby saving quite a little sum, besides only the best specimens would be sold which would add prestige to the neighborhood. Then there would be competition, each one would strive to have nicer hogs and raise them cheaper.

They would soon be more intelligent hog raisers. All having the same kind would create an enthusiasm just as planting prolific corn has enthused the boys.

Then this rivalry would soon create a neighborhood spirit and each one would be proud of his neighborhood and strive to make it the very best

neighborhood in the county.

One man could take the stock to the fairs and all would share the burden and help reap the benefits. In the course of time the neighborhood would have a statewide reputation, and if the neighbors were sufficiently energetic eventually they would have a national reputation.

We have been wasting our opportunity by being selfish.

What I have written of hogs would apply equally to chickens, cattle and sheep and in a measure to corn and cotton.

I am myself ready to enter into such an agreement and if my immediate neighbors don't just now see as I do, I will join any ten farmers in the county and let all agree to raise some kind of corn and cotton and breed the same class of cattle and hogs.

I would like to hear from others on this line.

## IMPORTANT

## Cost of Production All Important in Farming.

European farmers work upon the principle of making the cost of production the essential thing. The American farmer generally speaking, has not looked to this matter, looking to an immense acreage to cover up any deficiency of production, based upon acreage basis. Limited acreage has naturally developed the European to practice an intensive farming through necessity, this working to an advantage. Every cent had to count in this kind of limited cultivation, the dollar going into the cost of production had to be more than realized in the farm's returns, so that every foot cultivated is developed in the highest degree, for failure meant disaster. All this has produced an extreme economical farming, much in contrast to the American prodigality. Take the potato crop, with its average of 88 bushels per acre in this country. The farmer

raising 300 bushels boasts of his skill. But take the limited area in England the farmer there often raises 1,000 bushels, while in Belgium 1,600 bushels are raised.

The American farm waste has always been large, because of the very bountifulness of our soils, and the cheapness of the land. The increase in land values is working a benefit, in breaking up the large farms, and the smaller farms are receiving closer attention and being cultivated with the money cost an essential factor. With intensive farming, which comes with the small farm, the agricultural products of this country will increase to a vast extent in value, for there will be a great saving in the cost of production.—Newbern Journal.

## Commerce Treaty Signed.

Tokio, March 29.—Treaty of commerce between Japan and the United States was ratified today by the privy council. The signed treaty will be exchanged April 4th.

## THE COUNTY COMMITTEE NAMED

Committee Will Meet Friday, 31st, to Arrange Details. The arrangements for the organization of the Boys' Corn Club in this county have about been completed. Committees have been appointed to have charge of and encourage certain features of the work which has been assigned to each committee. These committees are earnestly urged to push the work so that we may make it a great year for corn raising in the county.

It is important that the names of boys who will enter the contest be sent to W. H. Ragsdale, Greenville. The plan now is to offer township prizes as well as county prizes, and in consequence every township in the county ought to have a number of boys in the contest. It is probable that when the county committee meets to arrange the details and announce the prizes that it will be necessary that a certain number of boys in each township shall enter the con-

test in that township, or the township prize will not be offered.

The following county committee has been appointed: W. H. Ragsdale, A. J. Moye, J. F. Evans, R. L. Little, and D. J. Whichard.

This county committee will please meet in the office of the county superintendent next Friday, March 31st, to arrange the details of the contest and announce the prizes. Let each member of the committee be present promptly at 2 o'clock p. m.

## The Best Legacy.

A good roads bond issue would be the best legacy we could leave our children. It is a debt of gratitude they would appreciate. What other debt could you think of leaving? They would be proud of paying? Could you think of an inheritance you could leave them that would add more to their comfort and enjoyment as well as prosperity than good roads and good schools.—Asheboro

Paying debts is not spending money given to yelling "muckraker."