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Will Mrs. Nation's hatchet live as long in history as George Washington's?

The Orange, Va., Observer is twenty years old. It is a very bright paper, and we believe as widely quoted from any country paper published. May it live long to make its observations.

The bond bill for Greenville has passed both branches of the Legislature. Now let the people go to work and see that the election on the second Tuesday in April is carried in favor of the bonds.

We are indebted to Congressman John H. Small, representative from this district, for a copy of the Congressional Directory of the second session of the 56th Congress. It is a very complete book containing much useful information.

It is said that the Supreme Court Judges against whom the House of Representatives adopted a resolution for impeachment, will be arraigned for trial before the Senate on March 1st. This will give the Judges ten days in which to get ready their side of the case. There is much conjecture as to what the result of the trial will be. Opinion is greatly divided.

There is blood in the moon around Charlotte and Raleigh. For sometime in the latter place the News & Observer and Past have been seeing how many hard things they could say about each other, and now the Raleigh and Charlotte Observer are throwing torpedoes at each other. The boys ought to consider that they are not doing themselves or anybody else any good by such controversy.

A Wilkesbarre, Pa., woman tackled an oyster a few days ago and discovered a few valves at eight cents, one big one worth more in proportion. She is thinking about going into the oyster slacking business.—Wilmington Star.

Mrs. Adams, the wife of a mine in Boise City, Idaho, some time ago attended a picnic where the eatables were spread on a flat ledge of rock. While they were eating she discovered specks of gold in the rock, but kept mum and went on eating. It wasn't long before she had a claim located. It panned out rich, and the other day she sold out for \$250,000 cash and is now going to take a picnic in Europe.—Wilmington Star.

The Durham Herald comments the president of the Baptist Female University at Raleigh for having promptly given out the news when a case of smallpox developed in his institution last week, and adds that "time was when a home paper printing a news item of this kind would have been accused of working against the best interests of the city and the institution." Such was the case, and yet it has been ascertained that in the case of the breaking out in a community of a contagious or infectious disease, the best service that a newspaper can do the community and the general public is to publish the straight facts of the matter and to keep up with them from day to day. It is true that this policy will keep some people from the town for the long time, but not so many nor for so long a time as exaggerated reports become current—as is always the case—and the silence of the press prove a purpose to conceal something. In this as in everything else honesty is the best policy.—Charlotte Observer.

OUR RALEIGH LETTER

Special Correspondent of Reflector.

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 18, 1901.

FEWER GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE.
The divorce bill was argued in the Senate for hours on Friday and Saturday—the contention being the amendment of the Senate committee adding abandonment for three years for divorce allowed by the House bill. The bill was finally the special order again—this time for next Wednesday.

NOT AN EASILY "INFLUENCED" LEGISLATURE.

I was talking with Senator Brown of Columbus the other night and we were discussing the passage of the Aycock school-book bill by a unanimous vote in the Senate and with less than a score of votes in the House against it, and the efforts now making in some quarters to exempt graded schools in the cities and towns from its provision—a plan which would deprive the school children and their parents of cheaper books.

Senator Brown, who worked hard with Senator Aycock for the passage of the bill, said: "I think the vote was a high compliment to this Legislature, and shows how devoted it is to the people's interests. I don't mean to say that any undue influences were attempted by any one in this matter, but the fact that the big book publishing firms were against it and had such a large array of learned and shrewd attorneys and agents at work here, would have led to the development of a much stronger opposition had the Legislature been less devoted to the State and the people it represents, and 'influences' that so often are brought to bear such cases had been attempted.

COMMISSARY EDUCATION OR NOT.
There is no pending in the Legislature a bill by Mr. Whitaker of Guilford relating to compulsory education that is an important one. It provides as follows: Section 1. That the Board of County Commissioners when petitioned by one-third of the qualified voters of the county, or any town or townships of said county, shall cause an election to be held upon the general provisions of the Education Law.

Section 2. That if at said election a majority of the votes cast be "for Compulsory Attendance," any child living in the said county, town, township or townships, who shall have reached the age of eighteen years, without being able to read and write any section of the Constitution in the English language, shall attend the public schools unless educated by other means, and shall be able to comply with the provision of this act: Provided, that said attendance shall not exceed sixteen months: Provided, further, this act shall apply to any child who is physically or mentally unable to attend school.

Section 3. That the parent or guardian of any child willfully violating the provisions of this act shall, upon conviction, be fined not exceeding \$5.00 for each offense.

Section 4. This act shall not operate in any school district where there are not sufficient accommodations in the public schools to accommodate children compelled to attend the public schools under the provisions of this act.

THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.
During the past week the joint committee on Congressional Districts held several meetings, at two of which party leaders from several districts appeared and argued their positions against the proposition to apportion ten new districts at this session. The majority were against arguing it would be best to put off two years and elect Congressmen at large next year. Strong arguments were made by some in favor of action now.

The committee has reached no decision yet, and until it does neither of the three bills that have been prepared so far, mapping out the districts, will be considered in detail. A conclusion will be reached this week probably.

LEWEXAM.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces a rate of one fare for the round trip to Washington, D. C., on the occasion of the presidential inauguration, March 4th. Tickets to be sold March 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

What the Law Makers are Doing.

TUESDAY, 19TH.

These were some of the new bills introduced:
By Warren, to place the court of arms of North Carolina on the State flag used by the State Guard.
By Broughton, to prohibit the running of four-wheel caboose cars.
By Henderson, to protect birds and birds nests.
By Woodard, to impose a tax of \$25 on all dealers in deadly weapons.

By James, to incorporate the Greenville and Vanceboro Railroad Company.
HOUSE.
Since the impeachment discussions have got out of the way this branch has got down to other work again. Some of the new bills introduced are:
By White, providing for the return of convicts to their homes.
By Patterson, to provide a short form for agricultural liens and chattel mortgages and to prescribe the fees for registering same.
To incorporate the Independent Order of Buffaloes.
By Thompson, to protect the owners of boats, skiffs and nets.
A resolution appointing a committee of nine managers from the House to prefer the charges of impeachment against the Supreme Court Judges at the bar of the Senate.

By Nichols, to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt county to levy a special tax.
By Nichols, to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.
By Nicholson, to incorporate the Washington and Plymouth Railroad Company.
By Nicholson, to promote propagation of birds and animals.

Showing That Cotton Must Go Up.
A copy of a cotton letter which has just been issued by B. Des Jardins, of Memphis, Tenn., in which are presented some interesting arguments going to show why cotton must go higher, has been handed to The Observer by a Charlotte cotton-buyer. Mr. Des Jardins thinks that a much larger proportion of the present crop has been marketed than usual. The fall and winter have been unprecedented for picking and moving the crop and the fields are now bare of cotton. The weather has been the finest ever known against the worst ever known in 1898-'99, the year of the largest crop on record—11,374,810 bales—yet from February 1, to September 1, 1899, there came into sight only 2,379,308 bales, and it is not reasonable to suppose that as much is held back now as was then; yet admitting that there is, this amount last quoted, added to the current crop already come into sight, would make the present crop 9,960,323 bales. Upon this basis the writer of the letter advises farmers to hold for better prices, saying:

The Southern holders are in a much better position today to hold their staple than ever before. The rate of interest is about one-half what it was ten years ago, and most of them do not need to borrow. Every bale will be needed and wanted before September 1, no matter what the prospect for the next crop will be, as it is well known that spinners have no stock on hand. My advice to holders of spots is to not sacrifice another bale at present low prices. Pay no attention whatever to the self-interested and biased utterances of some cotton buyers. The demand for spots will increase as the price goes up, which is always the case, and you will witness an unprecedented rash to cover their short sales.

We never advise farmers to either hold or sell cotton, for we never have any means of knowing what the cotton market, which is so largely the subject of manipulation, is going to do; but Mr. Des Jardins certainly makes out a good case and writes an interesting letter.—Charlotte Observer.

Bond Bill Passed.

On Monday the bill authorizing Greenville to hold an election on the question of issuing \$75,000 bonds passed its third reading in the House. The bill had previously passed its several readings in the Senate and is now a law. The graded school bill has also passed the Senate and is pending in the House.

AVERSION MAY TURN TO LOVE.

Aversion may turn to love, but not so easily as love to aversion.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, S. C., Feb. 20.

The report of smallpox being in Ayden caused no little ripple of excitement here yesterday. Later when it was learned that Doctors Laughhouse and Dixon had confirmed the report our people felt very much alarmed and grave fears were apprehended that we too might be cursed with the dreaded disease. There is much speculation as to taking advantage of such measures as will protect us from this awful scourge.

1,000 good lightwood hubs wanted by the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.
B. F. Ormond and Miss Lula Cox, of the Swift Creek section, were married yesterday evening at the home of Mr. Sebron Cox, father of the bride. After the marriage a reception was tendered the bridal party.

10,000 white oak spoked second year growth wanted by the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.
Miss Mary Harrington and Charles Westinghouse will this evening, at the home of the bride's parents, be united in the holy bonds of matrimony, and all their friends wish them a life of happiness without a single jar to disturb the serenity, peace and joy of the new home which they are about to enter.

Hausacker says he will challenge the world on pretty buggies. He has all kinds, even those that grow on honeysuckle vines.
Herbert White, of Greenville, was here yesterday talking insurance and we think he did a very nice business.
Mrs. Carroll, the aged mother of Messrs J. B. and W. M. Carroll, is quite ill.

There is a constant bark in the air, worse even than any bite. Have you heard it? We've got it and so has our best girl.
Rev. Mr. Eare of the Methodist denomination, preached here in the Missionary Baptist church last Sunday afternoon.

Friend Bob Smith, of Ayden, was in attendance upon preaching here last Sabbath.
You must excuse items this issue as the "little" grip has given us a "little" tussle and no "little" help being accorded us is simply left.
Still A. G. Cox is paying highest cash prices for cotton seed. [Say, "Bad Joe," you gave yourself away just a "little." We know her name now.—Ed.]

No Cigarettes to Minors.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 18.—The Brown anti-cigarette bill passed its second reading in the Senate yesterday. The bill reads thus:

"Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, offer to sell, give, buy, or offer to buy for any person, or persons under the age of 21 years in this State, any cigarettes, cigarette paper, or any substitute therefor. The father, or if he be dead, the mother, guardian or employer of any minor to whom a sale or gift shall be made in violation of this act, shall have a right of action in a civil court against the person or persons so offending by such sale or gift and upon proof of such illicit sale or gift shall recover from such party or parties so offending, such exemplary damages as a jury may assess; provided that such assessment shall not be less than \$25. And each retail dealer in cigarettes shall pay a tax of \$30 annually to go to the school fund, to be collected by the sheriffs and as a condition retail dealers in cigars are to collect under the act to raise revenue.

"Sec. 2. That any person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined or imprisoned, or both, at the discretion of the court."

Interesting Anniversary.

February 17th, in the Methodist church in Bethel, the ladies held a meeting in memory of Miss Frances E. Willard. Mr. Everett, one of the teachers in the Academy, delivered a well prepared address and Miss Grimes read a fine selection. Appropriate songs were well sung. A large number of men, women and children stood to say they would practice total abstinence, to encourage others in the way of safety. Our little town rejoices in being "dry."

A. D. BETTS.

DIED IN CHURCH.

Mrs. Henrietta Williams Suddenly Summoned From Earth.

Sunday was a beautiful day, such a day as would incline all devout hearts to desire to worship Almighty God and praise Him for the blessings vouchsafed to His children. Rev. Nathaniel Harding, of Washington, was here to conduct the services in St. Paul's Episcopal church, and Mrs. Henrietta Williams, though in feeble health, felt inclined to attend the morning prayer in the church so dear to her and of which she had long been a most faithful member. She reached the church a few minutes to 11 o'clock, just before time for the service to begin, and upon taking her seat turned to speak to a friend, remarking that she rode to the church, but felt greatly fatigued. Scarcely had the words passed her lips when her head fell back and she began gasping. Persons sitting near quickly caught her to prevent her falling. In a few moments she had passed away peacefully, and apparently without the slightest pain of death.

It was decided not to remove the body from the church to her late residence, so the casket was taken there and the body remained in the church until the hour for the funeral this afternoon.

Mrs. Williams was the widow of the late Dr. Richard Williams. She was in her 69th year, and for the last two or three years had been in feeble health. She was an earnest christian and lived a sweet, pure life in the service of the Master. She was kind and generous, always ready and willing to do what she could in ministering to others. Her sudden death was a shock to the community and filled many hearts with deep sorrow.

Six children survive her. These are Mrs. Elizabeth Swindell, Capt. Richard Williams, Miss Adelaide Williams and Mrs. W. H. Long, of Greenville, and Mrs. W. M. Russ and Mr. J. E. Williams, of Raleigh. They all, together with the sorrowing relatives, have the sympathy of the community in their great grief.

No services were held in the Episcopal church Sunday, but at 10 o'clock this morning a special communion was administered by Rev. N. Harding. At this service he made some beautiful remarks upon the life of the deceased. The funeral took place at 4 o'clock this afternoon, the services conducted by Rev. N. Harding and his son, Rev. F. H. Harding. The pall bearers were Messrs. A. L. Blow, Henry Harding, J. B. Cherry, J. M. Reuss, W. B. Wilson and I. A. Sugg.—Daily Ref.

FOR IMPEACHMENT.

Craig Resolution Adopted.

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Mayor's Court.

Mayor J. G. Moye was absent from town this morning, and Alderman W. R. Parker, Mayor pro tem, held the court. The following cases have been disposed of since last report:
Thos. Moye, assault with deadly weapon, case dismissed for want of evidence.
W. H. Averett, drunk and disorderly, fined \$1 and costs, \$3.20.
M. H. Quinley and Fred Cox, riotous and disorderly, fined one penny and half costs each, total \$2.26.
William Moore, drunk and disorderly, judgment suspended upon payment of costs, \$2.25.

BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., Feb. 18, 1901.
B. W. Moseley, of Greenville, spent Saturday and Sunday here. He has just recovered from sickness.
Misses Mattie and Effie Grimes spent Wednesday in Tarboro.
Rev. Jas. E. Rose left here Saturday to hold service at Everett's.
O. B. Hawkins, of Everett, was in town today on business.
E. D. Taylor, of Tarboro, came down Sunday to see his best girl.
One of the farm homes of J. R. Carson was burned down Saturday night. How the fire originated it is unknown.
William Staton, while coming from his brothers, down on Great Swamp, lost his crutches. He would be pleased if any one would inquire for them.

Marriage License.

Register of Deeds Moore issued license to the following couple last week:
WHITE.
Geo. Oham and Bettie E. Smith, John D. Walton and Alice B. Jones.
COLORADO.
Cornelius Jones and Lula Moye, Lila Hunter and Claude Barrett.
David Garris and Farrow Purnes, Oscar Joyner and Martha Fleming.
Jos. T. Daniel and Ida Chapman.
Herbert Darden and Hattie Wilkes.

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Men and Boys Clothing Especially are being sold out at greatly reduced prices, as we are closing out that line.

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End of the Century Club.

At the home of the President, Mrs. Harry Skinner, the Book Club held its semi-monthly meeting on Tuesday last.
After the regular business of the Club was concluded the discussion relative to the purchase of new books was resumed and the secretary was advised to order the following: Unleaved Bread, The Old Gentleman of the Black Stock, Helbeck of Banstead, The Redemption of David Caron, The Reign of Leon, Alice of Old Vincennes, one other Magazine, Every-body's magazine was also subscribed to.

The subject for the afternoon—Famous Women of South America, in which many interesting facts relative to life in South America were given—was most delightfully and entertainingly handled by Mrs. Jarvis.
The hostess then furnished an interesting guessing contest in which the prize, a very dainty picture, was won by Mrs. Fleming.
After most thorough enjoyment of the good things provided by the hostess, the Club adjourned to meet with the Secretary, Mrs. Fordyce Harding, on Tuesday, February the twenty-sixth.

Know a Lot After The Paper is Out.

"It is mighty queer," says the Scranton Gazette, "how some people will rear up in their hind feet and paw the air when some item of news happens to be a little off on facts; yet these same people would not tell you the item if you asked for it before the paper was printed. There are some people from whom you could not draw a local with a cork screw—they absolutely don't know any news. But after the paper comes out they will say that you are misinformed about some local happening and wonder why you can't get things straight."

Woman's Life....

It is hard enough as it is. It is to her that we owe our world, and everything should be made as easy as possible for her at the time of childbirth. This is just what

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will do. It will make a baby's coming easy and painless, and that without taking dangerous drugs into the system. It is simply to be applied to the muscles of the abdomen. It penetrates through the skin carrying strength and elasticity with it. It strengthens the whole system and prevents all of the discomforts of pregnancy.
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CORSETS. J. Boyer's Price 65c. OUR PRICE 29 cents.	Mens Shoes. J. Boyer's price \$2.50. OUR PRICE \$1.24.	Overcoats. J. Boyer's price 8 & \$10. OUR PRICE \$3.98	Mens Suits. J. Boyer's Price \$7, \$8 & \$10. OUR PRICE \$2.19, \$3.68, \$4.42
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SALE BEGINS SATURDAY MORN., FEB. 23rd, 1901.

SHEETING. J. Boyer's Price 6c OUR PRICE 4 3/4c Only 10 yards to customer	MENS' UNDERWEAR. J. Boyer's \$2.75 kind, OUR PRICE 98c.	Bed Steads. J. Boyer's price \$6.00. OUR PRICE \$2.98.	Ladies' Shoes. J. Boyer's price \$1.50, \$2.50 OUR PRICE 69c & \$1.29.	Ladies' Capes. J. Boyer's price \$2.50, \$3.00 OUR PRICE 97c \$1.16.
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CALICO. J. Boyer's price 6c yd., OUR PRICE 4c. Only 10 yards to customer	SOX. 4c a Pair.	SALE WILL BEGIN SATUR. MORN. FEB. 23.	Ladies Shirts. J. Boyer's Price 15 & 25 OUR PRICE 9c.	Ladies' Coats. J. Boyer's price \$3.50, \$4.50 OUR PRICE \$3.62.
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A Desperate Effort to Sell Everything Without Delay.

NO EXAGGERATION
No misleading statements, nothing but genuine Bargains in everything in the wearing apparel for Men Women and Children.

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STORE WILL BE CLOSED FEB. 22nd.

EASTERN REFLECTOR. SUPPLEMENT.

GETTING NEARER.

Supposed Smallpox in Ayden.

If all reports are true smallpox is getting nearer to us, a supposed case having been discovered at Ayden. The local physicians have pronounced it smallpox and the State inspector has been advised to go there to investigate it.

With the disease getting so near to Greenville our people should not be indifferent about it. There is no occasion for anyone to get needlessly alarmed, nor is it worth while for anyone to get foolish about it. The best safeguard is vaccination. All who have not been successfully vaccinated in recent years should go to their physician and be vaccinated and then go along about their business. The medical authorities pronounce this the best preventative and those desiring to be safe from the disease should avail themselves of it.—Daily Reflector, 19th.

Not Smallpox.

We learn from Ayden this morning that the case of supposed smallpox in that town has been pronounced by Dr. Joshua Taylor, the State expert, not to be smallpox. We are very glad that it is not smallpox, and this brings THE REFLECTOR back to its original claim, that in all the smallpox agitation of the last year or two there has not been found a case in Pitt county. However, this is no reason why our people should be careless about it, and the best thing is to be vaccinated.—Daily Reflector, 29th.

The close of the Pierpont-Carnegie deal gives Carnegie \$200,000,000 in bonds, and an income of \$15,000,000 a year, which is doing pretty well for a fellow who at the age of 30 was a telegraph operator, living on tick, as it were.—Wilmington Star.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina

W. B. Taylor, agent of the Atlantic Coast Line at Rennett, died Tuesday night of heart failure.

Dr. G. L. Kirby, Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane at Raleigh, died Tuesday night.

A pack house belonging to W. C. Fields, near Kinston, was destroyed by fire Monday night, with a total net loss of about \$800. The building contained a lot of farm implements, cotton seed, peas, potatoes and fertilizers, the latter having just been stored in it.

Murdered a Whole Family.

New Orleans, Feb. 17.—A negro named Thias Jackson was lynched today at St. Peter, a station on the Texas & Pacific road, about 20 miles above this city. Jackson's crime was particularly fiendish. About 9 o'clock this morning he visited the home of Alex Burgoise, the engineer of the drainage machine on Belle Point plantation, some distance from the plantation quarters, going there on a tricycle. He told Burgoise the manager wanted him, and the engineer mounted the tricycle with him.

A little way further on Jackson stabbed the engineer in the back and then threw the body into a ditch. He then returned to the house and butchered Mrs. Burgoise and the two babies and ransacked the house. Two boys were visiting the family and when they caught the first glimpse of the negro they hid in the woods. After the negro's departure they gave the alarm and returned with a mob of several hundred. The negro was traced to his home, fully identified by the boys, and was hung and his body riddled with bullets before the sheriff arrived.

To be virtuous is to remain so. Truth must stand.

Daughters Confederate.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. E. B. Ficklen, on Friday afternoon, Washington's birthday. Every member of the chapter is requested to be present promptly at 3 o'clock.

Christian Services.

Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor of the Christian church, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening. Arrangements have been made for him to preach there the second and fourth Sundays in each month until the Christian church building is completed and ready for use.

Humber-Wedmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Humber request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their sister, Flossie Jemette,

to Mr. Harry Chancellor Wedmore, Thursday morning February, 28, nineteen hundred and one, at eight-fifteen o'clock, at Home, Greenville, North Carolina. No cards were issued to friends in town.

An unknown correspondent has written to Mrs. W. D. Clark, of Frankfort, Ind., saying that he was recently converted at a revival meeting and now felt wonderfully blessed. "I have been trying to read my title clear to mansion in the skies," he said, "but cannot get my mind higher than your chicken-house." He added that some years ago he had stolen some fowls belonging to Mrs. Clark, and he enclosed a \$5 bill by way of restitution.

Our neighbor on the east, Washington, has commenced talking dispensary.

SPRING NECKWEAR BEAUTY.

IS IN FULL BLOOM.

The great trans-atlantic liners that came across the water last week brought to us neckwear fresh from the sunny shores of the old country.

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in profusion may be seen almost anywhere, but the quality we show today cannot be found anywhere else at the price

50c

Even we never saw such elegance for so little money. Designs and colorings entirely new. Get a look at the new styles. No other store ever offered qualities as good as these for less than one dollar and we could probably get that for these neckties too if we should ask it, but the price is

50c.

FRANK WILSON,

(THE KING CLOTHIER.

EASTERN REFLECTOR

NOTICE.

If there is a CROSS MARK in the margin of this paper it is so to remind you that you own THE EASTERN REFLECTOR for subscription and we request you to settle as early as possible. We need what YOU owe us and hope you will not keep us waiting for it. This notice is for those who find the cross mark on their paper.

LOCAL REFLECTIONS.

S. M. Schuitz pays cash for links, coons and foxes.

Attention is called to the notice by D. C. Moore, Superior Court Clerk, the matter of Mamie Robertson against Albert Robertson, action for divorce.

Is Greenville going to fall behind in new buildings the very first year of the new century. We don't believe a house has been started this year.

We are off after a lot of fine horses and mules and will have a special sale at our stables on Friday and Saturday, 11th and 12th. Greenville Livery Company.

H. B. HARDY, Salesman.

Notice.

For the first few years after the Greenville tobacco market opened, in order to encourage and assist farmers in growing crops of tobacco, I borrowed from the bank, giving as security all the property I possessed, and lent this money in different sections of the county. I have several hundred dollars of it scattered around now. It is needless to say I have had to make this money good.

Now I appeal to anyone that is indebted to me to come to see me and readjust these old accounts, some of which are going out of date.

I have worked as constantly and well as I knew how, have spent all I ever made and have devoted all my energies and what talent I may have possessed to the building of this tobacco market, and if you that owe me anything have derived any benefit therefrom, you have at least reaped a part of the reward of my labor, besides having the use and benefit of the money I borrowed for you, and which I have never been paid. I appeal to no sentimental feeling except that of humanity, I ask you in the name of nothing except that of justice, I ask you as one who has divided his substance with you and at times in so doing embarrassed himself to aid and assist you, to come and either pay me or rearrange the indebtedness, or I shall be forced to take such steps as are left me.

O. H. JOYNER.

"HE LOVES ME YET."

And Can't Forget Old Greenville

CHAPEL HILL, Feb. 18, 1901.

EDITOR REFLECTOR.

Several times, Mr. Editor, have I desired to salute you and your readers with a line from Chapel Hill, but that "convenient season" never came till this warm, bright, blue (T) Monday morning. The six years, since I left here, have wrought many changes on the Hill, most of them improvements, affecting town and college. New buildings, better streets and sidewalks, electric lights, water works and the telephone. All in all Chapel Hill shows the wisdom of money well spent in permanent improvements. And in this connection let me exhort you, leave no stone unturned to make that hundred thousand dollars for public improvements and a graded school in Greenville a reality. You need both, and need them badly. They will do more to put permanent new life and activity into your town than anything in its history. "Speak now or else hereafter forever hold"—your back seat, is what Greenville must do. But I forgo, I was to write about Chapel Hill, and here I am meddling with Greenville affairs. Well, I can't help it, four happy years were spent there, and I love the dear old town, and when again she greets my vision may it be with a bran new dress of graded streets, electric lights, water works, modern school buildings, a Masonic Temple, a handsome new Methodist church with a big pipe organ—"What visions of rapture burst on my sight." But the people, God bless them, let me find them just as they were in the days that have been. "Lest we forget!" "Lest we forget!" What I intended to say about Chapel Hill has vanished, and if it returns I'll send it another time.

Yours Truly,
N. M. WATSON.

Cure for Smallpox.

We believe THE REFLECTOR has printed this before sometime in the past when smallpox was being discussed, but just now, as there seems to be some danger from the disease, it will bear printing again. We do not know how old the receipt is, but doubtless it had its origin years and years ago. It is better to be vaccinated and thus prevent smallpox, but if you will not do that and catch the disease just so, this is said to be a remedy. Here is the article:

"A correspondent of the Stockton (Ga.) Herald writes as follows: I herewith append a recipe which has been used to my knowledge in hundreds of cases. It will prevent or cure the smallpox through the pittings are filling. When Jenner discovered cowpox in England, the world of science hurled an avalanche of fame upon his head, but when the most scientific school in the world, that of Paris—published this recipe as a panacea for smallpox, it passed unheeded. It is as unfailing as fate, and conquers in every instance. It is harmless when taken by a well person. It will also cure scarlet fever; here it is as I have used to cure smallpox; when learned physician said the patient must die, it cured: Sulphate of zinc, one grain; tosglove, (digitalis), one grain; half teaspoonful of sugar; mix with two table-spoonfuls of water. Take a spoonful every hour. Either disease will disappear in twelve hours. For a child, smaller doses, according to age. If counties would compel their physicians to use this, there would be no need of pest houses. If you value advice and experience, use this recipe for that terrible disease."

Old Spectacles.

To day Mr. A. J. Griffin showed us a pair of spectacles that are a hundred and fifty years old. They were brought to him by Mr. Thos E. Little, of Beaver Dam township, who says the spectacles were used by his ancestors as far back as his great-grandfathers. The lenses are almost round and is a very heavy iron frame that was no doubt made in a black smith shop. Mr. Little says the lenses suit his eyes so well now that he wants them placed in another frame and brought the spectacles to Mr. Griffin for that purpose.

Munford's New Big Store.

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