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L. A. BLOW, P. M.

Poetry.
THOUGHTLESS WORDS.
One day in humor pleasant,
As I enjoyed my smoke,
My wife then being present,
Thus thoughtlessly I spoke:
"My mother was a beauty,
And you're a beauty, too;
My mother did her duty,
And so, my dear, do you."
"The 'e was dead at cooking,
Yet you can better cook;
If for perfection looking,
No further would I look."
"My mother's pies were tasteful,
With light and flaky crust;
While she lay sleeping there,
She well deserves all trust."
"In all things, pet, my mother,
I must, forsooth, aver,
Exceeded all but one other—
"This you who equal her."
I spoke my approbation;
In no way did I chide,
A thorough declaration,
For of the shock she died!

"BEAUTIFUL TO ME."
CECIL ST. CLAIR.
I drew it across my hand,
Her beautiful, shining hair,
And smoothed it over her temples,
While she lay sleeping there.
"Was not of midnight blackness
That enchanted the birds of old;
Nor brown, nor burnished gold;
But it was fine and silvery white,
As soft as soft could be,
A crown from life's pure laurels,
The most beautiful, hair to me."

A Wife's Devotion to a Bad Husband.
Shelby Aurora.
There is nothing in this world except a mother's love, that will surpass a wife's undying devotion to her husband. How many faithful and worthy wives do we daily see linked to husbands destitute of virtue and character; these noble wives who lead a life of self-sacrifice and work daily sixteen hours out of twenty-four for the maintenance of their family, yet never utter one word of complaint to the world. These men chain their wives to their miserable lives as a dog is chained to its kennel, and the true wife bears with fortitude and without complaint her sad lot. If the situation were reversed, the men would soon abandon their wives.

These thoughts were evoked by a recent visit of a sweet and noble little wife wedded to a "deadbeat" husband, who has dragged her year after year from pillar to post and from State to State. He moves from place to place and remains in each a few months until his debts crowd him out and force him to seek a new home. Yet no one ever heard her utter one word of complaint against her worthless husband, who could easily make for her a splendid living. Like a wounded dove concealing the arrow that is preying upon its vitals, she hides from the world the trials and sorrows that prey upon her heart and has only praise for her husband. Each year he has violated his marriage vow, yet she faithfully clings to him through good and evil reports, and bears to the world a bright, smiling face, shedding sunshine wherever she goes.

Another true wife fits before our vision, as we have just heard of her departure from Waco to join her clerical husband, Rev. J. P. Styers, who "showed to sinners the steep and thorny paths to Heaven, while himself the primrose path of dalliance tread." He deserted her and her children at Waco, fled from the punishment of the law with a gay widow, "fat, fat and forty," and he is now concealed in the central part of North Carolina. Perhaps she has gone to join him, for during the trial at court and his disgraceful conduct not one word of censure did she utter to the world and now in the hour of humiliation she clings closer to her faithless and smiling parson.

In Shakespeare's love drama, the nurse makes her complaints and says "Shame come to Romeo." Juliet instantly repels the accusation against one she loved by answering: "Blistered be my tongue For such a wish. He was not born to shame!" Upon his brow shame is ashamed to sit. Nurse: Would you speak well of him that killed your cousin? Juliet: Shall I speak ill of him that is my husband?

Sensible and Commendable.
The Charleston, (S. C.) Dispatch contains the following, which speaks for itself:
"The African Methodist Conference of South Carolina has passed a resolution that ministers and members of the African conference are keenly sensible of the difficulties of the existing relations of races in these States, and prayerfully admonish their own people to be discreet and forbearing in all cases, but at the same time respectfully urging upon white fellow citizens the obligations which are imposed upon them by the law of righteousness, as well as the laws of the land, to accord to colored people in their midst the measure of justice and security of person and property due to all alike."

Commenting on this paragraph the Wilmington Messenger of yesterday, through one of the calmest and most philosophical as well as patriotic writers in North Carolina, Maj. W. A. Hearne, says:
"There is at this in this resolution of the African Methodist Conference of South Carolina which must commend it to every thoughtful, right thinking man in the country. 'The sentiment uttered cannot be too broadly proclaimed in the land. It is just the teaching that should come from every pulpit of the colored churches. The spirit is just and proper. As an appeal for the right, for fair, generous, just treatment, it will go home to every Southern man."

"Any local or passing 'difficulties of the existing relations of races in these States' will immediately disappear and cease to exist, if leading and influential colored people, and the ministers in their churches, will earnestly, effectually and prayerfully admonish their people to be discreet and forbearing in all cases; and it will require no 'urging upon white fellow-citizens the obligations which are imposed upon them by the law of righteousness, as well as the laws of the land.'"

"The great body of the white people of the South recognize the obligation of their race in these States to the colored people, whom they have nurtured, fostered and protected for more than two centuries; a people snatched from barbarism and taught the lessons of christian civilization by the hard master of absolute, faithful, loyal servitude. The white people of the South feel that they and their ancestors were, by God Almighty, made instruments for the enlightenment and uplifting of this black race; and they are therefore proud of the old institution of slavery, and the great work accomplished under it."

"The strong, powerful, proud white people of the South need no admonishing or importuning 'to accord to the colored people in their midst the measure of justice, and security of person and property due to all alike.' We recognize, fully, our duties and obligations under 'the existing relations of races in these States'; and the highest and the first great duty is to secure and maintain good, stable local government for the benefit and protection of both races, equally."

"We cherish no sentiment of hostility, entertain no purpose of wrong or oppression to the colored people, but desire their material, intellectual and spiritual good, and have sought to improve their condition, and promote their welfare along with our own."

What has built up the towns in North Carolina, and doubled the value of the property in the State within the past ten years? Railroads.
What are we looking to now, to open up inland counties and secure the development of their resources? Railroads.
What are the people so anxious for, all over the State, and straining their resources to secure? Railroads.
What created the conditions which have led to such wonderful progress in manufacturing and mining in the State? Railroads.
What has made the vast forests of the State so valuable, which until recently were almost valueless? Railroads.
What is it that a certain class of people are crying out against and cursing without cause? Railroads.
What important interest is in danger of being greatly injured by unwise legislation by our present Legislature? Railroads!

Railroads!—Nashville Argonaut.

Centennial Reunion of the Alumni and Matriculates of the University of North Carolina.
One hundred years ago the charter of the University was granted by the General Assembly of North Carolina. The long, useful and honorable career of the University makes it a loyal duty and a proud privilege for her sons to celebrate the Centennial Anniversary of her birth. For this Celebration the Trustees and Faculty of the institution have set apart Wednesday of commencement week, June 5th, 1889.

The programme for the day will include a reunion of all the living alumni and matriculates in Memorial Hall, at 10:00 A. M. The members of each class will sit together. An address of permanent historical value will be delivered by an eminent alumnus, at the conclusion of which the roll of alumni will be called by classes and a few moments may be occupied by speaker representing each class present. Where it is desired for special reasons a longer time will be allotted. The class of 1879, for example, the first to enter the University on its revival in 1875, has requested and been granted special time to celebrate the decennial of its graduation.

It is proposed also that the members of each class dine together on this day and that the class dinners be occasions for friendly reunion and reminiscence. At night another address by an eminent alumnus will be delivered, and the special class exercises will be continued, unless completed in the morning.

On Thursday night, after the Commencement exercises, there will be a social reunion of all the alumni in the Library and a reunion of the young people in the Gymnasium in costumes of the last century.

A catalogue of all the students of the University since the beginning and a complete history of the University will be published for the celebration. It is important to know, as soon as possible, who will attend the reunion, which classes desire special time on the programme and which will provide for class dinners. In arranging for class dinners the undersigned committee will gladly assist the special class committees, if their help be desired. The social reunion of all the alumni in the Library will be arranged by the local committee. Special time on the programme may be secured by correspondence between the class committees and the undersigned.

Losses by Fire.
Wilmington Star.
The losses by fire in the United States are enormous, and on the increase. For instance, in 1880, the fire risks were \$1,500,000,000. In 1887, they were \$12,250,000,000, and the losses by fire range from \$100,000,000 to \$130,000,000 annually. The cost of keeping up fire companies is about \$25,000,000 yearly, and the cost of fire insurance companies is \$65,000,000. Total from \$180,000,000 to \$200,000,000. Read this, which we take from the Philadelphia Record:
"In the year 1886, there were burned within the limits of the United States 45 hospitals, asylum almshouses and jails, 120 college buildings and libraries, 146 churches, 52 theatres and opera houses, and 515 hotels."

This is a tremendous waste. Mr. Edward Atkinson is discussing this enormous loss. He discusses the styles of building and shows that a great deal has been saved by the "slow-burning construction of textile factories in New England."

The Record condenses what he says: "This construction consists simply in consolidating the wooden material in frame, floor and roof in such a way that a fire can be held long enough in any room in which it may originate for a fairly competent fire department to get it under control, or where it may be extinguished or held in check by sprinklers. If carried out consistently and economically this system would cost less than the ordinary method of combustible architecture. Besides, as Mr. Atkinson points out, because the customary methods of building are bad it is therefore necessary to rush to the opposite extreme and to spend money in futile attempts at fire-proof building for ordinary uses."

To the Truckers of N. C., Greeting:
CLINTON, N. C., Feb. 17, 1889.
On January 31st the Truckers in and around Clinton, N. C., met in the Court House in this place and organized a TRUCKER'S ASSOCIATION. We are sure that such Associations in every trucking section would be of considerable local benefit, and if all the sections would combine and form a State Trucker's Association that we all would enjoy a double benefit. The advantages to be derived from such an organization, with a central bureau of correspondence, are threefold:

1st. We could be informed as to the reliability of consignees to whom shipments were made.
2nd. We could advantageously diversify the trucking crops by knowing what other sections were planting, and also be informed as to the prospective market for the various crops.
3rd. We could ship so as to realize a better profit by knowing to what points on a certain day other places were shipping.

Through the want of such information and a system of operation, fully one half of the trucking crop is lost or sacrificed each year. Believing that all other sections have experienced the same disadvantages, and that all truckers will readily co-operate with us in any feasible plan for the remedying of these evils, we earnestly solicit the truckers in other sections to form at once similar organizations and to correspond with us to that effect, naming a time and a place for a meeting of the delegates from the various Sub Associations for the purpose of organizing a State Trucker's Association.

We take this opportunity of nominating Clinton as the place, and April the 6th and 7th as the time for the meeting of said delegates. If this meets with the approval of other sections, we will secure reduced railroad rates and entertain the delegates free of charge. However, if another place is preferred, Clinton will gracefully give way and meet the delegates at any other point.

Feeling sure that you will concur with us in the importance of and necessity for such an organization, and trusting that you will heartily co-operate with us in pushing the organization and securing through it the desired and much needed results.

We are very respectfully,
W. L. FAISON,
W. B. STEWART,
MARBION BUTLER, } Com.
Address all communications to
W. L. FAISON (Cor. Secty.),
Clinton, N. C.

If David Bennett Bill is not the coming man, he is at least a drawing card just now. Running down to Washington to lunch with Secretary Whitney the whole Democratic delegation in Congress flocked to do homage to the Governor of New York, and he was plainly declared the "choice" for 1892. He took no pains to conceal the quality of his Democracy, and pleased the brethren when he said, if President he should be careful to knock no props from under his friends, and believed in awarding the public offices to "the faithful," and should have strained no point to make the civil service system cover more ground than the strict letter of the law prescribed.—Wilmington Messenger.

States to the North and the South have prospered by untaxing industries. Georgia, in her liberal policy of exempting the manufacturing industries from taxation, is running a long way ahead of any State of the South. The Times, of Philadelphia, says if Pennsylvania were poor, its treasury empty and few sources of revenue open, it would still be impossible for it to lay burdens on manufacturing. As it is such a tax would be not only unwise, but grievously unjust. The policy of Pennsylvania for a century has been to encourage and foster manufacturing, and the State has grown rich by persevering in this policy.—Wilmington Messenger.

A buzzard wearing a Bell inscribed "Atlanta, Ga., April 26, 1863," has been captured in Kentucky; all so one with a bell inscribed "M. K. White, Garrettsburg, Ky., 1842."

A Reflection.
Wilson Mirror.
How beautiful this world would be and how glorious our existence if we could but write upon the tablets of our hearts the beautiful principles of the golden rule and do unto others as we would have them do unto us. How many heart aches would be cured, how many hearts sore would be healed; how many troubles would be spared; how many hours now so dark and drear and full of gloom would be radiated with the silvery tinged lustre of the bright paradise of contentment, if we would but resolve to look upon each other as fellow beings and read the short comings of every one in the same light in which we would have ours read. How much mortification could be obviated; how many harrowing scenes of trials could be prevented, if we would but invoke into our forum of judgment the spirit presence of the Angel of Charity and listen to her voice as she gently whispers, be kind, be tolerant, forbear and forgive and if possible, in pity, forget. Suppose we were all slow to judge—slow to condemn, but ever ready to forgive and forget. Suppose we were ever willing to help a brother "pulling hard against the stream," and by some kind word or generous assistance strengthen him for the struggle before him. Suppose we should refuse to sit in judgement upon those of our fellow beings whom the hard storms of misfortunes have blown down into the gutter of shame and degradation, but bid them rise superior to the trials, and climb back again to the high eminence of an honorable life. Suppose we should scatter seed of kindness along every pathway and cause flowers of happiness to spring up and bloom in perennial beauty.—Would not this world seem a blessed forerunner of Elysium? It would, and then indeed, the chariot wheels would roll smoothly and quickly over the uneven pathway—life would become a pleasing dream and earth a blessed paradise.

Waked the Wrong Man.
Clyde Register.
Nearly every day we see the truth of the old adage that "the course of true Love never runs smooth" newly verified by the afflicted youth of our community. The latest verification occurred near this place the other day in the following manner: A love-sick youth, of tender years and redish hair started to see the object of his heart's devotion, who lived some distance from his father's house, and he bestride an ancient mare belonging to his father. Reaching the home of his true love he tied up his horse and went in, and everything went smooth until the hour arrived to depart at bedtime, when his hat could not be found. He looked everywhere, and was assisted by the girl, but the hat was not forthcoming, and the young man, nothing daunted, sallied forth in the wild night winds, his abum looks a-flowing. When he reached his horse, the saddle had, likewise, disappeared, and rather than ride home bareheaded and without a saddle, the youth went back into the house, where he was fain to spend the remaining hours of darkness until day-light would aid him in finding his property.

The girl's brother, whose hair was of the same lurid hue, put the youth in his room, while he sought accommodation elsewhere. The next morning the old lady of the house entered the room at a late hour, with some impatience to awake, as she thought, her delinquent son. Seeing the sanguine head protruding from beneath the cover (an exact counterpart of her son's) she rushed in, pulled off the bed clothes and administered such a waking up as the youth had not experienced since his own dear mother wore out her slipper on him years ago.

The hat was duly found and the saddle was seen reposing in the fork of a large oak some distance away—and the youth started for home a sadder and wiser man.

The Pittsboro Home says: "It looks little strange that both the retiring and incoming Presidents of the United States, and the retiring and incoming Governors and Lieut. Governor of North Carolina should all be raising elders in the Presbyterian church."

Republicans have become Bible readers, and quote, with much satisfaction, from Genesis, "And Benjamin shall divide the spoil."

THE STATE.
What is happening around us.
As Gleaned from the State Press.
Five prisoners escaped from the jail at Shelby Wednesday, 13th inst. Sanford Express: Two men swapped horses at Pittsboro this week and one gave the other a Bible to boot.
Wilmington Star: The festive spring chicken can soon be secured by giving a mortgage on household and kitchen furniture.

The "Free Will Baptist" is to be moved from New Berne to Snow Hill, we see it stated. It will be published at the latter place by a stock company.
The Hookerton "Clipper" says that while a crowd of men were searching for some stolen cotton they found an illicit still about six miles from Hookerton.
Clinton Convention: There is a girl in Hall's township who cooks breakfast for the whole family, milks the cows and goes upwards of two miles to school every day and is on hand before time, with her lessons prepared.

Tarboro Southerner: J. C. Powell completed his first but ter year Thursday, when he had sold 1,445 pounds. He made more but he sold this much.—A shoe factory will be started here as soon as the cotton factory is in working order.
Raleigh News and Observer: Mr. J. R. Miller, member of the House of Representatives from Duplin county, was returning to the city early yesterday morning on the freight train from Goldsboro and while asleep was robbed of about \$14.

Wilmington "Star":—A mammoth collar, weighing thirty pounds and measuring three and a half feet across the top, was in market yesterday. It came from O. A. Orr's place on the Sound.
Oxford News: The electric light dynamo is now taxed to its full capacity, and the company is compelled to refuse applications for more lights. Another dynamo should be provided at once.

Progressive Farmer: From all sections of the State and of the South comes the cheering assurance from the Alliance that they are going to plant less cotton, use less gunn, incur less debt and make more of home supplies.
Scotland Neck Democrat: On Wednesday night 6th, the house of Judith Bazemore, colored, 8 miles from Windsor, was burned, consuming the mother and three children. It was not known till the next morning, when the remains of the unfortunate inmates were found in the smoldering ruins.

When we reflect that 293,505 native North Carolinians were living in other States in the year 1880, it would seem that a little of the money and effort expended to get people from abroad to come and settle in our State, might be more properly and profitably employed in an effort to induce our people to stay here.

Concord Times: A man from the county was in town the other day telling some acquaintance about a horse he had bought several years ago. He said he bought the horse for \$75, giving a mortgage on it. He said that up to date he had paid his creditor \$960 and still owed him \$60. Was the man lying, or is this a case of extortion in the triumph over matter?

Kernersville News: Will Harston a negro about sixteen years old killed by Ben Palmer a little boy about 10 years old last Saturday evening. They were fooling with a shot gun and pistol and had them pointed at each other when Ben pulled the trigger of his gun discharging the load in Harston's face and head. He lived about an hour after the accident.
Kinston "Five Press": A party of six old veterans of the late war, from Boston, were in this county last week. They spent a day at White Hall and a day here looking over the old battle grounds where they fought under Gen. Foster. The party is now in New Berne attending the fair where will probably also be gathered many of Burnside's old veterans who fought around New Berne. While at White Hall these gentlemen secured several relics of the late war, and a lot of Confederate money which is right much of a curiosity to them.

City and Country Negroes.
Charlotte Chronicle.
It must be an easy matter to live in Charlotte, that is, to simply exist. The crowd of idle negroes to be seen any day hanging about the saloons and street corners, testifies to the truth of this. "They toil not, neither do they spin"—but I cannot truthfully quote further, for the most of them look like tramps as far as clothing is concerned.
Their occupation at present seems to be a discussion of their individual chances for the post-mortem rap. I understand they are all hanging for it.

There is another class of negro, though that cannot help but excite a feeling of pity. You see him come to town seated on a handfull of wood laden in a rickety little wagon, drawn by an antiquated mule; both of which threaten to drop to pieces at every rough jolt. After standing around half a day, he manages to dispose of the wood for a mere pittance. As soon as he gets his money, an insane desire to immediately spend it, takes possession of him. It is not always because he is going to get something useful but simply the pleasure he derives from getting rid of the money. Whiskey is the only return he can show—not feel for it.

Careless, improvident, usually without judgment, he yet manages to live and raise a large family. Hardworking, he toils in the fields all summer harder than in slavery days, but, without the care he then received in the winter. Poorly housed and clad, never over-fed, he still is happy, single minded with all his imprudence, careless, notwithstanding his want, napped with nothing especially if that nothing is an election, usually honest, in this forming an opposite to many of his city brethren, he lives expending little, and getting it, and dies poor.

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Rev. W. H. Robbitt, D. D., one of the most distinguished and beloved ministers in the N. C. Conference, M. E. Church, South, was stricken with paralysis Feb. 14, at Rockingham.

There was some opposition to the adjournment of the Senate but the members might at least the New Berne fair last week. We suppose that all the Western Senators voted to go, at any rate they ought to have done so in order to have learned something of the East and its resources, unless they are better acquainted with us than the men from the west about whom the New Berne Journal gets of a good joke. That paper says:

A Western member of the General Assembly while passing through the unobscured hall and witnessing the very interesting display of the E. H. Gray M'Fing Co., discovered the large tubs of wood pulp which showed the last stage before being pressed into cake. After examining closely he was asked, "Is this the way they begin to make oysters?" This was before he had visited the oyster with the oyster and fish display, after seeing these he wanted to know where the shells were made.

That man ought to know more about North Carolina, or he cannot make a good representative of the people.

The New Berne Fair last week had success written all over it. From opening to close it was a brilliant affair with thousands of people there to witness the splendid exhibits made by Eastern North Carolina. The Journal gave full details of the fair and furnished interesting reading about it. One of the personal features was the presence of James of North Carolina's Governor, Fowle, Jarvis and Vance, all of whom made speeches. Senator Vance in the course of his remarks could not refrain from getting off a joke, even though it were at his own expense. He said he had long tried to convince the people that he had an eye single to their interests and now they could see about Minister Jarvis' speech the Journal says.

One of the special features of yesterday was an address of ex-Governor Jarvis, U. S. Minister to Brazil. His name is a household word in North Carolina, and nowhere is more honored than in this section. His appearance once more before our people was greeted with applause. In the course of his remarks he paid a glowing tribute to the United States. He said he had recently traveled more than twenty-five thousand miles, and had seen many of the kingdoms of the world and he has no hesitation in saying that America is the greatest country in the world and our government the best on earth. Of all things he is most proud of being a citizen of North Carolina, the best State in the American Union. Having expressed his grateful acknowledgments of the honor and kindness so generously extended to him, he retired with the full appreciation and affectionate regard of the people.

The die is cast. At least it so goes out from Indianapolis that the formation of the Cabinet for Harrison's Presidential administration is complete. Of course changes sometime occur and there may be changes even in this program, but here is the way it comes before the public.

Secretary of State—James G. Blaine, of Maine.
Secretary of the Treasury—William Windom, of Minnesota.
Secretary of War—Jerry B. Rusk, of Wisconsin.
Postmaster General—John W. Wainwright, of Pennsylvania.
Attorney General—W. H. Miller, of Indiana.
Secretary of the Navy—John R. Thomas, of Illinois.
Secretary of the Interior—Gen. John W. Noble, of Missouri.
Secretary of Agriculture—Warner Miller, of New York.

Authorities say such a Cabinet as the above will prove a great disappointment to the country, and it is noted as a very

"light-weight concern" with no unusual amount of brain about it. By way of comment the Wilmington Star says:

Without considering the low morale of the selections it is intellectually a weak collection of partisans. The country knows but little of them as a whole. Blaine is a very able man. Windom has good ability. Miller is only fair. The remainder are inconsequential nobodies. Contrast such a Cabinet with that of his honest and well meaning grandfather. Look at them—Webster, Irving, Bell, Badger, Granger, Crittenden. All of these were men of national reputations, of high abilities, and of legislative experience. They were among the great men of the country. We doubt if there was ever an abler Cabinet. The above reported Cabinet for the grandson is as far below the Whig Cabinet of 1841, as the Pilot is below Mount Mitchell.

John Wanamaker.

Ben, Jim and John are characters that have demanded largely of the public attention of late—namely, Benjamin Harrison, James G. Blaine and John Wanamaker. The first has, by a flood of "boodie," been elected President of the United States; the second it is said, will in reality be President, though not in name; the third with his piles of wealth has purchased a seat in the Cabinet. To us this latter man is the most interesting character. At any rate we started out to make this article about him. An exchange has drawn a pretty fair picture of John, one perhaps as good as if we had drawn it ourselves, (the brother must not feel bad) and we are going to use it in full. Here is what the Sanford Express says:

"It is generally conceded that John Wanamaker will be in President Harrison's Cabinet. Wanamaker is a character of great interest, and his life a chapter of great lessons. Like Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Johnson and U. S. Grant, he is a splendid possibility of American manhood and success. The probability is that such men would never have found their way into history in any other country upon the face of the earth.

These were children of great poverty, born in conditions almost as lowly as the manger, and by their remarkable careers cradled their children in purple and fine linen. Wanamaker made brick in his early manhood, and to-day he is about to crown his splendid monument of success, a monument built upon such humble, lowly, yet perennial base, with the capstone of a seat in Harrison's Cabinet. He is at present the owner of the largest retail store in the country—in Philadelphia—is the superintendent of a Sunday-school of four thousand pupils, actually counts the absent (deserting) children for his Sunday-school. His charity is unbounded. His munificence to churches, Sunday-schools, &c., is sufficient to invoke the choicest benedictions of heaven. In personal habit he is a model, neither drinks nor chews nor smokes, is elegant in habit and chaste in language. From these facts about him, you are ready to imagine that the angels are pinning for his presence in the presence of the almighty in the political household of Harrison in an augury of more prayer in the official life at the Capital. In the company of two such Presbyterians as Wanamaker and Harrison, may we not expect that the charlatan Blaine will remember that public office is a divine trust, and that God expects him to be honest and incorruptible. Should we not look for an administration of unprecedented incorruptibility, honesty, high integrity, low patriotism, regard for philanthropic millions of Wanamaker entering as an adviser of the political household of the blue stocking Calvinist, Harrison?

Wanamaker, the brick-maker; Wanamaker, the clerk; Wanamaker, the princely merchant; Wanamaker, the Sunday-school teacher; Wanamaker, who has built churches and clothed their pastors in purple and fine linen, manufactured at American paper mills; Wanamaker, the politician and philanthropist giving his check for \$400,000 to Col. Dudley to buy votes by "blocks of five," for his illustrious compatriot brother in Christ, Ben. Harrison. He is the most unique and splendid example of hypocrisy this country has produced. Rising from obscurity, amassing wealth by respectable methods, giving to the poor, showing his munificence on every hand; and yet, in the face of his record, he opens his hands to political knives that they may corrupt the American ballot and buy the Presidency.

As a Christian and philanthropist, Wanamaker is a great humbug. His life is interesting. Such men are dangerous and deadly. Enough Wanamakers and tree snags would be a force.

There is one little characteristic about him not mentioned in the above that we want to talk about. John Wanamaker is a man of "cheek." Right on the back of paying \$400,000 for a Cabinet position he is offering to North Carolina newspapers—and others, we suppose—the immense sum of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS to publish a forty-nine word advertisement, one inch space. Oh, the magnanimity of such an offer! "There's millions in it." John is starting out early to make back the sum he paid for his cabinet seat but he might have waited until he got into the office. Nobody

expects any better of him than to use his office to make back his campaign contribution, but he comes in too quick on the newspapers.

The REFLECTOR is sorry to see that some papers in the State accepted the generous (?) offer above and inserted the advertisement.

Our Raleigh Letter.

News from the State Capital, Proceedings of Legislature, etc.

Special cor. to REFLECTOR. RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 23rd 1889. Each day's proceedings of the Legislature now draw large crowds of spectators. The galleries are filled with the fair sex, and the lobby thronged with men of all classes and professions. Interest in the proceedings heighten each day as questions of general concern and great public importance are being discussed and disposed of. The nature and scope of pending legislation and unfinished business causes greater activity and alertness on the part of the members, and the remaining days of the session will be full of interest to the public and will furnish more excitement and entertainment to the never failing crowd of lookers-on. There is a large amount of highly important business still ahead and only two weeks more in which to reach it and dispose of it. A rush and hurry of business always attend the closing days of our Legislature, owing to the constitutional limit of sixty days of the year, and this year with the exception to the general rule. The session will likely end at noon on March 11th, as a resolution has been adopted to that effect.

The most spirited session of the Senate yet held was on yesterday and to-day. The few Republicans in that body have been very much exercised for the last few days and appear very indignant over what they consider to be a great outrage about to be perpetrated by the dominant party upon the people of North Carolina. The bill amending the election has been under discussion and passed its final reading to-day. The debate was warm and vigorous and no mining of words was considered either necessary or parliamentary by either side. The discussion waxed warmer and warmer, and when Lusk, of Buncombe, and Payne, of Roberson, drew swords the warfare was well on and the battle at its best. The Republican asserted it to be the most damnable piece of legislation ever attempted in the State and predicted untold evils and curses if such a measure should pass. The Democrats dealt blow for blow and had complete mastery of the subject in hand. Mr. Payne in his able and strong speech explained every feature of the amendments proposed to the election law and declared the bill to be as perfect and as fair as the Democrats of this Legislature could make it so as to purify elections in North Carolina and insure a free ballot and a fair count. The measure will come up in the House in a few days when another spirited and lively debate will take place.

A bill providing for an alternative method of keeping up the public roads, has passed the House. Some counties were exempted from the provisions of the bill. It provides that the County Commissioners and justices of the peace may levy a special tax for road purposes, if they deem it proper so to do, and also that convicts and certain prisoners in county jails may be worked on the roads under such regulations as prescribed in the bill.

The measure pending in the House, which passed the Senate, appropriating \$5,000 out of the general school fund, for a Teachers' Training school, is made a special order for Monday afternoon. There is much electioneering going on in favor of the bill, prominent teachers among their influence for its success, but if it passes the House (which I don't believe) it will be by a very close vote. The House members can not easily understand how a central Training School can be of any benefit to class of teachers in our State who conduct the free schools in the various counties.

The Senate bill to appropriate the taxes collected from property of white people in the State to the education of the colored children, and that collected from colored children to the education of colored children, is a popular measure, and I believe will meet a popular demand. Such an amendment to the constitution would no doubt be ratified by the people at the polls by a good majority. This has not been called up for action yet.

What to do with the Governor's Mansion, still uncompleted, has been a widely discussed topic by the press of the State, and some have amused themselves by ridiculing it. The committee have recommended that a bill has been introduced that it be completed by using proceeds of sale of State lots and convict labor, and appropriate \$4,000 out of the State Treasury. This seems to be the best way out of the difficulty.

The measure to move the disabilities of Gov. W. W. Holden was passed upon Friday and the judgment of the former court (that tried him) was affirmed. There was a heated debate on this bill which continued for an hour and a half. The issues of the past, the days of reconstruction, were eloquently portrayed by several gentlemen, while others argued that that period should now be forgotten and that it would be an act of simple justice, magnanimity and mercy to pardon Mr. Holden as he had suffered long enough for the sin committed. Some of the speeches were very enjoyable and others in favor of the old man tender and touching. An amendment was offered that Holden's disabilities be not removed until those of ex-President Davis are removed, but this was withdrawn. One Republican cautioned "if there had been no Kirk war," and the reply came from the other side "if there had been no Union League and Red Strings there would have been no Kirk war."

The bill to pass by a vote of 49 to 45. T. N. Cooper, a Republican, voted no, and was loudly applauded. The railroad commission bill will come few amendments passed the House last Wednesday. The vote stood 63 to 45. The salary of the Commissioners is \$2,000 each, and the Clerk \$1,000. Whether this bill becomes a law now depends upon the Senate. What the Senate will do is yet to be seen. It is very uncertain that it will pass that body. The Republicans oppose it because the people expect a commission at the hands of the Democrats and if it fails to pass the responsibility will be upon the Democratic party, and the Republicans think if the commission is not created by this Democratic Legislature it will operate in their favor before the people in the next campaign.

At least one hundred of the legislators attended the Oyster and Fish Fair at New Berne on Thursday. They left here in the morning on a special train on a special train and returned at two o'clock that night. The Senate was not in session that day. The House was open at the usual hour, with Speaker Leazar in the chair, and about forty-five members present. The day's session was taken up principally in considering measures of a mostly private and unimportant nature.

Washington Letter.

Special cor. to REFLECTOR. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 22nd, 1889. Senator Harris, of Tennessee, is at the head of a coalition of Democratic Senators who have started in on the impossible task of trying to shame the Republican Senators into confirming some of the nominations now pending before the Senate. Mr. Harris has announced his purpose of making a motion every day to go into Executive session in order to consider these nominations.

The facts in the case are without precedent, and should bring a blush to the cheek of every fair-minded Republican. The Presidential election of 1880, Hayes sent to the Senate 630 nominations, nearly all of which were confirmed. After Mr. Cleveland was elected, Arthur sent to the Senate 612 nominations and all of them were confirmed except twenty. Now Mr. Cleveland has sent to the Senate since the election of Harrison 438 nominations, of which 133 relating to Army and Navy promotions that may be considered non-political have been confirmed. Of the 325 other nominations the most of which were made to fill official vacancies, only 48 have been confirmed, leaving the enormous number 277 unacted upon. Such partisanship has never before been displayed by the Senate, but even the most conservative Republicans seem to glory now in what they are doing.

Congressional interference with Southern elections does not seem to be popular in either House of the present Congress. The House Committee on elections has decided that it had no jurisdiction over the contest which the late J. M. Clayton, of Arkansas was making at the time of his death for the seat that Mr. Breckinridge was elected to, and the Senate committee has tabled the Chandler and other resolutions of the same ilk. It has reported a much milder resolution, but even that is not certain to get through the Senate.

An agreement on the Omnibus Territorial bill has been arrived at only the Presidential approval is necessary to make it a law. The act provides for elections in time for the Senator and Representatives from North and South Dakota, Montana and Washington to take their seats next December.

The President has signed the bill chartering the Nicaragua canal company.

The lobbyists interested in the passage of the direct tax bill are in great trouble. They succeeded in getting it through both Houses of Congress, but owing to unexpected opposition causing delay it reached the President within less than ten days of the end of the session, which makes it absolutely necessary that the measure shall be signed by the President before 12 o'clock on the fourth of March. This will give Mr. Cleveland an opportunity to see the bill die without the trouble of vetoing it. Many people still believe that the President will take this occasion to administer a sharp rebuke to Congress in relation to this class of legislation.

The Pacific Railroads have once more proved themselves to be stronger than Congress. All hopes of getting the bill relating to their indebtedness to the Government through at this session have been abandoned, and the Senate has, at the request of the committee on Pacific railroads, recommitted the bill to that committee. Evidently, Mr. Limington has not been holding private conferences with that committee for nothing.

Minister Phelps, recently arrived from London, came to Washington this week to pay his respects to the President.

The open letter written to Mr. Cleveland by the recently removed Civil Service Commissioner, Judge Edgerton, in which the latter was abusive of the former, will do Mr. Edgerton much more harm than the President. It is to be expected that the President will take care to pay attention to the tale told by a discharged employe. Had the Judge written such a letter a month ago and accompanied it with his resignation it would have created a political sensation, but now it raises but few comments.

The changes in the Cabinet since are more erratic than ever, as the time in which they can be made grows shorter. Names are proposed and gravely announced as decided upon only to be dismissed from probability the next morning. The latest, though not for that reason the most probable or reasonable one, gives Mr. Blaine for Secretary of State, Mr. Windom for the Treasury, Geo. B. Reak for the War Department, Mr. Wainwright for Postmaster General and Mr. Nobles, of Missouri, for Secretary of the Interior. The impression is prevalent that Mr. Harrison's law partner, Miller, will also sit at his council table.

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HARDWARE, BUILDERS' MATERIAL & HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.
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We can save you money on any of these goods. MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS FOR POWDERS which we will sell at Factory Prices.

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We also keep a nice line of READY MADE HARNESS. Flanagan's old stand
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We are agents for the best cook stove now in use. The "New Lee" is our leader and gives entire satisfaction. Our cheaper grades are good and well worth the money asked for them.
One year ago we started in business and had for our motto "We sell for cash." We still cling to that as our motto, realizing the fact that it is best for merchant and customer. By close attention to business we have been rewarded by increased success.
We thank the public and our customers especially for patronage and ask a larger share in the future.

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

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Having just received a fresh line of the following goods, we are now ready to offer to the public just what they stand in need of—honest goods at prices that will please the purchaser.

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Dry Goods,
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To fit all who favor us with their patronage.

Hardware, Nails, utlery, Guns, Shot, Powder,
rockery, Glass-ware, Wood and Willow ware, Furniture, Harness, Whips, Gail & Ax and Railroad Mills Snuff, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

IN THIS LINE WE WILL CARRY
Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Flour, Rice, Meats of different kinds, very best Lard we can buy, Butter, Cheese, Spice, Pepper. Soap both toilet and Laundry, Star Lye, Ball Lye, Matches, andles, Starch, best grade of White Kerosene Oil, Machine Oil, &c.

We are a New Firm, but not new men to the public. All who stand in need of goods in our line are invited to come to see us. We can and will sell at as low as any one else sells at good goods as we do.

ALFRED FORBES,

THE "OLD RELIABLE MERCHANT" OF GREENVILLE, N. C.
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HEAVY GROCERIES A SPECIALTY.
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NOTICE.

On Monday the 18th day of March, A. D. 1889, I will sell at the Court House door in the town of Greenville, to the highest bidder for Cash one tract of land in Pitt County containing about 22 acres and bounded as follows:
The following lot, of land in the division of the lands of Cynthia Manning, Nancy Manning and J. B. Manning dec'd to wit: Lot No. 7 assigned to Sarah Dail. Beginning at a stake near S 27° E 115 poles to a stake at ditch, thence S 87° W 29 one-fifth pole to corner of ditch thence N 44° W 121 three-fifth poles to a stake thence S 32° E 108 poles to satisfy a Ven Ex in my hands for collection against Sarah Dail, and which have been levied on said land as the property of said Sarah Dail. This February 15th 1889. J. A. K. TUCKER, Sheriff. By R. W. KING, D. S.

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Amos Evans, deceased, on the 2nd day of January 1889, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent, to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of January, 1890. If any notice will be held in bar of their recovery. HATKIE E. EVANS, EXEC. OF AMOS EVANS.

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Local Sparks.

Free school opened Monday. Tomorrow is the last day of February. It is a good time to put out shade trees.

It was a regular slush we had last week.

Lent begins on next Wednesday March 6th.

A bank could do a good business in Greenville.

Shad are being caught by the skimmers now.

Several of our citizens have put in garden seed.

It is time to prepare ground for planting Irish potatoes.

A building and loan Association would help this section.

130 Tons Kainit for sale by A. Forbes.

Two months of the year almost gone.

The weather last week put the river on another boom.

1000 bushels of Western Seed Oats for sale by A. FORBES.

The water went right up in the river after the snow and rain.

New Home and Davis sewing machines for sale by J. C. Lanier.

Monthly meeting of the Conaty Commissioners next Monday.

Cheapest goods in town, at the Racket Store next door to Rawley.

The weather made many vacant seats in the churches last Sunday.

500 bushels early all white Spring Oats, Cheap at the Old Brick Store.

The poor should be properly looked after during this bad weather.

Jan 10—Just received Boss Famous Lanch Milk Biscuit at the Old Brick Store.

Fertilizers are now being hauled out by the farmers in large quantities.

Go to the Racket Store for your clothing and underwear for Ladies or Gents.

Truckers should read the call for a convention published on first page of this paper.

Save your money by buying your shoes, boots and dry goods at the Racket Store.

The weather has been bad enough to keep even the drummers from getting around.

Now in stock all kinds of D. M. Ferry & Co's Garden Seed, at the Old Brick Store.

Wonder if George Washington was born on as bad a day as last Friday proved to be.

A splendid line of china and all sorts of crockery and glassware at the Racket Store.

We are not anxious to see any more snow like the one last week. It makes business too dull.

Five thousand Nink shoes and an equal number of Fox and Coon shoes wanted at M. R. Lang's.

A man named Jim Crowley killed a man named Harris at Bath a few days ago. Crowley skipped.

The ladies of the Baptist Church are preparing for a festival to be held the first week in March court.

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums to suit More liberal terms than heretofore Apply to J. B. Yellowley, Greenville, N. C.

Two more efforts at snowing since the fall of Thursday night, but neither amounted to anything.

It was a bad day Saturday, but some of the merchants say that trade was very good considering the weather.

The little girls composing the Bny Bee Society of the Baptist Church gave a festival last Friday night.

Where you see a grey horse there you will see a red headed girl. But that has nothing to do with the Peerless Shirts at Higgs & Munford's.

Grover Cleveland's term as President expires next Monday when Benjamin Harrison will be inaugurated.

Jan 15—500 lbs more P. Lorrillard & Co's Scotch Snuff which has proven to be the healthiest and cheapest. 35c per pound at the Old Brick Store.

The snow on the roofs caused a number of the brick stores with tin roofs to leak very badly last Friday morning.

H. F. Keel says tell everybody he is in Richmond buying stock and will have a car load of select animals to arrive in Greenville Friday night.

We venture that the weather, about this section during the last week will compare with the best climates in the State.

Farmers should first see that all available home manure has been prepared and used before investing in the foreign article.

A small amount saved each week would soon grow in to a large amount. How much a savings bank would help in this direction.

The coal being consumed by the citizens of Greenville this winter is of very inferior quality and is almost as expensive as wood.

It has been a week for staying in doors and not much of a local nature has been occurring that the news gatherer could get hold of.

There will be services at the Baptist Church next Saturday, morning at 11 o'clock and night at 7 o'clock, conducted by Rev. G. L. Finch.

No MORE TROUBLE.—Every day you hear a lady remark, Oh! I wish the merchants would keep Trimmings, Buttons, Silks &c. to match Dress-Goods. No more trouble! Yes. You can find them all at Higgs & Munford's.

Personal. Mr. H. F. Keel left Monday evening for Richmond. Miss Belle Hearse is visiting Miss Lillie Peebles.

Mr. J. W. Goodwin returned Saturday from a commercial trip of several weeks.

Miss Nannie King left Monday to visit relatives in Wilson and Rocky Mount.

Mrs. S. O. Wells, of Wilson, who has been visiting her father, ex-Sheriff King, returned home Monday.

Mrs. V. L. Stephens returned yesterday from a visit to her parents near Hamilton.

Mrs. W. R. Ware, of Washington, passed through town Monday to visit her father, Mr. H. W. Brown, near Greenville.

Mrs. F. A. Ogden and little daughter, of Virginia are visiting the family of Rev. J. W. Wildman, Mrs. Ogden's brother.

We regret that Bettie, the little ten year old daughter of Mr. John S. Harris, of Falkland, died Monday evening. She had been sick only five days.

Mr. John Proctor, living near Greenville was commended by telegraph to Kinston last week to see his daughter Mrs. Andrews, who is very sick.

Any person wanting to buy a good organ or sewing machine cheap might find it to their interest to inquire at the REFLECTOR office.

We hope not many more freshets will trouble the people and prevent their coming into town before the roadway from the bridge will be built.

The storms last week interfered with the telegraphic communication. The wires were downed and for some time no message could be passed.

The printed X mark to the right of the head of this paper is not in itself intended for a dam, but only to show the kind of mark that is used. The dam mark is made with a blue pencil.

The committee appointed to superintend the construction of the roadway from the North end of the bridge went on Monday to decide upon the best location.

Unless the Governor has interfered since any information was received, Howard Anderson will be executed at Goldsboro to-day for the murder of W. H. Porter. The murder was committed in July last.

A hazzard to which a bell is tied has been seen firing in the vicinity of where the railroad hands are at work and also in town during the last few days. Other hazzards give the belled one plenty of room.

We understand that the road from Scotland Neck to Greenville has already been graded a few miles beyond Greenville towards Kinston.—Free Press.

You are mistaken, brother. The grading is not yet all completed to Greenville and nothing has been done towards carrying the road any further for the present.

Of all the letters from Raleigh that we see published in our many exchanges, we find none more pointed and interesting than those appearing in the Free Press. We hope our readers will appreciate the effort to give the best news on all points to the extent of helping us enlarge our subscription. While the REFLECTOR has no special complaint to make it ought to have a much larger list in Pitt county.

The Victor Safe & Lock Co., of Cincinnati are sending out propositions to publishers to sell them a safe and pay them so much each and so much in advertising. The company sells safes to agents at the very same price that publishers pay, so they get the latter's advertising for nothing. We have got proof of this and mention it that the brethren of the press who have received the propositions may understand what they are doing.

Some papers we could name "strain at a gnat and swallow a camel." They clamor for the working-man to be required to work only eight hours a day and then say compel the telegraph operators to keep their offices open from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., just fourteen hours. The inconsistency of some people is amazing. If the habit of transmitting telegrams at late hours had never been allowed it would never have been looked for, and all that business could be done in reasonable hours. Why not require as much of post-offices and banks as of telegraph offices? Or why require one class to work only eight hours a day and another fourteen hours?

A "ye local" was wending his way homeward, picking himself up here and there out of the mud, trying to step on every piece of dry rod in 10 feet around, on last Friday night, and everything was as still as still could be, a long, low wall was heard, which almost made the blood run cold in one's veins. It was the cry of the gay and festive rooster. The thought at once took possession of us, it is a chicken thief. We paused for a moment to shove our hat on for we thought it was going to drop off, and while thus meditating, we heard the festive fowl vent the air with its heart rending cry for help. We bravely crossed the street and there met "Geese" and started in pursuit of the thief and found the rooster almost devoid of feathers. The dogs were in the act of disposing of him. Moral: Rooster beware of the dogs.

Married. "It took, low, low. I live in like a dizziness; It will not let a poor body Gang about th' business."

Cupid's capers are mysteries un-lathomable. Once his arrow has flown, whose heart it pierces is led a victim to the little fellow's will. He takes possession of it, though this by day and fills the mind with visions serene by night. Men call this Love and laugh, yet none who have not possessed it can know its meaning. "Love is a fire that a burnt child never dreads." A heart possessed by love knows no such word as fail.

"Too light winning makes the prize light," and seldom would the Parson's services be required in trying love knot the rope were abandoned at every uttered "no." "Love can hope where reason would despair" and the heart that is faint never wins a lady fair.

"If she do frown, 'tis not in hate of you, But rather to begot more love in you; If she do chide, 'tis not to have you gone; For why, they all are mad if left alone. Take no reprisal, whatever she doth say; For get you gone, she doth not mean."

On Wednesday evening, the 20th inst., a number of invited guests assembled at the residence of J. J. Perkins, Esq., on Pitt street, to witness the marriage of his beautiful daughter, Miss Lizzie Perkins, to Mr. J. C. Tyson, one of Greenville's popular young merchants. The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Wildman, Pastor of the Baptist Church.

After the ceremony congratulations were common and refreshments abundant.

The bride was attired in a lovely fitting dress of cream albatros and tulle. The groom wore full dress Prince Albert.

A number of beautiful presents were received by the couple.

Among the guests were Mr. A. M. Moore and wife, Mr. W. S. Rawls and wife, Mr. E. M. Hearse and wife, Mr. H. A. Sutton and wife, Mr. D. J. Whitard and wife, Mr. J. T. Williams and wife, Mrs. J. T. Williams, Mrs. Dr. Frank Brown, Mrs. C. D. Bouniree, Mrs. L. H. Wilson, Mrs. C. A. White, Mrs. L. J. Godwin, Mrs. E. S. Greene, Mrs. E. A. Sheppard, Misses Bettie Warren, Martha Tyson, Nannie King, Maggie Langley, Maids Williams and Florence Williams, Prof. John Duckett, Messrs. W. B. Greene, V. L. Stephens, D. E. House, J. L. Little, W. B. Brown, W. E. Harding, H. H. Wilson, W. H. White, C. E. White, E. A. Maje, Jr., and Harry Harding.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyson have taken rooms at the King House which is at present their home.

The REFLECTOR wishes their life may be a long season of joy and love, unmarred by even the slightest ripple of unhappiness.

The snow fell sore enough last Thursday. It began falling in the afternoon but continued to melt as fast as it came down. About eight o'clock the flakes got the best of the situation and began to make a showing on trees and house tops. The fall then became thicker and soon the ground was covered making matters look like we were in for a regular snow storm. Nor did it stop here, for the snow kept on falling thick and fast until midnight reaching a depth of from four to six inches, so those who were out at that time declare it to have been even deeper. After midnight the snow ceased and it began raining. The rain continued until some time the next day, but did not melt all the snow, for some could be seen several days upon the tops of houses and in some places upon the ground. Friday, had not the rain melted it, there would have been a deep snow, but with all the rain and snow the weather was not so very cold.

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Louette, 237 Fifth Avenue, N. Y.; for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column.

Look on the margin at foot of first page and you will find something interesting from the Racket Store every week. The new proprietors are alive to the times and know how to sell goods cheap.

Brown & Hooker are out in a new advertisement to-day. One of their men has recently returned from the North and they are offering big bargains to purchasers. They have a nice stock of fine clothing besides the other goods mentioned. Read the advertisement.

Alfred Culley, the Barber, has "got up" something new—something that carries off the dandruff, pulls the knots out of hair and is a good article generally. "Har Ooley" don't know about the hair and scalp oil barber can tell you. See advertisement.

Wherever in this paper will be found the notice of dissolution of Liechtenstein & Schultz, the entire business having been purchased by Samuel M. Schultz who has been connected with the firm ever since its establishment in Greenville in 1875, and the business has been conducted almost exclusively by him. They began business in the Old Brick Store and that building has grown in popularity until to day it is a household word throughout the country and far into many of the adjoining counties. The business of the Old Brick Store owes its success to Mr. Schultz. As a grocer and furniture dealer he stands with a peer. His acquaintance with the business through and through and he commands a large and flattering patronage. As sole owner of the establishment, we wish him greater success than ever.

Will somebody of a good mathematical turn of mind please make a calculation as to the number of men in North Carolina who want to be Railroad Commissioners.—Durham Tobacco Plant.

It is said that a teaspoonful of salt in each kerosene lamp makes the oil give a clearer and better light. This is a very simple and is at least worth a trial.

THREE WEEKS IN NEW YORK!

Buying goods for our new store. Will have the best selected stock ever brought to Greenville and prices to

Suit the Rich and the Poor, The High and the Low, The Large and the Small, We can suit them all.

HIGGS & MUNFORD. Greenville, N. C.

A Special Faculty. The colored boy Crist Johns n who's employed at the Western Union telegraph office in this place to deliver telegraphic messages has the peculiar and valuable faculty of knowing to whom the messages should be given. He can neither read or write, is fifteen years old and quite intelligent. Frequently messages are received for people on the trains. He takes the message stands by the car and watches the passengers get off and when the right man comes along hands him his message. He hits right-size times in ten. He does it by intuition and cannot explain it, but he does it all the same. Weldon News.

This reminds us of a boy that stayed in the telegraph office here while back. He did not know the first character in telegraphy and could not tell how any letter was made, yet knew every call that was heard, could tell what office was being called and where the call was coming from—always using the geographical name of the town and not the telegraphic name. And it took him to go to the instrument and call on other offices on instance, Tarboro or Washington—he would do so accurately as an operator, using the telegraphic call and signata without knowing what letters he was making.

Electric Lights for the Town. The commissioners of the town of Concord are contracted with the Edison Electric Light Company to have the town lighted, at one thousand dollars a year, for seventy-five lights of twenty candle power each, of the incandescent system. The lights are to be in complete operation in ninety days.

Concord will be one of the best lighted towns in the country when this is done, and it shows what a good-spirited spirit possesses the people of the Piedmont region.

We hope now to see the principal towns of Eastern Carolina lighted by electricity. Goldsboro, Kinston, New Bern, Washington, Greenville, Wilson, Tarboro, Rocky Mount, Weldon, Plymouth, Edenton, and Elizabeth City, are among those which should at once adopt this cheap and efficient system of public lighting.

Just think of three dollars a night as the cost of lighting a town after the most approved methods. As a preventive of thieving and other crime, the electric light is worth more than three dollars a night to any place of a thousand inhabitants. —Wilmington Messenger.

Now why cannot Greenville act upon this? The town certainly can afford to pay \$1,000 a year for electric lights. The matter should be looked into and the plant secured. The town must have improvements and must keep pace with the spirit of progress that is showing itself in many North Carolina towns. Of course we expect various enterprises to follow the railroad here, but let's get to work and have some of them by the time the road comes.

The Atlanta Constitution suggests that "for religious people Lent will begin on the 6th of March. For Democrats it will begin on the 4th." That paper might have added further that for religious people Lent will continue forty days, while for Democrats it continues four years.

Dissolution. The firm of Liechtenstein & Schultz has this day dissolved by mutual consent, the entire interests of the firm being purchased by Sam'l M. Schultz, who will continue the business at the old stand. All the business of the old firm will be settled by Mr. Schultz, and all bills are to be paid to him. This 21st day of February, 1889.

Having assumed entire control of the Grocery and Furniture business of Liechtenstein & Schultz with which I have been connected since 1875, I wish to inform all friends and customers that they will continue to find me at the Old Brick Store prepared to suit their wants in every particular. Regarding the accounts of the very generous patronage bestowed upon the old firm, I solicit a continuance of their favors, which every endeavor will be made to merit.

Respectfully, Sam'l M. Schultz.

Free Examination Days. On second Thursday, Friday and Saturday of February, April, July, September, October and December. Should any person desire to be examined at other times, the board has decided that the ones examined must pay for it. Regular office days Sat. before every 3d Sunday. J. LATHAM Supt.

Pactolus W. or Mills. The undersigned having issued these bills for a number of years and put them in thorough order, begs leave to inform the public that he is prepared to print them and what in a first-class manner. Satisfaction guaranteed in all patterns. I would inform merchants that I am prepared to furnish them good water mill meal at wholesale prices delivered. Customers wishing to buy mill meal can be supplied at any store in a quantity when they will also find a selection of general Merchandise which will be sold at lowest prices.

Robt. R. Fleming. New Jewelry and New Jewelry Store I have just received a nice line of—the latest styles of—

WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY. Which I can sell very cheap. Violin Guitars and Banjo strings also for sale. Special attention paid to all watch, clock and jewelry repairing.

MOSES HELLBRONER, WAREHAKER AND JEWELER, Greenville, N. C.

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NEARLY

Is better than any soap; handier, finer, more effective, more of it, more for the money, and in the form of a powder, for your convenience. Takes, as it were, the fabric in one hand, the dirt in the other, and lays them apart—comparatively speaking, washing with little work.

As it saves the worst of the work, so it saves the worst of the wear. It isn't the use of clothes that makes them old before their time; it is rubbing and straining, getting the dirt out by main strength. For scrubbing, house-cleaning, washing dishes, windows and glassware, Pearlina has no equal. Beware of imitations, price packages and peddlers.

JAMES FYLE, New York.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

RIGHT AND WRONG.

GEORGE MACDONALD.

Also! how easily things go wrong: A night too much or a kiss too long. And there follows a mist and a weeping rain.

And life is never the same again.

Also! how hardy things go right! This heart to watch on a Summer's night. For the sigh will come; and the kiss will stay. And the Summer night is a Winter's day.

And you, how easy I might be to love! The soft and kiss of an April day, when you are so glad to be strong (and so) That is born in the light of the Winter's day!

And things can never go badly wrong if the heart be true and the love be strong. For the mist, if it comes, and the weeping rain Will be changed by love into sunshine again.

GOLDEN MEMORIES.

MRS. H. K. POTWIN.

I'm growing old. I have outlived The brightness of the fading past; The shiny days of youth are fled, Their memories only last. I sit and dream of good old times In the years so long ago, Swiftly the pictures come and go As my kilted needles fly.

I seem to see a generous heart With fire-dogs bright as gold, A flickering breeze, a welcome warmth Bid defiance to the cold. O staunch old friend! Back-log of oak! Giving thy life to make ours bright, With hiss and blaze and cheery flame Turning all darkness into light.

I'm near thee, in the corner now, Thou four-foot log of olden time, Gazing above to where the stars Seemed listening to our jests and rhyme.

The dear old Saints of long ago Who smiled serenely on our play, Watching the roasting apples glow, Or nuts that in the embers lay.

Have gone. Their chairs are empty now Hid in the attic side by side. And children of the country wide, While I, who loved the very stones That make the household hearth so dear, Can feel the blaze and see the glow Glow as memory brings it near.

Th: Legislature and Insurance.

Greenboro North State, Rep. It seems marvelous that the legislature does not wake up to the defects in our insurance laws.

The most voracious bloodsucker that draws on the financial life of North Carolina is the Association of Insurance Companies.

They charge enormous rates, on inflated valuations, and in case of loss by fire place every obstruction in the way of honest and fair adjustment of the losses.

Nearly all the insurance is done by companies in other States and in foreign countries. They have no property in this state, and contribute nothing to its welfare.

If a fire occurs, payment of loss is generally delayed, and cost exaggerated. Every device is used to worry the insured until he finally gives up and takes what he can get.

These companies drain the State of great sums of money each year and no protection is furnished by the legislature that is worth talking about. If a man has to sue and get a judgment there is nothing to levy on or to attach belonging to the company.

Here is a field which the legislature ought to plow and harrow until something is done that will really benefit the people.

Good Living and the Brain.

Don't Try It.

Brooklyn Eagle.

"Would we advise you to marry a man whom you really and truly love very dearly to reform him? I would advise you to marry a man whom you really and truly love very dearly, if you love him so dearly, Ethel, we would, but we would advise you to kill him first. You won't have half the trouble reforming him afterward, and he'll make a much better husband. A fellow won't reform for his sweetheart, Ethel, isn't likely to do so for his wife; you can bet your engagement ring against your dowry on that.

It is sweet to live, but oh! how bitter—to be troubled with a cough, day and night. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, however, is a sure remedy. 25 cents.

"I cannot sing to-day. My throat is sore."

"Of course you haven't tried Salvation Oil?"

"No." "Then get it, and you'll sing like the birds."

It has been predicted by many prophetic writers that with the twentieth century the millennial glory will dawn. We are now living in eleven years of the twentieth century, but a comprehensive glance at the condition of the nations of the earth does not reveal any cheering harbingers of the wisdom for period when worlds will be beaten into plowshares and spears into pruning-hooks. Still, it may be that this very gloomy outlook is in itself a hopeful sign, since the darkest hour is that before the dawn.—Goldboro Argus.

A student of the University of Illinois, named Samuel S. Ford, from Arizona, has begun life as a very successful lawyer. He was ranked at Kanakake, two in Claiborne, and one in Urbana, Ill., all in one day, securing \$5,200. He is but 19, and has been arrested. He is a decided success as a young trial lawyer and rascal. He read time novels probably instead of his Bible.—Wit. Sta.

The New Bern Journal estimates that the veterans of the late war are dying at the rate of six thousand a year. Still the Federal pension rolls are not diminishing by any means.

New England statistics show that seven out of every ten women who become widows under thirty-five marry within two years. Old Weller seems to have known what he was talking about.—Washington Hotel.

Despite the fact that women lace, wear thin shoes and expose their health in a dozen other ways, the average longevity of the female sex is increasing. It is doubtless due to the obstinacy.—Detroit Free Press.

ANY ONE CAN DYE

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Early Vegetables in New York.

Our truckers have not yet begun the shipment of vegetables North this season but they soon will and they are therefore immensely interested in the prices which rule in the big markets. As interesting to them, and to householders also, we clip the following report from the New York markets on Saturday last:

Receipts light and prices still ruling high for choice stock in good condition. Green peas are quoted at \$3.50 to \$5.00 per crate; string beans \$2.50 to \$4.50; egg plant \$4 to \$6 for half barrel crate. No recent arrivals of cucumbers or tomatoes, but they are wanted and at good prices. Strawberries in good demand, and prime fruit selling at \$1 to \$1.50 a quart; inferior berries 50 to 75 cents.—Wit. Review.

What Society Does in Washington.

The beautiful and thoughtful daughters of a well-known editor and his wife, who have made the rounds, "I've called on the Cabinet ladies on Cabinet day, Wednesday; on the Supreme Court ladies on Monday; on the Senatorial ladies on Thursday; on Congressmen's wives Tuesdays and Fridays, and from Monday till Saturday I have fairly revelled in fragmentary conversations on the weather, the President's last reception, dress and more weather. From Capitol Hill to Georgetown I've been captured with tea and stupor. I want no more of this hop skip and jump society in mine. I'd rather stay at home and read Tolstoi."

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Movable Feasts.

Wilmington Messenger.

Just how the regular feast days named in the calendar move in the days when they occur, from year to year, is curious as well as interesting to note. Last year Shrove Tuesday occurred on February 14; this year it comes on March 5. This year Ash Wednesday, or Lent, occurs on March 6; last year on February 15. Palm Sunday last year was March 25; this year April 14. Easter this year, April 21; last year April 1. Whit Sunday last year May 20; this year it will come June 9.

Good Living and the Brain.

It is a common opinion that good or rather high living is the principal cause of dyspepsia; but while the quantity and quality of our food and the manner of eating it doubtless has much to do with the behavior of our stomachs, the state of our brains has fully as much or more influence. Some of the most healthy people eat as much as all and all things as they desire without consulting any dietetic rules and others who pay great attention to their diet are the victims of dyspepsia; but in most of these cases it will be found that those people take but little exercise and over work their brains in reading, writing and the anxious pursuits of business. They sit down to meals with minds absorbed and preoccupied to such an extent that they cannot tell five minutes after eating what they ate, or whether they rush off to their business or literary work, diverting from the stomach to the brain the energy which should be concentrated on the stomach for the performance of its digestive functions. The brain being the source and fountain of all nervous influence, the brain which controls all the body, bones, Ganges, etc., in the market. Give her a call at the Old Stand.

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Payetteville	6 10		
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Payetteville	3 00		
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The race problem at the South is being somewhat solved as far as North Carolina is concerned by the exodus. The poor darkeys are being seduced and allured away from their old haunts to a part of the country where ill-fortune certainly awaits them. The result is not hard to foresee. Many of them will die of disease—indeed the movement is one of extermination rather than of benefit for the poor blacks.—Raleigh News and Observer.

New England statistics show that seven out of every ten women who become widows under thirty-five marry within two years. Old Weller seems to have known what he was talking about.—Washington Hotel.

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