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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10th, 1889.

The feeling of lethargy and
indifference must be put aside
by the business men of Green-
ville, and activity and a desire
for development prevail instead,
or the town can accomplish
nothing.

The REFLECTOR is receiving
applications for sample copies
and letters of inquiry about the
town and its business outlook
from people abroad who are
looking for a place to locate.
Thus can be seen the good work
the paper is doing. The home
people should help send the pa-
per abroad.

The close, narrow spirit that
prompts a man to withhold the
investment of a dollar upon
which he can make another dol-
lar because somebody else might
make twenty-five cents, will
never help make a town or es-
tablish any enterprise. If there
is any such spirit existing in
Greenville—even in the smallest
degree—crush it, and everybody
go to work for the town.

In writing up the article for
last week's REFLECTOR upon the
important civil cases that had
been disposed of at the late
Court, we inadvertently omitted
to mention Mr. J. B. Yellowley
among the attorneys connected
with them. Mr. Yellowley made
a very excellent speech in the
Dixon vs Harris case, that rank-
ed with the best efforts of the
term. He is an able lawyer and
argues well before a jury.

One of the most fearful ma-
rine disasters known to our
times occurred in the harbor of
Apia, in the Samoan Islands on
the 26th of March. The late
trouble there had caused several
war vessels to be sent to the
scene, and on the day in ques-
tion a hurricane in passing the
harbor destroyed four of these
vessels and two others were
beached. Besides these all the
merchant ships in the harbor
were wrecked. Three of the
war vessels belonged to the
United States and three to Ger-
many, and with them nearly
one hundred and fifty soldiers
lost their lives. The loss to the
American Government by the
destruction of the vessels is put
down at \$2,600,000.

Don't run down your neigh-
bors business. His right to en-
gage in an honorable enterprise
is as sacred as yours and in try-
ing to belittle him you often
heap ridicule upon your own
head. If your neighbor merchant
or manufacturer sells an article
don't go around and tell the
customer he has been cheated
out of so much and that you
would have done so much bet-
ter by him, when if the custo-
mer had gone to you first you
could not have done any better.
Every man is entitled to a fair
income from his business and a
spirit of fairness and brotherly
aid would make all more pros-
perous. See that your own busi-
ness is conducted honorably
and above reproach, and accord
to your neighbor the right he
has to the same reputation.

Remember Thursday Night.

Thursday night has been set
apart for the business men and
citizens generally to meet at the
Opera House to form a Business
Association. We hope all will
come out and show some zeal
and interest in the matter. Let
no one decline to come by rea-
son of his having no property.
Everybody is deeply interested
in this movement, and none more
than he who has no property or
available means of support, for
the grand purpose is to give em-
ployment to all at living wages
and inaugurate such reforms and

improvements as shall redound
to the good of all.

A business man who refuses
to come and lend his aid and
support deserves no better than
failure in business. Let him
come. Whether he sells fifty
thousand dollars per annum
or five hundred dollars per
annum he has an interest in the
matter. Come big merchant,
little merchant, clerk, laborer,
mechanic, property holder, non
property holder, minister, doc-
tor, lawyer, pharmacist and
those that hope to be, all come.
You are all interested in the
future of Greenville. And the
hour is at hand when Greenville
must move forward with united
strength to place her among the
booming towns of the State and
South. The REFLECTOR shall
watch those citizens that move
forward and take an interest in
this movement and shall be-
lieve they have good hearts and
a good purpose to serve the in-
terests of all by making sacrifices
for the common good, and shall
call upon the people to regard
and esteem them as such in their
different vocations or profes-
sions. But those who remain
away from indifference, a want
of interest or selfishness, we
shall regard as the drones in the
hive that deserve nothing better
than business death, and in their
death would see others die.

Now all come. Come with
that good will you possess when
attending church. Come with
charity in your hearts. Come with
the knowledge that you live not
only for yourself but for those
that are to come after you, and in
the present to aid and advance
the interest of all others in your
midst. Banish self from your
thoughts and hearts, and spend
one evening devoted to the
common good. Then our course
will be so worthy that it will
find favor not only among men,
but with Him who can prove of
substantial service to us here on
earth and in Heaven above.

Bethel Items.

Saturday was the liveliest day we
have had in Bethel for several
months. Large crowd in town and
trade brisk. An abundance of fresh
fish, but they sell high.
A meeting was held at Conetoe
last Monday for the purpose of rais-
ing funds to build a cotton and oil
mill at some point on the A. & R.
Rail road at or near the above na-
med station, and we are informed
that a sufficient amount was sub-
scribed to insure the building of
the mill. A good portion of the
subscribers live in and around Bethel
and we believe they might have
had the mill here if they had so de-
sired and managed properly. We
glad to see our business men invest-
ing their capital in another county
to the detriment of their own, espe-
cially when it is so badly needed at
home.

Mrs. W. M. Hammond has taken
a trip north on a visit to her re-
lations and friends, where she expects
to spend the summer.
Mrs. J. L. Nelson returned from
Washington D. C. Friday evening
and if we are to judge from her
cheerful appearance we should say
she received a great encouragement
in her satisfaction from the bosses
of the Postoffice Department.

Rev. C. J. Woodson preached in
the Baptist church Wednesday
Thursday and Friday nights. He
left for Wilson on the train Satur-
day morning. His discussions were
plain and logical. In discussing
the various classes of the human
character on Thursday night he re-
marked that he had always heard
that the lawyers were the biggest
liars in the world, and paused, when
many of the congregation, with a
broad, significant smile on their
faces, placed their eyes on a certain
lawyer, as good as to say, that means
you, but the situation was soon chan-
ged when the preacher continued:
"I do not believe it, for a merchant
will tell more lies in six months than
a lawyer will in six years." From
that some of our merchants conclu-
ded he knew very little about the
character of merchants.

We saw a piece in the REFLECTOR
of last week notifying the new-
ly appointed J. P. to qualify with-
in sixty days. Who are they? No
body here seems to know. Can't
you give us a list of their names?
[They were published two weeks
ago—ED.]
Mr. C. H. James returned from
Jacksonville Friday evening.
Mr. M. C. S. Cherry went to Rich-
mond yesterday from whence he
will proceed to Tennessee to look
after an estate inherited from a deceased
relation.
Eld. P. D. Gold failed to fill his
appointment at Bethel Sunday eve-
ning, being sick and unable to at-
tend.

Considerable snow fell here Sat-
urday night and Sunday morning,
but for the rain the snow must have
been at least four inches deep.

Bethel N. C. April 8th 1889. J.

A Correction.

The Anniversary for the Scotland
Neck Temperance Association was
appointed for April 19th. It was so
stated on the invitations. But by a
mistake on the part of the com-
mittee of arrangements, the time for
Good Friday was mistaken, and the
mistake made a change in the time
necessary. The Anniversary exer-
cises will now be on the 26th of
April. Debate at 4:30 p. m. and
oration at night as first published.
Newspapers of Eastern Carolina and
elsewhere will do the order a favor
by noting a change.—Scotland Neck
Temperance Association.

General Items.

Miss Ida Rogers who has been
visiting relatives in Carolina and
Pacotus township has returned to
her home in Hamilton.

We were glad to see Mr. Editor's
better half in our neighborhood a
few days the past week visiting re-
latives.

Mrs. S. M. Jones of Bethel, formerly
of Pacotus township, was right
sick last week. We are glad to
learn that she is much better.
April has been giving us a regular
breeze. Last Saturday morning
a hail storm passed through the
northern portion of Pitt and Edge-
comb and Martin counties. The
wind did much damage, blowing
down trees and scattering fences
generally. On Saturday night it
snowed and rained nearly all night
but it was too late for snow to stay
with us long and by twelve o'clock
Sunday scarcely any was to be seen.

We were right well amused at
two ladies a few days ago. One
was giving the other a description of
wedding dress she had seen, and in
telling the color she got things mixed
and ended by saying it was the
color of boiled molasses after being
pulled.

BERT

Williamston Glimpses.

Gentle spring, with wings of peace,
has smiled upon us this week
whereof we are glad. It so filled
our heart with pleasure that we are
almost constrained to give expres-
sion to our joy and gratitude in the
shape of "An Ode to Spring." It is
getting time to write Spring poetry,
and guess we must try our hand
soon. And when we do, you may
look for something rich and senti-
mental. We will give you a couple
of lines in advance to keep your ex-
pectations at fever heat—your red
hair also, Mr. Editor.

Spring, Spring, gentle Spring!
Around thee our affections tenderly cling
For all the winter we've been a wishing.
The time would come to go a fishing.
And we would have gone yester-
day but the wind was not to our no-
tion.

Prof. Hassell has a very flourish-
ing school. Suppose he has some-
where in the neighborhood of 75
scholars. He is ably assisted by
Miss Chloe Biggs.
All-Fool's day was not forgotten
here. One of our fellow-townsmen,
however, lost sight of it by some
means, and he suffered in conse-
quence. He was the victim of a
tough joke. At the dinner table he
was helped to what purported to be
oyster fritters. He took some unto
himself, and began the work of con-
sumption. But they didn't con-
sume very fast. They seemed to
be possessed of expanding quali-
ties equal to sorghum candy. He
tugged away faithfully and vigor-
ously with his knife at the stubborn
fritters but they refused to yield, or
at least to break. In sheer despera-
tion he gathered one of the things
between his fingers, and strove
mightily for the victory; but (victory)
was no where in sight. He was
completely subdued by cotton
fritters, and the guests tittered,
while he blushed. Don't tackle
cotton batter cakes again, young
man, for the powers of man are not
equal to the task.

We are glad to note a marked im-
provement in the condition of Mrs.
Dan Simmons. She will go North
soon to get the benefit of skilled
treatment there; and we sincerely
hope she may come back to us com-
pletely restored.

Mrs. Pattie Coburn, a member
of the Missionary Baptist Church,
and a very estimable lady, died two
or three days since. She was a
great sufferer, and doubtless death
to her was a great relief.

JORGIL

Greenville.

Upon his return home from Green-
ville, Mr. E. E. Hilliard, editor of
the Scotland Neck Democrat, writes
a very nice article about our town
and says some things which the
people appreciate. We append below
a few paragraphs clipped here and
there from his article.

Greenville is a beautiful town of
about 3,000 inhabitants. It is situa-
ted on Southern bank of Tar river,
and is location making it one of the
best drained towns in the State. Its
streets are clean and well lighted at
night and its general appearance in-
viting. Pitt county has a fine court
house and a good and handsome
jail. Wherever you turn there is an
air of business.

Greenville is preparing to put on
new life and grow yet much larger
and increase her business in every
way. There are now many pretty
residences in the town. A park is
being cleared and set out in the south-
side of the town, which will add
much to its attractive features.
Prof. John Duckett, the energetic
and progressive principal of Green-
ville institute, is doing a great deal
for the educational improvements of
the town. It was our pleasure to
look through the buildings, and we
were much pleased with the progress
the school is making. About 140
pupils have been enrolled this year,
and even others are expected now.
The art department of the school
shows thoroughness, and it is remark-
able that Miss Cannon, the accom-
plished music teacher, that she is a lady of
rare gifts.

We heard it remarked how Green-
ville is noted for its pretty ladies,
and we concurred in the justness of
the observation.

Mess. Higgs and Munford two of
the most energetic young men that
have gone out from Scotland Neck,
are in the handsomest store in the
town and are leading the place we
think in the dry goods trade. They
sold us a secret which we will let out
at home—they said to us that they
owe a large part of their success to
the liberal patronage they have given
the advertising columns of the
splendid home paper, the RE-
FLECTOR.

We have visited no place in Caro-
lina with which we are better pleas-
ed in every way than with beautiful
Greenville.

Notice.

To all delinquent tax payers of the
County of Pitt for the years 1884, 1885
and 1887, take notice that on Monday
the 6th day of May, 1889, I shall offer
for sale, before the Court House door in
Greenville, the lands of the following
named persons, or so much thereof, as
may be necessary to satisfy the taxes
and cost found against them, as they
are denominated in the list below. I
shall send a deputy to the homes of all
delinquents to seize personal property
for taxes and cost.

GREENVILLE TOWNSHIP.

1887. Albritton, Mrs. P. A., 22 acres	1.49
1884. Albritton, Redmon, 60 acres	2.89
1887. Anderson, John, 51 acres	1.84
1887. Berry, Clemas A., 30 acres	2.38
1887. Hamrahan, W. H., 1 town lot	2.38
1885. Hamrahan, W. H., 1 town lot	2.78
1887. Moyer, Melissa, 17 acres	45
1887. Morris, L. V., 1 and one-sixth town lot	29.91
1887. Sermans, D. G., 44 acres	2.67
1887. Patrick, Charles, 1 town lot	3.68
1885. Patrick, Charles, 1 town lot	6.72
1887. Whichard, M. R., 100 acres	2.27
1887. Daniel, J. D., 1 town lot	2.37
1887. J. F., 1 acres	3.35
1887. Boyd, J. F., 100 acres	17.47
1884. Boyd, J. F., 100 acres	11.55

BELVOIR TOWNSHIP.

1887. Bridges, R. R., 788 acres	5.16
1885. Bridges, R. R., 788 acres	5.28
1887. Coggin, Sherrod, 47 acres	4.69
1885. Coggin, Sherrod, 47 acres	5.22
1887. May, Mrs. Polly, Est 20 acres	1.51
1887. Spain & Battle, 76 acres	3.68
1887. Teel, R. A., 15 acres	3.68
1887. Teel, A. E., 15 acres	3.68
1887. Tyson, Warren, 60 acres	5.20
1887. Tyson, J. C., 33 acres	3.06

BEAVER DAM TOWNSHIP.

1887. Beardsley, L. P., 210 acres	9.08
1885. Beardsley, L. P., 210 acres	9.82
1887. Beardsley, L. P., 210 acres	9.02
1887. Joyner, W. C., 400 acres	7.34
1887. Tyson, C. V., 400 acres	7.28

CHICOD TOWNSHIP.

1887. Adams, Shade, 53 acres	3.33
1887. Brown, C. O., 80 acres	5.55
1887. Brown, A. T., 105 acres	7.77
1884. Brown, S. L., 105 acres	4.44
1887. Evans, Mrs. Margaret, 195 acres	2.12
1887. Lockamy, J. W., 63 acres	4.34
1885. Lockamy, J. W., 63 acres	4.34
1887. D'con, John Mc 78 acres	61
1887. Mills, Richard, 87 acres	2.33
1887. Mills, W. B. Mrs., 45 acres	1.51
1887. Indian Wells, 87 acres	3.58
1887. Patrick, William, 87 acres	0.44
1887. Smith, J. W., 300 acres	3.14
1887. Sutton, G. W., 122 acres	2.48
1887. Smith, J. W., 300 acres	3.14
1885. McGilvorn, Henry, 110 acres	93
1887. Tyson, B. F., 55 acres	3.68
1884. Harris, Sherrod, 25 acres	2.26
1884. Smith, B. C., 299 acres	3.25
1884. Smith, Elias, 100 acres	44
1887. Galloway, E. S., 815 acres	15.29

FARMVILLE TOWNSHIP.

1884. Beardsley, L. P., Est 368 acres	25.18
1885. Beardsley, L. P., 145 acres	9.36
1885. Beardsley, James H., 250 acres	17.03
1885. Bullock, D. V., 200 acres	7.52
1887. Bullock, D. V., 200 acres	4.84
1887. Joyner, Cornelius, 20 acres	3.21
1885. Joyner, Noah, heirs 125 acres	9.06
1885. Joyner, Andrew, 286 acres	0.17
1887. Joyner, Noah, heirs 125 acres	6.3
1887. Joyner, Andrew, 286 acres	7.87
1887. Morris, L. V., 685 1/2 acres	42.65

BETHEL TOWNSHIP.

1886. Bullock, R. W., 75 acres	5.05
1887. Carlies J. B., 1 acre	3.73
1886. Carson, Thos D., 143 acres	3.58
1886. More, D. C., 8 acres	7.23

CAROLINA TOWNSHIP.

1886. Cherry Salile L., 288 acres	8.83
1887. Elks, Mrs. Arcene, 74 acres	54
1887. Hunter, W. W., 111 acres	2.72

CHICOD TOWNSHIP.

W Lockamy, 29 acres	3.55
Mary Laughinghouse estate, 36 acres	71
H C Cox, 30 acres	7.03
J B Bryan, 297 acres	2.63
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N J or J N Hardee 62	38
Mary L. Buck, 40 acres	38
Henry Harris, Jr 39 acres	24
W H King 10 acres	33
Sarah Dail, 25 acres	6.65
Fannie Murphy, 314 acres	4.04
C M Hardee, 20 acres	1.99
Amanda Windley heirs 250 and 37 1/2 acres	3.69

FALKLAND TOWNSHIP.

Parker & Singletary, 590 acres	11.43
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PACOTUS TOWNSHIP.

J N Britton, 68 acres	57
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BELVOIR TOWNSHIP.

H R Hardee, 300 acres	5.62
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BETHEL TOWNSHIP.

STOCK LAW.

Greene Duff, 87 acres	89
James Heath, 10 acres	50

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Local Sparks.

Fish are cheaper. Superb—the weather. Business Association. Only twelve more days of Lent. Superior Court in Tarboro next week. Buy the Peerless Shirt of Higgs & Munford. Hen fruit still hold their own at 10 cents per dozen retail. A busy place all the time at Higgs & Munford. "Seize me Gus H., I'm sorry I spoke." "James Mason!" How we do hope the fruit crop will be abundant this year. We hope the predicted frosts for April will come up missing. A few last summer straw hats have appeared on the streets. 200 bushels corn for sale at Rountree's Feed Store at 50c per bushel. Prof. Walter with his bird whistle took in the small boy last week. Jan 10—Just received Boss Famous Lunch Milk Biscuit at the Old Brick Store. Go to see Higgs & Munford—they labor for the best interest of the people. This week track laying will begin on the A. & R. Road and come on the way. Several towns in the State are to have local option elections—this summer. Have you seen those elegant French Satins at Lang's? They are beautiful. The REFLECTOR wants twenty-five spring chickens in exchange for subscriptions. W. H. Harrington, Tax collector for 1886, advertises his delinquent list in this paper. Stop buying imperfect clothing and buy one of Higgs & Munford's nice \$5.00 suits. A large number of farmers were in town last Friday attending the Alliance meeting. Don't wait for somebody else to go to the business meeting tomorrow night. Be there yourself. Orders for the Centennial Copying Book and Ink should be left at the REFLECTOR office. 50 Barrels Early Rose and Peerless Seed Potatoes, cheap at the Old Brick Store. Messrs. Ryan & Redding have put their soda fountain in readiness for the summer sipping. Do you want to use the very best flour? Then buy Point Lace at \$5.50 at the Old Brick Store. Every man interested in the welfare of the town should be at the Opera House to-morrow night. A big lot of sample shoes all styles and sizes at New York cost, for sale by Higgs & Munford. Go to the Opera House to-morrow night and lend your aid to the movement to build up Greenville. The latest novelties in Neckwear and furnishing goods just received by M. R. Lang. The picnic season approaches. Tickets are in the lead, however, and have already put in an appearance. Buy a pair of Louis A. Crossett's Gent's Seamless Knit \$2.49 Shoe of Higgs & Munford. Sheriff Tucker has four notices of land sale in this paper to satisfy executions in his hands for collection. ANNOUNCEMENT—The very best Butter and Cheese that money can buy, at the Old Brick Store. A good garden is a good thing to have about your premises. Plenty of vegetables will save money to the family. Buy a pair of E. P. Reed & Co's. Ladies warranted hand made Shoe, \$2.49, of Higgs & Munford. A good step for the farmers would be after they think enough corn has been planted go back and plant some more. A nice line of the best harness, whips and saddlery at low prices at J. D. Williamson's Carriage Factory. The angler is getting in his work. Mr. Carlos Harris went out last Thursday afternoon and caught a dozen nice robins. Just think of a job lot of 500 pairs of custom made pants from a tailor's establishment. That is the size of a lot M. R. Lang bought the other day. The Visitor says the "Belostoma-Americana" bugs are in Raleigh again. Jan 15—500 lbs more Lorrillard & Co's Sweet Scotch Snuff which has proven to be the healthiest and cheapest. 35c per pound at the Old Brick Store. The wedge is started. Now drive it in and make Greenville spread. NOTICE—All interested in having their clothing made will do well to examine our line of sample on exhibition at M. R. Lang's. JACOB REED'S SONS, Philadelphia. Founded 1824. Spring—the time of the year for house-cleaning, repainting and a general cleaning up all around. Look to your laurels Greenvillians. A PLEASING SENSE—Of health and strength renewed and of ease and comfort follows the use of Syrup of Figs, as it acts in harmony with nature to effectually cleanse the system when constive or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists. Cotton Oil Product, that is now coming into use as a substitute for lard, is advertised in this paper and dealers can get it through W. B. Wilson. We will have something interesting to say about this product at an early day. The speech recently delivered by Mr. Fred Johnson, a young man of Swift Creek township, before the Temperance Reform Club, at Greenville, has been sent the REFLECTOR, for publication. It will appear next week.

COST!

In a few weeks the store which I now occupy will have to undergo extensive repairs. In order to enable the workmen to work with more rapidity, I shall have to reduce my

Mammoth Stock.

—To do this I shall offer—

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS

to those who can avail themselves of the opportunity. Beginning

TODAY

—I shall offer for the—

NEXT 30 DAYS

—my entire stock of—

READY-MADE

Clothing,

AND SHOES,

—AT—

Cost for Cash.

This is no trap for the unwary, but a—

BONA FIDE CLEARING SALE

—OF A—

Desirable Stock

which must be done to facilitate arrangements.

GOODS NEW AND OLD GOODS

Will be treated alike and no goods will be reserved. We cordially invite those seeking

Genuine Bargains

In the above lines to examine our prices and see that we mean business.

\$8,000 WORTH OF CLOTHING

MADE.

\$4,000 WORTH OF SHOES

Of all kinds and styles.

ALL OTHER GOODS

Will be sold proportionately low. Don't miss this opportunity. My name in this column is sufficient guarantee that all promises made above will be upheld.

M. R. LANG

Personal.

Miss Lizzie Bedding is visiting in Kinston. Rev. E. C. Glenn is visiting his parents near Greensboro. Mr. Jas. L. Harris of this town is working on the Hookerton Clipper. Mrs. John Duckett is in Lenior county visiting her aunt who is very sick. Mr. Charles Latham, of Plymouth is visiting his son, Hon. L. C. Latham. Dr. and Mrs. Ihrie, of Pittsboro, are visiting the family of Dr. E. Williams. Mrs. B. F. Sagg has been visiting her parents near Goldsboro for some days past. Mr. John H. Small, one of Washington's leading attorneys, was in town last Thursday. Mrs. J. E. Moore, of Wilson spent a few days here last week, visiting Mrs. Higgs and Mrs. Blow. Rev. G. L. Finch preached in Kinston last Sunday. He will preach in Greenville next Sunday night. Hon. Germain Bernard has gone to Pilot Mountain to spend some time with his daughter Mrs. M. C. Boyd. Capt. A. W. Styron, of Washington, was in town a day or two last week soliciting stock to the Ocracoke hotel.

Mrs. D. J. Whichard has been spending a few days with the family of Mr. W. E. Whichard, in Pactolus township. Mr. J. D. Murphy returned Saturday from a visit to relatives at Burgaw. His mother returned with him for a visit here. Mrs. Lula Cleve returned last week to her home in New Bern, after spending some days with her mother and sisters. Glad to have a call from Dr. Hardy Johnson, of Bell's Ferry, on Monday. He wanted the REFLECTOR sent to his address and so it goes. Mr. J. H. Tucker, accompanied by his wife and the little fellow, left Thursday for Warrenton. Mrs. Tucker and the child will remain some days with relatives in that section.

Mr. J. D. Cox, of Contentnea, was in our office last Friday, and said he sowed some turnip seed on Saturday, March 29th, and they had come up the Thursday following. He also told us that one of his neighbors, Mr. Biggs Cox, had corn up.

Mr. C. D. Rountree returned from Charlotte last Thursday night, and reported his father as much improved. He says the hospitality and generosity of the people of Charlotte is unbounded, and that he never saw a people more cheerful in their ministrations to the sick or more anxious to alleviate suffering so far as was in their power.

The town needs cleaning up and the garbage hauled off. There is too much filth for the hot sun of summer to come on.

One of the Centennial Copy Books can be seen at this office. It is the thing for business men who keep copies of their letters.

Those subscribers who pay for the REFLECTOR in wood can bring us some now. A few loads are needed.

The Second Quarterly Conference of the M. E. Church will convene here next Sunday, conducted by Presiding Elder G. A. Oglesby.

The steamer *Beaufort* has been taken off the river for the summer, and the Old Dominion now has but one steamer on the trip, the *Meyers*.

Ex-Sheriff King advertises a list of delinquent taxes for the years he was Tax Collector for the county. Those interested should take due notice.

The grape vines are putting forth their leaves and some of the wise ones aver that there will be no more cold weather; that the grape never gets tooled.

The Wilson *Advance* says the merchant who is too stingy to advertise is too stingy to give you bargains. That assertion will stand on its own merits.

News has been received here of the burning of the commission office of Cobb Bros. & Gilliam, of Norfolk. Their books were saved and all loss is covered by insurance.

Which could make the most noise and attract the largest crowd—the five cent mocking bird whistle man or Fon Fleming's "bird" which came down on the boat Saturday?

The waste places must be built up; the old town must be enlarged; Greenville must have more manufacturing interests. Everybody tall in line and march to the work.

The variability of this world is something to marvel at. Let your mind go back to the beautiful weather of a week ago, and then meditate upon some of the changes since.

The recent pleasant weather brought out many barefooted rhinoceros. If all the splinters, roots and brick-bats were removed how much happier the toes would be.

Something to catch your eye is M. R. Lang's new advertisement to-day. But that don't begin to compare with the beauty of his store. Go there if you wish to behold wonders.

Rev. G. L. Finch is not only a good preacher but a clever young man as well. And he keeps a nice horse and buggy which the editor has enjoyed on several occasions for a drive.

Last week a shingle making machine arrived to be placed at the large saw mill just west of town in charge of Mr. Jack White. The proportions of that industry continue to enlarge. It will fill its place in Greenville's enterprises.

A colored child, aged three years was fatally burned on last Wednesday in this town. Its mother had gone out early in the morning to hang out some clothes and left the child in bed. Screams soon attracted her back to the house and she found the child near the fire with all its night robes ablaze. The child died from the effects of the burns.

Commissioners Proceedings.

GREENVILLE, N. C., April 1st, 1889. Board of County Commissioners met in regular session, present C. Dawson, Chairman, G. M. Mooring, C. V. Newton, T. E. Keel and W. A. James, Jr. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Pauper orders were issued as follows: Susan Turner 5 00, John Stokes 4 50, William Taylor 5 00, Morgan Bryan 4 50, J. A. Moore 1 00, Try Mayo 2 00, Patsy Ellis 1 50, H. D. Smith 2 50, Nancy Moore 4 00, John Baker 1 50, Dan Webster 2 00, Ethelinda Nelson 4 00, Wm Simpson 2 00, Lynn Bryant 12 00, Polly Beddon 1 50, Steph Williams 3 00, Jacob McLawhorn 1 50.

General orders were issued as follows: B. S. Shepherd 1 10, W. H. Cox 9 62, E. A. Moya 2 37, W. D. Morgan 7 40, J. A. Moore 1 10, W. H. Cox 1 10, J. A. K. Tucker 119 40, H. Brown 14 00, J. H. Hardee 173 67, J. A. K. Tucker 138 63, Edwards & Broughton 81 25, E. A. Moya 117 24, C. P. Gaskins 9 69, E. A. Moya 1 05, H. H. Wilson 1 19, C. M. Bernard 5 80, R. E. Pollard 15 00, J. A. Dupree 9 37, W. A. James, Jr. 2 21, B. S. Shepherd 26 24, B. S. Shepherd 5 25, C. D. Rountree 9 05, J. T. Allen 2 08, L. H. Allen 1 09, C. F. White 10 41, D. J. Whitehead 3 00, J. A. K. Tucker 25, E. A. Moya 102 80, B. S. Shepherd 2 90, S. S. Rasberry 1 03, D. C. Moore 1 62, J. A. Moya 77 77, T. G. Tyson 50, R. Williams, Jr. 50, John Fleming 62, J. J. May 17 17, J. Lang 15, D. J. Whitehead 14 56, K. W. H. H. 57, D. W. H. 14 56, J. E. W. H. 14 56, G. W. H. 14 56, Austin Flood 3 15, John E. H. 80, W. A. Moore 1 10, G. A. McGowan 11 43, H. L. Ellis 25, Edgar Ballard 50, B. F. Wooten 95, W. M. King 4 63, C. Dawson 11 44, W. A. James, Jr. 7 30, G. M. Mooring 1 10, J. C. C. Jones 11 43, James Dawson 7 12, C. Dawson 2 00, C. V. Newton 10 40, T. E. Keel 11 60.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that during the month of September, 1888, while the bridge across Tar River was undergoing repairs and the county was maintaining and keeping a free ferry for the use of the public, that E. E. Pollard while attempting to drive his horse on the ferry boat, by negligence on the part of the servant of the county said horse was damaged, and said Pollard appearing before the Board and agreeing to accept the sum of \$15 in full satisfaction of any claim he may have against the county on account of said damage, and it appearing that the said sum is reasonable and just, it is ordered that an order be issued to said Pollard for said sum.

The following jurors were drawn for June term of Pitt Superior Court:

FIRST JURY. C. M. Tucker, J. A. Teel, Asa Garrison, L. C. Moore, Worrell Moore, J. R. Rauldolph, John H. Moore, W. B. Brown, J. R. Smith, Arch Cox, N. E. Casey, J. S. Leggett, D. L. James, Ernest Brown, J. B. Bland, Robt Randolph, W. D. Manning, Ruel Willoughby, W. A. James, J. J. Caro, John Fleming, J. H. Cobb, Fernando Ward, W. A. Taylor, E. A. Elks, W. T. Harris, J. C. T. Davenport, J. G. Moya, W. J. Teel, W. N. Lang, John McDixon, F. M. Kilpatrick, Wright Jones, John Williams, Josephus Gaskins, R. J. Cobb.

SECOND JURY. S. J. McLawhorn, J. J. Hathaway, W. J. Fleming, Skelton Dennes, S. Jackson, Matthew Hodges, D. S. Rollins, L. P. Deden, Jesse Thomas, John H. Whitehurst, W. B. Briley, T. E. Manning, Allen Johnson, L. L. Kittrell, Wm McArthur, B. T. Wilson, L. A. Mayo, E. A. Harrett, W. L. Pollard, constable of Belvoir township, presented his official bond, which was approved and ordered to be recorded.

On petition it was ordered that the road leading from the North end of the bridge across Tar River at Greenville be changed so as to run directly from the foot of the bridge in a straight line to the town of Greenville, and that the road about 200 yards from the end of the rail road embankment.

The following Magistrates were appointed Tax Listers for the year 1889: T. H. Langley, Pactolus J. R. Congleton, Carolina; R. M. Jones, Beth el; L. Maget, Belvoir; B. S. Sheppard, Greenville; John King, Falkland; J. A. Lang, Farmville; S. V. Joyner, Beaver Dam; E. C. Blount, Contentnea; S. S. Rasberry, Swift Creek; J. C. Chapman, Albion.

J. H. Harris and J. B. Cox were allowed to list taxes for 1886.

The following convicts were hired out: Roxie Walston to Mary A. Ricks two months at \$3 per month. Alonzo Daniel to G. F. Smith six months at \$7 per month. Willoughby Lanier to W. K. McGowan six months at \$7 per month.

That list of April. The day dawned bright and clear and everything around was robed in spring beauty. Every one was on the alert remembering it was All Fool's Day.

So was "my friend," but alas he was too dull and they caught him in a way that he was not thinking of in the least. He had been boasting all the morning that no one could catch him. At the hour of noon as he was on his way homeward, he still had it on his mind, dead bent and determined not to be fooled.

Some one remarked that there was syllabub for dinner. He at once got his month in readiness, for if there was anything "my friend" does love it is syllabub.

He studied so over it that his teeth seemed to be floating around in his mouth in anticipation. It came.

He tried it wholesale. Did not try it but once. Great guns! he said he thought he had struck a soft soap factory or a turpentine still. Ugh! he almost taste it himself.

It was soap suds and a genuine article. He felt small, in fact so small as never was, even as small as a nickel bar of soap after a week's washing.

Not satisfied with that they gave him cotton biscuits for supper. It was the old story, to tell the truth they would stretch a yard before tearing an inch. He tugged and labored hard not to get away with that biscuit, but not a get. That biscuit would make good hinges on a barn door.

He says his time is coming, and somebody may look out, for he has blood in his eye and means to get even.

Oh! Gus, come off the perch!

GRAND DISPLAY OF RARE NOVELTIES.

—In the latest—

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

Such as Henriettas, Albatrosses, Cashmeres, Beige, Tabour Zephyrs, both Lace and Hem-stitched Dress Goods in the most delicate shades, and Trimmings to match.

500 PAIRS SAMPLE SHOES T COST 500.

3333 SAMPLE HATS AT COST.

Dress and business suits to fit, and suit the most peculiar buyer. All Calico at 5c per yard.

HIGGS & MUNFORD.

Greenville, N. C.

Be sure to read Little, House & Bro's, new advertisement. Their Spring and Summer goods are beautiful.

Bird hunters will have to cease their favorite sport until the 15th of next October, as it against the law for any person to shoot, trap or net partridges, doves, robins, larks, mocking birds or turkeys between the 1st of April and the 15th of October.

It is an easy matter to build up a town on paper, but the people of Greenville must go to work if they wish to see the object attained for which the REFLECTOR is talking and laboring. Go to the Opera House to-morrow night and show your interest.

A member of the Farmers Alliance stopped at our office Friday, and said tell the town authorities there is a peck of dirt in the pump at Five Points. An examination later on the public wells in town will find them in no better condition than the one at Five Points.

Eggs—Tremendous. We walked into Mr. J. A. Andrews store, the other night and goodness! what a pile of eggs! There was no beginning to estimate them by dozens, but there were thirteen large boxes of them aggregating more than twenty bushels of the eggs. That is a sample size of the shipments that are frequently sent from Greenville.

Public Opening of the Institute Library. Their will be a public opening of the Library at the Institute, Friday night, at 8 o'clock. Several short talks will be made by prominent gentlemen of the town. Persons desiring to make donations of books, magazines, or money to purchase new books, are requested to send or carry the same that evening. After the speeches, the Library will be opened for the public. Some of the young ladies will render music &c. Every body inclined to encourage good reading &c. is cordially invited to be present.

Stormy. To read a good many items in this paper one would judge us to be in the midst of the most delightful, balmy spring weather. And so it was at the time those items were written but since then there has been a regular blizzard with wind, rain, hail and snow. The first storm of Saturday sent the temperature downward at a rapid rate and by the time the second one came along it was cold sure enough. It snowed nearly all Saturday night but melted as fast as it fell, and the wind was almost a hurricane. Many fences were blown down.

Marriage Licenses. During March the Register of Deeds issued licenses to sixteen couples in Pitt county, thirteen white and three colored, viz:

WHITE. Jesse E. Stocks and Sarah C. McLawhorn, H. A. Rountree and L. W. Parker, T. J. D. Whitehurst and Virginia E. Thomas, Jesse N. Stubbs and Sallie C. Cox, William Stallings and Ada Mayo, Zeno Brown and Nina E. Cherry, Alonzo James and Adie Reddard, James A. Biley and Christena Whitehurst, Jesse Harrell and Laura S. Ballock, William Worthington and Henrietta Mills, H. B. Harris and Fannie S. Belcher, D. O. Davenport and Maggie E. Shivers.

COLORIED. Elean Forbes and Luisa Staunton, Lewis Forbes and Mary Harris Allert Joyner and Lizzie Antevy.

At the Institute. The Report of the Athenian Society, on April 3rd the following officers retired from duty, viz: Pres. Helen Ricks; Vice Pres., Carrie Cobb; Sec. Lucy Cox; Parliamentary Critic, Ida McGlobo; Reporter, Bessie Jarvis. According to the constitution Miss Ricks, retiring President, read an essay on Spring, Miss Cobb, retiring Vice President, read a biographical sketch of William Cowper, Miss Cox the retiring Secretary, read an essay on Washington Irving. The new officers that were elected the coming term were, President, Lucy Cox; Vice President, J. A. Irwin; Secretary, Bessie Jarvis; Parliamentary Critic Annie Perkins; Reporter, Ida McGlobo. Had quite an interesting debate last week, subject: Resolved, "That Idleness is the Cause of Vice." Speakers on the Affirmative, Misses Ida McGlobo and Carrie James, on the Negative, Misses Rosa Forbes and Ida Irwin. The Affirmative was the successful side. The Society did not meet last week, it being examination week.

Done by order of the Athenian Society. LUCY COX, Sec. BESSIE JARVIS, Reporter.

IN MEMORIAM.

Died in Pitt County, Jan 4th, 1889, Miss Mary E. Worthington. This was another Christian woman entered into rest. All of the best elements of human nature, seemed to combine with an earnest piety, in forming her singularly beautiful character. Dignified yet unassuming in demeanor, amiable and gentle in disposition—refinement and delicate marking every action—generous almoner to the poor—sincere admirer of the good in all—her heart was ever ready to sympathize with the afflicted. Her filial piety was unsurpassed, and it was in her home life that her virtues shone bright—diffusing the fragrance of her own sweet, pure nature over the home circle, where she was revered and cherished with an affection which was touchingly beautiful. Surely she is entitled to the highest encomium ever bestowed upon woman, because pronounced by the Saviour himself, "She hath done what she could." This slight tribute to exalt her worth, is written by one who was her life long friend.

THE BEST BUGGY. That you ever had in your life for \$100 to \$150 is none other than any one else in the county can give you. Why? For my expenses are less and I pay the spot cash for goods and save the discounts, and if you don't believe it, you come and see. I have 18 years experience in the business I guarantee perfect satisfaction or no charge. Repairing a specialty. Don't forget the place on 4th street near J. B. Cherry & Co.

LOW TARIFF CARRIAGE FACTORY. NO MORE TARIFF ON BUGGIES!!

For we have free Buggies now. Ah! you are free to buy where you please, but if you want to save money, you come to my factory on 4th street, near J. B. Cherry & Co's. For convenience we have also an entrance through H. F. Keel's Stables on 3rd street. I can give you

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April 6th 1889. R. W. KING, D. S.

Notice. On Monday the 6th day of May 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 300 acres bounded as follows: Situated in Beaver Dam Township adjoining the lands of W. G. Case, Alfred Nichols, beginning at a lightwood stake in G. Case and Whitehead line running to a lightwood pine in Nelson Nichols line and W. G. Case line—running North and covering a lightwood stake of Alfred Nichols line, then running East to the Bee tree Corner to Alfred Nichols Corner Jane Dennis Corner then back to the beginning to satisfy an execution in my hands for collection against C. T. Case and which have been levied on said land as the property of said Charles T. Case, J. A. K. TUCKER, Sheriff.

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