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ing and night. Prayer Meeting every
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o'clock.
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Shady Grove, 3rd Sunday at 11
o'clock.
Salem 4th Sunday at 11 o'clock.
Tripple Chapel, 5th Sunday at 10 o'clock.
E. C. GLENN, P. C.

Poetry.

REACHING HEAVEN.
By DR. J. O. HOLLAND.

Heaven is not reached at a single bound,
But we build the ladder by which we
rise
From the lowly earth to the vaulted
skies,
And we mount to its summit round by
round.

We count this thing to be grandly true--
That a noble deed is a step toward
God.
Lifting the soul from the common
clod
To a purer air and a broader view.

We raise by the things that are under
feet;
By what we have mastered of good
and gain;
By the pride deposed and the passion
slain;
And the vanquished ills that we hourly
meet.

We hope, we aspire, we resolve, we
trust,
When the morning calls us to life and
light,
But our hearts grow weary, and ere the
night
Our lives are trailing the sordid dust.

We hope, we aspire, we resolve, we
pray,
And we think that we mount the air
on wings
Beyond the call of sensual things,
While our feet still cling to the heavy
clay.

Wings for angels, but feet for men!
We may borrow the wings to find the
way;
We may hope and resolve and aspire
and pray,
But our feet must rise, or we fall again.

Only in dreams is a ladder thrown
From the weary earth to the sapphire
walls;
But the dreams depart and the vision
falls,
And the sleeper wakes on his pillow
of stone.

Heaven is not reached at a single bound,
But we build the ladder by which we
rise
From the lowly earth to the vaulted
skies,
And we mount to its summit round by
round.

Lexington Dispatch.
Our friend Woodson Daniel, of
Healing Springs, was in town Mon-
day, wearing the same pair of pants
he wore when he attended the
great demonstration in honor of
Gen. W. H. Harrison at Salisbury
in 1840. The pants were made the
previous year by Ben. Fraley, Salis-
bury tailor. They are still neat and
clean, and are in a good state of
preservation, though they have been
worn a great deal at odd times
since the campaign of log cabins
and hard cider. Mr. Daniel voted
for Old Tippecanoe, but never hav-
ing voted anything but the Demo-
cratic ticket since the war, he could
not do so much for Grandson Ben.
Mr. Daniel is now seventy-two
years old, and is as hale and hearty
as many a man twenty years youn-
ger. He has brought out the old
pants, intending to wear them dur-
ing the present administration, and
then, if the country is not ruined in
the meantime, he will buy another
pair.

Place: Madison Superior Court.
A lawyer in his speech to the jury,
appearing for the plaintiff, remark-
ed that the engineer, who had been
examined as a witness, ought to
have seen the cattle, and that he
would necessarily have seen if he
had been at his post of duty; and
he further remarked that the engin-
eer must have been in the baggage
car taking a drink; whereupon, the
engineer, who was present in court,
cried out in a loud and angry voice
to the attorney to stop, and remark-
ed with an oath that the attorney
well knew that he was not drunk.
"Judge Clark very properly com-
mitted the engineer to jail for thirty
days," says the Asheville Citizen.

The Chronicle rises to enquire:
"What punishment did Judge Clark
inflict upon the abusive lawyer? La-
tely we have seen much of this
gratuitous abuse heaped upon wit-
nesses and parties to actions by at-
torneys, which was unwarranted
by the facts, and ought not to have
been allowed. As the Statesville
Landmark says the engineer ought
to have settled with the attorney
outside of court, but the provoca-
tion was great and it was a sudden
ebullition of passion. If Judge
Clark or some other Judge will
teach virulent and abusive lawyers
that they have no right to abuse
truthful and honest men, that
Judge will do a good service to
the State and win the gratitude of
the people and of just lawyers as well--
Raleigh Chronicle.

Edward Leman Blanchard of the
literary staff of the Linton Telegraph
is dead.

Massachusetts prohibitionists, in
convention at Worcester, nominated
a full State ticket.

Washington Letter.

From our regular Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 6, '89.
Tanner will have to go. That this
conclusion has been reached by Sec-
retary Noble is the impression of
nise out of every ten people one
meets here no matter what their
politics may be. It is said that
Noble was disposed to look over Tan-
ner's official acts but his eternal
talking was the straw which broke
the camels back; as one of Noble's
friends puts it "Tanner seems to
think that instead of being a subor-
dinate of the Secretary of the Inter-
ior he is that official's superior offi-
cer." That Tanner will go is ex-
tremely probable, but I should not
hesitate to wager a big red apple
that his resignation will not be ask-
ed for until after the Ohio election.
Mr. Benjamin Harrison got his po-
litical education in Indiana, and is
fully aware of the danger there is
in attempting to swap horses while
crossing a stream.

The Union Iron Works of San
Francisco, which built the new
cruiser Charleston will have to pay
Uncle Sam a penalty of \$30,000 on
account of failure to demonstrate
the amount of horse power called
for by the specifications, unless Con-
gress can be persuaded to remit it.

Senator Barbour, who called a
conference of democratic leaders in
Virginia this week, says everything
is in excellent condition in that
State and all the indications point
to a big democratic majority.

Langston, the negro who is a con-
testant for a seat in Congress from
the Fourth Virginia district announ-
ces that he will support Mahone,
provided that Mahone, the Virgin-
ian State republican committee, and
the National republican committee
and the administration will support
him (Langston) in his contest for a
seat in the House. To appreciate the
coolness of this announcement it
must be remembered that Langston
ran for Congress on an independent
ticket, the regular republican nomi-
nee having been named by Mahone.
A Democrat was elected and Lang-
ton is contesting the seat on the
ground that Mahone people state
votes cast for him. No matter what
Mahone and the rest may promise
it is very safe to say that Langston
will not occupy that seat in the
next Congress.

This administration has develop-
ed quite a faculty for disposing of
Mr. "Nigger" in a manner that is
pleasing to the white Republicans.
It has just designated Lieutenant
Alexander, the only negro officer in
the Army, as military attache of
the American legation at Hayti.
Fred Douglass is the minister.

Washington will be designated
as the place for holding the Amer-
ican Exposition of 1892 by more
than a two-thirds vote of Congress.
Remember this prediction.

Owing to heavy bond purchases
and pension payments the Treasury
department for August shows an in-
crease of \$6,000,000 in the Public
debt.

Ex-congressman Thomas, of Illi-
nois, having declined, ex-congress-
man Little, of Ohio, has been ap-
pointed to represent this Govern-
ment on the Venezuela claims com-
mission. The ex's have no right to
complain of the administration.

Ex-representative and ex-senator
Norwood of Georgia is visiting
Washington. He was asked what
he thought the administration
would effect by its tariff crusade in
the South. His answer was: "Nine-
ty-nine out of every hundred of the
intelligent people of the South are
tariff reformers. The Republicans
can do nothing with our people on
the tariff question." He was next
asked what he thought would be the
effect of Congress passing a law to
regulate Federal elections. His re-
ply was: "They may pass their laws
but they will be a dead letter. It
is too late to interfere with the af-
fairs of the South in that way. Our
people will not regard any legisla-
tion intended to place the negro
over them. And the sentiment in
the North is against it. As a voter
the negro is a failure. Some repub-
licans accuse us of repressing the
negro vote, because they are not
cast. The fact is merely that the
mass of negroes not knowing the
use of the ballot have got tired now
that the novelty is worn off and
they do not want to vote, they stay
at home."

Washington is preparing to enter-
tain the 50,000 Knight Templars
that are expected to attend the Tri-
ennial Conclave here next month.

We shall treat them so well that
they will all come again and bring
their friends to the great exposition
three years hence.

President Harrison spent an hour
in Washington Wednesday after-
noon and is expected here again
to-night.

Very few may regret that he has
gone but very many regret the man-
ner of his going. It is sad to know
that one who braved the power of a
military despot in behalf of consti-
tutional law, and won the praises of
his countrymen as the "silver-
tongue" champion of personal lib-
erty, should have yielded to the de-
mands of a pen and ink revolution
and trampled down the law he has
so long studied and defended. Yes,
Grisson has gone but we regret the
manner of his going.

Make an Exhibit.

Breeders of Sheep Exhorted to Hone up
and Attend the State Fair, Oc-
tober 14th to 19th.

There is nothing that can do so
much toward imparting an educa-
tion as object teaching, says the
Western Rural. We may teach
principles for five years and not ef-
fect so much as we can by making
a practice of principles for a few
months; so many of us teach, or try
to teach, the importance of the
sheep husbandry, and yet never ac-
complish so much through the usual
modes of teaching as we can by
bringing our sheep where the pub-
lic may look at them. This is a sub-
ject, that in one shape or another,
we have gone over many times, and
yet we do not secure the adoption
of our method as fully as we would
like it. In times of depression the
promoters of any farm enter-
prise that is particularly affected,
are pretty apt to fold their arms and
let the enterprise sink out of sight.
If times are very dull the live stock
breeder thinks it will not pay to
advertise in any direction. He with-
draws his advertisement from the
columns of the paper, and perhaps
does not show an animal at the fair.
The city merchant does not do
things that way.

He is bound to tempt people to
part with what money they have;
the temptation consists of steady
extensive advertising just as much
in dull times as they do in good
times, and it must pay them to do
so or they would not do it. It will
pay our live stock breeders to do
likewise, pay them every time and
pay them handsomely.

North Carolina farmers want to
know where they can buy improved
breeds of sheep, and if those per-
sons who raise them will only ex-
hibit at the coming State Fair,
October 14th to 19th, they will find
many persons to buy and give them
good prices. Stock is transported
free of charge over the railroads, to
and from the Fair, so that if they
are not sold the farmer cannot lose
any money in making a trial to sell
improved sheep. More of our farm-
ers must be breeders of fine sheep
and sell to those wishing to pur-
chase and not let our people have
to send money out of the State and
pay high prices for what we can
raise with profit.

Every flock-master should feel
that it would be to his benefit to
make as large and fine an exhibit
at the fairs as it was possible for
him to make. Of all our domestic
animals the sheep is least under-
stood by the public at large. The
animal is neglected by the govern-
ment and little thought of by the
general public; and sheep breeders
cannot expect that the great mass
of consumers will ever know much
about their industry unless they
push the sheep directly under their
noses. They do not read the class
of journals that discuss the sheep
interests and the only way to make
them think of the animal from
whose back so large a portion of
their raiment comes, is to show the
back with the wool on it. At some
of our fairs the sheep exhibit is so
insignificant that it does no good
in the direction of which we are speak-
ing. A few pens of sheep make no
impression, but when there are
many pens, the beholder feels pre-
sently as he does when he goes to
the Union Stock Yards and exclaims
upon looking over the yards:
"Why, here are acres of stock; I
never before knew how extensive
an earnest the stock interest of this
country is."

"Grisson Has gone."

Hickory Press and Carolinian.
So says the Enterprise and other
papers that would have him go
whether by fair means or by force.
We thought and said Dr.
Grisson should have resigned im-
mediately after his trial and acquit-
tal. He thought and acted other-
wise until contempt of law and a
spirit of revolution satisfied him
that his resignation was necessary
to the peace and good order of the
State.

Very few may regret that he has
gone but very many regret the man-
ner of his going. It is sad to know
that one who braved the power of a
military despot in behalf of consti-
tutional law, and won the praises of
his countrymen as the "silver-
tongue" champion of personal lib-
erty, should have yielded to the de-
mands of a pen and ink revolution
and trampled down the law he has
so long studied and defended. Yes,
Grisson has gone but we regret the
manner of his going.

Laughable Reflections.

And Mirth Provoking Selections as Com-
piled by the Reflector's Bad Boy.

Inquirer--"How does your pro-
tected meeting prosper, parson?"
Parson--"Oh, very well. There's
a great awakening at the close
of every sermon."

Madame Coaxer (referring to her
child's property)--"Which of my
girls do you think is the most at-
tractive?"
Col. Planter--"The cook seems to
suit my taste best."

Miss Gossip (trying to pump him)
--"Is it true, my dear, that there is
a skeleton in your family closet?"
Little Johnnie--"Don't know that
there's a skeleton in the closet, but
ma told me there was a ghost in the
partry."

Miss Buchanan once rallying her
cousin, an officer, on his courage,
said: "Now, Mr. Harry, do you re-
ally mean to tell me you can walk up
to a cannon's mouth without fear?"
"Yes," was the prompt reply, "or
to a Duchanan's either." And he
did it.

THOUGHT HE WAS WITH THE BOYS.
"Robinson street!" called out the
street car conductor.
"I'll take (hic) whiskey, Robinson!"
exclaimed a man who had been half
asleep in the corner, and the whole
car sailed.

Owner of Racing Horse (looking
closely at scales)--"Williams, you
are a trifle over weight. Can't you
lighten yourself a little?"
Williams (the jockey)--"Got on my
lightest suit, sir, ain't it a bite to-
day, and 'ave just trimmed my fin-
ger nails."
Owner--"Well, go and get shar-
ed."

HAD A GOOD SETTER HIMSELF.
"Do you know who has a good
setter dog to sell?"
"One that sets everything?"
"Yes, a regular setter."
"One that will set every time and
all the time--a thorough-bred set-
ter?"
"Yes, of course."
"Well, I've got that kind of hen
I'll sell cheap."

OUT OF LITTLE MOUTHS.
A youngster who saw a steamer
for the first time exclaimed, "Look!
There's a railway engine haying a
bath!" A locomotive has been called
a professional place hunter and
a children's article. A school-
girl defined a bustle as a "shallow
mockery," and a boy described a law-
suit as the things a policeman
wears. A little girl was heard to
say to her favorite doll: "You know
if first you cry and then you smile,
a rainbow will come over your face."
Children often have a happy knack
of making apt illustrations. A boy
being asked to describe a kitten,
said: "A kitten is remarkable for
rushing like mad at nothing what-
ever, and stopping before it gets
there." The children at a Sunday
school being asked, among other
questions, what bearing false wit-
ness against one's neighbor meant,
a pert little girl replied: "It is when
nobody hasn't done nothing, and
somebody goes and tells."

Fayetteville Celebration.

Perhaps the greatest event that
1889 now has in store for North
Carolina, is the occasion of the cele-
bration of the one hundredth anni-
versary of its adoption of the
Federal constitution, which will oc-
cur at Fayetteville, November 21st.

The oration will be delivered by
our senior Senator, Hon. M. W.
Ransom, and we may well expect
something calculated to increase
our love and veneration for North
Carolina's pioneer heroes, and to
strengthen the patriotism of all
true sons of the Old North State.

The privilege of listening to the
matchless oratory, for which Ran-
son is noted on such occasions as
this, will be a great inducement to
attend this great occasion, but the
greatest attraction will be the pres-
ence of Jefferson Davis, "the un-
crowned king of the Southern peo-
ple."

Mr. Davis has given assurance
that he intends to be there. Let
Fayetteville and North Carolina
give this greatest of living Ameri-
cans a royal reception, a reception
characteristic of the patriotic hospi-
tality of North Carolina, and fit
for the noble guest we will entertain.

With the presence of Jefferson
Davis, this celebration will have a
two fold significance. The celebra-
tion of the adoption of the federal
constitution will teach the youth
of the land lessons of patriotism, and
devotion to the flag that bears the
impress of the stars and stripes;
and at the same time, with Davis
as the central figure, it will also
teach that it was love of liberty and
devotion to the principles of right
and justice that actuated North
Carolina and the South when they
followed this great leader.--Ex.

A permanent organization was el-
ected by the State Prohibition Con-
vention at Syracuse, N. Y.

New York Letter.

Doom of the Hobtail Car--The Young Na-
poleon of Wall Street--Drug
Store for Post Office

(Our special correspondence).
NEW YORK, September 9th, 1889.
In accordance with the city ordi-
nance which took effect the first of
the present month, all of the one-
horse cars, or "jiggers," as they are
familiarly called, have been abol-
ished. The days of the hob-tail jig-
gant have been fulfilled and the
thousands of passengers and pedes-
trians in this great city can draw a
long breath and take a new lease of
life. The existence of these vehicles
was an unmitigated nuisance.
No one ever liked them; no one
rode in them unless compelled to;
and no one ever paid his fare if he
could help it. Their only friends
were the companies who raked in
the nichels while they were saved
the expense of paying for a con-
ductor. Of course, the law always
required that every street car
should have a conductor, but the
companies had a 'cute little way
of getting over that by calling the
driver a "conductor" and putting a
badge on his hat to that effect. As
the drivers of one-horse cars are
physiologically constructed the
same as other people with only
two eyes in front and none be-
hind, the natural result was that
accidents were occurring all the
time. Besides this, there were
other annoyances connected with
the running of these cars which
made them exceedingly disagree-
able and an outrage on the public.
Time and time again a ten cent
piece or a quarter, instead of the
five cent fare, has been dropped in-
to the slot, and once in, like the
souls in Hades, there was no re-
demption. Your only salvation was
to take a day off and go to the com-
pany's office. I have often wonder-
ed why an enlightened people will
patiently endure such outrages as
hobtail cars, but when I reflect that
these are but a small part of the
outrages which the same people en-
dure, my faith in their enlighten-
ment is shaken. I congratulate my
fellow citizens on their enlighten-
ment, and their success in getting
rid of hobtail cars.

THE YOUNG NAPOLEON.
The trial of Henry S. Ives, nick-
named the "Young Napoleon of
finance," who had managed to check
for capital, and managed to fail for
\$20,000,000, begins to day before
Recorder Smyth. The story, as
told in the confession of Woodruff
his associate, of how this young rascal
rose from a six dollar-a-week
clerk to railroad president, and win-
dled every one he met until he failed
for millions, reads like a romance.
Perhaps after all, the gambler of
Wall street are not as smart as
they are supposed to be and per-
haps they have generally been able
to cover their tracks better than
Ives did. The offense for which
Ives is to be tried is overissue of
stock in connection with the rich
Chicago, Hamilton and Dayton R.R.

MORE CITY POST OFFICES.
A plan is now under consideration
which if carried out will result in
the establishment in this city of
sixty or seventy new post offices.
It is proposed to rent space in cor-
ner drug stores. The proposition is
that the proprietor of the store
shall provide a clerk who shall at
all times be ready to sell money or-
ders, register letters, and receive
letters and parcels for mailing.
The project is part of a plan which
looks to doing away with a large
number of letter carriers. Special
wagons will go from store to store
collecting mails and delivering
them at the General Post office.

At no period in the history of
North Carolina has the growth and
improvement of her towns and cities
been as marked and steady as now.
North Carolina is not much on
booms, but there is scarcely a town
that we know of which has railroad
facilities that does not give evidence
of prosperity in the new buildings
erected, while in some of them very
large sums of money have been in-
vested in stores, private residences,
and in public improvements, indica-
tive of a strong confidence in the
future of these places. This is the
spirit that is bringing North Car-
olina to the front. North Carolinians
have done much by their energy and
money to build up the cities of other
States, and it is gratifying now
to see their efforts turned to build-
ing up the towns and cities of their
own State.

Gilmour & Co.'s shingle mill at
Trenton, Ont., has been destroyed
by fire. Loss, \$20,000.

THE STATE.

What is Happening Around Us.

As Reflected from the State Press.

The season at Morehead is closed.
Maj. John Hughes, of New Hope,
died on Monday at Beaufort.
Teachers' Normal Institutes have
been held in forty counties this year.
It is said North Carolina has the
best weather service of any State
in the Union.

Hickory Press and Carolinian:
Catharine Whitener celebrated her
centennial birthday near this city
last Saturday.

Smithfield Herald: A large num-
ber of colored people will leave here
about the last of October for Miss-
issippi and Arkansas.

Lexington Dispatch: A letter
from Trinity to the editor states
that the college had ninety students
present at the opening.

A company with \$1,000,000 cap-
ital has been formed at Wilmington,
N. C., to manufacture cotton bag-
ging out of pine straw needles.

Wilmington Messenger: There
will be sixteen fairs held in the
State this season. Commissioner
Robinson says this he thinks is the
greatest number ever held.

Tarboro Southerner: A private
letter to a Tarboro gentleman from
Nashville says J. J. Cockrell, a son
of the ex sheriff of Nash, was ar-
rested Monday for robbing a drunk-
en man on the streets.

Durham Sun: Complaints of the
uncertainty and irregularity of the
mail service continue to reach us.
A letter written at Lenoir, N. C. on
July 23rd and postmarked Lenoir,
July 24, reached Durham on the 2nd
of September. How is this for rap-
id transit?

Raleigh News and Observer: Mr.
Poindexter W. Capelhart, son of B.
A. Capelhart, Esq., of Kittrell, has
been appointed by the Governor
to succeed the late Mr. Bryan Sat-
terwhite as his executive clerk.
Mr. Capelhart arrived yesterday, and
is a young man, 18 years of age,
and of courteous and pleasing ad-
dress.

LaGrange Sentinel: Rev. J. B.
Hartrell closed the series of meetings
with the church at Kinston last
Friday, which resulted in 41 con-
fessions to the church. He was as-
sisted by Rev. W. H. Oliver, Durham.

Wilmington Messenger: There
are 116 cotton factories in the State.
It appears that all are running in
full time, save those shut down for
repairs. So far as known all appear
to pay well. Many additions to
buildings are in progress and there
is a large increase in machinery.

Kinston Free Press: A negro man,
Wm. Sutton, was killed last Thurs-
day night by another negro at a
negro woman's house about six miles
from Trenton. Sutton was called
to the door and when he opened it
received a load from a double-barrel
gun. Mr. Walters says the road
will not be extended from
Greenville to Kinston unless the
right of way and a site for the de-
pot

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18th, 1889.

Hon. S. S. Cox, "sunset," died at his home in New York on Thursday of last week. He was a great statesman and his death inflicts quite a loss upon the country at large.

Well, the country has drawn a long breath. We were beginning to think that the keys of the National Treasury had been surrendered to Pension Commissioner Tanner and that he was going to make a clean sweep of the surplus by giving it all away to special pension pets.

One of the best charges ever delivered to a Grand Jury in Pitt county—and perhaps the very best—was that of Judge McRae on Monday. He spoke to the Jury one and three-quarter hours, and gave the clearest presentation of the law to which we ever listened.

In a private letter to the editor of the Dispatch, Mr. Oldham disclaims any intention on the part of the Durham Globe to be unfair to the exchanges of its predecessor, the Plant.—Lexington Dispatch.

We see it going the rounds of the press of the State that one man Mr. D. Y. Cooper, of Cooper's Warehouse in Henderson, has personally subscribed for one hundred copies of the Gold Leaf, which will be mailed each week to such parties as he shall designate.

There are men in Greenville who do not take so much interest in building up their town as does this citizen of Henderson. We went to one of them the other day to talk about the industrial issue of the REFLECTOR and he actually told us that we could look at his building and if it would be of any advantage to us to have electrotyping illustrations of them made for use in that paper he would give his consent for us to have them made.

Two matters that have for some time been giving several editors of the State plenty to write about have at last been settled, and the changes clamored for have been granted by those in authority. The Board of Directors of the State Insane Asylum met in Raleigh last week and on the seventh ballot elected Dr. William R. Wood, of Halifax, as Superintendent of the institution. Not knowing anything of Dr. Wood we are not prepared to say how well the Board of Directors made their choice, yet we hope he will prove a man fully competent to fill the position.

In the same city the same day a President and Board of Directors were chosen for the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad. Over this there has also been much of a warfare going. Mr. Bryan, the President in charge, had his enemies and opposers who have called loud and long for his official scalp.

Washington Letter.

From our regular correspondent. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13, '89. "Corporal" Tanner is gone. The Pension office will know him no more at least not as its chief. He will of course, continue to draw his pension. The long wrangle between the "Corporal" and Secretary Noble reached its culminating point this week when the Secretary suspended Tanner from office, pending the result of the investigation now going on.

General Rosecrans, the democratic veteran who has been Register of the Treasury since the early days of Mr. Cleveland's administration, was removed by rumor this week to make a place for Tanner. As usual, rumor lied. Gen. Rosecrans has not been removed and I have it from high republican authority that he will not be disturbed during Harrison's administration.

His place. His was a rare virtue; scarcely duplicated in a country. Personally, there was never a more popular man in Congress. Nearly every person one meets here has some personal anecdote to tell of him.

Secretary Proctor is laying the wires to succeed Senator Morrill, of Vermont, whose term expires in 1891, and Senator Edmunds is doing all in his power to assist him. There is trouble in the office of the Coast Survey. Four years ago Mr. Cleveland removed the Superintendent of the office, and several clerks for crookedness, and now it is alleged that the assistants at present in charge of the office make a practice of obtaining money in a dishonorable way.

Ex-Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, has returned to the democratic party. He will stump Virginia in opposition to Mahone. President Harrison has settled a long wrangle by making the rest of the Federal appointments for New York City.

Evangelistic Services. The evangelist, Rev. Thos. H. Leitch, of Charleston, S. C., will begin a meeting here October 6th. He has held one meeting in North Carolina—at Monroe—which resulted in from three to four hundred conversions. The secular papers report the awakening wonderful. Nothing like it had happened there before.

On Thursday evening last as Billie was sitting in front of friend Van Stephen's store munching a "hooked" pear, a young colored boy came along just as Van brought a young "possum" and remarked, "Did you know that a 'possum' would not bite in the day time?"

Tuesday we dropped into the office of Dr. D. S. Harmon to see if the many things we had heard of him were true. All around us we saw evidences of the master in his profession. All the paraphernalia requisite to investigations of the eye he has of the most perfect workmanship and design.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS, Almighty God in his infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved Bro. L. G. HILLBRONER, and WHEREAS, Covenant Lodge No. 17 I. O. O. F. has sustained a great loss in the death of Bro. Hillbronner therefore be it resolved 1st. That in Bro. Hillbronner's death the Lodge loses a faithful member and an earnest, true friend and society a useful citizen.

and the country, our sorrow is softened by the hope, that to him it was but the transition to a higher and brighter life. We rejoice that our brother was a zealous Christian, the son of honor and the embodiment of kindness, affection and friendship.

Notice. The attention of Teachers and School Committees is hereby called to the fact that from now until January 1st, 1890, they can procure the school books which the State law requires to be used in public schools, by exchanging old books for new ones at the rates of exchange established by the State Board of Education.

Land Sale. By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, in a certain special proceeding entitled W. L. Smith, Adm'r. of D. C. Clark vs. Wyatt Clark, Sallie Pollard et alks the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described tracts of land, to-wit: One tract situated in Chocoma Township, in said county, containing 100 acres, adjoining the lands of R. G. Chapman, W. A. Quinry, heirs, Wash Hill and others containing thirty (30) acres, more or less.

Notice to Creditors. The undersigned having duly qualified as administrator of Lueretia B. Worthington, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly authenticated, to the undersigned before the 14th day of September, 1890.

Notice to Creditors. Having duly qualified as Administrator of J. J. Barrett, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate 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 27th day of August, 1890.

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Local Sparks.

Court.

Hot this week. Grapes plentiful. Lots of strangers in town. Large crowds in town this week. Everything busy in town this week.

Rain Saturday put a damper on trade. The North-west had killing frosts a week ago. Yearly meeting at Great Swamp next Sunday. Hunters are banging away at the nimble squirrel. Read Little, House & Bro's new advertisement to-day. There seems to be right much use for the ground house of late. The printing outfit of the Oxford Torch Light is offered for sale. \$5.75 will buy Point Lace, the best Flour at the Old Brick Store. It became very dusty last week, but the rain settled the matter. Read the article about North Carolina newspapers on fourth page. Attention is called to the new advertisement of Higgs & Munford. New Home and Davis Sewing Machines for sale by J. C. Lanier. A Building and Loan Association would be a good thing for Greenville.

Personal Mr. J. B. Cherry is back from the North. Mr. T. B. Cherry has been sick for some days. Judge McRae is holding this term of Pitt Superior Court.

Rev. G. L. Finch is conducting a meeting at Snow Hill this week. Miss Carrie Cobb returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks in Edgecombe. Solicitor Worthington, of Martin, is at his post this week prosecuting for the State. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Warren returned last week from a visit to relatives in Wilson. Mr. J. L. Harris left last week for Weldon to take a position in Harrell's printing office. Miss Lizzie Fleming left last Wednesday for Oxford to attend the Female Seminary. Mr. Frank Hart and Miss Jessie Williamson, of Tarboro, were married Tuesday last week. Mrs. J. E. Langley, of Richmond, who was visiting relatives here, returned to her home last Friday. Mr. J. A. Dupree and family returned home Saturday after having been absent two or three weeks. Miss Annie Brown left Wednesday last for Henderson to resume her studies at the Female College. Miss Leta McGowan returned home last Friday from Wilson where she had been visiting relatives. Ex-Gov. Jarvis and his excellent lady returned home last week after an extended visit to the seashore and mountains. Miss Lilla Monteiro returned home last week, after having spent a delightful summer at the coast and mountain resorts. Mrs. P. E. Dancy leaves this morning with Master George Nelson for Philadelphia, to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Goodwin. Miss Dessie Jarvis left yesterday for Richmond to attend the Female College of that city. Her absence will cause many a sigh. Capt. Swift Galloway, of Goldsboro, Hon. J. E. Moore of Williamston and J. H. Johnson, Esq., of Bethel are attending Court. Mr. W. S. Rawls returned Friday from the Northern markets. He bought a nice stock of jewelry and fancy goods for the holidays. Mr. H. A. Latham, editor of the Washington Gazette, dropped in to see us last Thursday, on his way home from a wedding in Tarboro. Dr. N. C. Hughes and family, of Clodwin, and Miss Jennie Williams, of this place, returned home Friday after having spent two months in Asheville and vicinity. Rev. E. C. Glenn recently closed a very successful protracted meeting at Old Sparta. There were twenty-three conversions and seventeen accessions to the church. Rev. Dr. W. M. Robey died last Saturday in Goldsboro. He was an able minister and one of the brightest lights in the N. C. Conference. M. E. Church South, having joined the conference in 1890 and been a faithful worker ever since. Dr. W. R. Mayo, of Edgecombe, and Dr. Carder, of West Virginia, were callers at the REFLECTOR office last Friday. Both are medical students and will return to Baltimore in a few days to resume their studies. Dr. Carder has been spending his vacation in Edgecombe. Mr. C. G. Foast, a talented graduate of the University, has been elected Superintendent and Principal of the Graded School of Cisco, Texas. He was Associate Principal of the Greenville, N. C. Institute last year. -Raleigh Chronicle. Messrs. H. A. Latham, of the Washington Gazette, King, of the Tarboro Banner, Johnson of the Wilmington Star, Johnson of the Wilmington Messenger and Wilson of the Wilson Advance, have been representing their respective papers here. Mr. Alfred Forbes, the "old reliable" merchant of Greenville leaves to-day for the Northern markets to make purchases for his mammoth establishment. His daughter Miss Hortense, accompanied him as far as Staunton, Va., where she has gone to resume her studies at Staunton Female Institute for higher wages. An express route has been established on the W. & W. Railroad, branch from Weldon to Greenville, and Mr. Paul Branch, of this place has been promoted to the position. The Advance notes this with pleasure. The Scotland Quill Drovers says of him: "He is quite a young man, altogether courteous and seemingly very clever." Success attend you, Paul.—Wilson Advance. The editor and wife spent a very pleasant day with the family of Mr. W. R. Whichard, in Carolina township, last Sunday. We found crops in that neighborhood some better than was expected they would be a few weeks ago. There has been more rain in that section lately than close to town, but most of the fodder was saved without damage. We are glad to see that our old friend, Mr. J. B. Moore, of Burgaw formerly Railroad agent at Tabor, has a similar position in Greenville. The people of Greenville will find Mr. Moore to be a courteous, capable and obliging official. We congratulate Mr. Moore upon being thrown into contact with such a clever, generous and hospitable people as those he will find in Greenville.—Wilson Advance. To Self-Important. There are people in this world who think so much of themselves as to believe this mundane sphere could hardly make its daily revolutions without their presence. We don't wish anybody dead, but if that class could be taken from world temporarily, when allowed to return to it we would take down their conceit to see how nicely everything had gone on during their absence. Any one man is a mighty small item in this great world.

On last Wednesday the REFLECTOR received four different pieces of mail marked "missent." More evidence of incompetent postal clerks. The man Council tried at Martin county court last week for the killing of his wife, was acquitted on the plea of insanity. He was ordered to be confined in an asylum. One of the Edgecombe Alliance has passed a resolution that they will sell no cotton seed this season for less than 25 cents per bushel, and ask all Alliances in the State to co-operate with them. Mr. J. S. Hines, of Contineea, told us Saturday that crop prospects were brightening up a bit in his neighborhood. The cotton yield will be better than anticipated a few weeks ago. The REFLECTOR office has just printed a lot of sale blanks for seed cotton, which will be sold at 25 cents per hundred. The law requires that all persons buying seed cotton in Pitt county shall use them. We are requested to announce that a festival will be held at the Congleton store in the brick block to-morrow night, for the benefit of the studio of Greenville Institute. It should be generously patronized. On Saturday the editor received two very large Japanese persimmons with the compliments of Mrs. J. L. Hudson, of Lawley, Fla. They were splendid specimens of the fruit and attracted much attention. Before the excursion party left the depot, last Wednesday morning, Mr. J. L. Sugg wrote accident insurance policies representing \$63,000. A popular man representing popular companies will "get there" every time. The supply of ice in town gave out this week, and some inconvenience has been the result. Several orders had to be sent to Tarboro and they could not all be filled. Mr. E. B. Moore telegraphed to Norfolk for a car load. Mr. Worrell Moore told us yesterday that one of the finest rice patches ever seen in Eastern Carolina is in what is known as the old Ward mill pond in Martin county. The patch covers 20 acres and the stalks will average as high as a man's head. Judge McRae means business with this Court and he is carrying work through just on that order. He notified all witnesses that they must be within the Court room when called, as no time would be wasted in having them called from the window. Teachers and School Committee men of the county should not fail to read the notice from the County Superintendent, found in this paper in reference to exchanging old school books for new ones that have been adopted for the public schools. The time of exchange expires January first. One of the most dangerous seasons for fires is approaching—when people hurriedly put up their stoves for winter use or build fires in chimneys without examining the flues. A little attention in this respect may save some damage to your property. Examine every flue before you build a fire. We have a request to make of every subscriber to the REFLECTOR. If you have a neighbor who is too generous to subscribe to the paper himself, please do not lend such a person your copy. Some people are stingy enough to want to borrow the grounds from their neighbor's coffee pot, but you should not lend such a class. One Junior grew tired on Monday while Judge McRae was delivering his charge and looked around longingly at the clock. "Never mind about looking at the clock," remarked his Honor. "I am not half through yet." There was not another eye that went from the box to the clock in the whole hour and three quarters of the charge. Mrs. Elizabeth Swindell captured a snake in her father's smoke-house one day last week. There was a large tin vessel in the smoke house in which some pop corn had been kept. Rats and mice had been going in after the corn and the snake is supposed to have gone in the vessel after them and could not get out. It was found in the vessel and killed. Sheriff Tucker's boarding house received a new inmate yesterday under somewhat peculiar circumstances. A colored man was in jail awaiting trial at this court for larceny and his wife had been summoned as a witness in the case. The sheriff allowed the woman to go in the jail, and while in there she gave birth to a child. We see from the Asheville Journal that "Romeo" keeps a restaurant in that town. Now ain't that a come down for Romeo? "Wherefore art thou, Romeo?"—Wilson Advance. Next thing you hear somebody will be asking what it was Juliet at Romeo's restaurant to make her so sick? We saw Mr. Jack Johnson coming in from hunting, the other day, and he had bagged five squirrels. He used to be the best shot anywhere in this section and could bring down the most game, but his declining health and failing eyesight are now against him. He missed some shots while out the other day, but five squirrels is a pretty good count. Hay. Seeing a lot of loose hay unloading at Mr. H. F. Keel's stables, the other day, we made some inquiries about it. Mr. Keel said he was buying it from parties close to town and was paying about 50 cents per hundred weight for it. He says a large supply of it will be laid in. This gives an idea of what our farmers count on in the way of making money if they would just give a little attention to eating and curing the abundance of grass about their farms.

New Cotton. The first bale of new cotton in Pitt county was shipped by Mr. W. G. Stokes, of Grimesland, to Elliott Bros., Baltimore, by the Old Dominion line on the 7th inst. The first to come to Greenville was two bales brought last Friday by Mr. Walker from one of Mr. Alfred Forbes' farms. It brought 10 cents a pound. Boss Egg. Mr. John L. Barrett, of Marlboro, called on the other day and told us the most remarkable egg we ever heard of. He said a few days before he saw a goose egg which looked perfect except that the shell was unusually thin. The shell was broken and inside was found what to all appearances was a well developed hen egg. In the goose egg shell was also a small yolk and considerable of the white egg. The possessor of the small egg is going to put it with a setting to see what kind of fowl it will produce. Turles. The Grand Jury for this term of Pitt Superior Court are I. H. Little, Foreman, Jesse Dilda, Allen Crawford, J. F. Crawford, Joseph Cox, Bryant Beach, Israel Moore, Willis Langley, M. C. Nelson, J. B. McGowan, Carson Smith, Marcellus Briley, Augustus Forbes, J. T. Edwards, P. L. Brown, Paul Harrington, William House. The Pitt Jury for the first week are J. S. Hines, Noah Hardy, L. J. Moore, James Hardy, J. R. Rieves, R. W. Faithful, J. H. Boyd, A. C. Tucker, Met. Moore, John Mosely, J. R. Johnson, R. L. Hamber, S. I. Harris and J. A. Gardner. The Excursion. An engine with eleven passenger coaches in charge of Capt. R. A. Southland, arrived at Riverton on the 10th inst. The excursion party to Weldon the next day. Greenville and community sent 268 tickets on the excursion, 268 tickets being sold, the number being increased several by persons who arrived late and had only time to get on the train. No other town along the route showed us as well as this, there being only about 75 additions to the party after the train left Riverton. The excursionists returned at 7 o'clock in the evening and reported a pleasant day. Complaints. Many complaints come from subscribers who frequently miss copies of the REFLECTOR. Of course we know it is very annoying to them to lose their papers, but it is still more annoying to us after being very careful about mailing the papers, each week to know that the lot of ignorant "oons" and incompetent postal officials are not discharging their duty. The REFLECTOR is mailed promptly every Wednesday, and we are careful to see that not a single paper is left out. There is no excuse for one getting lost in the mails. Indicted. "Fon Fleming's "bird" must go; that was a strong bill of indictment" we heard remarked several times on Monday after the charge to the Grand Jury was over. The Judge was defining certain nuances, and having been started by the early morning warbles of this particular species of "bird" laid some stress upon that particular kind of nuisance. Maybe the Town Council can draw an easy breath now. This question has been up before them, but somehow they were afraid to tackle the "bird" case, so they have rendered it up. But if the Judge takes hold of him he is a general sure. Well Said. A few days ago we received the following letter from Weldon concerning the good behavior of the excursion party who went from here to that town last Wednesday. We take great pleasure in publishing the same. WELDON, N. C., Sept. 12, 1890. EDITOR REFLECTOR. I am requested by the Chief of Police of Weldon to say to the people of Greenville, through the columns of your paper, that the excursion party that visited our town on the 11th inst., was the most orderly and clever set of people he ever met. Every one conducted himself gentlemanly and we would be glad to have them visit us again. I most cheerfully endorse what the officer has said. A CITIZEN. A Skilled Optician. Dr. D. S. Harmon, a graduate of St. Petersburg, Russia, in 1870, has opened an office here in the old postoffice building, near Five Points, and will remain several days. He will examine your eyes free of charge, and can furnish you any glass needed. His method of testing the eye is very thorough, and he is highly skilled in optical treatment, having the very highest testimonials of his efficiency. Here is what the Elizabeth City Economist says of him: "We congratulate the Doctor upon the success he has achieved here—his successful treatment of the human eye. A great many people do not know what an optician is and for their benefit we will say that he is not a man who buys spectacles by the dozen and sells them by the pair, or is a man who takes a box and goes peddling around to people's houses or approaching every one he meets on the streets, nor does he keep spectacles already made. A genuine optician has no more use for ready made spectacles than a dentist has for ready made teeth. Dr. Harmon is a genuine optician and we advise friends who may have any defect of the eye to consult the Doctor whenever opportunity offers itself without any hesitation. We speak from experience. He examines each eye with great care and then makes a perfect glass for the same. Nothing for examination, and everybody is invited to call."

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