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ing and night. Prayer Meetings every  
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Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A.  
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on arrival. The general deliverer will  
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Ridge Springs, Reidsville, Arden, Bell  
Ferry, Coxeville, Johnson's Mills, Reids-  
ville and Pitt mails arrive Tuesday  
Thursday and Saturday at 11 A. M. and  
depart at 1:30 P. M.  
Vance, Black Jack and Calico  
mails arrive every Friday at 5 P. M.  
and depart every Friday at 11 A. M.  
J. J. PERRY, P. M.

### Party.

#### DER SERENADE.

O lady, wake! Get wake!  
'Tis I, the moon, I'll tell:  
Oh! you vots schleepin' sound up there,  
I like you pooty well.  
Your pluck eyes dem don't shine  
Ven you'm asleep—so wake!  
Yes, hurry up and wake up quick;  
For goodness gracious sake!  
My schweet imbatience, lofe,  
I hope you vill excuse:  
I'm singing schweetly—here, by Jinks!  
Dere goes a stringing loose lofe.  
O putful, schweet maid!  
O vill she efer wake?  
Der moon is mooning—Jimmiboy! there  
Anoder stringing vent broke.  
Oh! say, old schleepy head!  
Now I is getting mad—  
I'll bother now, and I don't care  
U I wake up her dad!  
I say you schleepy, wake!  
Wake up! Wake loose! Wake up!  
Fire! Murder! Police! Vatch!  
O gracious! do wake up.  
Der girl she schleeped—der rain it rained  
'Tis I looked through like a fool,  
Der moon is mooning, I shranked off  
So vet and schleepy like mool.

### A Boston Institution.

The Peabody Medical Institute and its  
Quarter Century's Work.

One of the self-evident proposi-  
tions regarding most, if not all, hu-  
man institutions, is that their survi-  
val indicates their fitness to exist.  
In other words, when an institution  
best serves some good purpose it is  
apt to live while such a purpose is  
to be, or should be served. To com-  
bat the ordinary ills to which the  
flesh is heir, we have good physici-  
ans by the hundred; but there are ail-  
ments of so subtle a nature, many of  
which infect society like a dry rot,  
that require special skill and care  
in their treatment, that the special-  
ist alone—and he must be a man of  
rare qualifications—can best treat  
them. Of such ailments those which  
have their origin in disorders of the  
nervous system are usually the most  
difficult to deal with, or to treat suc-  
cessfully. Their origin may be re-  
mote to the eye of the ordinary  
practitioner, while to the eye of the  
specialist it may be plainly indicated  
by the nature of the manifesta-  
tions. At any rate, they are always  
more or less difficult of treatment,  
requiring peculiar methods and pa-  
tient and persevering attention on  
the part of the medical man. To  
treat such nervous maladies was the  
object of the founder of the Pea-  
body Medical Institute, when, some  
25 years ago, he established it at No.  
4 Bulfinch street, Boston, where it  
is located to this day, and where it  
will, no doubt, continue for many  
years to come, it being an establish-  
ment of fact in the history of medical in-  
stitutions that where they are emi-  
nently useful to humanity they be-  
come permanent. Its mission being  
largely philanthropic, it was named  
after that eminent American phi-  
lanthropist, the late George Pea-  
body, whose beneficence gladdens  
and will continue to gladden thou-  
sands of his fellow-beings on both  
sides of the Atlantic for ages to  
come. It has had a wonderful history  
of success, has this Peabody Medi-  
cal Institute, and it has extended  
its usefulness not only through-  
out the length and breadth of this  
land, but in the countries of Europe  
and Asia. So systematic are the  
methods pursued in the conduct of  
the business pertaining to this in-  
stitution that it can treat by letter  
at any distance the most obstinate  
cases of diseases which come within  
the scope of its treatment.

The Peabody Medical Institute,  
also, has done a vast amount of phi-  
lanthropic work in its publications,  
which, while being standard medi-  
cal works, are yet written for the  
purpose of bringing about the most  
necessary condition of self-knowl-  
edge that is embodied in the motto,  
"Know Thyself." Indeed, there is  
no estimating the value of such  
publications, written as these are  
for popular comprehension, for they  
disseminate the information that is  
most essential to the man or woman  
who would lead a moral, sober and  
virtuous life.

Filling such a useful sphere in the  
education and enlightenment of the  
world, and in "ministering to the  
mind diseased," as well as the body,  
as is the case in most nervous dis-  
eases, it is not to be wondered at  
that the Peabody Medical Institute  
lives and thrives, but the wonder  
would be that it should not live and  
extend its influence in behalf of suf-  
fering humanity.

Journeymen stonemasons of Buf-  
falo, N. Y. demand the eight-hour  
day.

### New York Letter.

A New Barnum's Museum—An Extensive  
Naval Magazine—Our Dirty  
Streets.

(Our special correspondence.)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 20, 1890.

It is reported on reliable author-  
ity that P. T. Barnum is about to es-  
tablish another museum in this city.  
If this is true it will be welcome  
news to our thousands of children,  
and to many a person who has long  
since passed the happy age of child-  
hood, and who can perhaps look  
back to the time when his heart was  
delighted by the Barnum's Museum  
of old, which stood on the corner of  
Broadway and 14th street, or fur-  
ther back still, when it stood, where  
the Herald Building now stands, at  
Broadway and Ann street. If pres-  
ent plans are carried out the new  
museum will be a much more exten-  
sive affair than either of the old  
ones, and it is almost needless to  
say, will be a great deal further up  
town. Of late years, Barnum has  
invariably begun the circus season  
by a month's performance in Mad-  
ison Square Garden. But the old  
building has been torn down and a  
new one is being built which will  
unfortunately be too small to ac-  
commodate Barnum. Besides, he  
has had a "hitch" with the Garden  
company, and the result is his  
agents are hard at work planning  
a new structure which will rival the  
Madison Square Garden. This will  
cover the block between 86th and  
87th streets, and 8th and 9th ave-  
nues. It will have an iron and glass  
roof supported by arches similar to  
the Grand Central Depot. It will  
be four stories high and cost \$100-  
000.

#### DYNAMITE BY THE TON.

The fact that a resolution has  
been introduced in the United  
States Senate for the removal of the  
naval magazine from Ellis Island,  
New York Harbor, will serve to re-  
mind many of us that there is a  
vast amount of explosives stored  
within a very short distance of this  
city. It will also be news to the  
great portion of our population, and  
which perhaps alarm them some to  
know that there is piled up enough  
dynamite and gunpowder on that  
insignificant looking island to  
wreck the whole lower part of the  
city, should it chance to explode.  
In fact, thousands of our citizens  
are unaware that such an island is  
in existence, although it is as near  
to us as the Statue of Liberty. It  
belongs to the United States Gov-  
ernment, and has been used from  
time immemorial as an ammunition  
supply depot for men-of-war. It  
contains hundreds of tons of car-  
tridges, dynamite and gunpowder.  
Just why it is wanted to remove the  
magazine is not known, except it be  
the intention to use the island as a  
landing place for immigrants, in-  
stead of Castle Garden.

#### FOR CLEANER STREETS.

Mr. Jas. S. Coleman, our commis-  
sioner of Street Cleaning for several  
years past, has stepped down and  
out, mainly because he was unable  
to meet the popular demand for  
cleaner streets. The agitation in  
this direction has grown in the last  
few weeks to considerable propor-  
tions, and the chances are that no  
one can hold the office very long  
unless he can give us something  
like genuinely clean streets. It has  
long been a standing reproach to  
the government of this city that its  
streets were the dirtiest of any large  
city in the world. Ordinary growls  
by the citizens have been of no  
avail. The adverse comment of  
foreigners and strangers has had  
no effect. We have had to put up  
with filthy streets while all the time  
we have been paying millions to  
clean them. Last year it was over  
\$1,200,000, and then there never  
were clean streets except after a  
heavy rainfall. I sincerely hope  
our new Commissioner will give us  
cleaner streets or be "fired" before  
a month. EDWIN ARLINGTON.

#### Concerning Women.

When a woman gets cross she  
gets cross at everybody.  
How soon a girl's capital I be-  
comes a little after marriage.  
The newboys of the city of Mex-  
ico are all girls.  
Smile at some women and they  
will tell you all the troubles they  
ever had.  
That for which a woman should  
be consoled she is most often ridi-  
culed—her homeliness.  
When a woman can wash flannels  
so that they will not shrink she  
knows enough to get married.  
A woman is never so badly in  
love that she does not try to find  
out the cost of her engagement ring.  
The devil has a particularly hot  
fire for the mother who wants to  
send her daughter husband-hunt-  
ing at 16.  
You occasionally find a woman  
who thinks she is intellectual be-  
cause she has a large number of  
correspondents.  
As soon as a man gets the fire  
built and the room warm, his wife  
comes along and wants to "air the  
house."  
One of your delicate women will  
never admit that she is hungry. She  
will say that she is feeling a little  
faint.  
A woman never becomes so intel-  
ligent that she learns that it is no  
pleasure to others to hear her coax  
her children to speak a piece.  
There is only one thing that pleas-  
es a woman more than to be refer-  
red to as a dove, and that is to be  
referred to as a hawk.  
The question with women: Is it  
better to marry a man who is  
thoughtless and leaves the door  
open behind, or to marry a man who  
thinks to close the door, but forgets  
to leave out the slam?

Lady Stanley, wife of the Govern-  
or-General of Canada, is seriously  
ill with La Grippe.

### Joe Blackburn.

He Thought he had a First-class Case of  
Nightmare.

New York Sun.  
Joe Blackburn has just been re-  
elected to the United States Senate.  
When he was out in Kentucky vis-  
iting the legislators he arrived one  
evening at a small village with only  
one hotel. It was a railroad town,  
and most of the rooms in the hotel  
were occupied by railroad men.  
There was only one vacant apart-  
ment, and that was to be occupied  
by an engineer who might come at  
any time. Blackburn was tired and  
sleepy and said he would occupy the  
room and take the chances.

Some time in the night the Sen-  
ator was awakened by the thrusting  
of a bright lantern into his face.  
Somebody seized him by the shoul-  
ders and gave him a tremendous  
shake, and a coarse, gruff voice ex-  
claimed:  
"Get up, Lankey, you've got to  
go out on No. 6. Skinny's already  
gone on No. 7 and the order is for  
you to follow. Shorty's goin' to make  
the power for you and Sandy Jim is  
goin' to do the figuring in the back  
end."  
As such language was strange to the  
Senator he concluded it must be a  
nightmare, turned over and was  
dropping off to sleep again, when  
he was shaken two or three times  
dragged out of bed and dropped on  
the floor.

"No you don't!" exclaimed the in-  
truder, "that won't wash, Lankey.  
I'm not going to lose my job for  
you. If I leave you here you'll go  
back to bed, thinking you'll only  
snooze a minute, and, of course,  
you'll get left. Then they'll fire  
for not calling you. No, there ain't  
no use to kick. Put on your clothes  
and come on. I hear old No. 6  
growling now. Hurry up!"  
"What in—do you suppose I  
know or care about No. 6?" exclaim-  
ed the Senator.  
"What are you giving me?" an-  
swered the intruder. "I've had to  
tell me that before when they were  
sleepy and didn't want to go."  
Then the night watchman, for it  
was he, and he had taken the Sen-  
ator for the engineer, whom he was  
awake, thrust the lantern into Mr.  
Blackburn's face. He recognized  
his mistake and knew the Senator  
and was for a moment agast. He  
quickly recovered himself and said:  
"The only apology I have to offer  
is this."

As he spoke he pulled out a small  
pocket flask and handed it to the  
Senator. The latter took a draught  
smiled affably, said the apology was  
sufficient and went back to slum-  
ber.

#### THE PENALTY OF PRIDE.

Oh, would I were a bird! sang  
the young wife, sweetly.  
I guess you would," said her dis-  
satisfied husband. "I believe you'd  
wear an elephant in your hat if some  
idiot said it was the fashion.  
HOW HE WARMS HIS SLIPPERS.  
Mrs. Blockgood—What! not an  
open fireplace nor a stove in the  
whole house? How does your tar-  
ter warm his slippers, Willie?  
Wilbe (retrufely)—Warms 'em on  
me, ma'am.  
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He—And so you're really going  
to marry that professor! You, the  
heroine of a thousand engagements!  
How did you ever come to accept  
him?  
His cousin (from Boston)—Why,  
you see, he proposed in Greek, and  
when I returned him I got mixed up  
by my negative and—Meherlene!—ac-  
cepted him, and now I'm too proud  
to acknowledge my blunder. Oh,  
I'm his life!  
PROFESSED TOO MUCH.  
Capitalist—My daughter is home-  
ly, cross-eyed, hump-shouldered,  
and has a disposition like a hornet's  
nest. What do you want to marry  
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at her feet.  
James, I will be frank with you,  
she murmured.  
Oh, speak! he implored, and re-  
lieve me from this agony of sus-  
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Attorney—Look here, Smith, you  
will oblige me and save yourself  
trouble by handing me that \$20  
which you owe Townley. He has  
placed the bill in my hands for col-  
lection.  
Smith—Sorry, brief, my boy but  
I can't accommodate you.  
Attorney—Oh, very well; I know  
how I can collect it.  
Smith—Then you'd better make  
the amount \$50, and help me as well  
as Townley, besides.

### Laughable Reflections

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

A salutation of the period—First  
clubman (aged 17)—Hello, me boy!  
Second clubman (aged 60)—Hello,  
old man.

#### HOPE FOR HIM YET.

Young Mother—Don't you think  
baby looks like his father?  
Visitor—Ye-es, but I wouldn't  
worry, he may outgrow it.

#### SHOULD CHANGE HIS CARD.

I didn't know you were in the  
shoe business, Briggs.  
Well, I'm not, Smith?  
Then why have you got sole agent  
on your card?

Yablesy—Did I understand you  
to say that Mudge went insane when  
Miss Filip refused him? Wack-  
strod—I don't know what you an-  
swered me to say. What I said was  
that he went away mad.

McFuglie—I never saw such a  
wind and storm before." McFangle  
(cutely)—And now that you  
have seen them, what color are  
they? McF—Why, the wind blew  
and the storm rose, of course.

Balm—Papa after the season in  
the wood-shed—Do you know that  
it pains me more than it does you to  
have to whip you? The Terror—No,  
papa; I didn't know it; but now  
that you have told me I feel better.

#### PRONOUNCED IT WARE.

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The population of the State is 1,  
800,000, meat enough is raised for  
only 800,000. It will take seventeen  
million dollars to buy meat for the  
remaining population; and the cot-  
ton crop of the State is valued at  
sixteen million dollars—not enough  
to pay for the meat that must be  
bought; no to speak of other things;  
yet we ask what is the cause of our  
poverty. The credit system and the  
purchase of fertilizers are other caus-  
es of hard times. The grand mis-  
sion of the Alliance is the salvation  
of the country and the people.—  
CAPT. W. A. DARDEN in a speech at  
Weldon.

It is said that if equal parts of tur-  
pentine pine tar are mixed together  
and burned in the house you will not  
have diphtheria.

### Dr. Grissom May Leave the State.

Some of His Views Upon Politics.

Statesville Landmark.  
The editor of the Landmark met  
and had a long talk with Dr. Eu-  
gene Grissom, late superintendent  
of the North Carolina Insane Asy-  
lum, on the train of the Western  
North Carolina Railroad going east  
last Saturday afternoon. He says  
the report that he is seeking the  
superintendency of St. Elizabeth's,  
the national asylum near Washing-  
ton City, is altogether erroneous;  
that while he was in Washington  
recently one of the governors of  
that institution told him that when-  
ever there is a vacancy in the super-  
intendency he will be elected to it,  
but that he does not desire the place  
and so said at the time, and that  
even if he did he would not seem  
to be engaged in an effort to sup-  
plant a man already in. Dr. Gris-  
som had just been to St. Louis and  
was on his way home. He has a  
most flattering offer to go to the  
city just named and establish a pri-  
vate infirmary in association with  
Dr. Chas. H. Hughes, one of the  
most noted specialists in the coun-  
try in the treatment of nervous dis-  
eases, and the editor of the *Albionist*  
and *Neurologist* and may, very likely  
will, accept the offer. All the lead-  
ing physicians of the city urge his  
going there, and he is assured of an  
annual income of \$5,000 to begin  
with, with the certainty of an in-  
crease. The severity of the St.  
Louis climate is all that deters him,  
and from his conversation we judge  
that he will make up his mind to  
leave this. He carried with him to  
the Southwest letters from both  
of our United States Senators, from  
five ex-Governors, four or five judges  
and others, bearing testimony to his  
high professional attainments, and  
his great skill in the treatment  
of mental alienation.

Dr. Grissom talked most enter-  
tainingly on political topics. His  
travels qualify him to speak of the  
temper of the country concerning  
the present national administration  
and he testifies to the universal ap-  
pointment. As to State politics he  
observes that there is no Republi-  
can party in North Carolina—that  
it has disbanded. He says the Re-  
publicans will carry not more than  
one of the congressional districts of  
the State, (the black,) that next  
fall, and that the only danger that  
threatens the Democratic party is  
that of its falling to pieces by its  
own weight. It will need as its  
candidate for Governor in 1892 a  
man upon whom all the elements  
can concentrate and to whom all  
the people can look with confidence  
in his ability, integrity and patriot-  
ism, and there is no one who can  
so fully meet the requirements of  
the occasion as Hon. R. E. Arm-  
field, of Iredell. Judge Armfield,  
he says, is, to his certain knowl-  
edge, the only man who has held a  
court at Raleigh since the war who  
has given entire satisfaction to the  
bar and the people, and Dr. Gris-  
som regards him as one of the State's  
very ablest men. He can have the  
nomination for Chief Justice of the  
Supreme Court if he will but signi-  
fically that he would accept it, and  
he can have the Democratic nomi-  
nation for Governor for the asking.  
He is the party's most available  
man for that position, beyond all  
comparison.

Dr. Grissom's health is excellent,  
and he never talked more engagingly  
than he did last Saturday afternoon.  
He is master of the art conversa-  
tional; poetry and eloquence drop  
from his tongue.

In 1867 it is estimated that there  
were paid for advertisements in this  
country \$10,000,000. Now there  
are \$30,000,000, a three-fold in-  
crease within twenty-five years.  
When you see a business man go-  
ing round prosperous and smiling  
and happy, you can sit it down as  
a dead sure thing that he has stock  
in his \$30,000,000 and is drawing  
his regular dividends.—Wilmington  
Star.

The passion of the darkey for going  
to the postoffice is akin to the pas-  
sion of the race for watermelons and  
'possums. There are those of them  
who go to the postoffice six days  
in every week throughout the year  
without ever getting a letter. Their  
idea about it is well illustrated by  
the fragment conversation between  
two colored women, heard in front  
of the office here the other evening.  
'Well,' said one, 'Ies go in an ax-  
ynnow; dat's wut de postoffice is  
fer.' And they dived into the door  
and axed.—Statesville Landmark.

### Be on Hand.

Baltimorean.  
If you are going to do anything,  
do it promptly.

The longer you wait [and think  
about it, and dread it, the worse it  
will be.

Be on hand. Life is a great deal  
pleasanter to the person who promp-  
tly does what he is required to do.

Don't keep your friends waiting.  
You have no right to waste the time  
of other people. If you are one-half  
hour behind time in fulfilling an en-  
gagement, you may cause a dozen  
other parties to break engagements  
and delays may come out of just  
that little shortcoming of yours  
which you look upon as a trifling  
thing.

To an active, energetic, wide-  
awake person there is nothing more  
trying and more annoying than to  
be made to wait.

Brace up and make an effort, you  
shiftless, indolent, always-behind-  
time, and see if you cannot come to  
time!

If you have agreed to be at a cer-  
tain time, be there unless you are  
sick, or dead. In either case you  
might be excused, but not otherwise.

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ing and night. Prayer Meeting every  
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ing and night. Prayer Meeting every  
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Hours open for all business from 9 A.  
M. to 4:30 P. M. All mails distributed  
on arrival. The general deliver will  
be kept open for 15 minutes at night  
after the Northern mail is distributed.  
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Sunday) at 7:30 P. M. and departs at  
8:30 A. M.

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mails arrive every Saturday at 5 P. M.  
and depart at 1 P. M.

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mails arrive every Saturday at 7 P. M.  
and depart at 6:30 A. M.

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Thursday and Saturday at 11 A. M. and  
depart at 1:30 P. M.

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mails arrive every Saturday at 5 P. M.  
and depart every Friday at 11 A. M.

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Party.

DEB SERENADE.

O lady, wake! Get wake!  
Und hear der tale I'll tell:  
Oh! you vots schleep'n' sound up there,  
I like you pooty vell.

Your plack eyes dem don't shine  
Ven you'm asleep—so wake!  
Yes, hurry up and vake up quick:  
For goodness gracious vake!

My schveet imbalance, lofe,  
I hope you vill excuse:  
I'm singing schveetly—here, by Jinks!  
Der goes a string broke loose.

O vullid, schveet maid!  
O vullid, schveet maid!  
Der moon is mooning—Jimmity! dhere  
Another string vent broke.

Oh! say, old schleehy head!  
Now I was getting mad—  
I'll holler now, and I don't care  
Ut I vake up her dad!

I say you schleehy, vake!  
Vake out! Vake loose! Vake up!  
Fire! Murrer! Police! Vatch!  
O gracious! O vake up.

Dot girliche schleebed—dot rain it yained  
Und I looked shoonid like a fool.  
Dhen mit my fiddle I sneaked off  
So vet and schlobly like mool.

A Boston Institution.

The Peabody Medical Institute and Its  
Quarter Century's Work.

Boston Herald.

One of the self-evident proposi-  
tions regarding most, if not all, hu-  
man institutions, is that their survival  
indicates their fitness to exist.

In other words, when an institution  
best serves some good purpose it is  
apt to live while such a purpose is  
to be, or should be served. To combat  
the ordinary ills to which the  
flesh is heir, we have good phys-  
icians by the hundred; but there are ail-  
ments of so subtle a nature, many  
of which infest society like a dry rot,  
that require special skill and  
care in their treatment, that the  
specialist alone—and he must be a  
man of rare qualifications—can best  
treat them. Of such ailments those  
which have their origin in disorders  
of the nervous system are usually  
the most difficult to deal with, or to  
treat successfully. Their origin may  
be remote to the eye of the ordinary  
practitioner, while to the eye of the  
specialist it may be plainly indicated  
by the nature of the manifesta-  
tions. At any rate, they are always  
more or less difficult of treatment,  
requiring peculiar methods and pa-  
tient and persevering attention on  
the part of the medical man. To  
treat such nervous maladies was the  
object of the founder of the Pea-  
body Medical Institute, when, some  
25 years ago, he established it at No.  
4 Bulfinch street, Boston, where it  
is located to this day, and where it  
will, no doubt, continue for many  
years to come, it being an establish-  
ment in the history of medical in-  
stitutions that where they are em-  
inently useful to humanity they be-  
come permanent. Its mission being  
largely philanthropic, it was named  
after that eminent American phi-  
lanthropist, the late George Pea-  
body, whose beneficence gladdens  
and will continue to gladden thou-  
sands of his fellow-beings on both  
sides of the Atlantic for ages to  
come. It has had a wonderful his-  
tory of success, has this Peabody  
Medical Institute, and it has extend-  
ed its usefulness not only through-  
out the length and breadth of this  
land, but in the countries of Europe  
and Asia. So systematic are the  
methods pursued in the conduct of  
the business pertaining to this in-  
stitution that it can treat by letter  
at any distance the most obstinate  
cases of diseases which come within  
the scope of its treatment.

The Peabody Medical Institute, also,  
has done a vast amount of phi-  
lanthropic work in its publications,  
which, while being standard medi-  
cal works, are yet written for the  
purpose of bringing about the most  
necessary condition of self-knowl-  
edge—that is embodied in the motto,  
'Know Thyself.' Indeed, there is  
no estimating the value of such  
publications, written as these are  
for popular comprehension, for they  
disseminate the information that is  
most essential to the man or woman  
who would lead a moral, sober and  
virtuous life.

Filling such a useful sphere in the  
education and enlightenment of the  
world, and in "ministering to the  
mind diseased," as well as the body,  
as is the case in most nervous dis-  
eases, it is not to be wondered at  
that the Peabody Medical Institute  
lives and thrives, and the wonder  
would be that it should not live and  
extend its influence in behalf of suf-  
fering humanity.

Journeymen stonecutters of Buf-  
falo, N. Y. demand the "eight-hour  
day."

New York Letter.

A New Barnum's Museum—An Extensive  
Naval Magazine—Our Dirty  
Streets.

(Our special correspondence).

NEW YORK, Jan. 20, 1890.

It is reported on reliable authori-  
ty that P. T. Barnum is about to es-  
tablish another museum in this city.

If this is true it will be welcome  
news to our thousands of children,  
and to many a person who has long  
since passed the happy age of child-  
hood, and who can perhaps look  
back to the time when his heart was  
delighted by the Barnum's Museum  
of old, which stood on the corner of  
Broadway and 14th street, or fur-  
ther back still, when it stood, where  
the Herald Building now stands, at  
Broadway and Ann street. If pres-  
ent plans are carried out the new  
museum will be a much more exten-  
sive affair than either of the old  
ones, and it is almost needless to  
say, will be a great deal further up  
town. Of late years, Barnum has  
invariably begun the circus season  
by a month's performance in Mad-  
ison Square Garden. But the old  
building has been torn down and a  
new one is being built which will  
unfortunately be too small to ac-  
commodate Barnum. Besides, he  
has had a "hitch" with the Garden  
company, and the result is his  
agents are hard at work planning  
a new structure which will rival the  
Madison Square Garden. This will  
cover the block between 86th and  
87th streets, and 8th and 9th ave-  
nues. It will have an iron and glass  
roof supported by arches similar to  
the Grand Central Depot. It will  
be four stories high and cost \$400,-  
000.

DYNAMITE BY THE TON.

The fact that a resolution has  
been introduced in the United  
States Senate for the removal of the  
naval magazine from Ellis Island,  
New York Harbor, will serve to re-  
mind many of us that there is a  
vast amount of explosives stored  
within a very short distance of this  
city. It will also be news to the  
great portion of our population, and  
would perhaps alarm them some to  
know that there is piled up enough  
dynamite and gunpowder on that  
insignificant looking island to  
wreck the whole lower part of the  
city, should it chance to explode.  
In fact, thousands of our citizens  
are unaware that such an island is  
in existence, although it is as near  
to us as the Statue of Liberty. It  
belongs to the United States Gov-  
ernment, and has been used from  
time immemorial as an ammunition  
supply depot for men-of-war. It  
contains hundreds of tons of car-  
tridges, dynamite and gunpowder.  
Just why it is wanted to remove the  
magazine is not known, except it be  
the intention to use the island as a  
landing place for immigrants, in-  
stead of Castle Garden.

FOR CLEANER STREETS.

Mr. Jas. S. Coleman, our commis-  
sioner of Street Cleaning for several  
years past, has stepped down and  
out, mainly because he was unable  
to meet the popular demand for  
cleaner streets. The agitation in  
this direction has grown in the last  
few weeks to considerable propor-  
tions, and the chances are that no  
one can hold the office very long  
unless he can give us something  
like genuinely clean streets. It has  
long been a standing reproach to  
the government of this city that its  
streets were the dirtiest of any large  
city in the world. Ordinary growth  
by the citizens have been of no  
avail. The adverse comment of  
foreigners and strangers has had  
no effect. We have had to put up  
with filthy streets while all the time  
we have been paying millions to  
clean them. Last year it was over  
\$1,200,000, and then there never  
were clean streets except after a  
heavy rainfall. I sincerely hope  
our new Commissioner will give us  
cleaner streets or be "fired" before  
a month. EDWIN ARLINGTON.

The increase in the grain product  
of the Southern States within the  
past two years has been over 220,-  
000,000 bushels. This taken in con-  
nection with the increase in her  
cotton crop, the increase in her  
varied manufacturing industries,  
the number of new coal, iron, gold  
and other mines opened, the new  
railroads built, the new towns  
founded, new educational institu-  
tions erected, &c., does not look as  
if the white men of the South were  
devoting their energies to hunting  
down negroes and raising the mis-  
chief generally as so often charged  
by Radical partisans on the other  
side of the line.—Wilmington Star.

Joe Blackburn.

He Thought he had a First-class Case of  
Nightmare.

New York Sun.

Joe Blackburn has just been re-  
elected to the United States Senate.

When he was out in Kentucky visit-  
ing the legislators he arrived one  
evening at a small village with only  
one hotel. It was a railroad town,  
and most of the rooms in the hotel  
were occupied by railroad men.  
There was only one vacant apart-  
ment, and that was to be occupied  
by an engineer who might come at  
any time. Blackburn was tired and  
sleepy and said he would occupy the  
room and take the chances.

Some time in the night the Sena-  
tor was awakened by the thrusting  
of a bright lantern into his face.  
Somebody seized him by the should-  
ers and gave him a tremendous  
shake, and a coarse, gruff voice ex-  
claimed:

"Get up, Lankey, you've got to  
wind and storm before." McFang-  
o (cutely)—And now that you  
have seen them, what color are  
they? McF—Why, the wind blew  
and the storm rose, of course.

Balm—Papa (after the season in  
the wood-shed)—Do you know that  
it pains me more than it does you to  
have to whip you? The Terror—No,  
papa; I didn't know it; but now  
that you have told me I feel better.

PRONOUNCED IT WARE.

Oh, would I were a bird! sang  
the young wife, sweetly.

I guess you would," said her dis-  
tinguished husband. I believe you'd  
wear an elephant in your hat if some  
idiot said it was the fashion.

HOW HE WARMS HIS SLIPPERS.

Mrs. Blockgood—What! not an  
open fireplace nor a stove in the  
whole house? How does your ta-  
vor warm his slippers, Willie?

Willie (reassuringly)—Warns 'em on  
me, ma'am.

THE PENALTY OF PRIDE.

He—And so you're really going  
to marry that professor? You, the  
heroine of a thousand engagements!

How did you ever come to accept  
him?

His cousin (from Boston)—Why,  
you see, he proposed in Greek, and  
when I retorted him I got mixed on  
my negative and—Meherece!—ac-  
cepted him, and now I'm too proud  
to acknowledge my blunder. Oh,  
I'm his for life!

PROFESSED TOO MUCH.

Capitalist—My daughter is homely,  
cross-eyed, hump-shouldered,  
and has a disposition like a hornet's  
nest. What do you want to marry  
her for?

Young man (ardently)—I love  
her, sir!

Capitalist—Then you can't have  
her, sir. I don't want to take a  
blamed fool into my family.—Chica-  
go News.

SHE HAD TO BE FRANK.

And what answer do you make to  
my appeal? he asked as he knelt at  
her feet.

James, I will be frank with you,  
she murmured.

Oh, speak if he implored, and re-  
lieve me from this agony of suspen-  
se.

Then let me say, it cannot be.  
Why not? Oh, why not?

Because, James, I do not feel able  
to support a husband.

TRUISMS.

Lots of things would be different  
if they were otherwise.—Toronto  
World.

It is the he abilities, asset wert,  
that make the successful assignor.  
—Albany Express.

The man who is dead in love with  
himself usually has no rivals.—Rome  
Sentinel.

The poet is born, not made. The  
poetess is born and maid too.—  
Binghampton Leader

A CHANCE TO SERVE TWO MASTERS.

Attorney—Look here, Smith, you  
will oblige me and save yourself  
trouble by handing me that \$20  
which you owe Townley. He has  
placed the bill in my hands for col-  
lection.

Smith—Sorry, Brief, my boy but  
I can't accommodate you.

Attorney—Oh, very well; I know  
how I can collect it.

Smith—Then you'd better make  
the amount \$50, and help me as well  
as Townley, besides.

The population of the State is 1,  
800,000, meat enough is raised for  
only 800,000. It will take seventeen  
million dollars to buy meat for the  
remaining population; and the cot-  
ton crop of the State is valued at  
sixteen million dollars—not enough  
to pay for the meat that must be  
bought; no to speak of other things  
yet we ask what is the cause of our  
poverty. The credit system and the  
purchase of fertilizers are other causes  
of hard times. The grand mis-  
sion of the Alliance is the salvation  
of the country and the people.—  
CAPT. W. A. DARDEN in a speech at  
Weldon.

It is said that if equal parts of tur-  
pentine pine tar are mixed together  
and burned in the house you will not  
sue diphtheria.

Lady Stanley, wife of the Govern-  
or-General of Canada, is seriously  
ill with La Grippe.

Laughable Reflections

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

A salutation of the period—First  
clubman (aged 17)—Hello, me boy!  
Second clubman; (aged 60)—Hello,  
old man.

HOPE FOR HIM YET.  
Young Mother—Don't you think  
baby looks like his father?

Visitor—Yes, but I wouldn't  
worry, he may outgrow it.

SHOULD CHANGE HIS CARD.  
I didn't know you were in the  
shoe business, Briggs.

Well, I'm not, Smith.  
Then why have you got sole agent  
on your card?

Yabsley—Did I understand you  
to say that Mudge went insane when  
Miss Philip refused him? Wick-  
wire—I don't know what you under-  
stand to say. What I said was that  
he went away mad.

McFingie—I never saw such a  
wind and storm before." McFang-  
o (cutely)—And now that you  
have seen them, what color are  
they? McF—Why, the wind blew  
and the storm rose, of course.

Balm—Papa (after the season in  
the wood-shed)—Do you know that  
it pains me more than it does you to  
have to whip you? The Terror—No,  
papa; I didn't know it; but now  
that you have told me I feel better.

PRONOUNCED IT WARE.

Oh, would I were a bird! sang  
the young wife, sweetly.

I guess you would," said her dis-  
tinguished husband. I believe you'd  
wear an elephant in your hat if some  
idiot said it was the fashion.

HOW HE WARMS HIS SLIPPERS.

Mrs. Blockgood—What! not an  
open fireplace nor a stove in the  
whole house? How does your ta-  
vor warm his slippers, Willie?

Willie (reassuringly)—Warns 'em on  
me, ma'am.

THE PENALTY OF PRIDE.

He—And so you're really going  
to marry that professor? You, the  
heroine of a thousand engagements!

How did you ever come to accept  
him?

His cousin (from Boston)—Why,  
you see, he proposed in Greek, and  
when I retorted him I got mixed on  
my negative and—Meherece!—ac-  
cepted him, and now I'm too proud  
to acknowledge my blunder. Oh,  
I'm his for life!

PROFESSED TOO MUCH.

Capitalist—My daughter is homely,  
cross-eyed, hump-shouldered,  
and has a disposition like a hornet's  
nest. What do you want to marry  
her for?

Young man (ardently)—I love  
her, sir!

Capitalist—Then you can't have  
her, sir. I don't want to take a  
blamed fool into my family.—Chica-  
go News.

SHE HAD TO BE FRANK.

And what answer do you make to  
my appeal? he asked as he knelt at  
her feet.

James, I will be frank with you,  
she murmured.

Oh, speak if he implored, and re-  
lieve me from this agony of suspen-  
se.

Then let me say, it cannot be.  
Why not? Oh, why not?

Because, James, I do not feel able  
to support a husband.

TRUISMS.

Lots of things would be different  
if they were otherwise.—Toronto  
World.

It is the he abilities, asset wert,  
that make the successful assignor.  
—Albany Express.

The man who is dead in love with  
himself usually has no rivals.—Rome  
Sentinel.

The poet is born, not made. The  
poetess is born and maid too.—  
Binghampton Leader

A CHANCE TO SERVE TWO MASTERS.

Attorney—Look here, Smith, you  
will oblige me and save yourself  
trouble by handing me that \$20  
which you owe Townley. He has  
placed the bill in my hands for col-  
lection.

Smith—Sorry, Brief, my boy but  
I can't accommodate you.

Attorney—Oh, very well; I know  
how I can collect it.

THOROUGHLY DEMOCRATIC, BUT will not hesitate to criticize Democratic measures and measures that are not consistent with the true principles of the party.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29th, 1890.

ENTERED AT THE POST OFFICE AT GREENVILLE, N. C., AS SECOND-CLASS MAIL MATTER.

Ex-Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, died last week.

The editor of the Concord Times has had a bad case of the grip. We know how to sympathize with him.

Hon. T. G. Skinner, our representative in Congress, is one of the Committee of Indian Affairs in the House.

The Raleigh Chronicle and the Statesville Landmark are the great weeklies. -Sanford Express.

Isn't you afraid you will make the "ne plus ultra" Reidsville Review mad?

The Wilmington Star keeps coming all over, and don't stop with putting on its new dress of type. It printed 800 extra copies of Sunday's edition. Nothing like the Star.

Another journal has just appeared at the young city of newspapers - Goldsboro. It is an evening paper called the Dispatch, published by a stock company with Mr. J. W. Nash as President.

Miss Nellie Bly, who the New York World sent on a special trip around the world, reached New York last Saturday, having traveled 23,000 miles and made the trip in 72 days, 6 hours and 11 minutes. She made good time.

The information below is found in the Elizabeth City Economist, which ought to be good authority. That paper says:

We learn that Hon. T. R. Jernigan, late Consul to Japan, will establish a newspaper in Edenton, at an early day. Mr. Jernigan is an able writer, a public spirited citizen and will be a valuable acquisition both to Edenton and to the newspaper guild.

Some days ago the REFLECTOR received a copy of the holiday edition of the Silver City (N. M.) Enterprise. It is a large paper and contains well-written descriptions of that part of the country. It also contains about one hundred very fine illustrations, the engraving for which were made by the Metropolitan Press Agency, of New York City.

A friend of Mr. Grady's had a dream about him and tried to persuade him not to go to Boston. He dreamt he was killed. Grady laughed, went to come home and died from the exposure of the trip. -Wilmington Messenger.

A lady friend of the editor came to the REFLECTOR office on the morning of the 10th inst., and told him something was going to happen to him, giving as her reason that she had a bad dream about him the night before. The editor was taken very sick the next day and it was nearly two weeks before he could get back to the office.

Irregularities in the mails and negligence of the postmasters have caused the REFLECTOR to lose a few subscribers. While the number we have lost has been very small, the Sanford Express says it has lost fifty from the same causes. The Republican postmasters having things in their hands now, and knowing the injured parties have no redress, may be trying to get even with the Democratic papers for the part they take against the Republican side in the campaigns. That kind of meanness would be about in keeping with the principles of their party.

The old hypocrite, John Wana-maker, is trying a new scheme on we country editors. He must have become ashamed over the ridicule and fun poked at him for sending out a lot of 25-cent advertising propositions to us, and in order to get the abuse off of himself has turned over that part of his business to an agency that goes by the name of "Azro Goff's Bureau of Advertising," in New York. Early last week the REFLECTOR received a letter from "Azro" containing a one-inch advertisement for Wana-maker which he wanted inserted one time and sent 25 cents in stamps to pay for the same. The letter, advertisement and stamps were returned with a few lines that may keep "Azro" from sending any more such offers to North Carolina newspapers. John may think he owns the government but he can't get in the REFLECTOR for a quarter.

The Athletic Committee of Harvard has decided that after the close of the season of 1889-90, Harvard shall not participate in any athletic sports outside of New England.

A late issue of that splendid paper, the Charlotte Chronicle, says:

The firm of Higgs & Munford, of Greenville, Pitt county, are wide awake. The Greenville REFLECTOR published a two-page supplement with its issue of the past week, and one whole page, eight columns, of the supplement was taken up by the advertisement of Higgs & Munford. The Chronicle congratulates the REFLECTOR and, with still more reason congratulates Higgs & Munford.

Thanks, brother Haydn, for your kind words. But you must have overlooked our Christmas edition which was eight pages and had the same full page advertisement in it, giving it a much handsomer appearance than the two-page supplement issue you speak of. Greenville has some enterprising merchants, as you may discover from watching the REFLECTOR closely.

Mark M. Pomeroy has very kindly sent us a copy of his Advance Thought, published in New York. For originality and wit it takes the lead. "Brick" is somewhat of a philosopher, preaches a bit, gets up a nice Saturday night article, goes for Vice-President Morton for running a whiskey shop in Washington, tackles the Administration for extracting so much money out of the people and laying it up to rust, his square from the shoulder at anything he don't think right, and says lots of good things on many subjects. The REFLECTOR is glad to get this copy and has the promise that it shall come regular. It will be very apt to come in contact with our clipping shears and articles from it appear occasionally in these columns.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons held in Raleigh last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Samuel H. Smith, of Winston, Grand Master; Hezekiah A. Guder, of Asheville, Deputy Grand Master; John W. Cotten, of Tarboro, Senior Grand Warden; Francis M. Moye, of Moyten, Junior Grand Warden; Wm. E. Anderson, of Raleigh, Grand Treasurer; Donald W. Bain, of Raleigh, Grand Secretary; Rev. C. T. Bailey, D. D., of Raleigh, was re-elected Director of Oxford Orphan Asylum, for a term of five years.

While on this subject a few words recently clipped from the LaGrange Spectator in reference to masonry may not be out of place. That paper says:

The Masonic brotherhood is a grand brotherhood. It embraces the world. Go where you will, in every land and in every clime, and there you will find members of the mystic brotherhood. Right here in North Carolina Masonry has a monument more enduring than the richest brass or the snowiest marble—that noble charity, the Orphan Asylum at Oxford.

Judge John E. Gilmer, of the Fifth Judicial District, recently tendered his resignation to the Governor. Judge Gilmer was an appointee of Gov. Jarvis to succeed Judge Keer, and after appointment was twice elected. He was an able and pure Judge. Gov. Fowle accepted the resignation and appointed Hon. Thos. B. Womack, of Chatham county, as Judge Gilmer's successor. The newly appointed Judge held his first court in Northampton county. Judge Womack is 40 years old, he has served his county in both branches of the State Legislature, and was chief clerk of the last House of Representatives. He studied law under Hon. John Manning and obtained license to practice in 1876. In 1878 he was elected Solicitor of the Inferior Court of Chatham county and served in that position until his election to the Senate in 1885. He is said to be a lawyer of strong mind and excellent attainments, and a gentleman of high character.

Prof. J. H. P. Leigh, who is now Principal of Hertford Academy, in Perquimans county, has instituted a suit for libel against Mr. Will X. Coley, editor of the Mocksville Times, and against two other gentlemen of Davie county. Last year Prof. Leigh taught school in the latter county, but the people found objections to him and made it necessary for him to go elsewhere. The cause of his suit against the Times is the following paragraph published in September:

Prof. J. H. P. Leigh, Principal of Cana High School, was too fond of his lady pupils, and as he was a married man, this could not be allowed by the good people of Cana, so his place is now vacant.

The Times declares its purpose to answer the suit by proving the charge made, and says:

We have nothing to retract. What we have said we say again. We can substantiate everything that the article says AND A GREAT DEAL MORE, as we will prove on day of trial.

This leads the Raleigh Chronicle to remark:

It is a dangerous business to bring suit against an honest editor. The man who does it usually finds out that it would have been better to have tackled a lawyer.

Another North Carolina editor has been summoned to lay aside his earthly duties and pay the debt that all nature must pay. Henry S. Nunn, editor of the New Bern Journal, died at his home in New Bern on the 21st inst. He was a native of Lenoir county and had been engaged in journalism little more than ten years. He was an excellent writer and used his best energies toward the advancement of New Bern and her material interests. Many evidences of his labors now remain to his memory. Mr. Nunn was forty-six years old at the time of his death, and leaves a widow and seven children.

Jefferson Davis is not Dead.

Under this headline we find an article in Pomeroy's Advance Thought, published in New York, that is so different from the usual expressions of the South-hating editors of the North that we publish it in full. "Brick" Pomeroy exhibits a spirit of fairness, and in his utterances shows more justice to the much abused South than is displayed by his Northern brother editors. If more of them were like him there would be far less sectional animosity. His paper says:

God pity the narrow-minded soul that sneaks out its dirty bitterness because the people of the South love the memory of Jefferson Davis. He was always an honest man: a friend of his people, regardless of the menaces and intolerance of those who were not friendly to the South. He never used his principles as a net in which to catch fish for market. He was not the inventor of the idea that man need not love a government that he could not love, or a people who believe that inferior civilization is better than to punish people for not loving narrow-minded persons who hate them. Jefferson Davis came into this world as others come. He loved the people of the States and localities whose people he knew, and whose menaced interests he sought to protect. Through all the shocks and years of shocking wars and all the whirlpools of hate over which his life ran, he lived out God's appointed time, as Daniel lived in the den of lions that growled but were not permitted to lay claws upon him or touch him with their teeth. Wise men are satisfied with the general result of the war, in its liberation of slaves and its restoration of the country. Jefferson Davis did as he thought to be right; therefore he deserves honor. He was true to his love for all that portion of our country that proposed to tram with iron heel upon the other portion. He believed that statesmanship should supersede the sword and that reason is more honorable than rage, fanaticism and passion, heated by desire, who contended against it to final victory. The North has enough to be proud of—and enough to be ashamed of—without sullying its reputation for greatness by hurling cowardly venom upon an honest man, his memory, and upon those who admire honesty, bravery and devotion to best friends.

Jefferson Davis will live longer in history, and better than will any who have ever spoken against him.

Washington Letter.

From our regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan 24th '90 Speaker Keer is every day showing how unfit he is to occupy his present position, and the republican members of the House are daily whipped into supporting him in his unparliamentary decisions.

The House committee on Rules met yesterday and the republican members of the committee, against the protest of ex-Speaker Carlisle, decided upon a schedule of Rules, to be reported. Mr. Carlisle will make a strong minority report, and will fight the adoption of the Rules by the House in every way possible, but of course if the Speaker persists in deciding everything according to his own sweet will the democrats stand little short of defeating them, unless some of the conservative republicans shall display courage enough to vote against their party. Many of them are known to be opposed to the proposed Rules but whether they have nerve enough to vote as they think, it is a question.

The House has passed the Oklahoma township bill, after nearly a week spent in debating it in committee of the whole.

Senator Ingalls delivered a characteristic harangue in the Senate yesterday afternoon, alleged to be a reply to Senator Butler's speech in favor of his negro emigration bill. Senatorial spit-fire does not mellow with age, but grows more wicked with less temptation. The worst of it is that he cannot be left to stew in his own juice, because he is nothing but skin and bones and veins filled with nitro muriatic acid.

The indications now are that the special House committee on the World's Fair will soon and itself in an interminable dead-lock. The Senate committee does not appear to be getting along much faster. Everybody professes to want to see the matter settled at once, but the prospect of an early settlement is not good.

As was expected the House committee on Elections has, by strict party vote, reported in favor of unseating Jackson, the democratic sitting member from West Virginia.

contesting republican. This is the first of the seventeen contested election cases, and it would not be at all surprising if the republicans of the committee reported in favor of every republican contestant, except Langston, the negro contestant from the Fourth Virginia district (Mahone's home.) It is understood that Mahone has secured promises enough to beat Langston.

Governor Campbell having been unable to come to Washington this week, the House committee investigating the Ohio ballot box forgery postponed the further hearing of witnesses until February 2nd. The witnesses so far heard had heard of what little reputation ex-Governor Foraker had.

The civil service Commissioners have stated to the House committee on Reform in the civil service that they desired an investigation, that committee will next week make a favorable report on the resolution ordering an investigation.

Ex-Speaker Randall has joined the presbyterian church. His health still keeps him confined to his residence, but he is continues hopeful, and expects if he is not able to go to the House, to send a written protest against the adoption of the schedule of Rules prepared by Speaker Reed.

Commissioner of Pensions Kaum gives it out flat-footed that all the clerks in that office who had their pensions rerated will be bonaced. A chief of division, who was a special protegee of Tanner's has already been made to walk the plank.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison gave a State dinner to the diplomatic corps Tuesday evening. They have made an innovation in White House entertainments by having the dinner furnished by an outside caterer.

Ancient history sometimes crops out in Congress. For instance Senators Pasco and Chandler had a dispute about the famous Florida returning board of 1876 this week. Mr. Chandler, it will be remembered, was one of the visiting statesmen on that interesting occasion.

Secretary Tracy has ordered a naval court of inquiry to investigate the charges of certain Naval officers banding together for lobbying purposes, as alleged in a recent Senate resolution.

Ex-Secretary Vilas and ex-Commissioner of Pensions Black were in Washington this week.

The Atlantic Pacific Railway Tunnel, the great project of "Brick" Pomeroy, is really being cut through the main range of the Rocky Mountains, sixty miles due west from Denver. It will shorten railway distance 250 miles between Denver and Salt Lake City. More than 4,600 persons are now financially interested in the enterprise. The Tunnel will be five miles long and 4,400 feet below the top of Gray's Peak. The company enters the year 1890 entirely free from floating debt, all its bills paid and work going ahead day and night in both ends of the Tunnel. By the use of modern machinery from six to ten feet head way is gained every day. More than 250 tons of gold and silver will be crossed by the Tunnel, and its mineral rights alone will be worth millions. At the late election Pomeroy was elected President, and given entire management for ten years. The company has money sufficient to carry on its work, and is taking rank among the greatest enterprises of the century. To those who care to know of it, a large descriptive illustrated pamphlet will be sent free. Address, Mark M. Pomeroy, President, 234 Broadway, New York City.

OBITUARY.

It is sad to have to chronicle the death of little Thomas Whitman Harris, the son of H. F. and Mollie Harris. He was sick about a week with meningitis, and despite all that medical aid could do, he breathed his last on Tuesday evening of last week. Nothing could save him—the end had come. The sufferings he bore were alleviated as far as could be by all that willing hands and hearts could do. But stern fate decreed that his earthly ties must be severed, and he quietly and calmly fell asleep to awake in the presence of his Heavenly Father. It was hard indeed for his family to have to give him up—that dear boy who was so faithful and true to father and mother and so affectionate towards brother and sisters. He was obedient to every wish that came from that household, and prompt and faithful in every little trust imposed. He ever delighted to be of some service to his mother or father, and in serving them was his happiest thought. While other boys of his tender years were content to be upon the play grounds, he was always willing and most glad to be at home engaged in some work or elsewhere upon missions of duty. As dutiful a child as he was in seldom seen. It is sad, inexpressibly sad, to the family to realize that the days of their precious boy were so few and his life cut off so early, for it was upon him they seem to have centered their fondest hope, expecting to see him grow to manhood's estate and live a long life of usefulness that would ever be to them a solace and comfort and pride. But he was taken away when only in his thirteenth year. The grim messenger invaded their home and this fair flower was plucked, torn away from loving hearts and left them bleeding and sore. In the silent tomb his youthful form has been laid. His soul has sped its way to the throne above there to dwell forever with the chosen ones of God. In realms of glory—amid the joys of Eden's bowers—he is happily resting and there he lives forever.

His remains were buried in the Methodist Churchyard on Wed. Wednesday afternoon in the presence of many sorrowing and sympathizing friends.

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FRANKFORD, PA. Adm'r of Mary Spain.

Of Interest to Ladies.

State S. S. Convention.

To Assemble in Wilmington February 26, 27 and 28.

The third annual State Sunday School Convention will be held in the First Baptist Church, in the city of Wilmington, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 26th, 27th and 28th.

As this is one of the most important organizations in the State, we publish the programme in full:

- TUESDAY MORNING—THE WORK REPORTED. 8:30 Conference of county workers. 9:15 Bible reading; led by Rev. W. S. Creasy. 9:30 Words of welcome, by Revs. P. H. Hoge and F. D. Swindell. Responsive words; Mr. J. H. Southgate. 10:15 Enrollment of delegates. 10:30 Appointment of committees. 10:45 Report of executive committee. 11:15 Report of statistical secretary. 11:45 Report of treasurer.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

- 2:30 Praise service; conducted by Rev. F. D. Swindell. 2:45 Report of district presidents. 3:00 Report from the work in counties and towns. 3:15 Address: Sunday School Conventions, their History and Object; Rev. T. H. Pritchard, D. D. 3:45 Conference: The Work in the State, Mr. H. N. Snow; 2 in other States, Mr. Wm. Reynolds; 3 in other lands, W. A. Blair. 4:45 Prayer for blessing on the entire field. (During this hour workers throughout the State are requested to unite in prayer and praise.)

TUESDAY EVENING—THE WORK IMPROVED.

- 7:00 Praise service; conducted by Rev. F. W. Peschau. 7:15 Address: Spiritual Preparation Necessary to Success in Sunday School Teaching; by Mr. A. M. McPheeters. 7:45 Address: Lesson Helps and the Teacher's need to use them, by Maj. Robt. Bingham. 8:15 Address: The Training of Christian Children; Rev. E. Routhaler, D. D.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

- 8:30 Better conveniences: A conference of county officers. 9:00 Bible reading; led by Rev. R. C. Beaman. 9:30 Address: County Sunday Schools and their Peculiar Demands; Rev. W. A. Lutz. 10:15 Address: How to Teach International S. S. Lesson of Feb. 23rd 1890, to Primary Class; Rev. C. B. King. 10:45 Address: How to teach International S. S. Lesson of Feb. 23rd, 1890, to class of adults; Mr. I. H. Foust. 11:15 Address: Review Exercises in Sunday Schools, their Value and Methods; Mr. N. B. Broughton. 11:45 Address: Sunday School Normal Training Work; Prof. E. A. Alderman.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

- 2:30 Prayer and praise; led by Rev. P. H. Hodge. 2:45 Address: The Art of Securing Attention; Prof. W. A. Blair. 3:15 Address: The Art of Teaching; Prof. E. P. Moses. 3:45 Conference: Better Sunday Schools, School Management, reports from three schools; 2 Regular Visitation, reports from three schools; 3 What to do for the Boys, reports from three schools.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

- 7:00 Praise service; led by Rev. L. C. Vass. 7:15 Address: Diseases Incident to the Sunday School Teacher's Work; Rev. B. F. Dixon. 7:45 Address: The Religious Use of the Imagination; Rev. W. S. Creasy. 8:45 Address: Teachers; Mr. R. B. Reppard.

THURSDAY MORNING.

- 8:30 Conference of district workers. 9:15 Bible reading; led by Rev. J. W. Primrose. 9:30 Questions and answers. 10:00 Address: Thru' the Eye to the Heart; Mr. W. H. Reisser. 10:30 Address: Temperance, Why, When and How shall we teach it in the Sunday School? Mrs. Mary E. Woody. 11:00 Address: The Application of Certain Secular Methods to Sunday Schools; Prof. J. L. Tomlinson. 11:40 Address: How to Render Bible Truths Attractive to Children; Rev. L. C. Vass.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

- 2:30 Praise service; led by Rev. B. Routhaler, D. D. 2:45 Reports of committees and election of officers. 3:30 Address: The Possibilities of the Union Sunday School Movement; Mr. J. H. Southgate. 4:00 Conference: 1 Sunday School Evangelization, House to House Visitation; 2 Plans '90 and '91; 3 The Lord's Offering.

THURSDAY EVENING.

- 7:00 Promise meeting; led by Mr. Wm. Reynolds. 7:15 Address: Bible Authority for the Sunday School; Rev. E. A. Yates, D. D. 7:45 Address: Step Forward; Mr. Wm. Reynolds. Closing talks. The papers of the State will in please copy, as this is of great importance to the people of the entire State.

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My Factory is well equipped with the best Mechanics, consequently put up nothing but FIRST-CLASS WORK. We keep up with the times and the most improved styles. Best material used in all work. All styles of Springs are used, you can select from Brewster, Storm, Timpink, Coil, Rain Horn, King.

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the year round, which we will sell as LOW AS THE LOWEST.

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Thanking the people of this and surrounding counties for past favor to, we hope merit a continuance of the same.

E. A. TAFT,

Wishes to inform his friends and the public generally that he has bought out the Grocery establishment of T. R. Cherry, and with new stock added is now prepared to furnish the very best

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND FAMILY SUPPLIES

At prices fully in keeping with the hard times. I keep Flour, Meat, Lard, Molasses, Confections, Canned Goods, Crockery, Glassware, Tobacco, Snuff, &c., &c. Orange Syrup is the best Molasses in this market. You are invited to call. Remember the place, at Cherry's stand.

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GOOD NEWS

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A mammoth display of

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5,000 yards Tobacco Cloth for covering tobacco beds, just received and will be sold cheap.

M. R. LANG, Greenville, N. C.

Local Sparks.

Cotton 10 1/2 Buy your seed Oats of E. C. Glenn. Colds still prevail. Have you seen the "Elmo" cook stove at Latham & Pender's? Noonlight nights again. Dec. 9.—D. M. Ferry & Co's. New Garden Seed at the Old Brick Store. Nearly a month of 1890 gone. One dollar buys a Solid Leather Ladies Shoe at J. B. Cherry & Co's. 100 Tons Bulk Lime for sale cheap E. C. GLENN.

Water is still very low in the river. The "Elmo" cook stove is the heaviest stove for the price made. For sale very low by Latham & Pender. The merchants say trade was dull last week. Sow Oats early. 500 bushels cheap, at the Old Brick Store. Next Saturday will be the first day of February. Four years experience has proven to us that we have the Stove for the people.—D. D. Haskett & Co.

Peanuts have lately taken quite an advance in price. Arrived on the 15th Boss Famous Milk Biscuit at the Old Brick Store. Cotton has been booming in the last week or two. One dollar buys a Whole Stock Mans Shoe at J. B. Cherry & Co's Good Bargains. Is Greenville to have any kind of factory started this year? Fresh Milk and Butter for sale by Mrs. J. C. Lanier. The Episcopal Convention will meet in Tarboro next month. The finest loaf of bread I ever ate was made of Point Lake Flour, at the Old Brick Store. Weather to heat this for changes could hardly be imagined. We buy for cash and sell for cash, therefore sell very cheap. See us before you buy anything in the Hardware and Stove line.—D. D. Haskett & Co.

The weather last week made heavy demands on wood piles and coal bins. 150 Bushels Seed Potatoes, five varieties, cheap, at the Old Brick Store. Every Court farce cannot be called a fair trial in which the ends of justice are met. Acid Phosphate, Kaint and Standard Guano, for sale by E. C. Glenn. The weather turned warm again Sunday, was hot Monday and cold again yesterday. 35 per lb for Lorillard Sweet Scotch Snuff. 5000 lb sold in Pitt Co., which is a guarantee of its superiority, at the Old Brick Store. Mr. W. T. Godwin has recently been touching up his residence with some new paint. A Hardware dealer from Wilson seeing the New Lee on our floor, said: "You have the best Cook Stove that you ever sold."—D. D. Haskett & Co.

Beautiful designs in Job Printing at the REFLECTOR office. Prof. Loissette's Memory System is creating greater interest than ever in all parts of the country, and persons wishing to improve their memory should send for his prospectus free as advertised in another column. There is an addition this week to the family of our Register of Deeds Mr. D. H. James. We are receiving this week the New Lee, New Patron and Piedmont, three Stoves whose merit is known throughout North Carolina.—D. D. Haskett & Co.

TOBACCO CLOTH.—Have just received a quantity of Tobacco Cloth for Covering Tobacco Beds at M. R. LANG. LOST.—On Thursday night, Jan. 23rd, I lost, near the depot, a yarn buggy robe. Any one delivering same to me will be duly rewarded. A. D. HUNTER, Greenville, N. C.

We handle only the Richmond Stove Co's Stoves. These Stoves are made from Virginia Iron which is said by iron workers to be equal if not better than any other iron in use.—D. D. Haskett & Co. GRATIFYING TO ALL.—The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company. The demand for the 'New Lee' has been greater this season than ever before. Why? Because it is the heaviest and best Stove for the price ever sold in Greenville.—D. D. Haskett & Co.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—Mrs. M. T. Cowell wishes to inform her friends and patrons that she will continue her business at the same stand, having taken Mrs. J. F. Joyner as a partner, we will carry in all its particulars. We propose to carry in stock a nice line of trimmings, linings &c., and can safely guarantee satisfaction in every instance. Thanking you for past patronage we ask that your favors be extended to the new firm. All parties indebted to us will please call and settle as we need the money. Lock out for our spring announcement in a few weeks. COWELL & JOYNER, Successors to Mrs. M. T. COWELL.

Personal. Dr. T. M. Jordan, of Hookerton, was in town Saturday. Dr. Geo. S. Lloyd, specialist, was in town first of the week. Miss Eliza Potter, of Wilmington, is visiting Miss Ella Monteiro. Mrs. Walker, of Cary, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Hunter. Mr. H. F. Keel has been sick for two weeks. Glad to see him out again. Mrs. McD. Boyd, of Pilot Mountain, is visiting her father, Hon. G. Bernard. Miss Lizzie Rawls, of Tarboro, spent a day or two last week visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. W. S. Rawls. Rev. R. W. Stancill, Evangelist of the North Carolina Christian Missionary Convention, will preach in the Baptist Church here to-morrow night. Dr. H. Johnson, of Grifton, this county, was married to Miss Ida Meacham, of Kinston, in that town on the 22nd inst. The REFLECTOR extends best wishes. A few Sundays ago Dr. D. L. James was elected Superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School, and Mr. W. F. Burch, Secretary. Both are making excellent officers. Mr. G. L. Heilbroser, the clever and ever accommodating clothing salesman of Mr. M. B. Lang, left on Monday morning for a two weeks trip to New York visiting his relatives. Master Herman Wilson has taken an apprentice position at the REFLECTOR office with a view of learning the art of printing. He is a bright boy and will, no doubt, learn very rapidly. Mr. E. B. Moore, late manager of Hotel Macon, has rented the Skinner farm near Lewiston, in Bertie county, and will take his family there. We regret that he leaves this section but wish that success will follow him. Our jolly friend Alex. Heilbroser, was out horseback riding, the other evening. Both looked fatigued when we saw them and were taking things along very leisurely as if both had got the worst end of the bargain. The horse got tired of his job and jumped Alex. off. It might be called a case of cruelty to animals all around. The A. & I. O. W. might investigate. The approaching masque ball is becoming much of the talk among the young people. The advance in cotton recently caused activity in the market and brought in many sales. Cold waves come occasionally, but down this way their duration is short and their power is small. Greenville needs a first class hotel building about as much as anything that could be mentioned. Rev. A. D. Hunter lost a lap robe when going to the depot last Thursday night, and offers a reward for its return. Extravagance and honesty may sometimes be on speaking terms, but they never travel together, says an exchange. Several merchants promised themselves (and us, too), to advertise in the REFLECTOR this year, but they have not begun yet. The colored band paraded and played "Sweet Bye and Bye" Monday afternoon. We did not learn the object of the parade. You help make the REFLECTOR better by paying your subscription promptly and then get your neighbor to become a subscriber. Some of our exchanges say that fashion papers point to the early return of the hoop-skirt. Wonder of bustles will come back, too? Several farmers have had to haul meat out and throw it on the compost heap. Many of our citizens in town have also lost their meat. A flat belonging to the Old Dominion Steamship Company sunk near Centre Bluff last Wednesday. It was loaded with merchandise for up river points. The town authorities have recently had much work done on Dickerson Avenue in the way of making sidewalks, cutting drains and putting bridges in place. Some of our young ladies have organized a Dickens Club.—Tarboro Banner. Are they going to raise the Dickens? The time for holding the Teachers' Institute in this county has been set for the week beginning March 17th. Prof. E. A. Alderman will be in charge. Notwithstanding our requests that post-masters please be more careful in delivering the REFLECTOR to subscribers, complaints continue to come in from persons who fail to receive their papers. Miss Rosahnd Rountree lost a net cap and bird Thursday of last week. The bird escaped from the cage while it was being cleaned out, and was a fine songster, and we are sorry the young lady has lost her pet. The Board of Managers of the North Carolina Christian Missionary Convention will hold a meeting here to-morrow. Our Superior Court Clerk, Mr. E. A. Moye, is President of the Board, and the meeting will be held at his house. Mr. Charles Skinner, new proprietor of Hotel Macon, is making many friends in that capacity. Reports came to us that he spread an excellent table, and a personal investigation proves the report well founded. If you have anything in your mind that would be of general interest to the public, the REFLECTOR columns are open to you. Interesting communications are always invited. Can't you suggest something for the benefit of Greenville?

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Next Monday. The Board of County Commissioners will hold their February meeting next Monday. The Magistrates of the county will also meet that day to elect a Commissioner in place of Mr. W. A. James, who lately moved away from the county. Died. We were very much pained to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Theophilus Keel, of Keesville. He was taken with a cold on Wednesday and died on Thursday night following. He was one of the best citizens of the county and a leading man in his section. He leaves a widow and ten children. Lookout. Sickness has prevented our making out a list for publication of those names which have been erased from the REFLECTOR mail list because of non-payment of subscriptions. The list will appear at an early day. In the meantime we would call the attention of some to promises they made. If the REFLECTOR was to promise week after week to do a certain thing and then never do so, regardless of the disappointment of its readers, everybody would accuse it of being a swindler. Well, what can be said about the man who promises every time he sees us to pay his subscription and then never does so? A chromo for the best answer. Anniversary. The REFLECTOR returns thanks to Messrs. J. J. Satterthwaite and M. T. Speir, two of our Pitt county young men who are pursuing their studies at that excellent institution of learning, Wake Forest College, for a very handsome invitation to the 55th anniversary exercises of the Literary Societies of that College, to be held February 14th, next. Skillful Operation. Yesterday Dr. C. J. O'Hagan showed us a gravel stone weighing 75 ounces, which he took from Mr. John Knox. Two operations were necessary to remove the stone, owing to its immense size. Dr. O'Hagan says he has never seen record of a larger stone being removed from any person. This operation adds to his already splendid reputation as a physician and surgeon. Tobacco. There will be much more tobacco planted in Pitt county this year than last. We hear of farmers in various sections of the county who will try a few acres. If enough is planted to justify it, there ought to be a tobacco warehouse erected in Greenville before the fall. It is the opinion of the REFLECTOR that a warehouse would pay here. Pitt raises fine tobacco and the buyers would seek it. Wanted. The REFLECTOR would like to have correspondents from the various townships in the county. Every township ought to be represented in the paper, for it would not only make your county paper better and more newsworthy, but would help to bring your section before the world and let people know what you are doing. Who will send us items? We would like to arrange for regular correspondence. Roll of Honor. For the second quarter of Greenville Institute. GIRLS—Lucy Tucker, Lillie Wilson, Myrtle Wilson, Florence Williams, Rosa Forbes, Marinda Nichols, Helen Laughinghouse, Lina Sheppard, Lizzie Blow, Mamie Duckett, Gertrude Smith, Bessie Harding. BOYS—W. E. Tucker, H. C. Edwards, Ralph House, L. H. Wilson. The highest average was made by Marinda Nichols, next highest by Lucy Tucker. Newspapers. The Tarboro Banner recently began its second volume. It is a good paper and shows evidence of enterprise. The subscription price is now \$1 a year and always read the Banner with pleasure and admire its style of giving the news. The Wilson Advance is almost grown. Last week it began its twentieth volume and in one year more will reach its majority. The Advance is a paper of which its editor may well feel proud. "First-Class Newspaper." A learned minister in the central part of the State, who is a regular reader of the REFLECTOR, in making a remittance sufficient to carry his subscription to May, 1891, writes us a very nice letter, and says: "I often think of the improvements made in your paper since it was first started by the Whitehall boys. The paper has grown from a small country sheet into a first-class news paper of more than local interest. I am glad to see such marked improvements from year to year." Such kind words as the above are very much appreciated. New Ads. Attention is called to the advertisement of notice to creditors by Featherstone Spain, Administrator of Mary Spain, in this paper. We would direct the attention of merchants, as well as all others interested, to the attractive advertisement of J. A. Andrews, wholesale and retail grocer, which will be found in this paper. He is buying goods by the car load, thus getting the very lowest prices, and has an immense stock on hand. He sells to the retail trade as low as can be had elsewhere, and to the wholesale trade he makes special prices. Elsewhere will be found the large advertisement of M. Congleton & Co. They can be found at the old stand of Harry Skinner & Co., and propose to carry a stock of first-class, reliable goods. They will sell for cash, which is best for the buyer and best for the merchant, as the latter in taking no risks can afford to sell goods lower. Mr. J. S. Congleton is well known to the people of Pitt county, and having been serving them for fifteen years he knows how to suit their wants. He invites you to call on him.

Pitt county's Register of Deeds is a one-legged Confederate soldier, and tells us his stump leg is a very correct weather barometer. He says that just before changes in the weather his stump begins hurting him and there is a feeling as if the foot was tightly cramped in a vice and he wanted to get the foot out to straighten the toes. Sometimes it causes him much pain. When the weather becomes clear or settled the sensation passes away. He told us Monday that rain or cold weather would come inside of 48 hours. The change came during the night. The Sunday School Association of N. C. The dates of holding the next convention of the Sunday School Association of North Carolina have been changed from April 9, 10 and 11 next, to February 25, 26 and 27, at Wilmington. This change was made by the Executive Committee for the reason that Mr. Wm. Reynolds, President of the International Association, has arranged a circuit of State Associations and the only time he could give this State were the dates in February above named, and it was thought advisable for the Association to meet him. All counties which have not held conventions since last April are requested to do so at once and elect delegates. Delegates who expect to attend should notify Mr. George Chadburn, Wilmington. Reduced railroad fare will be secured. See programme in another column. Our Appreciation. The editor will never be able to express in words his appreciation of the faithful manner in which his employes conducted the business of the REFLECTOR office during his sickness. Our efficient Foreman, Mr. W. F. Burch, and Mr. C. L. Whitchard, the best "Bad Boy" we ever saw, took the whole office in hand, and conducted the editorial work, business management, telephone department and all. How well they performed this burden of work the last two issues of the paper fully show. All the assistance they had was some type setting from Mr. J. L. Harris, but sickness in the latter's home prevented his helping them all the time. Not only did they perform these heavy duties so well, but they kept the editor cheered with frequent messages to give himself no uneasiness about affairs at the office, they would see to it that everything went well. Such faithful employes as these are a great blessing, and the last few weeks of friendship that already bind us. We deem it but just to say this much in print about them. How to Save Meat in Warm Weather. Mr. Jno. T. Bellamy, writing the Wilmington Star from Enfield, N. C., in relation to the loss that so many farmers have sustained this season in failing to "save their bacon" says: Meat may be saved in very warm weather, if, as it is cut out, you have a kettle of boiling brine. Dip each piece of meat in this for about one minute; take it out and lay it aside to cool, and while cooling have a quantity of pulverized nitrate (nitrate of potash) dust and sprinkle over the flesh side of each piece about a dessert-spoonful, which will be absorbed by the meat in about half an hour; then pack the meat down, flesh side up, with plenty of fine salt—say one inch deep—over the meat. In a week or so overhaul and resalt. Years ago I used to put up from 25,000 to 30,000 pounds of meat every winter, and never lost any, or hesitated to kill in warm weather. Brick Depot. The REFLECTOR wishes to throw out a pointer to the people of Greenville and community, and hopes they will take some immediate action in the matter. Work on the railroad bridge across Tar River is fairly progressing, and at no far distant day is expected to be completed. The trestle and track already being finished to the river, leaves only the completion of the bridge and the laying of the track through town to have the road finished to the site selected for the depot. It is presumed that as soon as this is done the company will want to move their business from Beaton over to Greenville at once, and will soon begin erecting depot buildings so as to have them in readiness when the other work is finished. This depot is the point we wish to talk about just now. The REFLECTOR thinks that Greenville with 2,500 population and a good prospect of doubling that number within a few years, ought to have a depot that will do full credit to the town, and our suggestion is that the people at once petition the railroad authorities to give us such a depot. A handsome brick depot ought to be built and we believe will be if the citizens of Greenville do their duty in the matter. Let our town show its interest in the railroad and what it does, and the railroad company will be apt to show their interest in our town. Start out with the very best of friendly relations between the two and let these relations always exist. Now to work for this brick depot! The REFLECTOR wants to hear from our citizens in the matter. Vick's Floral Guide. We have received from James Vick, Rochester, N. Y., his Floral Guide, which in beauty of appearance and convenience of arrangement surpasses anything in this line which we have ever had the privilege of seeing before. It is a pamphlet eight by ten inches in size, and with the covers, which are by no means the least important part of it, contains an even one hundred pages. Although called a "floral guide," it is devoted to vegetables as well, and includes as full a list and description of both flowers, and vegetables and also small fruits as could be brought within the compass of a book of this size. In all that the Vicks have undertaken their aim seems to have been to attain as near to the perfection of a floral guide as probably no one ever did so much towards bringing the cultivation of flowers to the high standard which it has now attained as did the head of this firm.

The firm takes the same pride in raising choice vegetables as in developing attractive varieties of flowers, and after using their seeds for a number of years we are able to recommend them in the highest terms. We advise all our readers to send 10 cents for the Guide (which can be deducted from first order); and if there are any of our lady friends who can succeed in growing a natural rose which will compare in beauty with the New Striped Rose shown in the illustration, we should like to receive an invitation to call and see it. River and Harbor Improvements. Capt. W. H. Sixty, engineer in charge of the river and harbor improvements in this State has kindly forwarded us a table showing the benefits to the public derived from this work. As soon, says he, as a stream is opened to commerce the reduction in freight charges is so considerable as to encourage the rapid development of such towns as are already in existence along its length; and the certainty and cheapness of its freighting and traveling facilities authorizes the establishment of continuous and extended settlements all along the banks. More than this, the removal of obstructions from the bed and banks of the stream facilitate the free movement of water in the stream and aids greatly the natural drainage of the river bottoms and other adjacent lands. In this way it can readily be seen that the governmental improvements of such rivers and harbors not only increases the existing commerce of such water ways but improves the drainage, culture, value and health of the adjacent lands, builds up the existing towns and encourages the settlement of previously unoccupied lands. In no other way can so small an expenditure of public money produce such valuable results in the development of the country at large. His report shows that on Pamlico and Tar River since work was commenced in 1876 the total expenditure has amounted to \$4,500. The reduction in freight charges has been from 12 to 50 per cent, and the increase of commerce has been very large. The editor can add his testimony to the excellency of Boss Lurch Milk Biscuit. During his convalescence they formed a principal part of his diet. It would be well if the following advice from the Pamlico Democrat should be heeded by all. It says: "People should be guarded in what they say of others, especially concerning the young. Gossiping is a very reprehensible habit at best, and a young life may be blighted by the circulation of evil reports which are not justified by the facts." See Our Club Rates. The February Wide Awake opens with a good Persian ballad, "Abu Said," by Mary E. Bradley, followed by a stirring episode of Western military life by Lieutenant Fremont, entitled "Snow-shoe Thompson." There is an inspiring story of Greek boy-life, by Mrs. Knight, "A Boyhood in Athens," showing the effect of keeping a good ideal before a young lad's eyes. G. Hamlet tells a bright instance of a young girl's presence of mind in her story of "The Frog-leigh Mikado," and Mrs. Fremont will interest all readers with her account of "Kit Carson," in the second of her "Will and Way Stories." Grant Allen concludes his serial, "Wednesday the Tenth," in triumph; Mr. Stoddard in his serial of "A Rough Boy" is proving that young Gid Granger is "no slouch." The Norse serial by Boyesen comes to a close with the escape of the "Vikings' sons" from the grip of a real bear. Miss McLeod's second Acadian story is finished. One of the very best of John Brownjohn's stories is given in the School Series, "The Wicked Waterbury Clock." Mrs. White gives artistic girl's good business hint in her article on Dress-making in the "Business Openings" series. Mrs. Clafin's Margaret Peary letter is full of subtle social wisdom. Alexander Black's "Confessions of an Amateur Photographer" is piquant reading. "Men and Things" abounds with good original anecdotes and curious lore. The poems of the number are by Mrs. Whitten Stone, Mary E. Bradley, Mrs. M. F. Butts, Clinton Seaward and Martha Young; "A Sad Case," one of the best of the long poems, is very amusing in text and pictures by Gordon Browne, the popular English artist. Wide Awake is \$2.10 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

J. A. ANDREWS, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in— STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES. Meat and Flour—Specialties. GREENVILLE, N. C. Has in stock and to arrive: Car Load Seed Oats. Car Load Rib Side Meat. Car Load St. Louis Flour, in all grades. 100 bbls Heavy Mess Pork. 25 bbls Granulated Sugar. 25 bbls "C" Sugar. 25 bbls Gail & Ax Snuff, all kinds. 10 bbls Rail Road Mills Snuff. 10 bbls Lorillard Snuff. 50 bbls Poto Rico Molasses. 50 bbls Eastport Herrings. 50 Tubs Boston Lard. 50 Cases Star Lye. 50 Gross Matches. Also full line Baking Powders, Soda, Soap, Starch, Canned Goods, Crackers, Cakes, Cakes, Crackers, Candles, Canned Goods, Wrapping Paper, Paper Sacks, &c. Special prices given to the wholesale trade on large quantities of the above goods. J. A. ANDREWS.

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ANNOUNCEMENT! BY virtue of a Lien created by Sec. 1788, of the Code of North Carolina, the undersigned will sell for cash at public auction before the Court House door, in Greenville, on Saturday, the 8th day of February next, to satisfy a lien for repairs done One Fincannon the property of I. A. Suge. This January 31, 1890. GREENVILLE CARRIAGE WORKS.

Notice. On Monday, January 26th, 1890, I propose to dispose of my Holiday Novelties, Millinery, &c., &c., at a greatly reduced price, in fact will sell them far below cost, as I am determined to— CLEAN OUT ALL STOCK on hand before ordering my Spring goods. The ladies should make a note of this as it is a rare chance and seldom such BARGAINS ARE OFFERED. This will hold good for only 30 days and you are invited to call before the stock is picked over. Respectfully, Mrs. R. H. HORNE, Greenville, N. C.

Having moved to Greenville and occupying the rooms formerly used by Mr. Simons, I am prepared to do Tailoring in all its branches, and in the best manner. Also Cleaning and Repairing. Can show the best of references. Have also a splendid line of samples from which to select suits, and can do the finest work. L. J. JACKWISKY.

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each get with 60 diamonds in minutes  
as they are gone forever!

NO REWARD IS OFFERED

WOMEN sustain this loss every time they wash clothes, clean house, or allow others to do this work for them, with the aid of PYLE'S PEARLINE WASHING COMPOUND; an honest, straightforward article, which does better work in less time and with less labor than anything else known. PEARLINE is economical, but beware of imitations.

### WILMINGTON & WELDON R.R.

Condensed Schedule

#### TRAINS GOING SOUTH

No. 13, No. 14	daily	Fast Mail, daily	daily	ex Sun.
Ly Weldon	11:16 pm	12:30 pm	6:00 am	
Ly Rocky Mount	12:19 am		7:10	
Ly Tarboro	10:20 am			
Ly Wilson	12:47 am	2:17 pm	7:43 am	
Ly Selma	3:40			
Ly Fayetteville	12:29	3:10	8:37 am	
Ly Goldsboro	2:21	4:07	9:34	
Ly Magnolia	2:34	4:22	9:49	
Ly Wilmington	3:55	5:50	11:29	

#### TRAINS GOING NORTH

No. 14, No. 13	daily	Fast Mail, daily	daily	ex Sun.
Ly Wilmington	12:01 am	9:00 am	4:00 pm	
Ly Magnolia	1:17 am	10:42	5:56	
Ly Goldsboro	2:18	11:45	6:53	
Ly Fayetteville	3:40			
Ly Selma	11:09			
Ly Wilson	2:50 am	12:17 pm	7:47 am	
Ly Rocky Mount	3:10		8:18	
Ly Tarboro	3:45			
Ly Weldon	4:30	2:45 pm	9:30 pm	

## Washington Machinery Agency

Engines and Boilers.

All sizes and styles commonly used.

### MILLS, SAW, LATH, MILLS.

Circular and Shingle Saws, Rubber and Leather Belting, Shafting, Pulleys, &c. &c.

In fact anything in the machine line. We represent the standard manufacturers of the land and can sell as low as the lowest and on better terms. Write for terms and prices.

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
NORFOLK, VA.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

## Atlantic & N. C. Railroad

TIME TABLE, 1910

In Effect 6:00 A. M., Saturday, June 1st, 1910.

#### GOING EAST, SCHEDULE, GOING WEST

No. 51, Passenger Train	No. 50
A. M. Lve. Stations	A. M. Lve. Stations
6:00 6:09	10:50 10:25
4:25 4:40	10:21 10:25
6:00 6:15	New Bern 8:51 9:16
8:25 pm	Morhead City 8:10 7:55

#### GOING EAST, SCHEDULE, GOING WEST

No. 1, Passenger Train	No. 2
Mixed Ft. & Pass Train	Mixed Ft. & Pass Train
6:57 12:45	Best's 9:00 8:19
7:20 1:10	La Grange 7:34 7:44
7:48 1:35	Falling Creek 7:58 7:42
8:40 2:10	Greensboro 8:28 8:32
8:50 2:35	Caswell 5:30 5:35
9:15 3:05	Dover 4:55 5:10
10:31 3:40	Core Creek 4:24 4:30
11:00 4:05	Wilmington 4:00 4:00
11:27 4:31	Clark's 3:32 3:44
12:15 5:00	Newbern 10:32 8:00
12:37 5:51	Riverdale 9:41 9:46
3:48 6:04	Greensboro 8:28 8:32
08 6:28	Havelock 8:50 9:14
4:37 6:28	Newport 8:17 8:27
4:51 6:56	Wildwood 8:00 8:05
5:01 6:56	Atlantic 7:47 7:52
5:16 6:50	Morhead City 8:10 7:52
5:22 6:45	Atlantic Hotel 7:05 7:15
5:31 p.m.	Morhead Depot 8:10 7:09

## S. M. SCHULTZ,

OLD BLACK STORE.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BUY FLOUR here for the best quality and lowest price. We have the largest stock of flour in the South. We also carry a full line of groceries, including sugar, coffee, and other staples. Write for our price list.

JOHN P. DIVINE, General Supt.  
T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent

## PORK SIDES & BEEF BURGERS

FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR, SPICES, TEAS, &c.

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we buy direct from manufacturers, enabling you to buy at the lowest price. A complete list of prices on request.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

## UNDERTAKING

Having associated B. S. SHEPPARD with all conveniences and can be ready to serve the people in that capacity. All notes and accounts due me for past services have been paid in the hands of Mr. Sheppard for collection.

JOHN FLANAGAN.

We keep on hand at all times a nice stock of Burial Cases and Caskets of all kinds and can furnish anything desired from the finest Metallic Case down to a Pitt county Pine Coffin. We are also up with all conveniences and can give satisfactory service to all who patronize us.

FLANAGAN & SHEPPARD  
Feb. 22nd, 1888.

## Ho! What's This?

Why another new discovery by Alfred Culley in the way of helping the afflicted? By calling on or addressing the above named barber, you can procure a bottle of Preparation that is invaluable for eradicating dandruff and causing the kindest hair to be perfectly soft and glossy, only two or three applications a week is necessary, and common hair brush is all that is used after rubbing the scalp vigorously for a few minutes with the Preparation. Try a bottle and be convinced only.

ALFRED CULLEY,  
Barber,  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

## THE EASTERN REFLECTOR,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

### THE WREN'S NEST.

I took the wren's nest—  
Heaven forgive me!  
In merry arches so small  
Had seen my nestlings see ball  
That, empty still, and neat and fair,  
Hung like a nest in the summer air,  
And I, who had seen them multiply,  
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I took the wren's nest—  
Heaven forgive me!

How many hours of happy days,  
Through early frosts and April rains;  
How many songs at eve and morn,  
Over springing grass and green corn;  
What hours have I seen them multiply,  
Before the pretty house was made!  
One little nest, only one,  
And shortly by me and its mate,  
I took the wren's nest—  
Heaven forgive me!

Thou and thy mate, sans lot, sans fear,  
Ye have here for all the year,  
Clothed in green wood and green grass,  
In which to sing and build and woo.  
One pleasant cry of blissful pain,  
And will begin your life again,  
Forgetting quite the last, lost home  
In many a busy home to come.  
Your wren's nest, I must  
Until it crumbles into dust.  
I took the wren's nest—  
Heaven forgive me!

—New Orleans Playmate.

### Always Ready to Fish.

"I like West Virginia," said a gentleman recently. "Its physical features remind me of New England, and its vegetation is about the same, save the mountain land and rhododendron. Up around Aurora you see rough boarded landings by the water's side, and the world like some of 'Jeb' Stuart's cavalry on a forage. In the valleys are the best farms, and they generally belong to the Amish, a strange, quiet set of Dutch, who wear clothing made with hooks and eyes, entirely destitute of buttons. They are all thrifty and well to do, close at a bargain, but scrupulously honest. The records of the Lutheran church at Aurora were kept in German until within a generation. That church was established over 150 years ago. The people thereabout dig their coal from the hillsides, and it is cheaper to dig it than to cut wood from their own forest."

"Not one in the section I have traveled through is wealthy or has much money, yet no one suffers want. No one is ever so busy that he can't stop work to help a neighbor in need. The storekeeper at a little village on the Potomac used to close his place in the afternoon to go with me and fish for bass. They are all great hands to have agencies for the sale of various articles, and several natives driving around the country, ostensibly selling fertilizers, but none that I asked was ever able to name a single customer. One old chap had a little cobbler's shop. He was not a very able and justicer of the peace, was postmaster, sold shoes, ran an express business and had a dozen agencies for agricultural implements, organs, pianos, carriages and wagons, patents, medicines and all the rest of it. The man who wouldn't do business with him didn't have much business."—Washington Post.

### The Automatic Photographer.

The latest development of automatic machines will take the form of a self-acting photographic apparatus. The ingenious contrivance, which will be ready for sale in the latter part of December, is the invention of a Spanish genius. In outward appearance the machine is very similar to the innumerable engines for luring the humble penny from a curious public that may be seen at any London fair. The mechanism is simple. The person to be operated upon stands on an iron plate, and duly puts his penny in the slot.

This brings into play the machinery; the cap is removed from the lens, at which the "subject" is expected to look steadily during the few seconds of exposure. Then, by a remarkably rapid process, lasting from two and a half to three minutes, the photograph is developed and ejected from the machine. The photograph is not, of course, on sensitized paper (which would require at least twenty-four hours for its development), but on a developed on a metal plate—some preparation of tinful probably—and is really an improved form of daguerotype. The proprietors of the patent evidently think that there is a market for this kind of camera, and order for 2,500 machines to a well known firm in West Bromwich.—St. James' Gazette.

### Superstition.

The days of superstition are by no means over. There are women, not only in the mountains, but in the cities, who believe in the power of the "evil eye." One woman, who would sooner discount a hog and throw a roomful of guests into confusion than sit down with twelve others at the dinner table. The lover who has his sweetheart at the altar, however pretty the stone may be; the guest at the table shudders when he spills the salt, and furtively tries to propitiate fate by throwing a few grains over his shoulder. Pen-knives and scissors are tabooed as presents. Many a man would choose any day in the week but Friday for starting on a journey, or beginning some great enterprise. Many a man will dislike a partner (on sympathetic sentiment) to meet a young or encounter a black cat.—Funeral Journal.

### Could's Account for the Name.

The young lady who gets the tariff mixed up with the cognomen of the states is apt to do almost anything. A sweet Washington girl who has recently been doing a great railroad tour of the west, astonished a Michigan barber by remarking:

"I have traveled all over Michigan, and yet have seen no few hair."

"Why, you see, sir, do you know that I have cut off my hair, and I only got a nickel and a licking when I got home. Put up a quarter and I'll take care of it."

The boy got the quarter.—Boston Herald.

### Explained.

"I see the French people call a chestnut a 'rossignol,'" said Squibbs, who had just been reading a notice in the paper, "because a rossignol is a nightingale."

"Oh, well," replied Mrs. Squibbs, "maybe they've all heard a nightingale before."—Harper's Bazar.

### Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Indigestion of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Felted, Itching, and Burning of the Head, Inflammation of the Face, Eruptions of the Skin, and all other eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give relief and satisfaction, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

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IN COMBINATION WITH

# WIDE AWAKE

AN ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

EASTERN REFLECTOR \$1.50  
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IF SUBSCRIBED FOR AT THIS OFFICE

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER FREE

TO NEW SUBSCRIBERS TO WIDE AWAKE WHO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SPECIAL OFFER BEFORE DECEMBER FIRST

FOR THE YOUNGER YOUNG FOLKS.

## Eastern Reflector

offers combination rates with the following magazines:

OUR PRICE FOR BOTH

BABYLAND (50 cents a year). For baby and mamma in the nursery. \$1.75 a year.  
OUR LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN (\$1 a year). For youngest readers. \$2.00 a year.  
THE PANSY (\$1 a year). For Sunday and week-day reading. \$2.00 a year.

Send all orders to this office, where specimens of these magazines may be seen.

## SUBSCRIBE NOW AND SAVE MONEY!

### LEGAL NOTICES

#### Administrator's Notice

The undersigned having been appointed by the Court of Probate, County of Pitt county, and being duly qualified as administrator of the estate of James H. dock, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 20th day of December, 1890, or this notice will be in full bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This the 24th day of Dec., 1889.

D. B. NIXON, Administrator.

#### Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court of Pitt county, as administrator of the estate of Geo. W. Cobb, deceased, hereby gives notice 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 to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of Dec., 1890, or this notice will be in full bar of their recovery.

This the 15th day of Dec., 1889.

A. L. BLOW, Administrator.

#### Notice

By virtue of a power created by Sec. 1723 of the Code, I hereby give notice for each and every person who is indebted to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of Dec., 1890, or this notice will be in full bar of their recovery.

This the 15th day of Dec., 1889.

LOW TARIFF CARTRIDGE FACTORY,  
O. CUTLER, Manager.

#### Sale of Land.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, made December 24th, 1889, in a certain special proceeding for partition, to-wit: In and against John Moore et al. defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale before the Court House door, in Greenville, on Monday, February 27th, 1890, the following parcels of land, to-wit: One tract of land situated in the town of Greenville, Pitt county, fronting on 5th street and having a portion of lot No. 107 in said tract bounded on the east by Ricky Moore's lot, on the west by Mrs. Martha Moore's lot, on the north by 5th street and on the south by the lot of Mrs. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla.

Dec. 21st, 1889. RICKY MOORE, Tucker & Murphy, Admrs of J. H. McLean.

#### Sale of Land.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, made December 24th, 1889, in a certain special proceeding for partition, to-wit: In and against David C. Clark et al. defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale before the Court House door, in Greenville, on Monday, the 3rd day of February, 1890, the following tracts of land, to-wit: One tract in Creeping Swamp adjoining the lands of T. A. Farnes, Celia Nobles and others, containing ten acres, more or less, and known as the Beaver Dam tract, adjoining the lands of Wyatt Clark, Jessie Sutton, Jr., Chas. Taylor and others, and being the same patented by David C. Clark about the year 1847; also a 620 undivided interest in a certain tract of land adjoining the lands of T. A. Farnes, Jesse Lancaster and others, containing 100 acres, more or less.

Dec. 21st, 1889. W. L. SMITH, Attorney. Admr of David C. Clark.

#### Partnership Notice.

Greenville, N. C., Jan. 1st, 1890.

I beg to inform the public that the manufacturing formerly carried on by me will now be carried on by Cox & Carroll, and I will set all accounts against me and kindly ask those indebted to me to make settlements with me when their accounts fall due. I wish the public to accept my sincere thanks for the general patronage they have extended to me and now kindly ask that the same favors be extended to Cox & Carroll.

Dec. 31st, 1889. W. L. SMITH, Attorney. Admr of David C. Clark.

#### Physicians' Cases.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admit its superiority over ALL other blood medicines.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga., writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood medicines I have ever used."

Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is wonderful."

Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordville, Ga., writes: "I have used B. B. B. in the best and quickest medicine for rheumatism I have ever tried."

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