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General Directory.

STATE GOVERNMENT.
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Lieutenant-Governor—Thos. M. Holt, of Alamance.
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Treasurer—Donald W. Bain, of Wake.
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Attorney General—Theodore F. Davidson, of Buncombe.

SUPREME COURT.
Chief Justice—A. S. Merriman, of Wake.
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JUDGES SUPERIOR COURT.
First District—George H. Brown, of Beaufort.
Second District—Frederick Phillips, of Edgecombe.
Third District—H. G. Connor, of Wilson.
Fourth District—Spier Whit, of Johnston.
Fifth District—T. Womack, of Chatham.

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Seventh District—James C. McRae, of Cumberland.
Eighth District—R. F. Armfield, of Iredell.
Ninth District—Jesse F. Graves, of Surry.
Tenth District—John G. Blynum, of Burke.

Eleventh District—W. M. Shipp, of Mecklenburg.
Twelfth District—James H. Merrimon, of Buncombe.

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS.
Senate—Zebulon B. Vance, of Mecklenburg; Matt. W. Ransom, of Northampton.
House of Representatives—First District—Thomas G. Skinner, of Perquimans.
Second District—H. P. Cheatham, of Col. of Vance.
Third District—C. W. McClammy, of Pender.

Fourth District—B. H. Bunn, of Nash.
Fifth District—J. W. Brower, of Forsyth.
Sixth District—Alfred Rowland, of Robeson.
Seventh District—John S. Henderson, of Rowan.
Eighth District—W. H. A. Cowles, of Anson.
Ninth District—H. G. Ewart, of Henderson.

COUNTY GOVERNMENT.
Superior Court Clerk—E. A. Moye.
Sheriff—J. A. K. Tucker.
Register of Deeds—David H. James.
Treasurer—James R. Cherry.
Surveyor—J. S. L. Ward.
Coroner—H. B. Harris.
Commissioners—Council Dawson, Chairman; Guilford Moore, C. V. Newton, John Flanagan, T. E. Keel.
Board of Education—Henry Harding, Chairman; J. S. Conington and J. D. Cox.

Public School Superintendent—H. Harding.
Supt of Health—Dr. F. W. Brown.
Standard Keeper—Cassius Kinsaul.

TOWN.
Mayor—F. G. James.
Clerk—W. R. B. Greene.
Treasurer—M. R. Lang.
Chief Police—J. T. Smith.
Ass't Police—T. R. Moore.

Councilmen—1st Ward, T. A. Wilks, col.; 2nd Ward, W. H. Smith, and R. Greene, Jr.; 3rd Ward, M. R. Lang and Allen Warren; 4th Ward, Joe Moye, col.

CHURCHES.
Episcopal—Services First and Third Sundays, morning and night. Rev. N. C. Hughes, D. D., Rector.
Methodist—Services every Sunday, morning and night. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night. Rev. R. B. John, Pastor.

Baptist—Services second and fourth Sundays, morning and night. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night. Rev. A. D. Hunter, Pastor.

LODGES.
Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A. M., meets every 1st Thursday and Monday night after the 1st and 3rd Sunday at Masonic Lodge, A. B. Blow, W. M. G. L. Heilbroner, Sec.
Greenville R. A. Chapter, No. 50, meets every 2nd and 4th Monday nights at Masonic Hall, F. W. Brown, H. P. Covenant Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. J. A. K. Tucker, N. G.
Insurance Lodge, No. 1169, K. of H., meets every first and third Friday night. D. D. Haskett, D.

Pitt County Farmers' Alliance, No. 236, A. L. of H., meets every Thursday night. C. A. White, C. Pitt county Farmers' Alliance meets the first Friday in January, April, July and October. J. A. Laughinghouse, President; E. A. Moye, Secretary.
Greenville Alliance meets Saturday before the 2nd Sunday in each month at 2:30 o'clock, R. M., in Germania Hall. Fernando Ward, President; D. S. Spain, Secretary.

Hours open for all business from 9 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. All mails distributed on arrival. The general delivery will be kept open for 15 minutes at night after the Northern mail is distributed. Northern Mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 6:30 P. M. and departs at 7:30 A. M.

Carroll, Old Sparta and Falkland mails arrive daily (except Sunday) at 12 M. and depart at 1 P. M.
Washington, Parton, Latham's X Roads, Chowchilla and Grimsland mails arrive daily (except Sunday) at 7 P. M. and depart at 6:30 A. M.

Ridge Spring, Rountree, Ayden, Bell's Ferry, Coveville, Johnson's Mills, Hedges and Pallett mails arrive Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 11 A. M. and depart at 1:30 P. M.

Vanceboro, Black Jack and Calie mails arrive every Saturday at 5 P. M. and depart every Friday at 11 A. M.

J. J. PERKINS, P. M.

Rev. A. D. Hunter's
Appointments.
1st Sunday, morning and night, Pactolus Baptist church.
2nd and 4th Sundays, morning and night, Greenville Baptist church, also Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night, and Sunday morning and night, Bethel Baptist church.

Democratic Nominees.

For Solicitor—Third Judicial District: JOHN E. WOODARD, of Wilson.

Poetry.

LOVE, MURDER AND ALMOST MATRIMONY.

In Manchester a maiden dwelt,
Her name was Phoebe Brown,
Her cheeks were red, her hair was black,
And she was considered by good judges to be, by all odds, the best looking girl in the town.

Her age was nearly seventeen,
Her eyes were sparkling bright,
A very lovely girl she was, and for a year and a half she had been a good looking young man paying his attentions to her, by the name of Reuben White.

Now Reuben was a nice young man,
As any in the town should be—
And Phoebe loved him very dear,
But on account of his being obliged to work for a living, he never could make himself agreeable to Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Her parent were resolved
And she should wed—
A rich old miser in the place:
And old Brown frequently declared,
That rather than have his daughter marry Reuben White he'd knock him on the head.

But Phoebe's heart was brave and strong;
She feared no parent's frown:
And as for Reuben White so bold,
I've heard him say more than fifty times, that, with the exception of Phoebe, he didn't care a cent for the whole race of Browns.

Now Phoebe Brown and Reuben White
Determined they would marry:
Three weeks ago last Tuesday night
They started for old Pardon Webster's with the fixed determination to be united in the holy bonds of wedlock, though it was tremendous dark, and rained like the very Old Harry.

But Captain Brown was wide awake;
He loaded up his gun,
And then pursued the loving pair—
And overtook them when they'd got about six miles to the Pardon's, when Reuben and Phoebe started upon a run.

Old Brown then took a deadly aim
Towards young Reuben's head:
But, oh! it was a bleeding wound,
For he made a mistake, and shot his only daughter instead of the untimely pair.

Then anguish filled young Reuben's heart
And vengeance crazed his brain—
He drew an awful knife out
And plunged it into old Brown about six or six times.

The bloody drops from Reuben's eyes
In torrents poured down;
He yielded up the ghost and died—
And in this melancholy, and heart-rending manner terminated the untimely story of Reuben and Phoebe, and likewise of old Captain Brown.

The Wilmington and Onslow Railroad.

New Berne Journal.

It will please our readers to know that on Saturday Messrs. H. A. Whiting, General Manager, Judge Henry E. Knox, General Counsel, Capt. F. L. Pittman, Chief Engineer, and Dr. R. W. Ward, resident director, of the Wilmington, East Carolina and Onslow Railroad, were in the city prospecting for and locating the line of the road from Jacksonville to New Berne. The gentlemen of Denver, Colorado, associated with them, who came over the line from Wilmington, left on the early morning train for the North.

There is no longer any doubt about the building of this line between New Berne and Wilmington. The purchase of the Norfolk and Edenton Railroad by the Pennsylvania System, the determination to bridge the Chowan river and come on to Washington and New Berne settles all difficulties and solves all doubts as regards the New York, Norfolk and Charleston, of which the Wilmington, New Berne and Onslow is the most important link.

We are very happy to record the progress of the practical move of earnest development for the benefit of our section; and as we have for ten years been striving for the promotion of Craven, Jones, Onslow, Lenoir, Greene, Pitt, Beaufort, Hyde, Carteret, Pamlico, and contiguous territory, the Journal feels that it could not make a happier announcement to all its friends than this, that according to all tangible appearances the next two years will see Edenton, Plymouth, Elizabeth City, Washington, New Berne, Jacksonville and Wilmington on a great through line of railway traffic between Charleston, Wilmington, Norfolk and New York.

Now let us all go to work and so regulate and establish our local industries and developments, as to the most ready take advantage of these unexpected facilities that have been quietly developing by the aid of some of our wide-awake citizens while the majority of us slept, all unconscious that the spirit of public enterprise was alive in our midst.

We call Durham a hustling town, and so she is; but just listen to how they do things in Greenboro. The other day they started a movement on foot to organize a big building and loan association, and in a short time secured subscriptions to the amount of ninety thousand dollars. Now let Durhamites show the stuff they are made of by subscribing to the full amount of the stock of the cotton factory, the plug tobacco factory and the wagon factory—Globe.

Hon. Thos. G. Skinner.

Falcon.
Hon. Thos. G. Skinner our present member of Congress has recently delivered an able speech upon the Silver question, Col. Creevy in referring to the speech says: "Our distinguished representative, Hon. T. G. Skinner has the scriptural quality of 'hastening slowly,' but he has the kindred quality of holding on his gains by a tight grip, and if his constituents do not fall into the ways of the foolish man who pulled down the foundations of his house after he had built the first story, and started anew, he will acquire a position and an influence in the national councils that will make a priceless jewel to his constituents."

We hope to see Mr. Skinner's speech in full, placed in the hands of the reading and thinking people of the first Congressional District. It will impress every one who reads it with the power of the speaker, his earnestness of purpose to obtain relief for the people, his persistent and laborious efforts to perform his whole duty to his constituents. In fact Mr. Skinner has as a representative always manifested a conscientious regard for the right of his constituents, and has labored assiduously for the advancement of his district. He has never turned a deaf ear to the application of one of his constituents, or treated with indifference the petitions forwarded to him, but has made it his personal aim and exerted every means at his control to accomplish the object sought for. He has grown in influence and power in the lower house of Congress, where a man's weights is taken as accurately as anywhere in this country. His deportment has not been that of a blatant member who seeks to impress the world with his superior wisdom and eloquence, but on the reverse he has done an amount of steady quiet work, that few members could equal him to do. He has accomplished by his efforts all that a man could do in his situation, and what is more expected. He is honest, he is capable, he has shown by his true record his devotion to the true interest of his district. He is no new fled candidate for honors based upon the approval and commendation of the Farmer's Alliance but he has already proved himself an earnest advocate of their cause. He does not rely only upon the promise to do but he points back in our mind, if there is a man in the district who has conscientiously and devotedly fostered and encouraged your interest in the past, and now with your growing power, and increasing political influence, you shall have the benefit of my experience, and of my personal influence in the House, which has taken years for me to build up. That there are other men equal in talent, superior in many respects, living in this district, and members of the great Alliance, who are eligible to the office; yet it is a question in our mind, if there is a man in the district so peculiarly fitted for the trying and responsible duties exacted of him by the Farmer's Alliance and the Democratic voters of the first Congressional district. And that is a question submitted to them to consider. Do they at heart desire to accomplish the objects they set out to obtain? If so; cannot the present representative, with a greater assurance of success undertake to do it. If not, why not?

What is it, the Farmer's Alliance candidate promises to do, that Mr. Skinner has not already shown willingness to do and proposes in the future to do? Is there not a large constituency in the district that favors Mr. Skinner for the next term, are they not entitled to some consideration at the hands of the "ruling element"? Is it policy on the part of the Alliance to antagonize the large element of democratic voters that are not included in their ranks? Is it right that they should insist upon sending a representative to Congress because he is an Alliance man? Is it right they should make their great and good organization a stepping stone to political preferment? We know that the Alliance have good and able men in the field for Congress, and that we also know that their candidates are entitled to the same consideration of their personal qualifications as any other candidate, but the question we ask, are they entitled to any more consideration? Have they any greater claims to the position under the situation as outlined above, than any other candidate? In this presenting Mr. Skinner's claims for the nomination we simply exercise the same privilege that is cheerfully accorded every other democratic voter in this district.

We are perfectly conscientious in believing that he is the most efficient man to represent us; that his knowledge of the wants of his district; his personal acquaintance and familiarity with the workings of Congress; his past allegiance to the interest of the farmer, his industrious habits; his power to work; his high integrity and honesty of purpose, will accomplish more good for the district. Believing that we not only support him most heartily, but hope to see him receive the support of the large majority of the democratic voters of this district.

Important Notice.

To the County Superintendents of Public Instruction in North Carolina:

It is hereby resolved by the board of Rutherford College, that from the first day of July, 1890, in order to assist in the scientific and classical education of the young men and women of North Carolina, the Superintendent of Public Instruction of each county in North Carolina may and hereby is requested to nominate one suitable person (male or female) as a student of Rutherford College, whose tuition while at said College shall be free, and who shall be permitted to enjoy the rights and privileges of regular students in competing for honors, and with the approval and consent of the faculty he or she may compete for degrees in the college course. Provided, that said student shall not be appointed on account of his or her religious belief or personal feelings or relationship with the Superintendent, but the nomination shall be subject to the approval of the faculty of the college. It is furthermore urged that each Superintendent use his best judgment as to the worthiness of the student thus nominated. Each nomination shall hold good for one year, and the student thus attending shall in no wise receive the appointment a second year unless the Superintendent shall deem it of best interest to popular education. It is earnestly desired that every Superintendent shall attend to this matter at once, and each year hereafter so long as this paper shall be in force. The candidate for this scholarship should be over sixteen years of age and of high character. He or she should have a good English education, and it is preferred that he or she shall have studied Latin or advanced English. However, the Superintendent shall first examine the worthiness and inability of such candidate to attend college without this help. No one should be a candidate who is able to attend college without aid from other sources. Application should be in writing to the county superintendent not later than the 15th of July each year, five days after which the county superintendent may send name of nominee to the president of the college, together with stamped envelope, for returning scholarship. As we have no endowment but are doing this work, together with much other free work at our own expense, we solicit the aid of the financiers of the State and county to help us in extending these scholarships; and furthermore request the county and State papers to copy this and keep it constantly before the public. Superintendents should make a note of this.

Contributions to aid in establishing permanent scholarships and nominations of the superintendents should be addressed to
REV. R. L. ABERNATHY, D. D., (President of Rutherford College) Rutherford College, Burke Co., N. C.

The Pulpit and the Stage.
Rev. F. M. Shourt, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonderful Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and an sound and well, gaining 25 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and \$1.

In a sermon delivered in New York last Sunday Rev. Charles F. Deems said that the best way to settle the land question, which men like Henry George were getting into a hopeless muddle, was to adopt the land system described in Leviticus. This system, Dr. Deems said, had been devised by Moses under divine inspiration, and was the best the world had ever seen, its basis being the jubilee idea by which the land reverted every fifty years to the original owners, so that people could only buy leaseholds; and the poor fellow who was sold out of house and home by his creditors had always the assurance to buy him up that sooner or later his homestead would revert to him or to his children. Dr. Deems suggested that the Mosaic plan be adopted with regard to all government lands hereafter opened up to settlement.

—Morganton Herald.

Cobwiger—Your son doesn't smoke as much as he used to. Brown—Not since I told him I would allow him to smoke.

'The Stagnant South.'

Baltimore Manufacturers Record.
"You have a stagnant South to direct into channels of industry and prosperity."

Such a statement from any source at all would be astonishing, but it appears in a magazine article, and the author has succeeded somehow in having it printed in the July number of The Forum. The stagnant South! What manner of man is this who can get into respectable magazine columns and mess and daub with printer's ink? Has he never read anything or talked with anybody? Has he been shut up in a lighthouse, or does he emerge from the darkness and gloom of a hermit's cave that he should be so completely ignorant of events? But surprising as such ignorance is, we find a still greater cause for amazement in the fact that a monstrous absurdity should pass the editorial intelligence of a magazine office.

A South which added a billion and a quarter to the assessed and three billion to the real value of its property between 1880 and 1889, which in the same period doubled its railroad mileage and banking facilities trebled its spindles, looms and coal production, quadrupled its iron production, and added hundreds of millions of products, is hardly in need of the services of anybody to "direct it into channels of industry and prosperity."

While The Forum was printing this statement in New York the MANUFACTURERS' RECORD was getting out in Baltimore a quarterly review, showing that 2,352 new industries had been organized this year, 37 of them iron furnaces. The South has silenced criticism and dispelled doubt by the unanswerable logic of facts.

Experience has taught us to expect a certain amount of skepticism on the part of people who have preconceived notions and live among humdrum surroundings and look out upon restricted horizons. With this class facts about the South must have the clearest and most unmistakable demonstration, and even then the situation is not accepted in its fullness, and the admission of Southern progress and greatness, when made at all, is most often qualified and neutralized by ifs and buts. The case in point, however, is out of the usual run and is in the nature of intellectual coma completely enveloping the mind, instead of common strabismus affecting only the mental eyesight.

The discussion in which the "stagnant South" is introduced is as to the annexation of Canada, and it is pointed out as one of a number of conditions which give this country its hands full, without adding new complications. It is surprising, the case in point, however, is out of the usual run and is in the nature of intellectual coma completely enveloping the mind, instead of common strabismus affecting only the mental eyesight.

Happy Boaters.
Wm. Hammond, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble. John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: 'Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine. Made me feel like a new man.' J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: 'Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and does not care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle, at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store.'

Remember.

That labor disgraces no man, while man disgraces labor.
That silence is always better than truth spoken without charity.

That life is too short to be spent in minding other people's business.
That one good act done to-day is worth a thousand in contemplation of some future time.

That a crowd is not company, and faces are but a gallery of pictures, where there is no love.
That the bee, though it finds every rose has a thorn, comes back loaded with honey from his ramblings, and why should not other tourists do the same?

At this season of the year editors read of people who sleep under cover of nights in the mountains—of those who ride the breakers and eat soft crabs at the seashore, and then they go straight way and count their shekels, and say to themselves "we will try to make it convenient to get off next season."

For two hundred years in this country the government has carried the liquor traffic under its arms to dignity and protect the same, but to the degradation of the government.

Stray Bits of Fun.

Raked Together by Bills for Those who Love to Laugh.

A blow from a drunk man might be called a whisky punch.

Why is a lead-pencil like a perverse child? Because it never does write (right) of itself.

Why are your nose and your chin constantly at variance? Because so many words past between them.

Al. Rose, in squeezing thee A pin my hand hath torn. You might have known, said she. All roses have their thorn.

WAS GLAD HE LEFT.
Did you call on Miss Jones?

Yes. She was awfully disagreeable too; didn't cheer up, really, until I started to leave.

CONCLUSIVE.
Judge—You swear that the Simpkins boy is insane?
Boy—Yes, sir. I've seen him refuse to buy.

MODERN TERMS.
They say Miss Brown has got the rocks.
It is true.
Are you going to propose?
I haven't got the sand.

BEATING THE MACHINE.
That boy who just dropped a bad nickel in the slot reminds me of the Arab who folded his tent.

How was that?
He silently stole a weigh.

DASHED HOPES.
The maddest man on earth was a Main street man who was walking home about eleven o'clock at night, when a stranger drove up alone in a buggy, and said:

Min't you tired of walking?
Yes, I am, said the Main street man, much obliged, and started for the team.

Well, why can't you run awhile?
I'm in the buggy, as he drove off.

ENTERPRISING OFFICE.
Irite Citizen (to office boy)—I want to see the editor.

Office boy—What do you want with him?
I want to thump the clothes off of him.

O B—Oh, you do? All right; give me your name, age, etc., and 50 cents.
I C—What's that for?

O B—That's the price of death notices; half the regular rates, you know.

IT IS A SLEEPING (?) CAR.
It was in a sleeping car, and they thought that everyone was asleep. Probably everyone had been, but they woke me.

When I was enough awake to notice what was going on, I heard her say: Well, I don't care. I think you're real mean.

Yes, broke in he, all you want now is the last word, same you always have, ain't it?

Yes, and I'll have it, too! spitefully.

You won't!
See if I don't.

All right.
All right it is.

Have to mock every word I say, don't you?

Heavens, no? You never say anything worth repeating.

Why do you echo me, then?
I don't!

You do!
I don't!

Shut up!
I won't!

Ugh! And there was a noise like a man tumbling into his berth.

Then we heard, rather softly, as if talking to herself: I said I'd have the last word, and I did. Ugh, don't count, 'cause I don't believe it is a word.

WANTED TO BE A PROPHET.
Mamma—Good by, dearie; what shall I buy for my little girl?

Helen—Some bunsions, please, so I can tell when the weather is goin' to change.

I—I hate to make you any extra trouble, he said to the chief clerk at the postoffice yesterday.

Well?
Well, I wrote to my girl two days ago and have received no answer. I'm awfully careless and perhaps I neglected to stamp it.

Press Opinions.

WE SAY AS MUCH.
Mobile Register.]
The Louisville Courier Journal says that it means ten years disfranchisement in Illinois to steal chickens. If this is not suppression of the colored vote what is it?

ALWAYS AFRAID OF LIGHT.
N. O. Times-Democrats.]
The Republicans seem to be in a very great hurry with their legislation. They have rushed everything through Congress on the shortest possible time and have been indecent in their haste, and smothered debate as though they were afraid of it.

STILL IT IS ATTEMPTED.
Wilson Mirror.]
The effort of certain people, base demagogues at heart, to array the Alliance against the lawyer and the merchant is unjustifiable and criminal. The effort is unjustifiable because there are no just grounds for any such course.

INDEED IT WILL.
Atlanta Constitution.]
When the Republican party gets to doing its own registration, its own counting and its own certifying, it will be time for the rest of the country to go out of business and take to the woods.

AND THE ELECTION BILL, TOO.
Louisville Times.]
The Democratic party is gaining at the North and at the West. In the South we will hold our own, despite all the reconstruction measures, Reed's malice can conceive and his Congress enact.

THEY ARE WITH HIM.
Wilson Advance.]
Old Gov. Jarvis is a long headed, bold, fearless statesman. He advocated, in terms that are unequivocal and unmistakable, an increase in the public school fund from 12 1/2 to 25 cents. He struck the key note and the people of the State who believe in education are with him.

LITTLE BEN DOES.
Washington Daily.]
A bill has been introduced in Congress providing for the election of post masters by the people. In advocating the bill Congressman Roswell P. Flower, of New York, says the plan would render the Presidency endurable. Mr. Flower is quite correct. Yet there are some people who go right ahead wanting the office just as it stands.

IF I WERE YOU.
GEORGE H. MURPHY.
If I were you, I often say
To those who seem to need advice,
I'd always look before I leaped;
I'd always think it over twice.

And then I'd leave a trouble sign—
For, after all, I'm only I.

I'd never discuss, if I were you,
The failings of my fellow men;
I'd think of all their virtues first.
And scan my own shortcomings then.

But though all this is good and true,
I am but I; I am not you.

If I were you and half so vain,
Amidst my folly I would pause
To see how dull and light a fool
I was myself. I don't because—
(And here I leave a pitying sigh)
I am not you; I'm only I.

If I were you, no selfish care
Should chase my every smile away;
I'd scatter round me love and hope:
I'd do a kindness every day.

But here again I find it true
That I am I, and you are you.

I would not be so very quick
To take offense, if I were you;
I would respect myself, at least,
Whatever others say or do.

Alas! can no one tell me why
I am not you, instead of I?

In short, if I were only you,
And could forget that I was I,
I think that little cherub wings
Would sprout upon me, by and by.

Those who are servants of God
need no livery or frills of fashion to mark them from others.

That religion which is as good on Saturday as the following Sunday, is worth working into.

Hell has no higher kickers than married persons who live together only to see who will have the last word.

The stream does not refuse water even to him who dirties it, nor should man refuse hospitality even to his enemy.

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The New Berne Journal has been purchased by Mr. E. E. Harper, who has long been one of the editors. He will be assisted by Gen. C. A. Battle and Mr. Roscoe Nunn.

Our congratulations to J. B. Sherrill, Secretary of the N. C. Press Association. His paper the Concord Times has just passed its eighth volume. Sherrill gets out a good paper no doubt about that, and the Association never had a better Secretary.

The Fifth Judicial District held its convention in Greensboro last week, Mr. R. W. Winston, of Oxford, was nominated for Judge and Mr. E. S. Parker, of Alamance, for Solicitor. Judge T. B. Wamock, who has served a short term by appointment of Gov. Fowle, was defeated for the nomination.

They did the thing up quick and easy at the Sixth Judicial District Convention, held at Kinston last Wednesday. Hon. E. T. Boykin was re-nominated for Judge and Mr. O. H. Allen was re-nominated for Solicitor. Such action by the convention was a splendid compliment to both gentlemen.

The Democratic Executive Committee of the First Congressional District at their meeting in Washington, last Thursday, decided to hold the Congressional Convention at Elizabeth City on the 12th of August. Now to marshaling the forces. Let a harmonious convention be held and a good man nominated.

The Press Convention meets in Durham next Wednesday, 23rd. The Durhams have prepared a splendid programme for the entertainment of the editors and are to give them such a grand time that we expect some of them will be loathe to leave that delightful town and return to their respective homes. It promises to be the largest convention the editors have yet held. And after the meeting of the Association they are invited to spend three days at Morehead as the guests of the Atlantic Hotel. A good time all around for the editors. The REFLECTOR man hopes to be on hand.

Mr. Hal. W. Ayer, who is on the staff of the Raleigh Chronicle, in writing from Morehead city to his paper has this to say of our distinguished townsman, ex-Gov. Jarvis:

There's no man here or elsewhere who moves about or acts with more gentlemanly dignity than Hon. T. J. Jarvis. I have watched him for some days past, and I know now that the more one sees of him, the more one feels willing to say: "There's a man—a true man." He seems to enjoy the gaieties of this place without participating in them. His pleasure is "looking on." He likes the evening sail to the surf, but he doesn't seem to care for the surf. Rather than go boating at morning or midday, he sits with a circle of friends, and it is more than enough to say that these are the greater part of the entertaining services promptly since he has been here, and to-night I heard him close the Y. M. C. A. meeting in assembly hall with prayer.

It appears to me that there is dignity and grace in everything he says and does; and as I have noticed him several times recently, I could not help thinking and feeling that North Carolina wanted and needed him in a gubernatorial chair again; and it is more than enough to say that these are the greater part of the entertaining services promptly since he has been here, and to-night I heard him close the Y. M. C. A. meeting in assembly hall with prayer.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Greensboro Female College, held on the 8th, Dr. B. F. Dixon, Superintendent of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, was elected to the Presidency as successor to the late Dr. T. M. Jones. Dr. Dixon is a high toned, christian gentleman, a man of culture and ability, and under his direction that institution will by no means degenerate from its past excellent reputation. The mantle of the old prophet has fallen on worthy shoulders.

The Raleigh Progressive Farmer, organ of the Farmers' Alliance in North Carolina, has brought upon itself any amount of criticism—and we might add, censure—because of a very unjust attack upon Senator Vance in a recent issue of that paper. The attack was because of a letter written by our honored Senator to Mr. Elias Carr, President of the Alliance, giving his reasons why he could not support the Sub-Treasury bill. Senator Vance's letter was a brave and manly paper, in which he gave his views conscientiously and honestly. For this the Progressive Farmer seems desirous of stirring up animosity against this true friend North Carolina ever had and prevent his re-election to the Senate. It is whose interest that paper is at work for the Senatorship we know not, but surely it cannot be laboring in the interest of the oppressed farmers of our State when it tries to secure the defeat of Zeb Vance. And it is gratifying to know that the Alliance does not sanction what the State organ says about our worthy Senator, for President Carr himself says Senator Vance need have no fears. The REFLECTOR is and has from its organization been a staunch friend of the Alliance, and so far as acquainted with their principles we are with them in the fight against monopoly, trusts, oppression and burdensome taxation, and are with them in their struggle for equal rights and justice, and do not wish this to be construed as any remark against the organization, but we do think the attack upon Senator Vance by the Progressive Farmer was indeed puerile.

John E. Woodard.

This gentleman was recently nominated by the Democratic Convention, held at Rocky Mount, as candidate for Solicitor of the Third Judicial District. Of course the people throughout the District who are not personally acquainted with him would like to know something of the man whom they are to support at the ballot box, and who is to be State prosecutor in the District for the next four years. For the benefit of those of the REFLECTOR readers coming under the above class we give two extracts below which are taken from two of our exchanges. A recent issue of the Raleigh Chronicle says:

John E. Woodard, Esq., of Wilson, the nominee for Solicitor of the Third Judicial District, will not come to the duties of the important position without experience. He has been at the bar more than twelve years and for three or four years he was Solicitor of Wilson Inferior Court. He has always enjoyed a good practice, and as Solicitor will make a faithful and efficient officer. He was Mayor of Wilson county in 1885, serving on important committees, and in 1888 was a Cleveland Elector in the Second Congressional District.

The Wilson Advance, published at Mr. Woodard's home, has this to say of him:

Mr. Woodard is a good lawyer and possesses all the elements of a first-class prosecuting attorney. He is in the full vigor of manhood, has the requisite experience and at the same time the physical and mental vigor necessary for the arduous duties of the office. We commend him to the people of the district and assure them that if elected he will make an officer who will reflect credit upon himself and the district.

Mr. Woodard was born in Wilson county, May 8th, 1850, and his boyhood was spent upon his father's farm. Was educated at the Wilson Male Academy and the Wilson College Institute, receiving at the latter institution the valedictory in his class. Then he went to the University of Va., from which he graduated in 1875. Read law at Richmond Hill under the late Chief Justice Pearson, receiving his license to practice at January Term, 1877. Located at Wilson, and, upon the organization of the Inferior Court, was elected its Solicitor, a position which he held with credit to himself and his country until his nomination for the Legislature in the fall of 1884. He was elected to the Legislature over S. D. Boykin, an independent Democrat, by the unprecedented majority of 854, and as a member of that body took at once a prominent stand, serving on several of the most important committees, as chairman of the committee on Salaries and Fees and as a prominent member of Judiciary, Privileges and Elections and committee on Judicial Reform.

Commissioner's Proceedings.

GREENVILLE, July 7th, 1890.—The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at 9 o'clock A. M. Members present: C. Dawson, chairman, John Flanagan, G. M. Mooring, T. E. Keel and C. V. Newton.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following orders were issued to paupers: John Stocks 4.50, James Masters 6.00, Margaret Bryan 3.00, Patsy Elks 1.50, H. D. Smith 2.00, Nancy Moore 4.00, John Baker 1.50, Alex. Harris 12.00, Edmund Spain 2.00, Polly Adams 6.00, Reuben Adams 4.50, Francis Coggins 2.00, Edmund Atkinson 2.00, David McKinsey 6.00, Daniel Webster 2.00, Martha Nelson 2.00, Wm. Simpson 1.50, Lydia Bryan 2.00, Jacob Lawhorn 1.50, Jacob Dupree 2.00, Asa Knox 4.00, Henry Harris 4.00, Elizabeth Moore 2.00, Arthur Dennis 3.00.

General orders were issued as follows: James Pender 1.15, D. H. James 1.35, Harry Brown 6.50, J. A. K. Tucker 12.75, J. A. K. Tucker 68.90, J. A. Lang 15.90, J. W. Smith 12.00, J. A. R. Congleton 14.00, M. Moore 16.00, Reuben Wall 14.12, S. I. Fleming 24.00, J. J. Hardee 129.10, I. K. Weathering 30.00, W. B. Moore 30.00, Samuel Daniel 1.10, R. T. Whitchard 1.65, W. R. Parker 24.00, R. M. Jones 28.00, Robert Gurganus 1.20, S. R. Bell 3.30, Amos Bryant 3.21, Thomas Bell 3.27, C. O. Fleming 61, J. O. Cook 5.28, L. Maget 18.00, J. W. Smith 2.90, O. V. Tucker 1.44, C. H. M. Brown 16.97, Thomas Edmonds 52, H. B. Wilson 1.05, E. A. Meyer 99.91, Warren Keel 1.00, J. A. K. Tucker 39.70, D. Worthington 29.50, A. L. Harrington 62, B. S. Sheppard 4.40, R. T. Hodges 30, E. O. McGowan 1.05, R. Williams, Jr., 65, J. W. Harrington 65, C. P. Gaskins 77, L. B. Mewborn 1.90, J. Bibb 1.10, W. J. Fulford 2.50, J. May 37, J. D. Cox 55, Calvin Stokes 32, J. T. Smith 50, F. G. James 20, G. W. Edmondson 2.25, D. Moore 2.10, T. E. Keel 3.30, O. V. Newton 6.00, John Flanagan 9.00, Council Dawson 7.60, G. M. Mooring 5.80, Arthur Dennis 2.00.

Licenses to retail liquor were issued to the following persons for six months from the 1st day of July 1890 to the 1st day of December, 1890, inclusive:

Warren & Shelton, Penny Hill; Robert Staton, Bethel; W. G. Stokes, Nelson's X Road; W. G. Stokes, J. O. Proctor & Bro., Grimesland; L. N. Dudley, Falkland; J. C. Cobb, Cobb's store; S. G. Quinn, J. R. Davenport, Pastore & E. Law, S. Brooks & Co., L. A. Bland, Griffin; J. O. Hall, Dail, T. L. Turnage, E. C. Pollard, L. N. Shelton, Farmville; F. Fleming & Co., W. H. Smith, J. A. Brady, Wm. A. Stokes, J. R. Bergeron & Co., Jesse Baker & Co., Greenville. Jesse Baker & Co., were granted license to run a billiard table for six months.

A communication from the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort county requesting the Board of Commissioners of this county to accept one-half of Wards bridge across Trantus creek. The same was accepted provided Beaufort county accept the other half.

Ordered that John Flanagan hire a suitable person to attend the draw on Greenville bridge and have necessary repairs made to said bridge. The Board recommended to the supervisors of roads of Swift Creek township to appoint an overseer on the road commencing at I. K. Weathering avenue and running to Beaver Dam township across Swift Creek and that hands be assigned to same.

The 1st Congressional District is entitled to the following vote in the Convention by Counties:

Beaufort, 42
Carteret, 21
Camden, 12
Chowan, 15
Currituck, 20
Dare, 7
Gates, 23
Hertford, 23
Hyde, 17
Martin, 33
Pamlico, 15
Pasquotank, 17
Perquimans, 16
Pitt, 16
Tyrell, 9
Washington, 16
Total, 338.

If you are unwilling or too much of a "skin flint" to help build your town and community, for the sake of humanity, keep your mouth shut and do not try to throw cold water on what others are trying to do.—Louisburg Times.

If a town wants to see its various interests fail, just let the business men make up their minds to look out for themselves and no one else, and it will be only a question of time.—Louisburg Times.

There is something radically wrong somewhere. In 1890 the producers of this country owned 48 per cent. of the wealth. In 1870 they owned 30 per cent. The owners of 1890 will show that the loafers own about all of it and the producers are on the verge of starvation.—Kinston Free Press.

Ocalico Items.

Crops are looking very fine in this section.

The Free Will Baptists had a big Union at Black Jack last Sunday.

It is now wheat threshing time; but I don't think there is much to thresh this year.

Misses Ellen and Lena Lines spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting the family of Mr. John A. Smith.

Mrs. Lena Noble has been called to the bedside of her sick son, Mr. O. C. Noble, of Vanceboro. He has been seriously ill, but is now slowly recovering. We hope he will be out in a short while. CALLA.

Teachers' Association.

The Teachers' Association met at the Academy on Saturday. Miss Maggie Smith being sick her paper was handed in and placed on the blackboard. It was a graphic and exhaustive analysis of Washington's Administration, covering the events connected with the affairs of the father of his country. The next on the programme was "How to teach grammar to beginners," by Rev. J. L. Winfield, editor of the Watch Tower. The lecturer stated that one of the great difficulties in the school room is to get young pupils interested in the study of English grammar. Many of our graduates fail to construct sentences free from grammatical errors. The trouble is they began wrong, continued wrong and ended wrong. They have tried to erect a building without a foundation. The fundamental principles have been omitted and the pupil stumbles all through life. The teacher should be a guide, not a dictator. He should possess independence and originality and teach nothing because it is new and reject nothing because it is old. If you wish to get the child interested, condense all you teach and show him by illustrations that grammar is a logical study. Here the lecturer analyzed the rudiments on the blackboard. We give the following divisions: 1. What is grammar? The science of language; science is knowledge reduced to system; grammar is a proper arrangement of words, grammar is scientific knowledge properly arranged. 2. The Division of Grammar, orthography, etymology, prosody and syntax. These divisions were all amplified. Then the parts of speech and their office were discussed. The new system of diagramming was illustrated. The speaker said those who opposed the diagram system did not understand it. It is a picture of the sentence that could be seen and studied. The mental idea of a sentence is a good thing, but a model of the sentence is better. About 15 teachers were in attendance, all ladies except one. The next session will be held at Rountree on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in August. All are requested to attend with baskets. Misses Mamie Smith, and Nannie Cox, with Mr. Tyson constitute the committee on programme.

We would be glad if all our teachers would take pride in these educational meetings. By exchanging opinions mental good would be the result.

Death of J. M. King.

The REFLECTOR has been requested by friends of the deceased to insert the following which appeared in the last issue of the Tarboro Banner:

Mr. John M. King, of this place, died on last Friday morning. His death came not unexpected to family and friends. From the day on which he was so cruelly shot down in our town by a man who was in the habit of shooting at the weary months and days of his suffering, his condition was such as to afford but little hope of his recovery. The nature of the wound he received appeared necessarily fatal, and the general expectation all the while was that his death was only a question of time. None but those who were constantly at his bedside ever knew how he suffered and with what patient fortitude he bore it all. At first he himself was a very hopeful man. He strongly believed that he would be a well man again, his conversation being always in the cheerful vein, but as he passed through weeks of agony growing weaker and weaker day after day, he seemed to become resigned to death, and he had no more to say. He craved when he sank into that dreamless sleep and passed into the visible presence of death.

The circumstances of his death need not here be recited. He died a murdered man. His life was taken by the red hand of murder. On the 28th day of April, 1890, John M. King appeared upon the streets of Greenville a stalwart strong, handsome man, greeting friends and acquaintances with that warmth of cordiality so characteristic of the man. He seemed to be in the best of health. He had no personal encounter with any man. He rather wished to keep out of the way of those who were disposed to assault him. He endeavored as best he could to avoid the tragedy which followed later in the day. While sitting down quietly talking to a friend, two men soon came upon him, maintaining their purpose of violence, by words and blows. He was struck by a brickbat, and John M. King lay wounded upon the ground, helpless, doomed to many weeks of suffering, and to the grave. It was a bloody deed and most cruelly done. 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AT COST.

Choice display of Satens, Gings, etc. New lot Embroidered Robes just received which we are selling for merely 75 cents on the dollar.

Nice line of Sun Umbrellas.
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Full line of Summer Coats.

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For men of all sizes.

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Stylish array
Nobby Clothing
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THE
EASTERN REFLECTOR,
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Local Sparks.

Oh! dem watermillions.

Are you going to Ocracoke. Many people in town Saturday.

Market full of melons the past week.

Tobacco curing on every hand this week.

Everybody sings "She's my Sweetheart."

Everybody who can is getting off to Ocracoke.

Pitt county tobacco crop this year is something wonderful.

Cheap—Car load sold Corn at the Old Brick Store.

E. G. Cox offers a gin and cotton press at a bargain. See ad.

White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers for sale by Latham & Pender.

Another letter from Texas for next issue, a very interesting one.

J. B. Cherry & Co. carry a nice line of Ladies Shoes, and sell cheap.

A splendid rain last Wednesday evening made crops all the finer.

20,000 lbs Beeswax wanted for cash at the Old Brick Store.

Greenville certainly ought to have two or more good tobacco warehouses.

Mr. C. T. Savage has moved into the Baker house on Washington street.

The drummer is numerous with his fall samples. He is usually a clever fellow.

About 15 persons went down on steamer Greenville Saturday night for Ocracoke.

Fresh Boss Biscuits for the well and sick at the Old Brick Store.

Read the advertisement of Ocracoke hotel in this issue and govern yourselves accordingly.

The stockholders of the Tar River Transportation Co. will hold a special meeting here on the 22nd inst.

The way some of the boys discard "Ann Romney" and "Joe" and put in their own and their best girls names is quite a feat.

Best Shoes ever had for \$1, both Ladies and Men's, at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Citizen, if you want to see Greenville grow you start the ball in motion. Help from without seldom comes where work has not started within.

The finest loaf of bread I ever ate was made of Point Lake Flour, at the Old Brick Store.

The Reflector pays no attention whatever to anonymous communications. Persons writing must send their names with the article or it will not be printed.

Last Thursday and part of Friday the weather was almost as cool as in the early fall. A great contrast with the extremely hot days that preceded them.

We hope every section of the county has received some of the copious showers that during the last few days have fallen to refresh and invigorate growing vegetation.

Go to Brown Bros. and see their cheap White Goods and Embroideries.

A new postoffice called Grindool has been opened in this county. It is on the railroad 10 miles North of Greenville at Whitehurst's crossing. Mr. S. C. Whitehurst is Postmaster.

Mr. E. A. Moyer, Superior Court Clerk, on Monday showed us specimens of tobacco from a barn cured on his farm last week. Experts at judging the weed pronounce his a fine article.

The Tarboro Base Ball Club came down yesterday and played a game with the Greenville boys in the afternoon. The game was too late for the Reflector to make any report of it except the score which was 10 to 12 in favor of Greenville.

35 per lb for Lorillard Sweet Scotel Snuff. 5000 lb sold in Pitt Co., which is a guarantee of its superiority, at the Old Brick Store.

Cox & Carrol have an advertisement to day which the farmers—especially tobacco growers—should read. They are manufacturing hogs, heads in which to ship tobacco and can furnish the very thing you need.

A thirsty negro stole a flask of whiskey from Manning's bar Saturday. He was discovered getting out with the bottle and efforts were made to catch him but he got away leaving only a remnant of his coat tail in the hands of a would be captor. He took leg bail.

Walter A. Wood Mowers and Horse Bakes. We have just received a new lot of these excellent machines. Send for circular and price. F. S. ROYSTER & CO., Tarboro, N. C.

Quite a number of farmers have cured barns of tobacco primings the past week. This plan of saving the under leaves of the plant which heretofore were thrown away will make the crop more profitable. Several planters will next week be cutting the stalk for curing.

The encampment for the first and third regiments of the N. C. State Guard will begin at Wrightsville next Tuesday, 22nd. There seems to be little or no enthusiasm among the Greenville Guard about the encampment but we suppose the company will attend. They should go with full ranks.

NOTICE—I will change my grinding days from Wednesday and Saturday to Tuesday and Friday. Will commence fourth Friday in this month. I am better prepared to make good flour than heretofore. Come and see. BRYANT TRAPP.

Mr. W. M. Smith, of Falkland told us Friday that his immediate section had not enjoyed the fine season that some other sections of the county have had of late. He said it was much too dry and crops were on the verge of injury. Sheriff Tucker said it was also too dry in the neighborhood of his farm.

Personal.

Mrs. L. J. Barrett is quite sick with typhoid.

Mr. C. M. Bernard left Monday for Washington City.

Miss P. C. Monterio and daughter Miss Ella are at Morehead.

Mr. R. D. Cherry has been at Morehead the past week.

Capt. C. A. White and Mr. J. R. Moyer are at Seven Springs.

Miss Mattie Rountree, of Kinston, is visiting the Misses King.

Miss Frizzle, of Washington, is visiting Miss Annie Brown.

Miss Aileen Latham, of Plymouth, is visiting Mrs. Dr. Frank Brown.

Mrs. R. M. Hearne is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Moore, at Lewiston.

Miss Emma Lawrence, of Raleigh, is visiting at Mr. L. W. Lawrence's.

Miss Bessie White left last week to visit friends in Norfolk and Portsmouth.

The children of Col. Harry Skinner have gone to Nag's Head for the summer.

Mrs. Lucie Brown has gone to Washington City to accept a government position.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ames of Norfolk, are visiting their daughter Mrs. W. B. Brown.

Prof. T. C. Manning, a very successful teacher of penmanship, was in town yesterday.

Miss Mittie Parker, of Farmville, spent a few days last week visiting Miss Belle Hearne.

Prof. Gillespie and wife, of Tarboro have been spending a few days with Miss Mollie Oaker.

Mrs. R. O. Whitaker and children left last week to visit relatives in Warsaw and Wilmington.

Misses Mattie Abram, of Rocky Mount and Hattie Abram, of Richmond are visiting Mrs. S. M. Schultz.

Mrs. Ollie Guion and little girl, of New Bern, who were visiting Mrs. James Brown, returned home Friday last.

Mrs. J. L. Langley has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Clark, at Washington the past week.

Mr. J. J. Cherry and wife and Mr. J. H. Tucker, of Greenville; Miss Norfleet, of Kelford; Mr. Wiley Powell, of Warrenton, and Mr. G. W. Bryan, of Scotland Neck, were among those who went down to Ocracoke Saturday night.

Capt. R. O. Whitaker, the very efficient and courteous conductor on the S. N. & G. train, has been given a few days vacation and went down to Ocracoke Saturday night. Capt. Tillery has charge of the train on this run during his absence.

We were real glad to have a call yesterday from Mr. W. A. Davis of Oxford, a member of the firm of Davis & Gregory, proprietors of the New Johnson Warehouse. Mr. Davis is an ex-editor and is one of the most progressive young men in our State. He will be in Pitt for a few days looking through the tobacco farms of this section.

Bests All.

Master Johnnie Tucker, a little son of Sheriff Tucker, brought the Reflector a hen's egg last Wednesday that is ahead of anything yet produced in the egg curiosity line. It is the nearest like a conch not to be a conch of anything we ever saw. Notwithstanding the shell seems rolled up and has the open side like a conch it still has a yolk in it. Master Larry Heilbronner's hens must look to their laurels.

Pitt Makes the West.

The Wilson Advance says "some Pitt county farmers have refused \$100 an acre for their tobacco crop just as it stands." That's nothing. We heard Mr. J. R. Warren say last week that he has 16 acres for which he would not take \$250 net per acre. You have to go well above \$100 per acre to get in reach of Pitt county's tobacco crop this year. It will take in the neighborhood of \$200,000 to move the crop.

Arrivals at Seven Springs Hotel, July 6th.

J. W. Granger, J. J. Desmond, Henry A. Butler, S. Deinger, Jas. A. Bridgman, L. Harvey, S. H. Loftin, Sigmund Einstein, Arthur P. Harrell, Kinston; T. E. Hooker, Miss Lillie P. Hooker, H. L. Coward, Mrs. H. L. Coward, R. H. Wooten, Hookerton; Miss Willie Hooker, Peyton Hooker, Glenfield; G. D. Best and wife, Mrs. Dr. E. Cox, Fremont; Miss Sallie Whitfield, Seven Springs; Jno Slaughter, Misses Lizzie and Sudie Kirby, Miss Eva Mathews, Geo. L. Kirby, M. D. Jr, Jno L. Borden, Thos. L. Hargis, Mrs. Thos F. Hargis, Jos. Rosenthal, W. S. Jones, Goldsboro; Rev. G. L. Finch, La-Grange.

Summer Rates.

Round trip summer tickets are now on sale from Greenville, N. C., to the following places (good to return until October 31st) at the following prices: Asheville, N. C., \$17.05; Hickory, N. C., via Salisbury, \$12.70; Morganton, N. C., via Salisbury, \$14.40; White Sulphur Springs, via Richmond, \$14.85; Mount Airy, N. C., via Greensboro, \$13.85; Wrightsville, N. C., \$9.50; Carolina Beach, N. C., \$9.50; Southport, N. C., \$9.50; Hot Springs, via Selma, N. C., \$18.55; Natural Bridge, via Richmond, \$15.55. Any other information regarding rates, etc., will be gladly furnished upon application to

J. R. MOORE, Agent A. C. L., Greenville, N. C.

Alliance Officers.

The Pitt County Farmer's Alliance at their meeting on Friday 4th day of July 1890, elected the following officers:

Pres.—J. D. Cox.

Vice Pres.—E. P. Daniel.

Chaplain—J. H. Barnhill.

Sec'y.—E. A. Moyer.

Treas.—Allen Warren.

Lecturer—Henry Harding.

Asst. Lecturer—G. T. Tyson.

Door Keeper—O. C. Kirkman.

Asst. Door Keeper—B. F. Tagwell.

Sergeant at Arms—S. M. Smith.

Exec. Agent—Henry Harding.

Delegate to State Alliance—Maj. Henry Harding.

Being a member of the State Alliance and visiting our office, one of the Secretary's assistants, one of the

Grand Time Ahead.

FIGHT AT YANKEE HALL ON FRIDAY.

Excursion from Greenville—Two Base Ball Games—Everybody Go.

Next Friday promises to be a day of rare enjoyment. The third of a series of games between the Greenville B. B. Club and the Washington Club has been arranged to be played at Yankee Hall, and there will also be a game between the Eagles of Greenville and the Toledos of Washington, the second club of the two towns. Excursions will be run from both towns and the people from the whole country around Yankee Hall will join the excursionist in having a grand picnic. The steamer Greenville has been chartered by the Greenville Club and will leave here at 8:30 a. m., returning leave Yankee Hall at 5:30 p. m. Fare for the round trip only 50 cents. Let a large crowd go from Greenville and be sure to carry well-filled baskets with you.

The Male School.

A meeting was called in the Court House, Monday evening, to further investigate the establishing of a male school of high grade in Greenville. The meeting was not large enough to manifest that deep interest and enthusiasm worthy such a movement, still enough were present to give that shape and impetus to the enterprise as will warrant its success.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan was chosen to preside over the meeting, and upon taking the chair made such appropriate remarks as to deflect the zeal in advocating measures of progress, especially those looking to higher and better education—characteristic of that gentleman. Mr. J. B. Yellowley, chairman of the committee appointed at the former meeting, was called upon to report the result of the committee's investigations. He said the committee found plenty of material here to maintain a good school, that the citizens were ready to bestow their patronage, that numerous applications had been received from persons in every way competent to assume the duties of teacher for such a school as is desired, and while no engagement had been made with any one the matter was well enough in hand to perfect arrangements at any time. All now in the way of establishing the school was a suitable building in which to conduct it, the old academy in its present condition being entirely useless. That the committee had examined the building and estimated that at a cost of \$150 or \$200 it could be placed in a condition for use, at least comfortable and habitable. That if the citizens would contribute sufficiently to repair the building all other arrangements could be completed at once.

Mr. A. L. Blow thought the amount specified wholly inadequate to make such repairs as the building should have, that in addition to being made comfortable it should be attractive both inside and out, newly painted, hung with blinds and furnished with good modern desks.

Dr. O'Hagan agreed with this, the place should be as inviting as could be and he added further the premises should be enclosed. He thought at least \$450 should be raised for the work necessary.

Mr. John Flanagan thought a larger sum than named by the committee should be raised that the building could be made in every way creditable to the town.

Rev. R. B. John saw no reason why a good sum could not be raised, and why Greenville should not have an excellent school. Towns with less population, with less advantages and less surrounding resources than ours had come together, erected fine buildings and established splendid schools. Such was needed here and it could be accomplished.

Messrs. J. D. Williamson, W. S. Rawls and Sheriff Tucker made remarks upon the necessity of a good school, all pledging themselves to contribute their part both in cash for the building and boys for the school.

Contributions were then asked for and the following amounts were pledged in the meeting:

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan, \$25.00

A. L. Blow, 10.00

R. B. John, 10.00

John Flanagan, 10.00

J. D. Williamson, 10.00

J. A. K. Tucker, 5.00

W. S. Rawls, 10.00

R. B. John, 2.50

D. J. Whitchard, 2.50

E. A. Moyer, 10.00

On motion a committee consisting of J. B. Yellowley, John Flanagan and A. L. Blow was appointed to go among the citizens to solicit additional contributions and report at a subsequent meeting.

A motion was adopted that full proceedings of this meeting be published in the Reflector.

The meeting then adjourned to be called again on Friday evening, 18th inst., at 8:30 o'clock.

It is earnestly requested that there be a large attendance of our citizens at the next meeting, as it is expected that all plans for the school will then be perfected. This is a matter that should be of personal interest to everyone.

While the movement is for the establishment of strictly a male school, the influence of the ladies in all matters pertaining to our general welfare and progress is fully recognized and they are cordially invited to be present next Friday evening.

GREENVILLE MARKET.

Mess Pork, 12.00 to 14.00

Bulk Sides, 6 to 7

Bulk Shoulders, 5 1/2 to 7

Bacon Sides, 5 to 6

Bacon Shoulders, 5 1/2 to 6 1/2

Pitt County Ham, 12 to 15

Sugar Cured Ham, 15 to 18

Flour, 3.50 to 5.77

Coffee, 16 to 28

Brown Sugar, 3 1/2 to 4

Syrup and Molasses, 7 to 8

Tobacco, 20 to 45

Lard, 10 to 15

Butter, 20 to 30

Cheese, 10 to 15

Eggs, 10 to 15

Corn, 60 to 80

Pearlize, 8 to 10

Rags, 1 to 5

Saw Lye, 2 to 4

Cotton, 15 to 20

Health at Our Doors.

Come to the Fountain and Drink.

There is a well on the premises of Greenville Institute that is attracting no small attention from the people of the community. The well was bored in May last, and is 38 feet deep. When this depth was reached the water suddenly boiled about half way up the well. There was emitted from the well such a strong sulphuric odor as to create the belief that the water contained high medicinal properties. As soon as the well was ready for use parties began drinking from it. Prof. Duckett was the first to discover beneficial results from drinking the water, saying it helped the digestion and materially toned up his system. Mr. Alfred Forbes was induced to try it and noticed from the beginning that the use of the water was followed by pleasant and beneficial results. He sends to the Institute twice each day for his supply of drinking water from this well. Capt. C. A. White also tried the water; found that it benefited him and he, too, sends up for a supply nearly every day. Others have tried the water and speak of its merits. Coming to the belief that this well was a most valuable one and that the waters contained such medicinal properties as would prove a blessing to the community, Prof. Duckett sent some of the water in sealed bottles to the State Chemist for analysis. He received returns from this last week and analysis shows that one U. S. gallon of the water contains only 3.81 grains of solid matter, while it shows in solution an existence of bicarbonate iron, chloride sodium, chloride magnesium, sulphate sodium, sulphate lime, sulphate magnesium, and silica. Dr. O'Hagan says with such an analysis as that the well ought to furnish good water.

With such fountains of pure, health-giving waters right here at our doors what need have the people of going away to various springs for their health. The Reflector would suggest that hereafter during the summer vacation months Greenville Institute might very profitably be turned into a hotel and thrown open to persons who might wish to sojourn here and find health from drinking this excellent water. And with this discovery of health-giving waters in our midst what doth hinder Greenville becoming a famous health resort? Let it be known to the world the numerous natural advantages of Greenville, the beautiful location, the healthful surroundings, the schools, its excellent churches, and last, but by no means least, its medicinal waters and 'twould take a prophet indeed to foretell the future of our town.

Preliminary Trial.

Last week a warrant was sworn out before E. O. McGowan, Esq., for Mr. W. Hyman containing the charge of assisting in the murder of Mr. J. M. King, whose death we announced in last issue. Tuesday night Sheriff Tucker took a posse of men and about midnight hailed at Hyman's house, 10 miles from town. Hyman answered promptly, went out in his night dress, invited the Sheriff in and they sat down on the porch together. The Sheriff told his mission at which Hyman seemed no surprise but inquired if his counsel was in town. Not getting satisfactory information he told the Sheriff to wait until he could go in and dress himself. Hyman went in and after dressing passed out the back door of his house and disappeared. Waiting a reasonable time for him to appear out the front way search was made for him which proving futile the posse returned to Greenville, increased their numbers and went again to the vicinity of Hyman's. They did not go to his house as before but searched themselves around the woods in sight of the house until after sunrise watching for his appearance, but failing to see him they returned to Greenville and abandoned the search. A portion of the time the posse was watching for Hyman he was in his house quietly enjoying his breakfast. During Wednesday he sent a messenger to Greenville to ascertain if his counsel was here and had the latter informed that he was ready to come and surrender himself. The counsel sent word back to come on, and Hyman came down Thursday morning, surrendered himself to the Sheriff and declared himself ready for trial, giving as his reason for evading the officers Tuesday night that he did not care to be dragged to town by a posse in the dead hours of the night and thrust in jail without seeing his counsel or having the least chance to defend himself; that if the Sheriff had gone for him in the day time he would have come without a word.

Preparations for the trial began immediately. Justice McGowan having conducted a former trial connected with the trouble between the parties, the defendant made affidavit that the case be removed to another justice, and the hearing began Thursday afternoon before G. F. Evans, Esq., the prosecution being represented by Mr. F. G. James, the defense by Messrs. L. C. Latham and L. A. Sugg. Friday morning the prosecution was reinforced by Mr. C. F. Warren, of Washington and Mr. J. E. Moore, of Williamson. The trial was long day evening during which time both sides introduced quite a number of witnesses. At the close of the argument the Justice decided that defendant be placed under a \$500 bond which was readily given.

This was Esquire Evans' first case, he having only recently been appointed a Justice of the Peace, and we hear him complimented for the manner in which he conducted the trial.

Marriage License.

There were only five marriage licenses issued in Pitt county during the month of June, three to white and two to colored couples. The whites were Mathew Langston and Kater Mills, George Mount and Allie Gaynor, D. C. Willis and Lucy Satterthwaite, the colored Charles Dawson and Nellie Jackson, Patrick Smith and Elizabeth Fleming.

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