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Greenville, N. C.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1890.

Maj. Wm. A. Guthrie of Durham, one of the most prominent Republicans in the State, has written a letter severing his connection with that party and declaring his intention to support Hon. B. H. Bunn, the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Fourth District.

The annual State Fair will be held in Raleigh October 14th to 18th. It is going to be the biggest and best fair the society has yet held. The whole State is interested in this fair and every county should help to make it a success. Pitt county will stand very much in her own light if she does not make a good exhibit there. Steps in this direction should be taken at once and the movement put on foot to have the county creditably represented. Pitt can make as good an exhibit as any county in North Carolina.

Judge Womack is giving general satisfaction as presiding Judge over this term of Pitt Superior Court. He wears the ermine with dignity, and while he pushes the work in a rapid business like manner, there is the utmost care, accuracy and precision about him. His charge to the Grand Jury is pronounced a good one. It was not a long, tedious rehearsal of every crime and technicality as is so often heard from the Bench, but was a clear and practical synopsis of the duties of the Jurors, given so plain that they readily understood what was expected of them. He is a good Judge, and possesses an excellent knowledge of the law. We have heard the expression several times this week that it was a pity he was defeated for the nomination.

A wreck occurred on the North Carolina Division of the Richmond & Danville railroad at the Yadkin river bridge just six miles east of Salisbury, on Saturday the 6th inst., that is almost unprecedented in the railroad history of the State. A freight train consisting of 36 box cars and caboose was going east from Salisbury, and while passing down a heavy grade before reaching the river the drive wheels of the engine jumped the track. Brakes were applied but without effect. Seeing that a wreck was imminent the engineer and fireman both jumped from the flying train and were followed by all save one of the brakemen. The conductor realizing that something was wrong rushed to the door of his caboose and looked ahead. Taking in the situation at a glance he uncoupled his caboose and applied the brakes stopping it only a few yards from the river. The train shot out on the bridge, the immense drive wheels bouncing along over the timbers with crushing force. The bridge could not stand such jars and two spans of it went down, the engine and 35 cars going with it, the whole being completely wrecked. The brakeman who failed to jump from the train went down with the wreck to the bottom of the river and came out with only a cut on the hand where he had caught hold of something. He fell a distance of about 70 feet and his escape was almost miraculous. After getting all the goods possible out of the ruins the wreck had to be burned up. The actual loss to the railroad is more than \$100,000 besides the delays in handling freights and passengers. It is indeed fortunate that no lives were lost. Had the wreck happened to a passenger instead of a freight train the consequences would doubtless have been most horrible.

When will the Democratic Club be re-organized? The campaign should have life in it. Surely there is work enough to be done.

Some exchange says a store house in Atlanta is built entirely of paper. To this the Henderson Gold Leaf very aptly replies: "We have known whole towns to be built entirely on paper."

Senator Vance has our thanks for a copy of his speech on the tariff bill in the Senate on the 2nd inst., also a copy of the speech of Representative John S. Henderson, of this State, in July on the Silver bill.

Washington Letter.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 11th, '90. To see the justification in which the republicans are indulging over having re-elected Speaker Reed from a district where there was no organized democratic opposition, one would suppose that they had elected a majority of the next House and secured a mortgage on the Presidential chair for four years from March 4, 1893. Let them remember that he who laughs last laughs best."

The adulation which Mr. Reed is now receiving here from members of his party is absolutely sickening. He is naturally vain and self conceited, but since his return he is worse than ever; he struts around with his head thrown back and his chest expanded looking exactly like a barn-yard turkey-gobbler among a lot of hen turkeys. He regards the endorsement of his unspeakable record as Speaker, but also as an endorsement of his presidential aspirations, and the turning down of a certain gentleman who has for many years been supposed to carry the vote of the State of Maine around his vest pocket—James G. Blaine. By the way, it is noticeable that among all the telegrams of congratulation received by Mr. Reed there was not a word from Mr. Blaine.

Representative Cooper proved that the pension attorney, who endorsed Commissioner Baum's note for \$12,000 the day after Baum made a ruling that put more than \$200,000 in Lemon's pockets, had committed a forgery more than twenty years ago in this city and had been therefore disbarred from practice before a Government department and that the patent upon which Baum is president and Representative Snyder, to whom has been delegated the task of electing Representative McKindley, is a large stockholder, was a worthless fraud before the republicans of the water-washing committee got their heads together and decided not to investigate the private business affairs of Baum. The majority of the committee may whitewash until dooms day, but it will not change the verdict of "guilty as indicated," which the unprejudiced public has found against the Commissioner of Pensions, and Mr. Harrison will retain him in office. We shall see what is stated quietly by republicans that Mr. Harrison would have demanded the resignation of Baum before this if the Congressional elections were not so near, and that after Baum gets his coat of white wash and the elections are over he will be compelled to resign.

Has Mr. Harrison the backbone to carry out the threat he made of vetoing the River and Harbor bill if the \$5,000,000 of Senate amendments were agreed to? We shall soon know, the Senate amendments were agreed to, and the bill is now in his hands.

The democratic Senators like most members of the party believe in the principle of reciprocity and would be glad to see it extended to every country which buys our products or sells us theirs, but they want none of the so-called reciprocity which is contained in the Aldrich amendment to the tariff bill, which puts in the power of the President to close our ports against friendly nations whenever he may be pleased to do so, and that makes it possible for combinations of unscrupulous speculators to manipulate our tariff for their own benefit at the expense of the consumers. That isn't the democratic idea of reciprocity, therefore it was not surprising that the said democratic votes were cast against it. Two republicans—Messrs. Farris and Edmunds—also voted against it, and another republican—Senator Hoar—had the unflinching courage to state in substance in his closing speech that he only supported it because he regarded it as a make believe reciprocity. He told the truth; the object of the republicans in adopting the so-called reciprocity amendment is to catch votes for the party. They recognized the popularity of the idea and have attempted to take advantage of it.

The democrats of the House have this week been engaged in justifiable filibustering to prevent the passing of two negro contestation bills which the majority of the committee on Elections have unjustly decided were entitled to seats held by democrats. If the republicans will persist in their dirty political work let keep a quorum of their own members present to do it. Senator Gibson says the sugar schedule of the new tariff bill will add the sugar planters of Louisiana of more than a million dollars a year which will go into the pockets of the members of the sugar trust. If the conference committee to which the tariff bill has now gone allows October 1 to remain as the date for the new tariff bill to go into effect, and it throws the country into a financial panic, as the bankers of New York say it will, owing to the unusual demand on the part of importers for money to get their imported goods out of the bonded warehouses before that date, the responsibility will be with the republican party. They have been warned, and it troubles enough the people of the country will know where to place the blame for it.

About the Factory.

Wise Words from Mr. Cherry.

Bethel, N. C., Sept. 12th 1890.

MR. EDITOR:—I see in your last week's issue of the REFLECTOR an article in which you used my name and some remarks I make to you. I endorse your article and think it not only to the point, but to the interest of every tobacco grower in the county and every business man in Greenville also. If there was a tobacco warehouse backed up with a factory, in my honest opinion it would not only be a great convenience to the tobacco growers but a moneyed business to your town. For instance, we put up by stock company in Greenville a warehouse and prize factory with machinery attached to make cigarettes, the farmer's and stock company would have a double chance in profits on the tobacco raised in the county. We could have a stated day in every week for a brake, buyers would then come to see our famous, Pitt tobacco, and in case it did not bring such prices as was satisfactory it could be bid in for the company of the factory. In so doing if the planter lost in one way he would gain in the other. It behooves Greenville to work for it, as it would be the means of thousands and ten times thousands of dollars thrown down to the business men of Greenville that would go to other places, that might and could be kept in our county and town.

Mr. Editor, I am a home man. I believe in home enterprise. The way Pitt county is going on it will make in a few years Henderson and Oxford rich. Let us all join in together in one solid phalanx and enrich ourselves. We can get all this up and no one man can be hurt by the enterprise. There are enough men in the county and town to get this enterprise started and not half try. If there is 1000 acres in tobacco this year there will be 5000 in 1891. Think of the poor men that have grown rich out of such enterprises as this! Carr, Blackwell, Duke, Cooper, Davis, and a host of others that I could mention. There is money in this old county and town. I say let's have it and not let it leave us. Its in our grasp and we must hold it. M. C. S. CHERRY.

Items from Cox Cotton Planter Factory.

Miss Annie Mumford will return to the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Raleigh this week. She made many friends while here.

Miss Pattie Smith is attending school at the Greenville Institute.

Miss Mattie Brown, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Alfred McGlohorn, returned home Saturday.

Rev. T. J. Baker, the excellent pastor of Antioch, had two additions to the church at his last meeting.

We learn that the Knights of Labor, (with a few white men to help them) are trying to nominate candidates for the Senate and Legislature, to oppose the democratic candidates that favor Vance.

The Alliance at Woodland has purchased a cane mill for the purpose of manufacturing their molasses. Mr. Fred McGlohorn, President of the company, J. J. May, Esq. Treasurer and Mr. A. G. Cox Sec. are the officers.

We learn that the Knights of Labor passed resolutions that they would not pick out cotton for less than 50 cents per hundred. One of them worked for less, and they showed him that the way of the transgressor was hard, by whipping him very severely, for it.

Sept. 15th 1890.

Coxville Items.

COXVILLE, PITT CO., Sept. 13, '90. MR. EDITOR:—For several weeks some of the enterprising citizens of this neighborhood kept you supplied with the bits of news stirring around here. I am very sorry indeed that it has been so long since "M. W." was heard from, but such is the case. If you will spare me a small space in your interesting paper I will furnish you what once was known as Coxville Items.

Poles! Oh my!!

Play of rain for a while.

Miss Mary V. Smith, of this vicinity will take charge of the Vanceboro Institute. Fall session opens November 1st.

Mr. J. B. Smith is attending the Methodist Camp Meeting near Riverdale, North Carolina. Hope he will get "dusky."

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selmon Cox died last night, being the second they have lost within the last month. We extend our sympathies.

W. Z. Z.

Viewed by One Who Knows Him.

Salisbury Herald.

C. M. Bernard, of Greenville, has been set up by the Republicans of the 1st Congressional District to be knocked down by Mr. W. A. B. Beach, the Democratic nominee. Bernard is a small and insignificant man who possesses a vast amount of cheek and conceit, and who is so full of egotism that he fancies himself one of the shining lights of North Carolina. The people of the First District know him well and will not have him misrepresent them in Congress. When Beach and the Democratic party get through with the young gentleman from Pitt there will not be much starch left in him and his egotism and conceit will be considerably diminished. He is little now but will sink into complete oblivion after the first Tuesday in November.

See an exchange, and many will agree with us that it is excellent advice and ought to be more closely pressed by some people: "Pay off all your debts and give your creditors a rest. This will make every body happy, will spur business and counter the blessings of the good time coming. And it is the small accounts—due persons here and there—that we have reference to especially."

Bring The Factories.

An idea of the good tobacco factories would do here can be had from the fact that just the cultivation of the weed and preparing it for market has already given employment to many persons heretofore unemployed. Grading and tying tobacco is light work that women, girls and boys can readily perform and numbers of them right here in Greenville and adjacent community are making from 40 to 50 cents a day at this work. Think how many more could be employed at good wages if the right kind of factories were here, and how much more plentiful money would be for the merchants.

Entertainment.

Your presence is requested at a series of brilliant tableaux, representing The Gleaners, Liberty Enlightening the World, Captain Smith and Pocahontas, The Statue Bride, Tennyson's Dream of Fair Woman, Lullaby, The Gipsy Camp, etc., with Songs and Recitations to be given at the Opera House, Thursday night Sept. 18th at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 25cts. Children 15cts.

At a store in the brick building an excellent supper will be served from 8 to 11 o'clock. Bill of fare: fried oysters, chicken salad, turkey, pickled oysters, baked ham, devilled crabs, vanilla ice cream, lemon ice cream, peach ice cream, cakes. Supper 50cts. Children 25cts.

The Farmers Opportunity.

We will club THE REFLECTOR with the Raleigh Southern Farmer, both papers one year for \$2.00. The Southern Farmer is the oldest agricultural paper in this section of the country. Now is the time for the farmers to secure one of the best weekly agricultural and family newspapers, together with this paper at the cost nearly of one paper. The Southern Farmer has no equal in the South, as a weekly family paper, and is especially adapted to the present wants of Southern farmers who wish to be posted as to the changed condition of agriculture in the country. Sample copies will be furnished by the publisher to any who wish to avail themselves of this liberal offer.

Resolutions on the Death of Mr. Simon B. Kilpatrick.

To the officers and members of Roundtree Lodge, No. 243, A. F. & A. M.

The undersigned committee, appointed to draft resolutions to the memory of Bro. Simon B. Kilpatrick, who departed this life June 23, 1890, beg leave to submit the following report:

WHEREAS, It hath pleased the Grand Architect above to remove from our midst and his earthly labors, our esteemed Brother, S. B. Kilpatrick, and whereas we, the surviving members of Roundtree Lodge, No. 243, desire to place upon record a fitting memorial of his many virtues, talents and worth;

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Kilpatrick this Lodge has lost a true and honored member, the community in which he lived a quiet, unassuming and peaceable citizen, the church a consistent member, and the bereaved family a devoted father and friend, whose place cannot be filled;

and that while we bow with humble submission to this sad dispensation of the Divine will, we sorrow not as those without hope, but we firmly trust that our loss is his eternal gain and that his spirit, released from its earthly here, has gone to dwell in eternal bliss in that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the family of the deceased in their sad affliction, and assure them that it will ever be the pleasure of this Lodge to extend to them our timely aid, should their necessities ever so require.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes as a testimonial of our regard, a copy to be sent to the family of the deceased, and that a copy be sent to the Kingston Free Press and the Greenville Reflector with request to publish.

Respectfully submitted, P. B. LOFTIN, Com. E. J. BROOKS.

Old Pitt county has covered herself all over with glory. She has nominated not only a good county ticket, but her legislative ticket is exceptionally fine. Hon. Willis R. Williams, for Senate, has already served a series of terms, and is known from the ends of the State as the bitter antagonist of monopoly, corruption and oppression of any kind. He is thoroughly posted, an assiduous worker, popular, a scholar and a gentleman. All honor to him for the House there is J. D. Cox, an intelligent working man who knows the needs of the people and will dare to stand up for what he believes to be right. Any trust is safe confided to his keeping. Then there is Col. Harry Skinner, whose fame is not limited to State boundaries. One of the foremost leaders of this country, perhaps the most pleasing orator in the east, the advocate of the workingman, and the friend of the whole people, he will be a leader on the floor of the House. This is a most splendid team, and is bound to win and redound to the advantage of Pitt county and the whole State. May success attend them.—Washington Gazette.

Parties desiring to obtain patents or information of any kind relating to patents, should communicate with Messrs. C. A. Snow & Co., 710 8th St., Washington, D. C. The firm is prompt, reliable, and very moderate in its charges.

Strawberry Plants for Sale. The HOFFMAN and the CLOUD. These are the earliest and best for market. Special rates for large lots.

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J. J. Cherry, Jr.

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF FRESH AND SALT FISH.

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WE MAKE A BUSINESS OF MAKING BARGAINS IN Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Trimmings, Hosiery, Notions, Carpets, &c., &c.

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The Latest in Styles, Finest in Quality, Utmost in Variety, have been combined by us in

ONE MIGHTY EFFORT FOR TRADE.

Our Fall and winter Stock Offerings Will Not and Can Not Be Surpassed.

There is a Limit Below which Honest Goods can not be Sold. We Place our Prices at the Low Water Mark for Safe and UNDER GUARANTEE.

INSPECT US. CRITICISE US. KNOW US.

AND YOU WILL FIND WE DEAL FAIR AND SAVE YOU DOLLARS.

BROWN & HOOKER, - - Greenville.

Don't read this Advertisement, but if you do don't forget it!

Hereafter I will give closer attention to the Fruit and Confectionary trade. During the approaching season my stock will consist of the finest Candies, Nuts, Figs, Raisins, Apples, Oranges and Bananas. I will handle in large quantities. At the same time I shall keep a full line of Fancy Groceries. I challenge the world to produce a better reliable Cigar than the old reliable PILGRIM. It has been on this market for 15 years and for a good smoke take the lead. Anything in the above will be found at the Fruit and Confectionary store of

V. L. STEPHENS, Greenville, N. C.

J. A. ANDREWS, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

MEAT AND FLOUR-SPECIALTIES. Car Load Feed Oats, Car Load Corn, Car Load No. 1 Hay, Car Load Rib Side Meat, Car Load St. Louis Flour, all grades 100 lbs Heavy Mess Pork, 25 lbs Granulated Sugar, 25 lbs "C" Sugar, 25 lbs Gail & Ax Snuff, all kinds, 10 lbs Rail Road Mills Snuff, 10 lbs Lorillard Snuff, 50 lbs Poto Rico Molasses, 50 lbs Boston Lard, 50 Cases Star Lye, 50 Gross Matches.

Also full line Baking Powders, Soda, Soap, Starch, Tobacco, Cigars, Cakes, Crackers, Candies, Canned Goods, Wrapping Paper, Paper Sacks. Special prices given to the wholesale trade on large quantities of the above goods.

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\$10,000.

On Wednesday, October 8th, 1890, there will be held at

AYDEN, AYDEN, The new railroad town in Pitt county, a

Sale of Railroad Lots

No such opportunity has ever been offered before to the public to secure the finest quality and most desirable Real Estate at half its real value, and this opportunity will not come again. It is

NOW - OR - NEVER

And the prize is within the reach of all, for we will sell on such easy terms as to be within the power of any one to become a purchaser.

Is a new town on the Scotland Neck Branch of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad. It is just 8 1/2 miles below Greenville, on the road to Kinston, and is surrounded on all sides, near and stretching afar off, by the most fertile lands of which the State can boast. Land adapted to the growth of the finest Tobacco in the world—prolific for the growth of Corn, Cotton, Truck and Fruit, and a most benignant climate.

THE TIMBER SUPPLY of this section is virtually inexhaustible and consists of primeval forests of Pine, Ash and Poplar of the most desirable quality. You should visit these forests.

It is needless to urge the many advantages of this rising young town and the varied material resources by which it is surrounded and the riches of wealth for the progressive men who take hold of this golden opportunity.

PROSPECTORS all should visit AYDEN and that is all that is asked. It will stand the test on its merits. Be sure to attend the sale.

REMEMBER THE DATE —

Wednesday, October 8th, 1890.

TERMS! Cash, or if desired, half cash and balance on 12 months, with note at per cent. interest.

J. B. Edgerton, Agent.

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Owners & Props., Henderson, N. C.

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Every Lot of Tobacco put on our Floors.

We know that a poor sale means a loss of patronage and we as business men cannot afford that

Empty Hogheads furnished free. Find them with S. A. REDDING Greenville, or with E. S. HARRIS, Falkland.

Our market is the best market for bright tobacco in the State and our facilities for handling tobacco as good as anybody's and we will do all we can to please you if you will give us a trial.

Our house is the best lighted in town and we have every possible advantage that can be had on a loose market. Give us a trial and be convinced.

HARRIS, GOOCH & CO.

R. J. COBB, C. C. COBB, T. H. GILLIAM, Pitt Co. N. C., Pitt Co. N. C., Perquimans Co. N. C.

Cobb Bros. & Gilliam,

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NORFOLK, VA.

SOLICIT YOUR SHIPMENT OF COTTON &

We have had many years experience at the business and are prepared to handle Cotton to the advantage of shippers.

All business entrusted to our hands will receive prompt and careful attention

D. D. HASKETT & CO.

STOVES! STOVES! We are making a specialty of COOKING & HEATING STOVES, and are receiving the finest line ever brought to Greenville. Our stock will be complete embracing every size made. Our popular

"NEW LEE" still stands at the head. Our other brands are all good. We have the heaviest Stove for the money ever put on this market. We carry a full line of Stoveware, Pipe and Fittings, Tinware, Hardware, Saw Goggles, Nails, Paints, Oils, Doors and Sash, Glass and Putty.

We want to see everybody that wants a Cook Stove. We are prepared to supply the demand.

D. D. HASKETT & CO.

FALL AND WINTER ANNOUNCEMENT

OF

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

The leading General Merchandise dealers in

PITT COUNTY.

We wish to say to our customers everywhere that we have the largest and best selected stock that it has ever been our pleasure to place before you. And beg of you that you will inspect our stock and compare quality, quantity and prices given you anywhere else by any first class house. We realize that competition is the life of trade but we are fully abreast of the times and feel able to meet any competitor fairly and squarely.

We give our customers the very best that can be bought for the MONEY

invested in that article. We are with the people in their demands that they shall buy goods cheap. And we promise all who shall give us their patronage that they shall have them cheap. If you fail to get as good bargains, when you buy of some one else, as your neighbor gets who buys of us, you have only yourself to blame, because we have invited you time and again to come in and see us. Our invitation to all people is this: LEARN OF US, KNOW US, BUY OF US. With these three injunctions ringing fresh in your ears every week, we again ask you to come and examine the following lines of General Merchandise:

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods

Notions,

Hats and Caps,

Boots and Shoes,

Hardware,

Farming Implements,

Heavy & Fancy Groceries

Flour a Specialty,

Crockery & Queensware,

Wood & Willow Ware,

Tinware,

Stationery,

Trunks and Valises,

Harness and Whips.

After a business experience of twenty-five years we do not hesitate to tell you that we can and do offer you bargains that have never before been heard of in this county, and each succeeding season we are at work trying to serve your interests faithfully.

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IS IT! I MEAN IT! I CAN PROVE IT!

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PRATT'S REVOLVING HEAD COTTON GIN

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REFERENCES.—Henry Bonner, F. B. Guilford, F. F. Cherry, Jno. Pate, Aurora, N. C.; F. B. Hooker, Idaho, N. C.; W. R. Ross, T. R. Boyd, Edwards Mill, N. C.; C. H. Fowler, Stoneville, N. C.; J. J. Tucker, A. G. Cox, Greenville, N. C.; W. L. Smith, Calico, N. C.; E. S. Waters, Pantego, N. C.; J. T. Wilkinson, Haslin, N. C.; W. S. D. Eborn, Bunyan, N. C.; W. H. Hampton, Plymouth, N. C.; M. A. Windley, Bath, N. C.; S. M. Smith, Theo. Bland, Johnson's Mills, N. C.; W. T. Hooten, Makenlyville, N. C.; J. T. Gaylord, Yanceyville, N. C.

ORDER EARLY.—Don't wait until the ginning season is upon you to order your gin. It will cost no more early than late. We will take orders now or any time this summer, at cash prices, and deliver on good notes, without interest, payable in November, 1890.

MOWING MACHINES.—We will sell the Buckeye Mowing Machines on good notes, to responsible parties, payable November, 1890

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Proprietor.

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General Directory.

STATE GOVERNMENT.
Governor—Daniel G. Fowle, of Wake.
Lieutenant-Governor—Thos. M. Holt, of Alamance.
Secretary of State—William L. Saunders, of Wake.
Treasurer—Donald W. Bain, of Wake.
Auditor—George W. Sanderlin, of Wayne.
Superintendent of Public Instruction—Sidney M. Finger, of Catawba.
Attorney-General—Theodore F. Davidson, of Buncombe.

SUPREME COURT.
Chief Justice—A. S. Merriman, of Wake.
Associate Justices—Walter Clark, of Wake; Joseph J. Davis, of Franklin; James E. Shepherd, of Beaufort and Alfonso C. Avery, of Burke.

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 Whitaker, of Wake.
Fifth District—T. G. Womack, of Chatham.
Sixth District—E. T. Boykin, of Sampson.
Seventh District—James C. McRae, of Cumberland.
Eighth District—R. F. Armfield, of Iredell.
Ninth District—Jesse F. Graves, of Surry.
Tenth District—John J. Bynum, of Burke.
Eleventh District—W. M. Shipp, of Mecklenburg.
Twelfth District—James H. Merrimon, of Buncombe.

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS.
Senators—Zebulon H. Vance, of Mecklenburg; Matt. W. Ransom, of Northampton.
House of Representatives—First District—Thomas G. Skinner, of Perquimans.
Second District—H. P. Cheatham, of Vance.
Third District—C. W. McClammy, of Pender.
Fourth District—B. H. Rann, 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 Jones.
Ninth District—H. G. Ewart, of Henderson.

COUNTY GOVERNMENT.
Superior Court Clerk—E. A. Moye.
Sheriff—J. K. Tucker.
Register of Deeds—David H. James.
Treasurer—James B. Cherry.
Surveyor—J. S. L. Ward.
Coroner—H. B. Harris.
Commissioners—Connell Dawson, Chairman; Guilford Moore, C. V. Newton, John Flanagan, T. E. Keel.
Board of Education—Henry Harding, Chairman; J. S. Congleton and J. D. Cox.
Public School Superintendent—H. Harding.
Sup't of Health—Dr. F. W. Brown.
Standard Keeper—Corneilus Kinsaul.

TOWNS.
Mayor—F. G. James.
Clerk—W. B. Greene.
Treasurer—M. H. Lang.
Chief Police—T. Smith.
Ass't Police—T. R. Moore.
Councilmen—1st Ward, T. A. Wilks, 2d Ward, W. H. Smith, and R. Greene, Jr.; 3d Ward, M. H. 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., Minister.
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. Rev. A. D. Hunter, Pastor.

LODGES.
Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A. M., meets every 1st and 3rd Sunday and Monday night after the 1st and 3rd Sunday at Masonic Lodge. A. L. Blow, W. M., G. L. Heltzner, 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. White, N. E. G. E. A. M. Sec.
Orion Encampment, No. 12, I. O. O. F., meets every 2nd and 4th Friday nights. E. A. Moye, C. P. C. D. Rountree, S.

Insurance Lodge, No. 1169, K. of H., meets every first and third Friday night. D. D. Haskett, D.

Pitt Council, 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. D. Cox, President; E. A. Moye, Secretary.

Greenville Alliance meets Saturday before the second Sunday in each month at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., in Germania Hall. Fernando Ward, President; D. S. Spain, Secretary.

POST OFFICE.
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.

Northern Mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 6:30 P. M. and departs at 7:30 A. M.

Tarboro, Old Sparta and Falkland mails arrive every Sunday at 5 P. M. and depart at 1 P. M.

Washington, Paulsboro, Latham's X Roads, Chocowinity and Grimesland mails arrive daily (except Sunday) at 7 P. M. and depart at 6:30 A. M.

Democratic Nominees.

For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: HON. A. S. MERRIMAN.

For Asso. Jus. of the Supreme Court: HON. WALTER CLARK.

For Superior Court Judge: 1st District: G. H. Brown, Jr., of Beaufort.

2d District: Henry R. Bryan, of Craven.

4th District: Spier Whitaker, of Wake.

5th District: R. W. Winston, of Granville.

6th District: E. T. Boykin, of Sampson.

7th District: Jas. D. McIver, of Moore.

8th District: R. F. Armfield, of Iredell.

10th District: J. G. Bynum, of Burke.

11th District: W. A. Hoke, of Lincoln.

For Congress—First District: W. A. B. BRANCH, of Beaufort.

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

COUNTY TICKET.

For the Senate: WILLIS R. WILLIAMS.

or House of Representatives: HARRY SKINNER, JOHN D. COX.

For Superior Court Clerk: ELBERT A. MOYE.

For Sheriff: J. A. K. TUCKER.

For Register of Deeds: DAVID H. JAMES.

For Treasurer: JOHN FLANAGAN.

For Coroner: HENRY F. KEEL.

For Surveyor: J. S. L. WARD.

Constables: Beaver Dam: W. B. Burnett.

Belvoir: J. P. Hodges.

Bethel: G. W. Edmundson.

Carroll: J. L. Robinson.

Chico: W. E. Buck.

Contentnea: E. S. Edwards.

Falkland: D. J. Bibb.

Greenville: O. W. Harrington.

Patricks: D. S. Langley.

Swift Creek: Election Tuesday, Nov. 4th.

NOTHING AND SOMETHING.

D. S. T. BUTTERBAUGH.

It is nothing to me, the beauty said

With careless toss of her pretty head

The moon is weak if he can't refrain

From the cup you say is fraught with pain—

But

It was something to her in after years

When her eyes were full of burning tears

And she watched in lonely grief and dread

And started to hear a staggering tread.

It is nothing to me, the mother said:

I have no fear that my boy will tread

The downward path of sin and shame,

And crush my heart and darken his name—

But

It was something to her when that only son

From the path of right was early won,

And madly cast in the flowing bowl

A ruined body and sin-wrecked soul.

It is nothing to me, the merchant said,

As over his ledger he bent his head,

Heed not the painful things that tell

And have no time to brood and fret—

But

It was something to him when over the wire

News Gittings.

The Michigan Republicans nominated James M. Turner for governor.

The New York State Board of Arbitration are investigating the case of the New York Central railroad strike.

The boarding proprietors in the Catskills have declared war on the Hebrews, refusing to accept them as guests.

The Indiana Democratic state convention condemned the New York Central railroad for hiring Pinkerton detectives.

I. G. B. Haggins' colt Salvador breaks the mile running record at Moomouth Park, covering the distance in 1.33.

The Central American War is ended. Guatemala, and San Salvador have signed a peace treaty, and armies are disbanding.

The dog population of New York City is estimated at from 25,000 to 30,000. More than 7,000 were caught and asphyxiated last year.

M. de Freycinet, Minister of War for France, has decided that foreign wheat shall be excluded in contracts for supplying the army.

Sawyer, Wallace, & Co., of 18 Broadway New York, one of the largest commission houses in this country, failed for over \$1,000,000.

The quantity of grain passing down the Welland Canal from one American port to another increased from 47,000 tons in 1880 to 213,000 in 1889.

Several animals have died at the New Hampshire State cattle quarters of tuberculosis, and the entire herd, all of the finest blood stock, has been exposed to the disease.

Half a dozen members of the Alpine club, of Paris, are now in this country. They intend to climb some of our mountains and make scientific observations.

Temperance advocates are rejoicing over the fact that Hiram is now a total abstainer. The list of great men who in recent years have joined the cold water ranks is a long one.

A Baptist deacon, who went to the house of Mrs. Selby, near Gainesville, Tex., and began to make love to her in the absence of her husband was very nearly killed by the infuriated woman.

A Napa (Cal) paper tells of a clergyman who has grafted into a peach tree on his place different varieties of stone fruit, until now he gathers from it almonds, plums and three kinds of peaches.

In answer to the call for rats the Atlanta Fair Association, of Washington, Ill., which offered premiums for their killing, received 20,948 rat tails. One man killed 4,300 on his farm and received first prize.

It is said that many large firms have formed an anti-trust alliance, with headquarters in Pittsburgh. Among them are mentioned the Westinghouse Company; Yale Lock Company and Colt Arms Company.

Eczema From Childhood

When an infant my body broke out all over with an eruption or rash which became more aggravated as I grew older. From early childhood until I was grown my family spent a fortune trying to cure me of the disease. Every noted physician our section was tried or consulted.

When I came of age I visited Hot Springs, Ark., and was treated there by the best medical men but was not benefited. After that, under the advice of a noted specialist, I tried the celebrated Chifon Springs, New York, without any good results. When all things had failed I determined to try S. S. S. and in four months was entirely cured. The terrible Eczema was all gone, not a sign left; my general health built up; and I have never had any return of the disease. I have since recommended S. S. S. to a number of friends for skin disease, eruptions, etc., and have never known of a failure to cure.

GEORGE W. LEWIS, Irwin, Pa.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

SWIFT'S SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

It is now thought that Hon. W. A. B. Branch will poll the largest vote polled since the war. The first district will bear its record by giving, not only Mr. Branch, but all the nominees the largest majority ever known in the district. To do this the Democrats must work, get more to register and to vote. Already several Republicans have said they are going to vote for Branch, and some have even quit the Republican party. The day is coming when Democracy will rule not only North Carolina, but the Union. When such men as Branch are brought out as the standard bearers, the colors fly too high for Republicans, and it is either to beat or to be beaten. Democrats or to go down with the Republicans.—Falmouth Beacon.

For the Reflector.

Over in Bertie.

WINDSOR, N. C. Sept. 8th.

MR. EDITOR:—I now write you a few items from this ancient town.

It is a town that has long been known in song and in story, and a history of North Carolina without mentioning Windsor would be like the play of Hamlet with that noble Dame ignored.

Windsor is situated in a low valley on the Western bank of the Cashie Creek (miscalled a river) and strange to say that it is one of the most healthy little towns in this section. Its population is about six hundred. It has forty three dry goods and grocery stores, nineteen bar-rooms, eleven Hotels and restaurants. Three coach factories, a jewelry and watch making establishment, a Masonic and Good Templars Lodge and a farmers alliance, three white churches. A cotton factory was seen here about ten years ago, but the proprietors let it go down, but there is some talk of re-establishing it. The merchants sell enormous quantities of goods and it takes three steamers daily to do the carrying trade between this point and Plymouth, where the freight both incoming and outgoing is changed to other lines. It is often the case that the freight accommodations are inadequate to supply the demand and much of the freight has to be hauled from Quitney on the Roanoke River or from Lewiston the terminus of the Roanoke and Tar River Rail Road.

The farming lands in Bertie are the most fertile that I ever saw, and produce very fine crops with but little labor and no manure. If the farmers in the community were to prepare and manure their lands and do the same labor on their farms as the farmers of Pitt county there is no telling what these lands would produce.

I have been on several farms on which there was not a bushel of any kind matured and the cotton was waist high and full of forms. The yield from such land as this with this style of cultivation is three hundred pounds of lint cotton per acre. I have noticed especially one man's crop. His land laid out last year in April he flushed it up and bedded it and then sowed his cotton seed, in about three weeks he chopped it out and plowed it. He gave it one more hoeing and plowing and then laid it by. His crop this year will yield over fourteen hundred pounds of seed cotton per acre.

The land will yield twenty-five and thirty bushels of corn per acre without any manure. Many farmers make good crops of corn with no hoe work and only one plowing. What would these farms yield if they were cultivated like they are in Pitt?

There are some few farmers in this county who work as hard and prepare their lands as well as any of their class in this section. The yield from these farms is enormous. They generally clear eight hundred dollars net per horse. There are a plenty of farmers in this county who make fifteen bales of cotton and seventy-five bushels of corn to each plow, and average five hundred pounds of lint cotton to every acre they cultivate. A good deal of the high land corn produces six barrels of corn per acre without any manure and the swamp land produces as much as ninety bushels per acre. This is also a good county for peaches and tobacco. But little tobacco is cultivated here, but what little is raised is pronounced to be very good, by experts in tobacco cultivation.

Peanuts have also become a staple crop in this county, and are cultivated to a great extent. There are over eight thousand acres planted in peanuts this year and from present indications the yield will be great. The average yield of peanuts per acre in this county is forty-five bushels, while some farmers gather seventy bushels from each acre cultivated. There is a considerable excitement in the upper part of this county near the village of Orlando.—J. Madison Early, Esq., one of the most prominent citizens in that community, and a gentleman who is highly spoken of as the choice of this county as the Democratic nominee for State Senator of this district while having a well driven on his farm struck a vein of natural gas. The lumes were so powerful that they almost suffocated the men who were driving the well. The gas flows in a continuous stream from the iron pipe which was in the well and with great force. Some one thoughtlessly stuck a match to the escaping gas and to see if it would burn and it is now burning at the height of fifteen feet above the top of the pipe. And at the night the whole community within a radius of two miles is nearly as light as it is at noon. The ignorant people who live in the community think that judgement day is close at hand, and are holding prayer meetings every night.

The Democratic of this county have had their nominating convention and put the candidates for all the county offices in the field and are working hard to elect them. There will be considerable increase in the democratic vote this year as hundreds of white voters have moved in this county since the last election.

Mr. M. L. Ward is the democratic nominee for the House of Representatives and there is no doubt of his election. He is a strong supporter of the Hon. Z. B. Vance for U. S. Senator.

Respt, Yours, GEORGE.

For the Reflector.

From Far-Away West.

MINCO, I. T., Aug. 28, 1890.

MINCO is fast improving, though it has had no such mushroom growth as the towns of Oklahoma country. There are now eight business houses, a bank, two restaurants, one hotel, a billiard hall, several dwellings, extensive stock pens and the largest and nicest depot on the Rock Island R. R. west of Caldwell, Kan. Several other small buildings are also in the town. There is some probability of Minco being made a division, if so our town will be ahead of the Oklahoma towns. There are two long switches, a Y, turn-table, and a large tank is being built at the depot. The railroad has penetrated far enough into the Territory to control the cattle shipments for some time, so on account of the great drought of this summer and the present condition of the Territory it is thought by many that the road will not go farther into the interior for probably two years. Minco also has two large lumber yards and an extensive livery department.

The school building will be complete except painting by the 30th of this month, and school will open on the 1st of September. Our school is located in the best part of town, and the building is pronounced to be the best building in the town. When the painting is done and the fencing is complete I shall be almost happy. Mr. Campbell gave all the ground I asked for and the trustees let me plan the building. The trustees comprise Messrs. C. B. Campbell, W. J. Erwin, W. G. Williams, J. H. Bond, J. H. Tuttle, and M. J. Johnson, a more liberal set of men I never expect to meet. None can know how I appreciate their confidence, and may God help me to ever live worthy of it. The school building will also be used for Sunday-school purposes and will be open to any minister who chooses to preach in it. Every other house except a very few have been opened with a "happy," but the school house will not be complete until about twelve o'clock Saturday night, so the Lord willing, we will open our house with prayer.

Minco is as orderly as any town in the East, and we have no city council, no police, and only an occasional visit from a U. S. Marshal. The Infantry came down a few weeks ago, but they did nothing but serene the town and took them to their posts. We do not need any one to keep order so long as there are no saloons to make disorder. No spirits of any kind can be sold in any part of the Territory except in Oklahoma country, and its towns, many of them, are simply demon dens full of all the black crimes the human mind is capable of imagining. I know that the wine cup will be tipped so long as men exist, but if any man will once live in a country where the diabolical stuff never has been allowed to be sold, he can but confess that nine-tenths of all the crime committed had its origin in the tipplers bowl. I do not mean to say that no crimes have been committed in the Territory, for some of the blackest deeds have been done here, but each date back to smuggled whiskey. On the 4th of July several were daring enough to engage in a beer and cider trade here, but only a few days ago the U. S. Marshals came down and captured the offending parties. There is not one den of vice in the whole town, the leading citizen here is a man of high character and has been camping ground. Our town bids fair to make a record that no other town has yet made.

Minco very much needs a cotton gin. People on the Washita and in Oklahoma have been experimenting in cotton this year, and there is not a gin within a radius of forty miles. We have about every other business that we need except a millinery establishment and a laundry. There is only one family of persons in the town to wash for the whole community, and we have to take just what we can get and pay four times as much for it as in Greenville. If any darkie would come out here and wash and iron they could make more here in one year than they could in Greenville for ten years.

All goods are much higher than in the East, but labor also corresponds with the high prices, so after all matters are about equalized. The drought has made farm produce increase in value. Corn now retails at seventy-five cents per bushel, generally twenty-five cents is a good price, and last fall thousands of bushels sold for twelve and a half cents per bushel.

There are two parties in the Territory, the Progressive and Anti-Progressive. The Anties are full bodied and half breeds, and oppose fencing the ranches, in fact oppose almost all progress in the civilized world; the Progressive party is composed of square men. The Anties elected their candidate at the muzzle of their Winchester. Oklahoma went Democratic, but the Governor elected died a few days after election, so on a second ballot a Republican came out champion.

META CHESTNUT.

Governor McKinney, of Virginia says that it is not at all necessary for a public man to drink, as is often asserted. It has been his invariable practice to decline all "treats" in political campaigns, and he believes that instead of losing, he has gained votes by his abstinence.—Winston Daily.

Since the Presidential election of 1888 nineteen votes have been added to the electoral college, including the six which Idaho and Wyoming will contribute.—Raleigh Intelligencer.

Respt, Yours, GEORGE.

For the Reflector.

In Memory of Uncle Frank Bond.

Our dear uncle wandered from his home and dear wife Tuesday morning, August 26th, about 3 o'clock, and after many untiring searches his body was found in Tar river by the captain of the boat ten miles above Washington. His body was brought up on the boat that afternoon, and interred in the family burying ground the same evening by candle light. For some time his mind had been in an abnormal state, and the tearing down some buildings on his town lots and heart trouble seemed to perplex him so much, we suppose it caused sudden insanity, and thus he wandered away from his dear home, with its sweet surroundings and plunged himself in the depths of the dark, cold river, perfectly unconscious of his mighty dangers. It is with feeling of deep regret, mingled with sorrow, that we make this sad, sad announcement. Thus, has passed away the spirit of one, who, while on earth, diffused around him the very atmosphere of kindness, gentleness, and love. He leaves behind him fragrant memories of a halcyon life, intermingled with many charitable deeds. His disposition was devoid of selfishness, striving always to make happy and comfortable those with whom he was associated. Time cannot efface his cherished memory, although dead he liveth in his bright example of fortitude in suffering, of patient tribulation, and unswerving devotion of truth. Surely a life so beautiful, so true, so devoid of selfishness, so radiant, and holy with heavenly influences cannot be spent in vain. His earthly career, shines out so splendidly as a beacon light to cheer his Christian wife, relatives and many friends in their loneliness, and points them to the unerring truth "that in life we are in the midst of death." We can hardly realize the sad fact that our dear uncle is no more; that his spirit has winged its flight to the realm of heavenly bliss. Your loss, dear Auntie, but no doubt is his eternal gain. He never made any open profession of religion; but expressed his preference in the faith proclaimed by the Episcopalians, always centering his hope upon Jesus, who died for the redemption of the sins of his people. Weep not, dear Auntie, but rather draw comfort from the consoling thought, that he has but exchanged those earthly joys for the sublime beauties, unsullied pleasures, and unalloyed happiness of that kingdom above, to sing praises of our great Redeemer throughout endless ages of eternity. Dear uncle, we miss thy sweet, gentle face.

But we know you are happier, clothed in raiment of white, with a crown of bright pearls; and a halo of heavenly light.

Encircling your brow from morn till night.

So good bye, good night, dear uncle, we hope to meet you on the bright shores of eternity where parting is never known.

Bethel, N. C.

Off for College.

Winston Daily.

The days have arrived for school again, and from the hundreds of homes in North Carolina are going out the sons and daughters of our land to enter upon their duties for life's great preparation. It is no little task, and the responsibilities that lay upon those who are to fashion their careers and give them the correct turn in life is by no means a small one. Who can fathom the deep anxiety of a father when he bids his son good bye and watches him moving train bear him out of sight off to the eventful college life that is in store for him? Who can but see through the tear-dimmed eyes into the window of his mother's soul and find there the prayer that receives its entrance at the throne above that God will bless and save her boy? It is a sad occasion. But when a father can say, "My boy has never seen me take a drop of whiskey, chew a particle of tobacco or smoke a single cigar or cigarette," there is comfort in his breast.

A Hard Corner.

The age of 30 is a hard corner for a woman to turn and 35 is still harder. She feels that she is fast leaving her youth behind her. But there is no reason why a woman should be faded and gray at 30, or even 45. The chief cause of the early fading of American women is found in the fact that many of them suffer from some form of female weakness or disease which robs the face of its bloom, draws dark circles about the eyes, brings early wrinkles and sallowness, and stamps the face and figure with signs of ill-health. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure all these troubles, will bring back the lost bloom, and make the face and figure as fresh and rosy as when first the girl came into the world. It is a safe and reliable remedy in every case, and price (\$1.00) refunded.

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville, N. C.

D. J. WICKARD, Editor and Proprietor.

Publisher's Announcement.

THE REFLECTOR'S PRICE OF

ADVERTISING RATES.—One column

one year, \$75; one-half column one year,

\$40; one-quarter column one year, \$25.

Transient Advertisements.—One inch

one week, \$1; two weeks, \$1.50; one

month \$2. Two inches one week, \$1.50,

two weeks, \$2; one month, \$3.

Advertisements inserted in Local

Column as reading items, 75 cents per

line for each insertion.

Legal Advertisements, such as Ad-

ministrators' and Executors' Notices,

Commissioners' and Trustees' Sales,

Summons to Non-Residents, etc., will

be charged for at legal rates and MUST

BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE. The REF-

LECTOR has suffered some loss and

much annoyance because of having no

fixed rule as to the payment of this class

of advertisements, and in order to avoid

future trouble payment in ADVANCE

will be demanded.

Contracts for any space not mentioned

above for any length of time, can be

made by application to the office either

in person or by letter.

Copy for New Advertisements and

alterations of advertisements should be

handed in by 10 o'clock on Tuesday

mornings in order to receive prompt in-

sertion the day following.

The REFLECTOR having a large circula-

tion will be found a profitable medium

through which to reach the public.

ENTERED AT THE POST OFFICE AT

GREENVILLE, N. C., AS SECOND-CLASS

MAIL MATTER.]

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1890.

Maj. Wm. A. Guthrie of Dur-

ham, one of the most prominent

Republicans in the State, has writ-

ten a letter severing his connec-

tion with that party and declaring

his intention to support Hon. B.

H. Bunn, the Democratic candi-

date for Congress in the Fourth

District.

The annual State Fair will be

held in Raleigh October 14th to

18th. It is going to be the big-

gest and best fair the society has

yet held. The whole State is in-

terested in this fair and every

county should help to make it a

success. Pitt county will stand

very much in her own light if she

does not make a good exhibit

there. Steps in this direction

should be taken at once and the

movement put on foot to have the

county creditably represented.

Pitt can make as good an exhibit

as any county in North Carolina.

Judge Womack is giving gener-

al satisfaction as presiding Judge

over this term of Pitt Superior

Court. He wears the ermine

with dignity, and while he pushes

the work in a rapid business like

manner, there is the utmost care,

accuracy and precision about him.

His charge to the Grand Jury is

When will the Democratic Club

be re-organized? The campaign

should have life in it. Surely there

is work enough to be done.

Some exchange says a store

house in Atlanta is built entirely

of paper. To this the Henderson

Gold Leaf very aptly replies: "We

have known whole towns to be

built entirely on paper."

Senator Vance has our thanks for

a copy of his speech on the tariff

bill in the Senate on the 2nd inst.,

also a copy of the speech of Rep-

resentative John S. Henderson, of

this State, in July on the Silver

bill.

Washington Letter.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 11th, '90.

To see the justification in which

the republicans are indulging over

having re-elected Speaker Reed from

a district where there was no organ-

ized democratic opposition, one

would suppose that they had elected

a majority of the next House and

secured a mortgage on the Presi-

dential chair for four years from

March 4, 1893. Let them remember

that "the who laughs last laughs

best."

The adulation which Mr. Reed is

now receiving here from members

of his party is absolutely sickening.

He is naturally vain and self con-

ceited, but since his return he is

worse than ever; he struts around

with his head thrown back and his

chest expanded looking exactly like

a barn-yard turkey-gobbler among

a lot of hen turkeys. He regards

his re-election as not only an en-

dorsement of his unspeakable record

as Speaker, but also as an endorse-

ment of his presidential aspirations,

and the turning down of a certain

gentleman who has for many years

been supposed to carry the vote of

the State of Maine around in his

vest pocket—James G. Blaine. By

the way, it is noticeable that among

all the telegrams of congratulation

received by Mr. Reed there was not

a word from Mr. Blaine.

Representative Cooper proved

that Lemmon, the pension attorney,

who endorsed Commissioner Baum's

note for \$12,000 the day after Baum

made a ruling that put more than

\$200,000 in Lemmon's pockets, had

committed a forgery more than two

years ago in this city and had

been therefore disbarred from prac-

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ment and that the patent upon which

the Refrigerator company of which

Baum is president and Representa-

tive Sumner, to whom has been dele-

gated the task of electing Represen-

tative McKendley, is a large

stockholder, was a worthless fraud

before the republicans of the white-

washing committee got their heads

together and decided not to inves-

tigate the private business affairs of

Baum. The majority of the com-

About the Factory.

Wm. Words from Mr. Cherry.

Bethel, N. C. Sept. 12th 1890.

MR. EDITOR.—I see in your last

week's issue of the REFLECTOR an

article in which you used my name

and some remarks I make to you. I

endorse your article and think it not

only to the point, but to the interest

of every tobacco grower in the coun-

ty and every business man in

Greenville also. If there was a to-

bacco warehouse backed up with a

factory, in my honest opinion it

would not only be a great conven-

ience to the tobacco growers but a

mounted business to your town. For

instance, we put up by stock company

in Greenville a warehouse and prize

factory with machinery attached

to make cigarettes, the farmer's and

stock company would have a double

chance in profits on the tobacco

raised in the county. We could

have a steady day in every week

for a brake, buyers would then come

to see our famous, Pitt tobacco,

and in case it did not bring such

prices as was satisfactory it could

be bid in for the company of the

factory. In so doing if the paper

lost in one way he would gain in the

other. It behooves Greenville to

work for it, as it would be the means

of thousands and ten times thou-

sands of dollars thrown down to the

business men of Greenville that

would go to other places, that might

and could be kept in our county and

town.

Mr. Editor, I am a home man. I

believe in home enterprise. The

way Pitt county is going on it will

make in a few years Henderson

and Oxford rich. Let us all join in

together in one solid phalanx and

enrich ourselves. We can get all this

up and no one man can be hurt by

the enterprise. There are enough

men in the county and town to get

this enterprise started and not half

try. If there is 1000 acres in tobacco

this year there will be 5000 in 1891.

Think of the poor men that have

grown rich out of such enterprises

as this! Carr, Blackwell, Duke,

Cooper, Davis, and a host of others

that I could mention. There is

money in this and it is not to be

lost. Let us all join in and let us

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Bring The Factories.

An idea of the good tobacco fac-

tories would do here can be had

from the fact that just the cultiva-

tion of the weed and preparing it for

market has already given employ-

ment to many persons heretofore

unemployed. Grading and tying to-

bacco is light work that women, girls

and boys can readily perform and

numbers of them right here in

Greenville and adjacent community

are making from 40 to 50 cents a

day at this work. Think how many

more could be employed at good

wages if the right kind of factories

were here, and how much more ben-

eficial money would be for the mer-

chants.

Entertainment.

Your presence is requested at a

series of brilliant Tableaux, repre-

senting The Glammers, Liberty Enligh-

tening the World, Captain Smith and

Pocahontas, The Statue Bride, Ten-

nyson's Dream of Fair Woman, Lu-

laby, The Gipsy Camp, etc., with

Songs and Recitations to be given at

the Opera House, Thursday night

Sept. 18th at 7:30 o'clock. Admis-

sance Reserved Seats, 35cts. General

Admission 25cts. Children 15cts.

At a store in the brick building an

excellent supper will be served from

8 to 11 o'clock. Bill of fare: fried

oysters, chicken salad, turkey, pickled

oysters, baked ham, devilled crabs,

vanilla ice cream, lemon ice cream,

peach ice cream, cakes, Supper 50cts

Children 25cts.

The Farmers Opportunity.

We will club THE REFLECTOR

with the Raleigh Southern Farmer,

both papers one year for \$2.00.

The Southern Farmer is the oldest

agricultural paper in this section of

the country. Now is the time for the

farmers to secure one of the best

weekly agricultural and family

newspapers, together with this pa-

per at the cost of nearly one paper.

The Southern Farmer has no equal

in the South, as a weekly family

paper, and is especially adapted to

the present wants of Southern

farmers who wish to be posted as

to the changed condition of agricul-

ture in the country. Sample copies

will be furnished by the publisher to

any one who will send him the name

of a reliable person to whom the

paper should be sent.

Resolutions on the Death of Mr. Simon B.

Kilpatrick.

To the officers and members of

Roundtree Lodge, No. 243, A. F. & A.

M.:

The undersigned committee, ap-

pointed to draft resolutions to the

memory of Bro. Simon B. Kilpatrick,

who departed this life June 23, 1890,

beg leave to submit the following

report:

WHEREAS, It hath pleased the Grand

Architect above to remove from our

midst and his earthly labors,

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville, N. C.

Local Sparks

NEW GOOD! NEW GOODS!!—Did you ever see the like of New Goods at Higgs & Munford's. They are just lovely—they have knocked the bottom out of prices and will sell CHEAPER now than ever before. Their terms will be strictly CASH.

NEW FIRM—And New Goods. We are relieving daily our beautiful and well selected line of Millinery. Will carry the most fashionable goods and sell at lowest prices. You all can find us at Mrs. Ella Sheppard's old stand. Five points. HIGGS SISTERS, Greenville N. C.

Cooper's Warehouse
Henderson, N. C.
Is the leading place for farmers to sell tobacco. If you want the highest prices Don't fail to ship your tobacco To Cooper's, Henderson, N. C. Go to Brown Bros. for Shoes.

New moon.

Try some of the new corned mullets at the Old Brick Store.

Best in the world Flour at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Nice children's and ladies' Shoes at Brown Bros.

A nice line of crockery etc. cheap and low at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Ladies, examine Brown Bros.' line of Dress Goods.

For your bargains in Furniture go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Don't forget that Cooper's warehouse at Henderson offers tierces or hogheads to their patrons free.

This is Court week.

Dixon's custom made Shoes for children and ladies, at Brown Bros.

The Old Brick Store will be closed September 25th on account of holiday.

D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson leads all other warehouse men in big prices and big averages.

For Latest Style Hats and low prices go to J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Largest and cheapest line of Shoes in Town at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

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

Register, Democrats.

Brown Bros. are selling good Calico for 5c per yard.

Brown Bros. don't sell at cost nor below cost, but as near to it as any reliable firm in town.

North Carolina Plaid Homespun at 5 cents Per yard at J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Try Cooper's warehouse at Henderson and you will be convinced that it is headquarters for the sale of tobacco.

Oysters were here last week.

D. Y. Cooper is determined to handle his part of the Pitt county tobacco, if money and hard work will get it.

Cooper will furnish Tierces for those who ship tobacco to him. Give Cooper a trial and you will get full value for your tobacco.

Our one dollar Solid Leather Shoes for men or women give entire satisfaction. J. B. Cherry & Co.

If you want big prices and a big average sell your tobacco at Cooper's Warehouse Henderson.

More houses needed in Greenville.

Farmers look to your interest and sell your tobacco where you can get the most money, and Cooper's warehouse is the place.

Cooper, of Henderson, will at all times do his best for the Pitt county farmers. Try him with your tobacco.

WANTED TO RENT—Two good pianos. Liberal price will be paid. JOHN DUCKETT.

A real live circus is coming. Umph!

Sell your tobacco at Cooper's where you will have from fifty to seventy-five buyers with plenty of money to buy your tobacco.

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.

NOTICE—My store will be closed on Monday Sept. 15th and Thursday Sept. 25th on account of holidays. M. R. LANG.

Farmers should look to their interest in selling their tobacco and always sell where they can get the most money. Cooper's Warehouse at Henderson is the place.

D. Y. Cooper pays no rent, owns his house and will use every effort to get the farmer full value of his tobacco. Try him, you cant do better.

Daniel R. King of Pitt Co., sold on the 19th of August at D. Y. Cooper's Warehouse, Henderson, N. C., 1 lot tobacco \$2.00 per pound, 1 lot \$1.10, 1 lot 90. This takes the lead.

E. G. Barnes, of Cooper's warehouse, says that Pitt tobacco is the best he has seen. Ed is a good, jolly fellow; see him when you go to Cooper's at Henderson.

D. Y. Cooper has been in the tobacco business at Henderson for 17 years and always advises farmers to sell their tobacco where they can get the best prices. That he gets these prices for all sold at his warehouse is proven by his great success during all these years.

D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson, has made arrangements with Redding's saw mill to make a large number of tobacco tierces. Farmers who wish to ship tobacco to Cooper can get these tierces free of charge by applying at the mill, two miles from Greenville, or at Glasgow Evan's livery stables.

Plenty of politics being talked this week.

Get your neighbor to take the REFLECTOR.

The usual crowd is in attendance upon Court.

The REFLECTOR has splendid quarters. Come in.

The days and nights are about an equal length right now.

The farmers are paying from 35 to 40 cents for picking cotton.

The white beaver will be the campaign badge again this year.

The merchant smileth this week. Having a good trade during Court.

For highest prices always sell your tobacco at Cooper's Warehouse.

The REFLECTOR is in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the next State Fair.

Keep up the work for tobacco warehouses and factories; we must have them.

You can always find nice mourning paper and envelopes at the REFLECTOR office.

Mr. H. F. Keel sold his black trotter to Mr. John A. Purvis, of Hamilton, last Friday.

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

Before you start to town trading always look over the REFLECTOR and that will tell you what to do.

Don't fail to ship your tobacco to Cooper's at Henderson. He is the leader of big prices.

Yearly meeting at Briery Swamp last Sunday. Yearly meeting at Great Swamp fourth Sunday.

What a Solid Leather Shoe for one dollar for either man or woman! Where! At J. B. Cherry & Co's.

Nice linen note paper with square envelopes to match, just what the ladies want, at the REFLECTOR office.

Somebody please give us the names of the nominees for Constable in Farmville and Smith-Creek townships.

The prisoner doth quake and tremble. Court is in session and he is afraid Judge Womack will "send him up."

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday—rain. Of course it had to come for Court week.

Before the weather gets cool enough for fires it would be well to have all chimneys and stove flues examined.

D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson, sells more farmers tobacco and gives better satisfaction than any house in the State.

There is so much work on the railroad now that the mail train often comes in ahead of the freight, and the former is a ways late.

D. Y. Cooper sells more farmers tobacco than any House in the State, try him and you will find that he will please you.

Trade was not so good last Saturday as the Saturday previous. It was so near to Court that not many people came to town that day.

Why is it that every one who goes to J. B. Cherry & Co's are happy? Because they are pleased with their bargains.

Remember who the Registrar of your township is so you will have no trouble about registering. We will keep the list in print for a week or so.

We overlooked last week calling attention to the advertisement about the incorporation of Grifton Academy. It will be found on fourth page.

D. Y. Cooper pays no house rent, no big interest account and can afford to pay you more for your tobacco than any other warehouse man.

For fear you forget it, paste this in your hat—every man in Pitt county who votes at the election in November next must register between now and that time.

D. Y. Cooper Henderson, N. C., will get you more net money for your tobacco than any other warehouse man in the State. Try him with your tobacco.

With a little effort now a good Land and Improvement Company could be organized and successfully operated in Greenville. Will the opportunity be improved?

The Hebrew merchants closed their stores Monday in observance of their new year, 5651. They will close again Thursday, 25th, which is their day of atonement.

The Old Dominion Company have had a hoister placed on the steamers Myers to facilitate the handling of freights. The steamer can load and unload much easier with the hoister.

Don't be lead to other Houses by men who are getting a little pay for talk, but sell your tobacco at Cooper's Warehouse at Henderson where you will always get the highest price.

At this season of the year housekeepers have more or less trouble about cooks, because of the latter leaving to go in the cotton patch. A few families in town are without cooks.

Patronizing the schools here at home is the way to help keep up home enterprises. Greenville has as good schools—both male and female—as can be offered by any town in Eastern Carolina.

On Thursday last week Mr. R. W. Smith was quite severely cut in the side by Howell Hearn, at Centre Bluff. We do not know full particulars but hear that whiskey was at the bottom of the difficulty.

Messrs. Harris, Gooch & Co. the popular Warehouse men of Henderson, in addition to their large and constantly growing trade, are among the largest farmers in this section of the State, owning more than 10,000 acres, several thousand of which are in cultivation. If there is a firm in North Carolina knowing the needs of the farmer and sympathizing with his condition, it is this. If there is a warehouse in the State that will always protect the tobacco grower, they have proved beyond question that they do. Mr. E. S. Harris of Balford represents them in this county any information as to prices will be giving with pleasure.

Personal.

Mrs. M. T. Cowell has been sick a few days.

Dr. W. E. Warren has been sick the past week.

Mr. John Baker, of Farmville, is clerking for Capt. White.

Mr. C. D. Rountree left Monday for Henderson to sell tobacco.

Mrs. Carastaphen, of Plymouth, is visiting Mrs. Dr. Frank Brown.

Mr. J. L. Wooten has moved his drugstore to the place lately occupied by Mr. Stephens.

Dr. Zeno Brown was quite sick last week. We hear with pleasure that he is improving.

Miss Estelle Congleton, of Washington, is visiting the family of Mr. H. F. Keel, near town.

Mr. V. L. Stephens has moved his grocery and confection store one door South of his old stand.

Mrs. P. E. Dancy returned last week from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Seawell, in Moore county.

Messrs. J. S. Smith & Bro. are opening a stock of groceries in the corner store of the Skinner block.

Mrs. D. D. Haskett and children returned home Friday evening from a visit to her parents at Morganton.

Miss Lucy M. Fristoe, of Baltimore, an accomplished Milliner, has taken a position with Mrs. Cowell & Joyner.

Messrs. Jordan, of the Star; Johnson, of the Messenger; Caddell, of the News Observer; and King, of the Banner are in town.

Mr. Ola Forbes left Saturday for Oxford, where he goes to take a position as floor manager in Davis & Gregory's tobacco warehouse.

The wife of Solicitor Swift Galloway, of Goldsboro, died on Friday night last. His many friends in Greenville deeply sympathize with Capt. Galloway in this sad affliction.

Solicitor Worthington is at his post in Court this week. The visiting attorneys in the Bar yesterday were Messrs. Moore, of Williamston; Gilliam, of Tarboro and Johnson, of Bethel.

Dr. J. Marquis, of Philadelphia, is in town visiting his kinsman, Mr. M. R. Lang. It is rumored he will locate in Greenville for the practice of his profession, dentistry. He is a courteous gentleman, and the REFLECTOR would be glad to welcome him as a citizen of Greenville.

We were pleased to receive a call last Friday from Col. Harry Skinner of Greenville, who was in Wilson on professional business. The Democrats of Pitt county have nominated him as their candidate for the House and they have shown great good sense in so doing. He is one of the highest, brainiest men in the State; a politician of much wisdom and good judgment, and will be one of the most useful men in the next Legislature.—Wilson Advance.

The versatile and rhetorical Wilson Minor pays the following compliment to two of Greenville's young ladies:

Miss Ella King, of Greenville, who is most resplendently robed in remarkable attractiveness, and who reigns over the realm of witchery, is visiting the charming home of her highly cultured sister, Mrs. Stephen Wells.

Miss Bessie Jarvis, one of Greenville's fairest and loveliest daughters, is visiting the family of Stephen Wells, our honored townsman, and displaying those attractions which crown her with the coronet of an in describable loveliness.

Some of the colored people who left here last spring are anxious to hear from their old home again. Since last issue the REFLECTOR has had letters from two in Louisiana ordering the paper sent to them.

The best envelopes in town can be had at the REFLECTOR office. We have them from 5 cents up. Excellent note, letter, foolscap and legal cap papers at corresponding prices. Gilt edge paper 10 cents a quire.

A certain young lady in town sent a servant to a store to make a purchase for her. The clerk was very much added when the dusky damsel remarked: "Miss—sed sen' her sum tarsuun hambuggin' uncer't'n lace."

The mosquito has put in some of his best work this week or so, very much to the annoyance of the average citizens. A little weather that is cool enough to exterminate this very numerous nuisance would save many hours from wakefulness.

On Saturday Mr. W. A. Hyman brought us something pretty in the way of pepper. It was the variety known as bouquet pepper, the pods all growing in a cluster on top of the plant. The pods are small and long with over twenty of them in a single cluster.

The young ladies of Class No. 1, of the Baptist Sunday School, request us to announce that they will have a festival on Friday night, the proceeds of which will apply to furnishing and beautifying their class room. They deserve to be liberally patronized.

The jute manufacturers thought they could win the farmers right back on their side by putting the price of jute bagging low. But the Alliance is passing resolutions against its use and some other bagging will cover the cotton so far as it can be obtained.

A sure indication of autumn is the falling leaves. They are coming down in such quantities as to keep yard and sidewalk sweeping in order. Notwithstanding the trouble caused in that respect, it is a beautiful season when the trees are in the "sear and yellow leaf."

One thing that should specially demand the attention of the town before the meeting of the Tar River Baptist Association here, is the cleaning up of Cherry Hill and the church cemeteries. Don't let the large number of visitors come here and go away thinking Greenville has no respect for her dead.

Pitt county's veteran tobacco grower, Mr. A. A. Forbes, was here with a fair shipment of good tobacco. Our people remember the stubborn fight he made for Col. L. A. Sugg in the Judicial Convention and good naturedly chaff him about getting left. He came up enthusiastically in favor of making Wilson the leading market of the State and is going to do some good talking in Pitt for us. —Wilson Advance

Died.

Mr. Rufus Fleming, whose critical illness we mentioned last week, died at his home in Pactolus on Wednesday night, 10th inst., at 10 o'clock. From the nature of his sickness the announcement of his death was hardly a surprise, yet it is indeed sad, to chronicle the sudden departure from life of one who seemed to have so many years of usefulness before him. He was an active, energetic business man, an excellent citizen, a kind husband and father, and his death is a great affliction. His remains were taken to the family burial ground, near Great Swamp, and interred Thursday afternoon.

Jurors.

The Grand Jury at this term of Pitt Superior Court is composed of A B Congleton, Foreman, J C Crawford, Jas L Robertson, T C Rice, S C Whigham, A B Garrison, Benjamin R L Griffin, Major Gaskin, B D Beach, Henry L Blount, S M Smith, J L Coburn, J H H More, N W Stancill, J D Bryant, Lewis Highsmith, R H Allen.

The Petit Jury for this week is composed of W H Whigham, Marcellous Windham, J E May, W L Brown, B A House, W C Jackson, J D Williamson, J H Whitehurst, R G Campanha, H C Harris, Alonzo Mooring, C D Smith, F G Dupree, James Thigpen.

About 75 criminal cases on the docket to be tried many of which were disposed of Monday and yesterday. Up to 3 o'clock four criminals had been sentenced to the penitentiary.

Tobacco Leaves.

Tobacco curing is almost done for this season.

Twenty-six of Pitt county's tobacco farmers were at the opening of the warehouse in Wilson last Wednesday.

Two sons of Mr. S. P. Erwin, Sam and Oscar, brought us a bunch of tobacco which is a specimen of their own curing. The sample was fine and shows that the boys have learned to cure well.

Just as was expected, Pitt county came off with the prize for the best tobacco at the opening of the Wilson warehouse. Pitt always does that way. The price which bore off the prize was \$7.50 a pound.

Mr. G. B. Elm, representing Harris, Gooch & Co's tobacco warehouse, Henderson, has been in town this week and made the REFLECTOR a call. He is an excellent gentleman and made numerous friends through this section. By the way, Harris, Gooch & Co., have set apart a day, September 24th, which they are to devote exclusively to the sale of Eastern tobacco. It is to the interest of Pitt county farmers to have some tobacco at that sale.

New Advertisements.

The columns of the REFLECTOR show an array of new and attractive advertisements to-day that must, of course, elicit the interest of every reader. There is always something interesting in a well written, neatly arranged advertisement, and these are the kind found in these columns.

The first new one to which attention is directed is strawberry plants for sale. J. B. Yellowley has the best varieties of early plants and will sell them cheap.

J. J. Cherry, Jr., dealer in all kinds of fresh and salt fish, wants your patronage.

\$10,000 worth of lots to be sold at Ayden on the 8th of October is what will catch the eye of everybody wanting a cheap lot in a new town. The Railroad will dispose of a number of desirable lots on that day and it is a splendid opportunity for buyers. Ayden is just 8 1/2 miles south of Greenville, right on the railroad between this place and Kingston, and is surrounded by the best lands in the State. Timber supply inexhaustible. Keep your mind on the date and be at the sale.

J. B. Cherry & Co., the leading general merchandise dealers, make their fall and winter announcement. What is said in their space cannot be disputed. Their claim to having the largest stock ever placed before the people here is undeniable. That they are fully able to meet any competitor is substantiated in the quality and prices of their goods. Look at the earnest invitation they extend to you! Let that go unheeded and you have but yourself to blame if you miss the good bargains offered by them. Again, look what splendid lines of goods they carry! Anything you want can be had there. And you could not possibly trade at a place where you would be more courteously treated. There are no more obliging and affable gentlemen than the members of the firm and they have none but attentive and polite clerks. Combine profit and pleasure together by visiting their stores.

Here comes M. R. Lang with a mammoth double column advertisement. He is the clothier and dry goods dealer of Greenville, and shows the largest advertisement that appears in the REFLECTOR. A man with his experience certainly knows how to suit his customers. His taste in selecting just such lines of goods as will suit the ladies and just such clothing as the men desire, stand without a peer. This season he has even excelled himself and has a stock that for beauty and style has not been equaled before. His clothing is always reliable, being of the best and most serviceable goods. Purchasers need have no fears of a shoddy article being shoved off on them, as Lang will not let his reputation suffer or degrade his stock by offering a piece of second-hand clothing. Look over his advertisement and see if something is not mentioned there-in of which you are in need. Visit his store and you will never leave dissatisfied.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!

The Leading Dry Goods and Clothing House in Greenville, N. C.

As usual we have the finest selection of Ladies' Fine Dress Goods and Trimmings in town.

Our Stock comprises nothing that is not new and very stylish.

In Dress Goods

We are showing the latest weaves of Parisian styles. Our stock comprises handsome Embroidered, Combination and Camel's Hair Robes of the newest designs and latest fashionable makers. We are showing in all shades elegant Serges, Mohair, Henriettas, Flannels, Tricots and Cashmeres.

In Black Goods

We have Silk Warp Henrietta, Sebastapol, all wool Henrietta, Serges, Broadcloth, Cashmeres, Flannels, etc., in Jet, Mourning and Blue Black.

Trimming Department

Is complete with the most stylish effects in Cut Steel Passementeries, Braid, Fringes and Gimp, Velvet, Plushes and Velvet Ribbons in all desirable colors.

Ladies' & Misses' Wraps.

In this department we have represented the styles of the most fashionable shape in the country in Fur, Astrakhan and Cloth Capes, Seal Plush Jackets and Wraps and Cloth Garments of every style and shape.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear.

This is a new venture with us and in order to make it a success we shall name some astonishingly low figures during the next few weeks.

We have a large and varied stock of Ladies and Misses Corsets, Furnishing Goods and other Notions all at the correct prices.

Ladies' & Misses' Shoes.

None but the best represented. We show at least eighteen styles in ladies handmade footwear in all shapes and lasts. In Misses heel and spring heel goods we have quite a varied assortment. Misses and Children School Shoes a specialty.

Neckwear.

We have positively the noblest array of Dress and Evening Ties in the town.

Remember that we have no second hand goods nothing but new and stylish goods.

We will sustain our reputation as the leaders.

A cordial invitation to our friends and patrons to visit us and make our place headquarters.

No trouble to show goods.

M. R. LANG.

As usual we have the finest selection of Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods in town.

Our Stock comprises nothing that is not new and very stylish.

Gent's Fine Clothing.

In this department we feel confident that our selections are the noblest and most stylish in town. We are showing all the newest styles and cuts in Serges, Cheviots, Corkscrews, Diagonals, Wales and other fancy and serviceable fabrics. In Men's fancy Trousers we are the leaders.

Boy's Clothing.

Here is where the service of an experienced buyer is needed, besides combining the proper styles and textures, durability bears an important part in buying boy's clothes. Parents we can safely say that we have combined all these and are able to offer you a reliable line of Boy's Clothing at the right prices. In Men's and Boy's Overcoats we have a fine line of which we will say more as the season advances.

Men and Boys Hats.

Of all shapes, styles and qualities at the correct prices.

Men's Footwear.

We have them in all styles and shapes. Our Old Men's Shoe is the most comfortable on the market. The celebrated Police Shoes are another of our leaders. In fact our whole line represents the most serviceable makes.

Furnishing Goods.

The largest line of Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hosiery, Suspenders, etc., ever shown in Greenville.

Gent's Shirts.

In Dress, Flannel and Neglige of all styles.

Carpets, Oilcloths, Etc.

We have everything in this line that can be desired, from a common Hemp to a Fine Body Brussels, Floor Oilcloths and Stair Carpets in various widths. Large selection of Rugs in all sizes of Smyrna, Velvet and Moquet.

The largest stock of Lace Curtains and Poles and Window Shades ever shown in town.

Trunks and Valises.

From a common wood packer to a fine Zinc Saratoga, Valises and Traveling Bags.



"THE LEADER."

FIRM. NEW GOODS

Higgs Sisters, Millinery, Etc.

—Our Mammoth Stock of Stylish—

MILLINERY

LADIES' FURNISHING GOODS

Just received. There has never been a better selection brought to this market.

Will lead in Style and Sell at Low Prices.

CAN - SUIT - THE - MOST - FASTIDIOUS.

We have none but the best Milliners.

Higgs Sisters, Greenville, N. C.

Fall Styles.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

S. M. SCHULTZ,

AT THE

OLD PRICE STORE.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BUYING their year's supplies will find it to their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches.

PORK SIDES & SHOULDERS,

FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR,

SPICES, TEAS, &c.

TOBACCO SNUFF & CIGARS

we buy direct from Manufacturers, enabling you to buy at one profit. A complete stock of

FURNITURE

always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH, therefore, having no risk to run, we sell at a close margin.

Respectfully,

