

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

FRIDAY, JUNE 19th.

J. B. Patrick, of Ayden, spent Thursday here.

J. W. Perkins left Thursday evening for Raleigh.

C. C. Skinner went to Ayden Thursday evening.

L. I. Moore returned Thursday evening from Wilson.

W. B. Wilson returned Thursday evening from Poughkeepsie.

B. F. Bernard went to Kinston Thursday evening.

E. M. Pace, of Wilson, came in this morning.

Mrs. "Polly" Smith, of Winterville, spent today here.

Tom Whitehurst is on the sick list.

Mrs. H. S. Hardy and children went to Tarboro today to visit relatives.

John A. Mass, of Newport News, Va., who has been spending a few days here, left this morning.

Miss Mary Boyd returned Thursday evening from a visit to Wilson.

Miss Virgie Hart, of Boykin, arrived Thursday evening to visit her brother, J. N. Hart.

J. A. Harrington and E. S. Edwards, of Ayden, were in town today.

Rev. A. T. King, the new pastor at Greenville, N. C., is a native North Carolinian. He was reared at Wilmington, and was educated at our Louisville Seminary. He served acceptably in a Virginia field, and last fall supplied for our Fayetteville church with unusual success. We are glad that he has been called to North Carolina.—Biblical Recorder.

The Dead at Heppner.

Heppner, Ore., June 17.—The confusion has been so great here that no accurate estimate of the number of lives lost by the flood could be made. Last night 130 bodies had been recovered. It is believed that the number of dead will not exceed 200. Martial law prevails here while the work of rescuing the bodies continues.

Free lunches have been established. Provisions are arriving from all towns. A second special train with provisions and \$7,000 cash, raised by Portland yesterday, reached the Lexington end of the railroad and is being forwarded by team. Ghoulies are looting the bodies still in the wreckage.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

S. M. Schultz.

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Egg, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Bays, Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cherries, Henry George Cigar, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currents, Raisins, Glasse and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Com to see me.

S. M. Schultz.

Phone 55

To get prompt attention all mail orders should be addressed to C. T. MUNFORD, GREENVILLE, N. C.

IF YOU GET IT AT MUNFORD'S BIG STORE IT'S ALL RIGHT

The Season's Supreme Event

Summer Millinery as beautiful as fingers filled with magic can make it. Dress and Ready-to-wear Hats for Ladies and Children.

Dress Goods and SILKS

All the new weaves in all colors and widths.

WHITE WASH GOODS, 25 per cent. reduction on all former prices.

Slippers and Shoes--They are made by Ziegler Bros. Comfort, Style and Quality.

Just in--a new and complete line of PICTURE FRAMES, New Shapes and New Styles. Prices low.

Stetson Shoes for Men

All the new lasts. Ask to see them if you would be well dressed.

HOSIERY

For Ladies, Children and Babies. Drop Stitch, Colors and White.

CLOTHING!

A BIG CUT on all former prices of hot weather clothing for Men, Boys and Children.

Baby Carriages and Go-Carts--Biggest and best line to select from. All Furniture Reduced.

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE.

Bargain Column FOR Cash Buyers Only

Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton, 50c. dozen.

Sea Island Percals, 36 ins. wide, 10c. yard.

Best Light Calico, 5c.

Printed Lawns and Organdies, 10, 12 1-2 and 15 c. quality, while they last, 8 cents per yard.

Steel Rod Umbrellas, worth 50 and 75 c. only 39c.

249 pairs of Boys' and Girls' Sample Shoes at Factory Prices.

Boys' Knee Pants, only 15c. pair

259 Men's and Boys' Sample Straw Hats at New York cost.

Toilet Soap, big value, 3 cakes for 10 cents cash.

White Envelopes, per pack 3c.

Good Needles, per paper, 3c.

Ladies Semmer Vests, only 5c.

Linen Towels, extra size, 10c.

McCall Patterns, 10 and 15 cents.

Ayden News and Advertisements.

The Ayden Branch Office of The Eastern Reflector is in charge of E. V. COX, to whom any matter for publication on this page should be sent, and who is our authorized agent in Ayden and surrounding territory.

W. C. JACKSON & CO.

Dealers in DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, HARDWARE, GROCERIES, ETC.

Hay, Corn, Lime, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls.

Depository for Public School Books. Agents for Selz Royal Blue Shoes.



J. F. BARWICK, Boys and Children's CLOTHING

Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Groceries.

A Few Barrels of Flour at 2c. per lb. or \$3.85 bbl. For short white only.

15 cent Lawns Reduced to 10 cent.

AYDEN'S SATISFACTORY DEPARTMENT STORE.

J. R. Smith & Bro.

Quality is ever the first consideration in this store, because that is the only basis for values that insures the satisfaction of customers and the continuance of successful business.

OUR STOCK OF General Dry Goods, Millinery, Furniture, Hardware, Groceries, Etc.,

is probably the most extensive in town, and our prices are always right. We also carry a large stock of Feedstuffs, such as Hay, Corn, Oats, etc. Let us serve you. J. R. Smith & Bro.

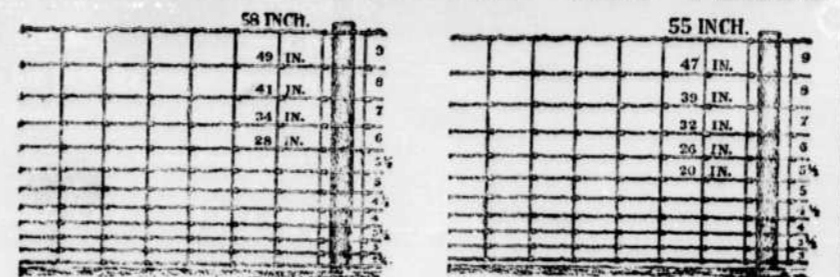
"If you bought it from HINES it's all right"

J. J. HINES

Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries, Hardware.

J. W. QUINERLY and BROS. GENERAL MERCHANTS.

HEADQUARTERS FOR AMERICAN FIELD AND HOG FENCE



Made of large, strong, high-grade steel wires, heavily galvanized. Ample provides for expansion and contraction. Is practically everlasting. Never goes wrong, no matter how great a strain is put on it. Does not mutilate, but does, efficiently, turn cattle, horses, hogs and pigs.

EVERY ROD OF AMERICAN FENCE GUARANTEED by the manufacturers and by us. Call and see it. Can show you how it will save you money and fence your fields so they will stay fenced. Also Mower, Rakes, Binders, Cultivators and all IMPROVED FARM MACHINERY.

AYDEN ITEMS.

AYDEN, N. C., June 20, 1903. F. A. Simpson, a dry goods drummer, spent Thursday in Ayden.

A. L. Harrington, of Hart & Harrington, of Kinston, with his little daughter, Velma, left Thursday evening for home after a visit to relatives here.

Wednesday night was the regular meeting of the town board of commissioners. On account of the illness of the mayor, J. M. Dixon presided as mayor pro tem.

The board settled with the tax collector and the insolvent list for the year 1902 was only \$15.13, quite a good showing for the people of the town. Another good showing was the sum of \$387.83 on hand. The board had spent in public improvements since last report \$157.53 and the cost of lighting the town up to June 1st has been only \$12.

Following the item in Friday's REFLECTOR with regard to the cemetery the committee reported and the board recommended the erection in the cemetery of a suitable lodge as a resting place for visitors and a refuge in inclement weather. Now in appreciation of this action of the board let the owners of lots join hands in cleaning and beautifying the cemetery by the planting of trees and flowers.

Mrs. Leon Patrick, of Grifton, returned home on Thursday afternoon from a visit to Mrs. J. W. Quinerly.

Miss Helen Quinerly is home again from a recent visit to friends and relatives about Johnsons Mills and Grifton.

Joe Blow, of Winterville, came over Thursday to attend a meeting of the Masonic lodge here in Ayden.

CURIOUS COINS. J. C. Nobles, of our town, showed us on Friday a gold quarter of a dollar, the first one we ever saw. It is of date 1871 and quite valuable as a curiosity. Recently in the postoffice in Ayden a good specimen of a 1 cent coin was taken in over the stamp counter. In exactly the same way some years ago in the postoffice at Dunn, the writer's brother secured a 1 cent piece, making two now in our possession.

C. C. Skinner, of New York, arrived on Thursday evenings train to spend the night here with his brother, Dr. Louis C. Skinner.

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WEAK EYES. Why suffer from eye strain, pain in the eye balls, severe headaches and general discomforts of the eyes, when

J. W. Taylor, GRADUATE OPTICIAN, AYDEN, N. C.

Can permanently cure you of those discomforts by fitting you with the proper glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded.

Dr. Louis C. Skinner, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Ayden, - North Carolina. One door north of postoffice.

REPORT OF

THE BANK OF AYDEN

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 11, 1903.

Table with Resources and Liabilities columns. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$4,110.45, Furniture and Fixtures 622.84, Expenses Paid 110.00, Due from banks and bankers 11,968.00, Cash 917.76. Liabilities: Capital Stock \$10,000.00, Interest 179.47, Deposits 7,530.00. TOTAL \$17,709.55.

CANNON & TYSON.

TWO STORES--DOUBLE STORY BRICK BLOCK Groceries, Dry Goods and Notions

Ladies, see our special line of Hosiery, insertion and Embroidery. Both quality and price will suit you. GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS ALSO Handsome line of Mattings at special prices. Fruit Jars already in. Automatic Spray Pumps for tobacco, 100 bushels Peanuts.

Ayden Milling & Manufacturing Co.

Incorporated 1901. J. J. STOKES, Pres. E. G. COX, Sec. H. C. CANNON, Treas. J. M. DIXON, Supt. DEPARTMENTS: Saw and Planing Mill, System Ginney, Grist Mill, Wood and Iron Working, Undertakers, Repairing of all kinds. MANUFACTURERS: Lumber, Carts, Wagons, Tobacco Trucks, Harrows, Screen Doors, Columns, Brackets, Mouldings, In and out door House Trimmings.

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

NICE STOCK OF CASKETS AND COFFINS IN BROADCLOTH, OAK AND WALNUT. SERVICE ALWAYS AT CALL. FREE HEARSE. Let us quote you prices on anything you want.

DR. JOSEPH DIVON, Physician and Surgeon, AYDEN, N. C. Office in Brick Block.

HART & JENKINS, General Merchant, EVERYTHING KEPT IN A FIRST CLASS STORE.

EDWIN TRIPP & CO. DEALERS IN FANCY GROCERIES, Fruits, Confections and Cigars. Finest Soda Fountain in town. All the popular Cold Drinks. Service prompt. Give us a call.

McLAWHORN & DENNIS DEALERS IN Fresh Beef Meats, Fish, BARBECUES SAUSAGES

ANNIE L. SMITH, MILLINER, AYDEN, N. C. A Full Line of Millinery Goods.

W. M. EDWARDS & CO. Ayden's Up-to-date CLOTHIERS

Are doing the Clothing business of Ayden and its territory. It is not necessary to go away from home to get a nice stylish suit--we have them at all prices. We are also prepared to do a large business in

Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries and General Merchandise. AYDEN, - N. C.

Don't sell your Eggs and Chickens till you get our offer on them. THE AYDEN HUSTLERS AYDEN, N. C.

Ayden Brick Works, E. S. EDWARDS, Owner and Manager, AYDEN, N. C.

MAKES the best Brick in Eastern Carolina. Bricks all hand made. Makes furnace, arch and building brick. Full stock always on hand. Prices to suit the times. Write or phone me for prices by the thousand or car-load. Yours truly, E. S. EDWARDS.

HOTEL TRIPP, AYDEN, N. C.

EDWIN TRIPP, Proprietor. Best the market affords. Porter meets all trains. Comfortable Rooms. Electric lights.

VICTOR COX, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ayden, North Carolina.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR

SEMI-WEEKLY—TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

D. J. WHICHARD, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. PAUL R. OUTLAW, ASSOCIATE EDITOR.

Entered in the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class matter, Advertising rates made known upon application.

Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1903.

WHERE JUDGES DIFFER.

Some days ago, just after the murderers of Jones at Wilson were admitted to bail by Judge George H. Brown, Jr. THE REFLECTOR made some comment upon it and the judge's declaration that the evidence did not disclose that murder was intended in the assault upon Jones.

Since then we have received a very courteous letter from Judge Brown in which he in part says:

"Burglary is breaking into a dwelling with intent to commit a felony. All the state's evidence before me showed plainly the prisoners broke in Jones' room to whip him and drive him from town. That is not a felony. In the fight some one killed Jones. Who did it the evidence did not disclose. Our Supreme court in State vs. Thomas declares that is murder in the second degree, Act. 1893, a bailable offence. I am not responsible for that decision or that act. Prior to that act it was plainly murder."

Certainly Judge Brown is not responsible for the existing law and the intent of the criticism of THE REFLECTOR was not to charge him with it. However, our opinion, while it may not be in strict accordance with the letter of the law, that the slayers of Jones are just as guilty of murder as the burglar who did not intend to kill when he entered the dwelling remains unchanged. And the law that makes it to the contrary is a huge farce.

Another point that may be raised in connection with the bailing of those who killed Jones, that it was setting aside the action of the grand jury which had already found a true bill for murder against them.

We also observe that Judge Shaw, who is now holding court in Wilson, decides that five of the prisoners must be tried for murder in the first degree. So it seems that even among judges there is a difference of opinion on this case.

THE PLANTING OF A SEED.

We would be highly gratified if we could impress the business men of Greenville with the importance and practicability of a retail merchants' association.

The name almost suggests the purpose of such an organization, but the full result of its existence and the benefit to be derived therefrom must be seen to be appreciated.

Perhaps the greatest benefit which a retail merchants' association brings when it is properly conducted is the considerable amount of money saved by buying large quantities of staple goods at one time, saving discounts and reducing transportation charges. At first glance you will scarcely realize the money-saving possibilities in such an association as we suggest. It affords an opportunity to take advantage of favorable market conditions and it often has far greater weight in dealing with transportation companies than a single individual could possibly have. Anyone who has seen the effects of organization of any interests knows the last statement to be entirely correct.

It would not be necessary to confine the range of the association to Greenville. If the merchants of Ayden, Farmville, Winterville, Grifton, in fact every retail merchant in the county, would join in the movement it would be greatly strengthened.

We are merely planting the seed at this time. We shall carefully watch over its germination, its springing forth, and finally we hope to rejoice in its maturity.

THE NATION'S SHAME.

The whole country, exclusive of the sharpers who have looted the national treasury, turns away in disgust from the spectacle at Washington. After all his brave talk about 'going to the bottom of things,' the postmaster general makes the shameful statement that the charges against Perry S. Heath will be hushed up. Shades of our fathers! to what ignominy have we fallen! What a spectacle for Americans to behold! Thievery, corruption, abuse of official and political power—these specters stalk through our national life unpunished and unrebuked. Yet they all said Payne was an honorable man. Honorable, indeed! If there is honor among thieves, he is honorable, for he has taken good care of his own.

Will Roosevelt have the courage and common decency to cleanse his household of this nest of vermin?

Will he turn the rascals out—high and low—great and small? Will he punish the thieves who have pillaged the treasury till they are grown rich and greasy?

No. Payne, from the mention of whose name there must ever arise a stench, will be allowed to hover his precious rascals under the wing of the government. If they do not steal what is left it is because they have as much as they can get away with.

There are more merchants who do too little advertising than there are of those who do too much, says Ad-Art. It is better at all times to get more life into the business, and if this may be done by an extra amount of hustle in the advertising department it will be all the better for it. Merchants who feel that they are doing more advertising than they should are either neglecting the advertising they are doing or are not reasonable in their expectations. If all the advertising were done with the view to getting the interest of those who might want the goods offered, and the advertising were written in a vein which would create that desire, more good would come as a result of the work.

The New York Tribune, the Arabella Antique of American newspapers, has not ruffled her curls in denouncing the barbarians in Indiana, though a late dispatch from that state says:

"When the inter-urban car from Evansville to Howells reached the latter place last night and was found to be in charge of a negro conductor, a dozen citizens boarded the car and gave him an unmerciful beating and then ordered him not to attempt to run a car into the town again. The beating of the negro created great excitement. Citizens patrolled the streets, declaring war on the colored race. Near midnight three other negroes were found hidden in the railroad yards and they were set upon by an excited crowd and all of them were more or less injured with stones and sticks in the hands of the whites."

There are two times when it is important to advertise—one is when people are buying and the other when people are not buying, says Ad-Art. When they are buying it is important to keep the buying up to the best possible point. When they are not buying it is important to stir them up to the point of appreciation. If it is possible to keep them stirred up it will never be wise to stop.

A rural contemporary says: the sweetest sound he ever heard is made when one of his subscribers plauks down on the counter a dollar in advance. Sweet and holy as this sound may be, it is like unto a pug dog playing a piano when compared with the sound made by the subscriber who pays up five years' back dues.

"Notwithstanding the backward season, the sea serpent has registered. This time he is off the North Carolina coast resorts," says the Atlanta Journal. Yes, he had to leave the Georgia coast, as he saw some of Atlanta's bank officials "who needed the money" walking along the shore.

We have not yet recovered from the shock caused by the appearance of a column of solid editorial in the Durham Herald. If Joe King does not want to hurt the feelings of every newspaper man in the state he will start up his paragraph mill at once.

"The natives of India," says the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph, "never allow a fakir to starve." In America we put them in the postoffice department.

Grimesland Department

GRIMESLAND. What is going on in that plucky community, a regular correspondent has been secured and the business men have arranged for a Grimesland department in the twice a week edition of THE REFLECTOR.

Something About the Town and Its People.

W. M. MOORE & CO. Grimesland, N. C.

Headquarters for Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Gents' Furnishings, Hardware, Groceries.

General Merchandise

SPECIAL—Beginning July 1st, we will for 30 days make special cut prices on all SUMMER GOODS. This is a chance for bargains on these goods. Call and be convinced.

T. F. PROCTOR, Grimesland, N. C.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Anything wanted in the way of Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Groceries and Hardware can be found here. Whether it is something to eat, something to wear, or some article for the house or farm, you can be supplied. Highest prices paid for cotton, country produce or anything the farmer sells.

J. O. Proctor & Bros. GRIMESLAND'S SUPPLY HOUSE.

Merchants, Millers and Manufacturers.

If you want lumber to build a house, furniture to go in it, clothing and dry goods for your family, provisions for your table, or implements for your farm, we can supply your needs.

TOBACCO FLUES and sell the best tobacco trucks, also do general repairing of buggies, carts and wagons. Come to us for anything you want.

H. C. VENTERS, GRIMESLAND, N. C.

Dry Goods, Notions, Fancy Groceries, Tobacco and Cigars. The only Soda Fountain in town. All the popular drinks. Hot Peanuts every day.

DR. C. M. JONES, Physician and Surgeon, GRIMESLAND, N. C.

Complete Stock of Drugs.

Creek," says the Durham Sun. And never got far away.

The Greensboro Female College closes its doors for lack of patronage. Many women all over the land will receive this news in sadness. The G. F. C. deserved better things.

We can't see why Mr. Cleveland had anything to say to a newspaper man if he did not desire his views to be published.

We continue to receive the Hearst boom in weekly dribbles that are hardly of enough importance to nominate a town constable.

Men's Summer Oxfords. You are neglecting the first principal of Summer comfort if you fail to wear low shoes. Guess we make more profit on high shoes than on low, but in summer, with low shoes, we make more friends. Smartness and comfort combined—the very swellest of the new shapes are always here—a little in advance of their general appearance. Patent Kid and Patent Leather, Ideal Kid and Vici Kid. Some new toes and lasts. Money back if anything goes wrong.

FRANK WILSON THE KING CLOTHIER. You should not fail to visit the New White Front when in need of Hot Weather Wearing Apparel. We are showing beautiful things in Thin Wash Goods, Colored Lawns, Batiste, Orpandies, Mulls, Mercerized Zephyrs, Chambray, Percales, Madras, etc. The White Goods showing includes the season's choicest offerings.

THE NOTION STOCK is complete with Embroideries, Laces, Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Ladies' Vests, Gloves, etc. Give us a call and we will please you at THE NEW WHITE FRONT, JAS. F. DAVENPORT.

We claim... That our customers are the best satisfied people in Greenville and Pitt county. They have learned that they can come to us when in doubt and trust us to treat them right. That confidence has never been violated at The Home of Women's Fashions, Pulley & Bowen's

Tutt's Pills Give your farm a name and order The Reflector to print it on your stationery. by enabling the digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves, feeds the tissues, hardens the muscles and recuperates the organs of the entire body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures indigestion, Catarrh of the Stomach and all stomach disorders. Sold by John L. Wooten.

NEWS NOTES FROM WINTERVILLE. Letters from Women Cured by the use of Kodol are received daily. Their troubles nearly all begin with indigestion or other stomach disorder.

Kodol Cures This famous remedy puts the stomach and digestive organs in a healthy condition so that rich, red blood is sent coursing through the veins and arteries of every muscle, tissue and fiber throughout every organ of the entire body, and by Nature's law of health, full strength and vigor is soon restored to each stomach disorder.

Kodol Digests What You Eat. Bottles only, \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents. Prepared by E. C. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO WOOTEN'S DRUG STORE.

FACTOLUS ITEMS. FACTOLUS, June 19, 1903. We had it cold for past week. Crops are on the droop. J. J. Satterthwaite went to Greenville Thursday.

Mr. Gray, of Oakley, was here yesterday buying potatoes. Dr. W. E. Warren and wife of Stokes, were here Tuesday. Potatoes are yet coming in and going out—prices good. C. E. Bradley & Co. have the fruit jars you wanted now.

What has become of all the ice cream suppers! Have the cool nights frightened them off? P. E. Davenport came in last week from Morehead City, where he had been attending the board of pharmacy. He passed a highly creditable examination. Good boy Pete.

The C. B. H. organized a lodge here Saturday night, with J. J. Satterthwaite, president; B. F. Little, treasurer, and Brasco Bell, secretary. Thirteen names were recorded. Zeb Ricks has moved into the new residence just completed by R. R. Fleming. Several more new ones are wanted. Mr. Fleming will commence building another one in a few days.

For Sale—A three room house with two large lots, good location. There is a bargain in it. For further information write or call on C. E. Bradley. List taker and assessors Messrs. Speir, Little and James held quarters at C E Bradley & Co.'s store Wednesday. We never saw so many poor folks on one day before. The grumbling time will be next fall. An excursion will be run from Washington to Richmond July 1st. Those who wish to take a trip to the city of Richmond will have an opportunity to do so. Go boys and take your girl along.

DIZZY? Then your liver isn't acting well. You suffer from biliousness, constipation, Ayer's Pills act directly on the liver. For 60 years they have been the Standard Family Pill. Small doses cure. BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the hair.

AYDEN ITEMS. (Continued from 3rd page.)

He returned to Greenville Friday morning. Mayor J. J. Stokes went to Winterville Thursday to sit with the tax assessors there.

Mrs. C. N. Holton returned from a visit to Washington Thursday. Miss Bessie Carson, of Washington, is here on a visit to Misses Jemmie and Ara Davis.

E. S. Edwards went to Greenville Friday to exchange papers with L. H. Rountree in the purchase of the Rountree's property here.

AS TO A SCHOOL. Ayden ought by all means to have a good graded school. There is a considerable sum of money each year due this Ayden district which had heretofore been diverted into the other institutions here.

A large stock of carefully selected Groceries, Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps and Furnishings. Country Produce bought and sold. Fresh Butter, Eggs and Family Supplies constantly on hand. Country trade a specialty. Flour and feed by the car load.

Industrial history proves that people must first begin themselves, and first show their own "inside" before they can be of any use to the capitalist as a whole. Ayden will subscribe to the stock in any first class enterprise desiring a suitable and profitable location. Until all sections have developed the raw material in their very doors there can be no permanent prosperity for us. Let us endeavor to be a factory for the people.

3 Stubborn FACTS Back up Our Claims for YUCATAN TONIC

Dainty things for any meal sold at prices to suit any purse. We provide the most attractive necessities for your table. We do it this way—by having the best Groceries, by handling them in the best way, and by selling them at the most reasonable margin.

Johnston Bros. CASH CROCGERS Cotton seed Meal and Hulls, Hay, Oats, Corn and Bran always on hand.

JAS. B. WHITE, General Merchandise and Department Store, GREENVILLE, - - N. C.

JAS. B. WHITE. Cold Comfort. H. L. CARR. You should not fail to visit the New White Front when in need of Hot Weather Wearing Apparel.

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THE NEW WHITE FRONT, JAS. F. DAVENPORT. Give your farm a name and order The Reflector to print it on your stationery.



NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt county. H. T. Murphy and Pennie Murphy vs. W. J. Tripp. By virtue of an order made by D. C. Moore, Clerk Superior Court in a certain special proceeding entitled as above, I will on Monday the 6th day of July, 1903, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property to wit: One parcel of land lying and being in Contentnea township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of J. R. McLawhorne, the Len Tripp lands and Henry Tripp lands containing 49 acres more or less and known as the Slaughter land. Said sale is made for partition. This 3rd day of June, 1903. F. C. HARDING.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt county. R. A. Nichols, of Pitt county, North Carolina, hereby enters and claims the following tract, piece or parcel of land in the said county and state, in Beaver Dam township, and described as follows: Adjoining the lands of Jeremiah Nichols and the heirs of Wm. Manning on the north, J. W. Smith and W. A. Nichols on the south, Alfred Nichols on the west and Jas. L. Elks (known as the James lands) on the east, lying on south side of Tar river, east side of Little Contentnea creek and on the south-side of Beaver Dam swamp, containing thirty (30) acres, more or less. This June 3rd, 1903.

Any person or persons claiming title to or interest in the above described land, must file their protest in writing with me against the issuing of a warrant, within thirty days from the date hereof, or they will be barred. This June 3rd, 1903. R. WILLIAMS, Ex-Officio Entry Taker for Pitt county, N. C. By H. A. Blow, Deputy.

NOTICE. All persons in the county subject to license tax under the new revenue law are hereby notified that they must obtain such license from the sheriff and have the same countersigned by the register of deeds. Failure to do this will be a violation of the law. These licenses have been due since the first day of June and should be paid at once. The following have to procure licenses: Theatres, traveling theatrical companies, attorneys, physicians, dentists, real estate and realty collecting agents, coal dealers, undertakers, collecting agents, second hand clothes dealers, peddlers of clocks, stoves and ranges, bicycle dealers, merchandise brokers, commission merchants, literary studios, sewing machine dealers, lightning rod agents, hotels, billiard and pool tables, gift enterprises, slot machines with fixed returns, agencies for breweries, bottling establishments, dealers in liquor, dealers in medicated bitters, distilleries, dealers in pistols, pistol cartridges, bowie knives, etc., cigarette dealers, emigrant agents, itinerant oculists. Persons in Pitt county subject to any of the above licenses should call on me and procure the same at once. June 15, 1903. O. W. HARRINGTON, Sheriff.

NOTICE. To All School Districts: The meetings of the board of education have been changed by law to the first instead of the second Mondays. The next meeting will be held on the first Monday in July, being the 6th day. At this meeting committees for each district in the county will be appointed. This is an important matter, and the board would like to advise with you in reference to these appointments. If any changes are necessary or desired you should appear before the board on the above named date. If there is a house needs to be built or repairs made exceeding \$25 this fact must be reported to the board at this meeting, or the matter cannot be attended to during the entire year. Those interested in education in any district would do well to heed this notice if they desire that their requests should receive the attention of the board. W. H. BAGSDALE, County Supt. Schools.

P. S.—All accounts must be presented for approval and payment on or before June 30th, or they cannot be collected.

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Swapped \$30.50 For \$2. While walking up Mint street, last night, Mr. W. M. Farrow was accosted by a negro boy, who said: "White folks, please give me change for a two dollar bill, so that I can get a quarter to go to the show." Mr. Farrow took the bill from the boy's hand and gave the negro what he thought was a dollar and two 50 cent pieces. Later he discovered that he had swapped \$30.50—a 20 dollar gold piece, a 10 dollar gold piece and 50 cents in silver—for the negro's greasy two dollar bill. All efforts to locate the young negro who profited by Mr. Farrow's carelessness have been in vain. The matter has been placed in the hands of the police officers and an arrest may follow.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The Fool-Killer in Indiana. Indianapolis, June 18.—A crowd of 1,000 people assemble in the Cyclorama building tonight to witness the looping of the loop on a pair of roller skates. William Zimmerman, a young man of this city, attempted the feat. He had a pair of steel skates that weighed about 100 pounds, and came down the incline at fearful speed. When he reached the highest part of the loop he was seen to turn slightly to one side. At that instant he lost his balance and fell to the ground, a distance of 20 feet. The heavy steel skates fell on him. When picked up his skull was found to be crushed. He died within an hour.

Crazy Woman's Awful Deed. Burlington, N. C., June 18.—Near this place last night Mrs. George Webb, who is supposed to have been temporarily insane, went into the yard of her home at 2 a. m. laid her head on a log and hacked her face and head in a horrible manner with an axe. When discovered she was in a dangerous condition. Her skull was split in two places and her face and neck horribly mutilated. She will not recover. No cause other than temporary insanity can be given for the horrible deed.

Life Sentence for Burglary. Wilson, June 18.—Charley Taylor, colored, was convicted in the Superior court today of entering the house of Warren Woodard with intent of committing burglary, and sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Crops Backward. We hear some talk that neither tobacco or cotton crops are up to the average. Too much cool weather in June has retarded growth. Cotton will have a better chance than tobacco to develop as of the growth of the former comes in July.

Come Look at Pitt. The Wilmington Star speaks of Anson county as having 150 acres in tobacco. Just think of 150 acres in a whole county! Here in Pitt we have a number of individual planters who have nearly that many acres in tobacco.

Wanted it to Stimulate Their Nerves. We hope the investigation going on in Washington will be thorough enough to show what Mr. Perry Heath and his clerks wanted with "pennyroyal" among other drugs bought by them and paid for by the government.—Raleigh Post.

If Winston-Salem does not pull off a lynching it will be a fine opportunity neglected.

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