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BETHEL'S GRADED SCHOOL.

Opened Monday With an Enrollment of One Hundred and Fifty.

The editor spent Wednesday in Bethel on business. We found the people of that good town very much elated over the splendid graded school which was opened there on Monday. The enrollment has already reached 150 and more pupils enter every day. Prof. J. D. Everett is superintendent of the school and he is assisted by excellent teachers. The school will result in great good to the community.

Another decided improvement noticeable around Bethel was the absence of hogs and cows from the streets. We learned that the town commissioners had passed a law prohibiting stock running at large on the streets.

Blount & Bro. are operating a large Munger improved ginny at Bethel and the gin is a busy place as cotton is coming in very fast.

Bethel, like all other towns at present, is feeling the effects of the low price of tobacco, but a good business is being done there.

Several of the leading business men there arranged for a regular Bethel department in the semi-weekly REFLECTOR and this will be started in a few days.

The treasury statement to Sept. 1st inst. gives the general stock of money in the United States as \$2,708,693,622, and the money in circulation \$2,388,905,168 held in the treasury as assets of the government, \$319,791,484. The population of the United States is estimated at 80,717,000 and upon this calculation the circulation per capita is \$29.60. This is a larger per capita circulation than any other country in the world has, excepting France.—Charlotte Observer.

The Town Borrows Money.

The board of alderman have borrowed sufficient money to pay off town orders until sufficient taxes can be collected to pay them, and not require persons in whose favor the orders are drawn to hold them.

The board has also made a new regulation in reference to private families taking boarders. Heretofore all who took boarders were required to pay the regular boarding house license. Now that so many people are here who cannot find accommodation in the hotels and boarding houses, in order that they may find place to stay, the board has decided that any private family may take boarders, not exceeding three in number, without paying any license tax.

A pessimist is a man who views his neighbors through a smoked glass.

Accused of Theft, Woman Died

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 9.—Mrs. Jamie Stewart Boyesen, of Laport, Ind., the authoress and musician and former wife of attorney I. K. Boyesen, of Chicago, died here as the result of the nervous shock following a false accusation of theft. She was 35 years old. While at the White Stone springs near Spartanburg, S. C., the room of a guest was robbed of jewelry to the value of \$600. Circumstances threw suspicion on Mrs. Boyesen and without investigating the stories of two colored servants who declared that they had seen her in the room at the time of the alleged robbery, the landlord of the hotel openly charged her with the theft. She was subjected to many indignities and insults and never recovered from the shock, finally passing away tonight.

Weldon to Vote on Liquor.

Weldon, N. C. Sept. 9.—A petition signed by more than the required number of registered voters of Weldon, was presented to the board of town commissioners last night by the anti-saloon forces asking for an election on the dispensary question against open saloons. The commissioners ordered the election to be held Oct. 20th.

Wants Divorce From Her Fourteenth Husband.

To hold the world's record in the marriage line is the ambition of a Kokomo woman. Sarah Pohlman, aged 40, according to the averments of Jos. Pohlman, is the woman, who is suing for divorce from him.

Pohlman says she has 13 husbands living and one dead. Eight of these live in Ohio, and five in Kokomo.

Pohlman alleges that the woman wants to corner the stock of men on hand, and is operating a matrimonial trust. It is said she wants a divorce from No. 14 in order to marry No. 15.—Kokomo, Ind. Dispatch.

Murderer of Mrs. Beaver Hanged

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 10.—At six minutes past 12 today Wilford Roseboro, colored aged 22 years, was hanged at Statesville for the murder of Mrs. Dolph Beaver, which crime was committed July 30th. The hanging took place in the jail yard. The county commissioners had ordered that the execution be private as prescribed by law, but at the last moment the surging mass of people outside the enclosure tore away the canvas and fully two thousand people eagerly witnessed the execution. Roseboro slept soundly last night, ate a hearty breakfast and maintained a stubborn stolid appearance until the trap was sprung. He made no confession except a statement soon after his conviction in which he admitted his guilt. His mother and relatives refused to accept the body and it was sent to Raleigh for dissection.

The aldermen of Raleigh have decided that officers of the city must pay their debts or lose their jobs. One account against an officer in the sanitary department has bobbed up, and now the finance committee has something to investigate along that line. The debt-paying business ought to begin somewhere.—Durham Sun.

SMARTEST MAN IN THE WORLD.

Thomas A. Edison Draws the Line at Cigarettes But He "Chaws."

In common with most other men of sense, Thomas A. Edison has a great antipathy to cigarettes. He will not allow anybody to smoke them in his presence, and although many of his employees are what might be termed habitual cigarette smokers, such men take good care not to come around Mr. Edison when they have what the inventor calls "a filthy weed" in their mouths. This accounts for the fact that in the neighborhood of the entrance to Mr. Edison's private office there are usually a considerable number of cigarette stumps.

Yesterday morning Mr. Edison found a packet of cigarette paper outside the door to his office. He picked it up and went back to his desk and wrote the following sign:

"A degenerate who is retrograding toward the lower animal life has lost his packet. The same can be had by applying to the storekeeper."

The sign attracted considerable attention because it was written by the inventor, and his hand writing is well known about the Edison works. Mr. Edison did not say on the sign why it was necessary for the owner of the packet, which he had pinned on the notice, to call on the storekeeper, so when the person who had lost the packet came along he took possession of his property without asking permission of the storekeeper. In its place he put a plug of chewing tobacco under the notice.

The sign did not remain in place long after that. Mr. Edison uses chewing tobacco.—Chicago Chronicle.

Where the Judge Drew the Line.

Homer Davenport tells of a Utica police court judge who formerly resided in Silverton, Oregon, where Davenport was born. Once an unfortunate man who was arrested for intoxication told the judge that he had played with Davenport in the Silverton cornet band. The judge discharged the prisoner.

The incident was published in the newspapers, and in the following year at least five other prisoners who were brought before the judge explained that they had played with Davenport in the Silverton cornet band. The other day the Utica judge telegraphed Mr. Davenport asking him of how many pieces the Silverton organization consisted. He concluded his message by saying:

"Hereafter no prisoners will be discharged on account of former membership in this band. The limit has been reached."

Mob Howled for Murderer's Life

Chicago, Ill. Sept. 9.—Under a fire of bricks and stones, policemen last night recovered a negro murderer from a mob of would be lynchers. Ten minutes before John Brinkley, a colored watchman, had shot and killed Charles M. Cartly, a plasterer, almost in the presence of the latter's wife, who stood in the doorway holding her baby. For a time the negro, backed into his own doorway, held a crowd of 200 men and boys at bay.

His Stenuousness Butts In.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 9.—Following the announcement that United States District Attorney William Byrne, of Delaware, has resigned it was learned here today that President Roosevelt has asked postmaster general Payne for a report on the retirement of Miss Huldah Todd, postmaster of Greenwood, Del., who has, it is alleged, been forced out by Senator Allee, one of Addick's proteges, in order to make room for an Addick worker.

Southern Wrecker Spotted.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 10.—Detective Honey, of the Southern railway, has spotted the man who he claims wrecked the train near Gastonia, about five weeks ago, causing serious injury to four persons and entailing a property loss of at least \$50,000. The officer states that the man under suspicion is a prominent resident of Gastonia and that the arrest when made will cause a genuine sensation. The arrest will not be made for several days yet pending certain developments, but the man is constantly shadowed.

Bad Negro Given the Strong Arm

Wallace, N. C., Sept. 10.—On the southern bound train on the Atlantic Coast Line, this afternoon, Capt. Harvey Twining had a narrow escape from being killed by a negro who refused to pay his fare. The negro grew insulting and the captain grabbed him by the throat and shoved him against the side of the car.

The negro then paid his fare and as the captain turned away pulled a pistol and leveled it on him. The colored porter standing by grabbed the pistol and the negro dropped it in his pocket. The porter did not tell the conductor how near he came to losing his life until after the negro had got off the train.

"Baby Ruth" Cleveland is now quite a little lady and the recipient of so much attention that at times she has a tendency to put on airs, to the great disgust of Mrs. Cleveland. Recently at Marion she did something which so displeased her mother that she was corrected on the spot.

"Just because papa was president," said Mrs. Cleveland, "you must not think you are any better than anybody else, for you're not. None of us are."

Ruth pouted a moment and then came back with: "Well mama, then you're no better than old Black Joe."

Old Black Joe is the man-of-all-work employed by the Cleverlands.

PITT COUNTY MURDERER IN PHILADELPHIA

Essex Staton, Slayer of Abram Little, Run Down in the Quaker City.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 6.—On information furnished by Alice Staton, Col., Essex Staton, her husband, was today committed to prison accused of murder. Alice visited a magistrate's office to procure a warrant for her husband's arrest on a charge of assault and battery. While telling her story she declared Staton had shot and killed Abram Little, his brother-in-law, in March, 1902, at Grimesland, Pitt county, N. C. When arraigned for a hearing Staton was asked if he had killed Little. He said he had quarrelled with the man and shot him in self defense. He left the place at once and did not know whether Little's wound had proved fatal. The woman testified that Little died five days after the shooting. The local authorities will communicate with the authorities of Pitt county.

Sheriff O. W. Harrington says Staton is wanted here for the murder of Little, and steps are being taken to have him brought back to Pitt county for trial.

Requisition for Essex Staton.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 10.—A telegram was received today from the sheriff of Pitt county at Greenville, N. C., requesting that Essex Staton, the negro under arrest here, be held to await requisition papers, as he is wanted to answer the charge of murder.

Senator Beveridge Up Agin' It.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 10.—While enroute from this city to South Bend to speak before the state bankers' association, Senator Beveridge stopped at Fort Wayne and got a lunch at a railroad restaurant. After he had eaten he nervously went through his tickets and announced to the waiter that he had no money. The waiter grinned and said that he had had that tried on him before, and it would not work. He placed himself between the senator and the door in such a way that would clearly indicate that the bill must be paid. The manager was called, but when the senator explained who he was the manager looked at his guest in a 'slouch hat and no vest with evident suspicion. The senator finally took out his railroad pass and a number of letters and succeeded in convincing the restaurant man that he was really the Indiana senator. He said that he left home with \$50 in his pocket, but whether he lost it or was robbed on the train he did not know.

Even the philosophical owner of a fireproof building is apt to insure it.

The Case Well Stated.

"The town runs the dispensary. The bar-rooms run the town." In these two paragraphs Webster's Weekly sums up the whole question in a nut shell. Shut up the bar-rooms and the towns will have better men in office and better city government in Raleigh, and in every other town and city. The bar-room influence in politics is only less injurious than the bar-room influence in the home. Shut them up!—Raleigh News and Observer.

Ogden on Advertising.

The firm of John Wanamaker in Philadelphia, New York and Paris has a reputation in two hemispheres for successful advertising and merchandising. Therefore what Robert C. Ogden, a partner of Mr. Wanamaker and a man of scarcely less intellectual power and note than Mr. Wanamaker himself, says upon the subject of advertising may be accepted as well nigh authoritative and conclusive. He says:

First—"Advertising is a business force and a very great power—the channel through which the merchant speaks to the people he desires to address."

Second—"With the public mind fixed upon business as it now is, with the competition that exists, without advertising of the proper kind, a business cannot be successfully prosecuted to any large degree."

Third—"Lack of courage is one of the most common experiences of advertisers. A great deal of advertising fails of its results because the advertiser gets discouraged."

Fourth—"A man's advertising is the test of his character, as he speaks and as the people have an opportunity to judge of the truth of his printed utterances, day by day, they will form their estimate of his character."

Greater Diversifying in the South.

The southern land is capable of producing a greater diversity of marketable products than the lands of the west and northwest, the centre of consumption is more accessible, cost of living is less, and the climatic conditions more attractive. These are some of the reasons for the marked increase in population of the south, and indication and a promise of still greater development of her marvellous resources.—Washington Post.

Vice Versa.

I never see my rector's eyes—He hides their light divine; For, when he prays, he shuts his own, And, when he preaches, mine! —G. M. Fergess.

But this truth from long experience I assert, that he who has the most friends and the fewest enemies, is the strongest; will rise the highest with the least envy; and will fall, if he does fall, the gentlest and the most pitied. There is no one creature so poor, so low, or so obscure, who may not, by the strange and unaccountable changes and vicissitudes of human affairs, some way or other, become a useful friend or a troublesome enemy to the greatest and the richest.—From Lord Chesterfield's Letters to His Son.

The negroes are going to remain in the south and the thing to do is for both races to make up their minds to get along as best they can together. And but for the outside interference this would be easy.—Durham Herald.

If the state looks upon the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad as political plunder it would be best to sell it outright, but this and the penitentiary should be considered and conducted as business institutions.—Durham Herald.

The Seekers.

Knock, and the Door shall open, ah, we knocked And found the unpitied portals locked, Waiting, we learned us croons to while along Those dreary watches—and ye call it Song!

Seek, and thine eyes shall find: ah, we have sought The Vision of our Dream, yet found it not. We limn its broken shadow, that our heart May half-remember—and ye call it Art! —By Arthur Stringer, in Smart Set.

Good Results of the Free Delivery.

A gentleman who has traveled over a large portion of the country recently finds that along the macadam road and the rural free delivery routes the people of the county are greatly improving the appearance of their homes by painting their houses and outhouses and by cultivating grass plots and lawns and yards around their houses, and otherwise beautifying them with flowers and shrubbery. So much for good roads and rural free delivery. So long as people live an isolated, shut-in life, it is natural that they should often be careless as to the outward appearance of their homes but good roads and rural free delivery bring them closer together and work marvelous changes in many ways. People who have given thought to the subject are of the opinion that good roads and rural free delivery can be depended upon to check the influx of rural population into the towns and cities, and thus save the country people to themselves.—Charlotte Observer.

*STATE PRESS.

If Mr. John Temple Graves wishes to hear something to his advantage let him take a stroll into the cotton and corn fields of the South at this time and submit his proposition. The negroes will do the rest, in the which they will not be interfered with by the whites.—Morning Post.

Cannot someone persuade one of the physicians who ordered Hanna, Gates and Schwab to keep quiet for months to prescribe for Mr. Bryan? —Durham Sun.

Public men who are loved by their friends need not care what their enemies say about them. Andrew Johnson's motto was: "Make your friends love you and your enemies hate you."—News and Observer.

Alabama evidently believes that the legislature is a necessary evil to be restricted in its operations as much as possible. It meets henceforth only once in four years and lasts twenty-two days.—Charlotte News.

In a recent speech Senator Fairbanks, advertising to the drift of population to the cities, says it will be followed by a return to the country. The Kansas City Journal says that this return drift has already set in. "So mote it be." The multiplication of good rural schools, the building of good roads and free rural delivery will make country life more desirable than city life. Goldsmith wrote truly when he says: "But a bold peasantry, their country's pride, When once destroyed, can never be supplied." —News and Observer.

"What's the size of this place?" inquired a tourist of a colored individual at the Southern depot the other day; and the negro replied in a very grave, matter-of-fact manner: "Dis town have about 6,000 population."—Caffney, S. C., Ledger.

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Connecting at Washington with Steamers for Norfolk, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York Boston, Aurora, South Creek, Belhaven, Swan Quarter, Ocracoke and for all points for the West with railroads at Norfolk.

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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.

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Our mill and ginney are now in full blast and we are prepared to gin cotton, grind corn, saw lumber, and do all kinds of turned work for balusters and house trimmings. We also do general repairing of buggies carts and wagons.

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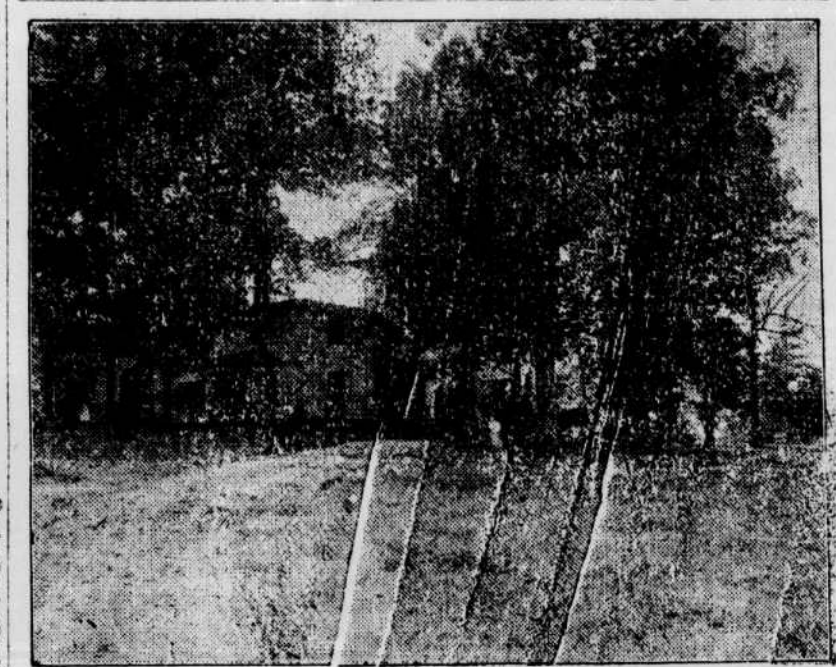
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CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,
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REPORT OF

THE BANK OF AYDEN

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 11, 1903.

RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
Loans and Discounts..... \$ 4,110.45	Capital Stock..... \$10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures..... 602.84	Interest..... 179.47
Expenses Paid..... 110.00	Deductions..... 7,530.00
Due from banks and bankers 11,908.00	
Cash..... 917.76	
TOTAL..... \$17,709.55	TOTAL..... \$17,709.55

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Best butter, cheese, hams, cat bage, table delicacies, fruits and confectioneries; and highest prices for country produce, go to

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all hand made. Makes furnace
arch and building brick. Full
stock always on hand. Prices to
suit the times. Write or phone
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car-load. Yours truly,

E. S. EDWARDS.

VICTOR COX,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Ayden, North Carolina.

AYDEN ITEMS.

AYDEN, N. C., Sept., 9, 1903.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick, of Kinston, gave a lecture on foreign missions in the Christian church Sunday evening.

J. J. Stroud went to Farmville Friday, returning Sunday.

Miss Sallie Tucker, of Grifton, arrived this morning to visit Mrs. W. B. Quinerly.

Dr. L. C. Skinner went to Greenville yesterday.

Seven bales of new cotton were marketed here yesterday, price ranging from 11 to 11 1/2, middling basis.

A. L. Jackson, of Grifton, was in town Monday night.

Farmers can make no mistake in marketing their cotton at this point. We have three buyers continually on the yards. They are all clever and well experienced in the business.

The Ayden Milling and Mfg. Co., ginned two bales of cotton Saturday and are grinding new corn.

Clarence Cannon, E. J. Gardner and Lill Cannon left Monday for the University at Chapel Hill.

Julius Lyons left Monday for the Military school at Kinston.

Miss Della Smith arrived Monday.

Miss Olivia Berry returned Monday from her visit to Scotland Neck and other places.

Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, of Weldon, who is president of the Bank of Ayden, spent Monday night in town.

C. C. Spruill returned from Washington Monday.

J. D. Waters filled the appointment of Mr. Howard here Sunday at the Christian church. He left Monday to resume his studies at Lexington, Ky.

AYDEN, N. C., Sept. 12, 1903.

Misses Lena and Bessie Harris returned from Scotland Neck Wednesday.

Miss Sallie Tucker returned to her home near Grifton Wednesday.

Herbert Hardy, of Greenville, was in town Thursday.

Will and Amos Tyson went to Farmville Thursday, returning same day.

W. B. Quinerly went to Greenville yesterday.

Miss Ida Edwards went to Greenville Friday.

Mrs. Plato Collins, of Kinston, spent yesterday with her sister, Mrs. D. F. Hines.

David Gibb, of Parmele, is in town.

Miss Annie L. Smith returned yesterday from the northern markets.

J. A. Harrington returned yesterday from a trip on the road.

Marvin Ormand was in town yesterday.

DR. JOSEPH DIXON,

Physician and

Surgeon.

AYDEN, N. C.

Office in Brick Block.

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AYDEN, N. C.

EDWIN TRIPP, Proprietor.

Best the market affords. Porter meets all trains. Comfortable Rooms. Electric lights.

Elias Dail and Cobb Worthington have let the contract for a new store to be built near that of J. W. Quinerly & Bros.
Preparations are being made for the building of a large new hotel with all the latest improvements on the lot next to the postoffice.
Cotton is being marketed very rapidly here. There has been more sold here this week than the entire month of September a year ago.

Often the price of liberty is \$10 for ten short days.

THE GENUINE VS. COUNTERFEITS.

The genuine is always better than a counterfeit, but the truth of this statement is never more forcibly realized or more thoroughly appreciated than when you compare the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve with the many counterfeits and worthless substitutes that are on the market. W. S. Ledbetter, of Shreveport, La., says: "After using numerous other remedies without benefit, one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me." For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles no remedy is equal to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

Many a man salts away money in the brine of other people's tears.

THE PLEASURE OF EATING.

Persons suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia or other stomach trouble will find that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. This remedy is a never failing cure for indigestion and dyspepsia and all complaints affecting the glands or membranes of the stomach or digestive tract. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure everything you eat tastes good, and every bit of the nutriment that your food contains is assimilated and appropriated by the blood and tissues. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

She may be a thing of beauty until you see her emerging from the surf.

A PURGATIVE PLEASURE.

If you ever took DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness or constipation you know what a purgative pleasure is. These famous little pills cleanse the liver and rid the system of all bile without producing unpleasant effects. They do not grip, sicken or weaken, but give tone and strength to the tissues and organs involved. W. H. Howell, of Houston, Tex., says: "No better pill can be used than Little Early Risers for constipation, sick headache, etc." Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

A WASHUP GOES ON A WHALING VOYAGE WHEN IT STARTS OUT TO WHIP SOMEBODY.

A washup goes on a whaling voyage when it starts out to whip somebody.

DISTRESS AFTER EATING CURED.

Judge W. T. Holland of Greensburg, La., who is well and favorably known, says: "Two years ago I suffered greatly from indigestion. After eating, great distress would invariably result, I sting for an hour or so and my nights were restless. I concluded to try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it cured me entirely. Now my sleep is refreshing and digestion perfect." Sold by John L. Wooten.

Notice.

I hereby forbid anyone hiring or in any way harboring my son, Charley Mabrey, who is a minor. He has left my house without my permission, and I will not be responsible for him.

JOHN MABREY.

September 7th 1903.

Four Instantly Killed.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 10.—Four men engaged in repairing a break in the Peavy concrete elevator were instantly killed and one man seriously injured by the collapse of a scaffold this evening.

Wooten's Drug Store.

J. W. Higgs returned Thursday evening from Williamston.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick returned to Kinston Thursday evening.

W. C. Reed left Thursday evening for Kinston.

J. M. Blow returned to Winterville Thursday evening.

S. S. Cox returned to Kinston Thursday evening.

C. V. York returned Thursday evening from Rocky Mount.

Miss Lela Tripp returned this morning from a visit to Ayden.

Miss Nina Basnight, of New Bern, is visiting Miss Alice Lang.

Mrs. W. M. King left this morning for Rocky Mount.

Miss Nell Skinner left this morning for Wilson.

W. B. Quinerly, of Ayden, was here today.

Miss Pearl Evans returned this morning from a visit to Kinston.

Miss Delphia Abrams went to Winterville Thursday evening and returned this morning.

Ben Starkey, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Starkey, returned to Kinston Thursday evening.

Mrs. B. R. King, of Goldsboro, who has been visiting Mrs. R. W. King, returned home Thursday evening.

Misses Blanche and Mabel King, of Goldsboro, who have been visiting Mrs. R. W. King, returned home Thursday evening.

Miss Annie Sledge, of Tarboro, arrived Thursday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. L. H. Pender.

Miss Ellen Parker, who has been visiting in Wilson, returned home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Simon Moye and little daughter, Miss Olivia, went to Washington today to visit relatives.

Miss Dippie Hentley, of Washington, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Simon Moye, returned home today.

S. B. Wilson has moved to the Smith house, in West Greenville until he can rebuild.

If you would be happy don't purchase today and read the bargain advertisement tomorrow.

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No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol cures indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy cures all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.



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Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1903.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN TRUSTS AND MONOPOLIES.

The REFLECTOR is no apologist for unlawful and harmful combinations that grind the people beneath their juggernaut, monopoly, but we are often visited by that tired feeling upon reading some of the senseless tirades against capital put forth by people who think to reform the world with a stenographer and a typewriter.

A trust is not necessarily a bad thing. A monopoly is invariably so. Suppose two farmers owned each a windmill, which furnished power for grinding corn, sawing wood, etc. The property of the farmers is divided by a fence, and there is a windmill on each side of the fence. The same wind turns both mills, but each mill must have a complete set of fixtures, employees, etc. Our two farmers quit abusing trusts long enough to do a bit of thinking, the result being that they decide to sell both mills and put up a much larger and more profitable plant. More corn is ground, more wood sawed, and neither of the farmers are in as much danger of going to the devil for the lies they did not tell about each other, and the tricks they did not use to get each others trade. This combination would be nothing more or less than a trust, but it would not necessarily be a monopoly. If the owners of the property reduced expenses and made more money by simply grinding more corn and sawing more wood, everybody concerned would be benefited.

It is not laws against trusts we need. It is the enforcement of laws against monopolies. The trust that does not hold a monopoly is a development of civilization. A monopoly that ruins competition by tricks and under the shelter of officers of the law is the most revolting spectacle of human selfishness we have ever known.

The man who lives right need not worry about dying right.

Let the man who would reform the world begin on himself. He would probably get no further, and wouldn't need to.

The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year—for the man who did not save a bucket of coal from last winter.

In the latest Raleigh "incident" the newspapers made good to such an extent that no one succeeded in proving them liars.

A minister in a Western state died recently while kneeling in prayer. Never was there a better time to die.

Negro education and negro crime have gone together. Why this is so we do not know, but it is a fact.

In spite of diligent efforts the gubernatorial political pot refuses to boil so that you would notice it.

Mr. Bryan may be unjustly criticized, as a contemporary asserts, but he alone makes his crown of thorns.

Mr. Roosevelt said in a recent speech that not only has the amount of wages received by farm and other labor in this country increased constantly for generations, but that the purchasing power of the money so received has also increased. Any man with sense enough to buy a pound of beef steak knows that this is false. The cost of living has advanced from one to two hundred per cent. in the past 12 years, and nobody but a blithering lunatic would claim that wages have advanced in proportion. We blame no political party for this, but it does seem that the president of the United States should have more sense than to perpetrate such tommy-rot.

Hats off to Elizabeth City, the Queen city of the East. The city voted for prohibition Tuesday, the majority being 170. Women prayed in the churches while men worked at the polls. This is the only kind of prohibition that prohibits—prohibition that the people want and work for.

The Charlotte Chronicle says: "Why are we hearing of the Macedonian rebellion and the Macedonian revolutionary committee, etc., when there is no Macedonia whatever upon the map of Europe today?"

And if there were such a country, Turkey would put it out of business.

We sincerely hope that Raleigh will vote out its saloons. The capital city has made several failures of various effort in the past few years and it is now time for it to do something.

President Harper of the University of Chicago will search for the tomb of Abraham. As the patriarch died poor we can't see why President Harper expects to find a donation in his coffin.

General Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky, has turned the democratic party out of doors, bag and baggage, and is now looking for a fatted calf for prodigal son purposes.

It takes a woman to marry a man just to see what kind of a husband he will be, and then feel disappointed because he is not as bad as she thought.

We hope the Greenville Anti-Saloon league is neither dead or sleeping. If it is either, then those speeches made last winter will not amount to much.

Mister Dooley is a pa. No doubt Himissy will claim the privilege of naming the baby and name it Mike or Pathrick.

The Colorado democratic convention endorses the Kansas City platform. But who is to hold Colorado?

"The apple is the classic fruit," says the Atlanta Journal. The ripe one that the Primal Two ate or the green one the boy ate.

The young man thinks, the middle-aged man doubts and the old man waits.

All may be vanity, but remember, the other fellow has not cornered the market.

Bear your neighbor's troubles. They are easier to bear than your own.

Opportunities are things to take advantage of, not to mourn the neglect of.

Kaiser William has had a battle with himself. Of course Bill won.

He who sows to the flesh reaps a like harvest.

Truth is mighty—scarce.

Down with the oyster.

The money question may be settled, but did you ever hear so much talk about a "settled" thing?

The man who kills his wife or sweetheart and commits suicide is still prevalent.

Bob Fitzsimmons has been propped up on crutches and announces that he will fight again.

The negro gets more justice in our courts than white people. We do hang a negro once in a while.

Fewer acres and a larger yield per acre is good advice to tobacco planters.

An Indiana schoolmarm complains that she was lugged while in the performance of her duties. Imagine the rush for her job.

Do you see that yawning hole in the democratic party? (That is where General Simon Bolivar Buckner pulled himself out by the roots.)

Harry Furniss, the novelist, says: ugliness and cleverness go together. How kind of Harry. We feel better already.

We advise our good friend John Temple Graves not to try his deportation scheme in these woods just now.

If there is any species of accident that has not happened to Prof. Haggley's airship it has yet to be discovered.

The Northwestern farmers' trust has been abandoned. Wonder if they ever heard of our Mary Ann Butler?

The Chicago kindergarten class of lynchings is now studying the first rudiments.

"Fight the devil with fire," says a temperance article. Ballots are better weapons.

If that Raleigh congregation stand Parson Massee we reckon the balance of us can.

"All the president wants," begins an article in an exchange. Yes, all is what he wants.

Dan Teachey must be a descendant of Colonel Chesey's pirate.

Long, long he served to gain the height And thereby win her heart. Then learned, poor victim that he might Have had her at the start.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

The ghost of republicanism in North Carolina now sleeps beneath the daisies, and of mourners there are few. The Asheville Gazette has fallen by the wayside, gone where the woodbine twineth, the whang doodle mourneth and the lion ceaseth to roar.

In after years Roosevelt will be remembered as the man who made trouble between the black and white races. Not all the monuments in Christendom can obscure this crowning deed of egotism and pig-headedness.

Of course Parson Massee is not guilty, but we will wager he will not do it again.

Getting on the uniform of a policeman and being clothed with a little authority makes fools of some men. At Salisbury the other day a policeman had a trivial argument with an excursionist from Charlotte who was waiting for the train, and without cause cut the man's scalp in two or three places with his billet. At Raleigh a policeman, just because a young law student became elated over successfully passing the examination for license and gave vent to his feelings in a college yell, arrested the young man and put him in the lock-up without giving him a chance to explain or allow his friends to stand his bail. In the latter case lawyer W. A. Dunn, of Scotland Neck, whose brother was the victim of this outrage, has already instituted proceedings to make it hot for that policeman.

In a few years the people of the United States will come to understand that the cost of living has increased several hundred per cent. in the past 10 years, while the average income has increased very little, if at all. Then a democratic administration will come into power and begin at once to cut off the source of revenue of those patriotic people who are robbing the government. The pap-suckers will howl, the radical press will screamingly proclaim that the democratic party is responsible for "hard times." It has been so and will be so.

We dislike to discuss the negro question. We feel that it is the Southerner's part to go quietly about his business, be true to himself and his family and pay no attention to the vapors of demagogues, in or out of the pulpit. We know that time will write us boldly in the right, and we know that we are capable of caring for our own. Let the heathen rage and the Pharisee twist his sanctimonious smile. They are impotent and puerile, for in our hearts we know that the brute who touches a white woman shall die.

"Society" must have something to talk about. Now much ado is being made over a reported engagement of Lieut. Hobson, the hero of the Merrimack and of much kissing notoriety, and Miss Ruth Bryan, daughter of William Jennings Bryan. The existence of such an engagement is denied by the mother of the young lady, and so it goes. How young folks' courting does get meddled with.

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HOW ABOUT SUNDAY TRAVEL?

(Communicated.)

Shall we have improved mail and traveling facilities for Greenville? Through the Merchants Association of Pitt county, an effort is being made to secure this community better mail and traveling facilities. Thus far the effort has not been successful, although the Atlantic Coast Line has promised a regular train on Sundays, but the promise is indefinite, that is the train is to be put on this road when the next change is made in the A. C. L. time table. The Merchants Association does not propose to abandon its undertaking until the services of a Sunday train are secure to this town or until every means by which it may be secured are tried and found to be of no avail.

Can this section of the state afford to be without a daily mail and passenger service? The question is one for the community at large, to answer. In answering it, it should take into consideration the advantages which its sister towns has in this particular. To mention them, there are New Bern, Kinston, Goldsboro, Wilson, Rocky Mount and Tarboro. These towns are classed with Greenville in point of importance, but each, in mail and travelling facilities, has an advantage over Greenville in having both, Sunday trains and double service also. Now, notice the effect, in population, commercial achievements and commercial progress. Greenville is at the foot of her class. This is a fact we are loath to admit, but when considering our own conditions, we are blighly following false idols if we refuse to see our own short comings. There is no good reason why these conditions should exist, Greenville by right belongs at the head of her class and with the assistance of her citizens, united into a body, she will go forward to the position to which she belongs. Give her improved railroad facilities and then work together to draw securely to herself that trade of her own county, together with that which is inclined to come to her from ure ne, Edgemcomb, Martin, Beaufort, Craven and Le noir counties. These counties contribute no little trade to Greenville.

The paramount question, is how can a better condition of affairs be obtained? Adopt the old maxim, "in unity there is strength." Come together frequently as a town and discuss fully the business affairs of the community, in open meeting, decide on what is best for the community and proceed with dispatch to execute that decision. Undoubtedly a united body can do much to drive away the commercial gloom that is now gathering over this community. There is, in the Merchants Association an effort about which can be built a powerful force that will be an immense factor in the upbuilding of the town and community. A body that will take an active interest in public affairs and give the public its determined support, that support which is essential to the commercial development of this community. Individual prosperity, as we well know, dependent on the prosperity of the community.

If a Sunday train is wanted let the town come together and work unitedly with that aim in view and a Sunday train will be had. No community is in greater need of such train. We are twenty four hours behind in our dealings with

the outside world, and too, our own is much avoided by traveling men because of the lack of traveling facilities. Come together and avoid these commercial evils.

Loyalty to one's city involves the same principles as a loyalty to one's country. If there be any difference it is in favor of the city in which is situated the family, the home, the friends. An opportunity to show this loyalty arises in many ways, but more frequently perhaps in every day business transactions, especially in purchasing articles of daily necessity, and the letting of contracts for labor. He who patronizes home talent, home industries, home enterprises of whatever kind is helping his own family, his friends, the entire city and increasing the value of his possessions in the city.

He who permits himself to be drawn away after strange places and strange friends in business transactions is in a measure to say the least disloyal to family, home, friends and city. Such a man is not a type of city citizenship. Patronize the talent and enterprise of home first, last and all the time and you will be happier and more prosperous.—Winston Salem Journal.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made in the special proceedings entitled G. T. Stokes et als against Crack Moore and wife and Rosa Stokes, the undersigned Commissioner will sell for cash before the Court House door in the town of Greenville, N. C., on Monday, the 21st day of September, 1903, the following described piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the County of Pitt and in Swift Creek Township. That tract of land upon which the late Edward Stokes lived at the time of his death and being all the land owned by the said Edward Stokes at the time of his death, bounded on the north by the lands of Henry Stokes, on the east by Clay Root Swamp, on the south by the lands of James A. Stokes and on the west by the lands of Jesse A. Stokes, containing 88 acres, more or less.

This Aug. 12th, 1903.

F. G. JAMES, Commissioner.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made at the special May Term 1903, in a certain action therein pending, entitled "Florence P. Tucker against J. H. Gurganus, and F. G. James assignee of J. H. Gurganus," the undersigned, will, on

Monday, September 21st 1903 before the Court House door in the town of Greenville, N. C., set at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, a certain tract of parcel of land in Pactolus township Pitt County which lies south of the high water mark on the south side of Grindle creek, and fully described as follows: Beginning at the bridge over the river wharf, thence up the river to Broad Creek, thence from said creek by the McG Station line (now Fleming and Davenport line), thence on across the Greenville road by Davenport's coach hop to the Rollins canal, thence down said Rollins canal to the high water mark of Grindle Creek as it was when the mill dam of the said Tucker was standing, which is near a double sweet gum or said canal, thence with the said high water mark of Grindle creek to the late William Grimes' line, thence with times line to the beginning, containing even hundred acres more or less saving and excepting therefrom the 1 acre of land fully described by metes and bounds in the deed from R. S. Tucker and wife to Sophia M. Fleming dated March 9th 1891 and registered in the Register's office in Book 46, page 375, provided however that the roadway known as the "Rollins' road" and running from the old town of Pactolus by the church and school house towards the residence of Mr. J. J. Rollins shall not be closed," but shall be kept open by the purchaser through the land above described as a public road.

This the 12th day of Aug. 1903 T. B. WOMACK, Commissioner ALEX L. BLOW, Clerk of s. c.

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FOR SALE.

A valuable tract of farm and wood land within two miles of Greenville. By virtue of a decree of Pitt Superior court made February 11th, 1903, in a certain special proceedings therein pending for the sale of the land there after described for partition to which Rosa Fleming, Roscoe Fleming, Archie Fleming, Nanie Fleming, D. C. Fleming, Adolphus Fleming, Lenora B. Ransom and Jewel Fleming are parties. I will, on Monday October 5th, 1903, offer for sale to the highest bidder at the court house door in Greenville that valuable tract of farm and wood land, opposite Parkers cross roads, which was allotted to the above tenants in common in the division of the lands of F. Fleming and known as lot No. 1 containing 121 acres described in said division as follows: Beginning at a maple on the Greenville and Bethel road, the corner of Susan O. Brown, de'd and running thence with her line north 63 west 37 1-2 chains to a ditch; thence north 2 1-2 west 1 1-2 chains to the crook of the ditch, then north 26 1-2 east 30 chains and 65 links to a stake centered by a dogwood, oak and maple; thence south 67 1-2 east 35 1-2 chains to a stake on the aforesaid road, thence with said road to the beginning.

Term—One fourth cash on confirmation of sale, balance payable with interest January 5th, 1904. Greenville, N. C., September 5th, 1903. ALEX L. BLOW, Commissioner.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Lawrence Stokes deceased, having this day been issued to me by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate, to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 14th day of August 1904, or this notice will be placed in the bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me.

This the 12th day of August, 1903. JESSE A. ANNON, Adm'r of Lawrence Stokes, de'd

North Carolina, In Superior Court, Pitt County, Sept. Term, 1903. John E. Hughes and J. E. Lipscomb, against W. T. Clark and the Hancock Moorman Tobacco Company.

The defendant, The Hancock Moorman Tobacco Company, will take notice that at the April term of Pitt Superior Court the following order was made, to wit: "It appearing to the court, from affidavits and admission of counsel made in open court, that the said Hancock Moorman Tobacco Company is a corporation and not resident in this state and has property within the state and that it is a proper party to this action, it is ordered that the said Hancock Moorman Tobacco Company be made party defendant to this action according to law, and that service of the summons by publication in the EASTERN REFLECTOR, a newspaper published in the town of Greenville, for the space of six weeks."

Now therefore, the said Hancock Moorman Tobacco Company, the defendant above named, is hereby required to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, at a Court to be held for the County of Pitt at the Court House in Greenville, on the Second Monday after 1st Monday in September 1903, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said County within the first three days of the Term, and let the defendant take notice that if it fails to answer the said complaint, a default will be taken against it and the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded by the complaint, and the cost of this action to be taxed by the Clerk.

Given under my hand this 5th day of August, 1903. D. C. MOORE, Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.

North Carolina, In Superior Court, Pitt County, Sept. Term, 1903. Mary Harrington, vs. Willie Harrington.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to dissolve a divorce from the bonds of matrimony by the plaintiff from the defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the superior court of said county to be held on the 3rd Monday of Sept. 1903, it being the 21st day of said month, at the Court House of said county in Greenville, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 12th day of Aug. 1903. F. G. JAMES, D. C. MOORE, Att'y for Plaintiff, Clerk of s. c.

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PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10.

D. J. Whichard returned from Bethel Wednesday evening.

Miss Mamie Cooper left Wednesday evening for Ayden.

Miss Lassiter, of Greene county, is visiting, Mrs. G. E. Flanagan. Dr. William Fountain returned Wednesday from Elm City.

W. O. Shelburn, of Richmond, is in town.

J. R. Moye has moved into his new residence on Fifth street.

Miss Sophia Jarvis returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Scotland Neck.

Miss Lottie White returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Norfolk.

Mrs. G. T. Hawkins, of Hertford, who has been visiting Mrs. J. White, left this morning.

J. M. Blow, editor of the Winterville department of THE REFLECTOR, was here today.

W. C. Reed, of Richmond, an officer of the Imperial Tobacco Co., came in this morning.

Miss Emma Craft, of Roper, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. J. Smith, in West Greenville.

Mrs. E. L. Archbell, of Washington, N. C., is visiting Mrs. N. H. Kicks.

Miss Lillian Bonner Archbell, of Washington, N. C., is visiting Miss Bessie Wilson Kicks.

Miss Lucz Wooten, of Kinston, will sing in the Christian church at the service next Sunday morning.

Ensign Lyman A. Cotton is home on a few days vacation from the military academy at Annapolis, Md.

Miss Sudie Harding left this morning for Washington, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the graded school.

FEARFUL ODDS AGAINST HIM.

"Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by the name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O., for years has been troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies, "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store.

Perhaps the mistake Congress made was in not offering to distribute that \$10,000,000 among the members of the Columbian senate. —Kansas City Journal.

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WHAT IS LIFE?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at Wooten's Drug Store.

STATE NEWS.

Raleigh pays more for saloons than for all its churches, charity and religious purposes. It pays \$74,000 more for whiskey than the entire receipts of the city government.—Raleigh News and Observer.

After a stubbornly contested election Elizabeth City went for prohibition by 170 majority. Good for Betsy.

C. T. Campbell shot and killed Sam Person in a Morganton bar room. There had been bad blood between them, which was a bad thing to mix with bad whiskey.

M. S. McGee, a native of Wilkes county who had gone West, committed suicide near Seattle, Wash.

George W. Vanderbilt has had complaint lodged with the commissioners of Buncombe county that his property is valued too high for taxation.

The Salisbury policeman who used his billet on the head of a Charlotte man without cause has been suspended from police duty.

An Army Deserter With a Record.

Edward S. Carter, a Charlotte man who has been in the United States army for some time, and who has given a good deal of trouble as a deserter, has just deserted for the fifth time. He was arrested in Charlotte a few weeks ago and sent to Fort Caswell, from which place he was transferred to Fortres Monroe. A few nights ago he escaped from the latter place, with four others. The first time Capt. Forsyth sent Carter to Fort Caswell he deserted the very night he was committed. He is about the smoothest deserter that has turned up in the army in a long while.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 9.—Miss Mamie Newsome, a buxom young woman of Providence township, Rowan county, who assaulted Rick Roseman, beating him severely a few days ago, has been indicted for the offence. The fight has caused quite a sensation and the trial is expected to come off at the present term of court. Miss Newsome is a well to do young woman, being one of the wealthiest in this part of the county. Roseman is a small young man of uncertain strength. He received a severe flogging for which he is seeking revenge by way of the court house.

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 9.—John Flowers was put on trial for the life this morning for the crime of rape upon his 9-year-old daughter. After being out two minutes the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

This morning, (Sept. 10) Flowers was sentenced to be hung on October 30.

Most men begin to economize on their own spending by cutting down their wife's allowance.

A man can make up his mind that he loves a woman a good deal quicker than he can that he wants to marry her.

A BOY'S WILD RIDE FOR LIFE.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes, "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvellous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip, prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Wooten's Drug Store.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

This department is in charge of J. M. Blow, who is authorized to represent the Eastern Reflector in Winterville and territory.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Aug. 29.

Realizing the advance of cotton goods we went north early and purchased our stock of fall and winter goods and feel sure that we can save you money as we bought bulk of our stock at old prices and sell the same way. Everybody cordially invited.

Yours to serve, Harrington, Barber & Co.

Mrs. G. R. Dixon and Miss Narcissa Sunday went to Greenville yesterday.

Farmers—Bring your cotton to Winterville where you can have it ginned at the very cheapest rates and where you can receive the highest cash price for cotton seed.—L. L. Kittrell.

Joseph McLawhorn, of Ayden, was here yesterday.

See M. L. McGowan the jeweler. Repairing promptly done. Work guaranteed.

We are informed Major Smith Thursday sold the product from seven acres of tobacco for five hundred dollars. This is the best we have heard this season. Would that all our farmers could do so.

B. F. Manning & Co. says they have had on blue long enough. So they will put on red and get ready to compete with the town price of tobacco.

Misses Lorena and Lizzie Dixon, of Ayden, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. H. C. Dixon, returned home yesterday.

Every day A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. are delivering and shipping wire fence. We mean that stock of fence which they have been offering at a reduction of one third in price. Some day it will all be sold and somebody will be left out. Don't let it be you.

Mrs. H. L. House and children left yesterday to visit her mother at Hanrahan.

If you want some bargains to compete with the times, go to see B. F. Manning & Co.

Mrs. J. Lynn Manning, Mrs. James Manning and Miss Cora Braxton, of Ayden, are visiting at Elder Manning's.

We have spared no time in selecting our stock and we think we can suit the most fastidious.—B. F. Manning & Co.

We are now manufacturing a wash board out of the old North Carolina pine, also of gums. These are the very best kind of wood that can be used. Apply to Winterville Mfg. Co.

S. H. Grisham, of Kinston, came up this week to place his daughter in school.

You may talk about four grape nuts or what not as being the ideal food, but the old fashioned Graham flour is hard to beat. Most people prefer testimonials from home folks. You can get a plenty of them from parties purchasing the above article regularly from A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

The Winterville Mfg. Co. make a specialty of horse shoeing. We have a nice line on hats for both old and young, also trunks, valises, telispoons, &c, at prices we think very reasonable and always glad to serve you and save your money if possible.

Harrington Barber & Co. Now a word to the wise. Go to see B. F. Manning & Co., before their bargains are exhausted. Laundry basket leaves Monday 6th, and every two weeks thereafter. Bring work to my barber shop.—O. A. Fair, Agt.

Singletrees and Plow Beams made of the very best material by the Winterville Mfg. Co.

All kinds of scroll and turned work done to order by the Winterville Mfg. Co.

Tom Dawson went to Grifton, last night.

We would call attention to the fact we have added dry goods to our line of merchandise and respectfully ask the public to call and examine—Winterville Mfg. Co.

Miss Helen Quinerly has returned home.

The Winterville Cigar Co. don't belong to the trust. Send your orders right along and get the best cheroot in the world for the money and patronize home industries. Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. C. Andrews, of Bethel, is here to relieve J. E. Green, agent, who is away on a visit to his home in Williamston.

See M. L. McGowan, the jeweler. Repairing promptly done. Work guaranteed.

Miss Sadie Carroll spent Tuesday here.

Premium with every pair of their best grade tar heel cart wheels sold before Nov. 1st. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., will give as a premium one of their improved patent Economic back bands. This is an opportunity for those who expect to purchase wheels soon to get the best back band made absolutely free. The wheels are sold at regular retail price.

Prof. J. L. Jackson left yesterday for Cooctoe to assume charge of the graded school near that place.

Hats, caps, shirts, collars, cuffs, etc Cheap at A. D. Johnston.

Edward Smith, who has been visiting in Goldsboro, returned Wednesday.

Boarding House—Mrs. J. D. Cox. Board \$1 per day. Best House in town.

Miss Dora Manning, after spending a long while in the country, came home this week but only remained one day then left again.

Nothing is more cool and refreshing these hot days than a cold drink prepared by W. L. Burt at the drug store soda fountain. He will give you in a few moments notice any of the latest and most popular cold drinks.

We are very much pleased to see Prof. Nye out on the streets again. He will be sufficiently recovered to resume his duties in the Winterville High School within the next three weeks. Prof. John Carroll is now performing his duties.

Among the good things kept by A. G. Cox Mfg., one of the best is Graham flour (the old fashioned article) kept on hand freshly ground all the while and sold at 21cts., per pound. There is quite a demand for this unbolted flour for the last few years, being used by dyspeptics and those troubled with indigestion in any form.

Wednesday evening, the 9th inst. at the residence of Mr. J. J. Nobles, Jr., Mr. Joseph E. Buck and Miss Susie Willoughby were happily united in holy wedlock. The attendants were E. T. Tucker with Miss Esther Hart; S. Atwood Kittrell with Miss Bessie Chapman. J. M. Blow, J. P. officiated.

There was a large number of friends present and the event was indeed a most happy one. We extend congratulations.

Our Fall Message

You're Invited

Our new Fall Suits are holding a reception and they earnestly request a visit from you. They will be delighted to welcome you at any time. The suits are very handsome and it will please them to have your admiration. You will find them in all the new styles, all here ready to greet you. Don't disappoint them for they are expecting you and send you this message. Come.

FRANK WILSON

THE KING CLOTHIER.

I have just returned from the market, and have a line of beautiful

Dress Goods and Trimmings

Coming daily. Will announce opening day later.

Jas. F. Davenport,

New White Front.

We are Still Leading

In fine Dress Goods, Trimmings and women's Clothing wants generally. To a great extent our reputation is built on this particular line of goods, and we are very careful to keep up the standard. One of our leading lines just now is a full stock of beautiful

Shirtwaist Patterns

The newest and most stylish that money can buy, yet they are easily within your reach. It's the duty of every woman, young or old, to make herself as attractive as possible. Clothes do not make the woman, but they often make her beautiful—that is, the clothes we sell. We will be pleased to show you.

Pulley & Bowen's

The Home of Women's Fashions.

The drug store has in stock cheap perfumes, high priced perfumes and all kinds of perfumes, talcum and tooth powders, tooth, nail, hair and shoe brushes, combs, soaps, shoe polish and shiners, shoe blacking, pipes, harps, marbles, rubber balls, cigars, chewing and smoking tobacco, slate and bath sponges, pepper, spices, and pickling spices—in fact everything that you will find in any well kept drug store.

Maj. J. B. Neal, of Scotland Neck, who has been here in the interest of insurance, left for his home Thursday.

Would you like to sweeten your tooth. If so try some of Blome's fresh penny candies at the drug store.

B. F. Manning went to Greenville Thursday.

The secret of a good meal. The best flour, pure lard. The best baking powder, and fresh butter on ice. All of them at A. D. Johnston's.

B. F. Manning & Co. paid \$66.15 for one bale this week.

Maj. Henry Harding, of Greenville, has been here this week delivering machinery.

Some extra money may be easily made by those having black guns growing near by Winterville. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., are paying for any length poles not over 10in., in diameter at the large end nor under 7 at the small end 11cts., per running foot delivered at their factory.

G. A. Kittrell & Co. are in position to buy your grapes and pay you the highest market price for them, see them before you sell.

All kind of feed for sale by G. A. Kittrell.

A few pair of Plymouth rock chickens left that we will sell reasonable.—G. A. Kittrell & Co.

Candy, snuff, tobacco, and cigars at A. D. Johnston.

We have in stock the best line of shoes ever offered here and can fit you in both size and price. Bring your family and we will keep this red on, so we will make the shoe equal before you get it on your foot. B. F. Manning & Co.

We are ready to make prices to suit the times on all of our goods of every kind from a standard sewing machine needle up.—B. F. Manning & Co.

Wanted.—To buy or trade for a small farm.—P. H. Kittrell.

Use "FORCE" sold by A. D. Bell, The Upright Grocer, Bellefield, N. C.

Mrs. Bettie Britton

Milliner

WINTERVILLE, N. C.

A Full Line of Millinery Goods.

Mrs. Sarah Taylor,

Fashionable

Milliner,

Best and latest styles always on hand. Call and see. Next door to Dr. B. T. Cox's drug store.

FARMVILLE DEPARTMENT

The Farmville Branch of the Eastern Reflector is in charge of Rev. T. H. Bain, who is authorized to transact any business for the paper in Farmville and territory.

DR. C. C. JOYNER,
Physician
and Surgeon.
Farmville, N. C.

M. H. Leggett,
FARMVILLE, N. C.
MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS.
Leaders in Fashions. Full line of trimmed and untrimmed hats, flowers, ribbons, etc. Cheaper than ever.

J. H. HARRIS & CO.,
FARMVILLE, N. C.
Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats,
Fancy Groceries, Crockery,
Glassware, Fruits, Confections, To-
bacco and Cigars. Everything cheap
and highest prices for country
produce.

**M. T. HORTON
& BRO.**
FARMVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Clothing, Dry Goods, Groceries,
Tobacco, Cigars.

We make especially of
Shoes For Men
Women and Children

It is conceded that we give the
best shoes for the money of
any house in Farmville.

HARDY SISTERS,
Milliners,
FARMVILLE, N. C.
The newest and latest styles in
Millinery. Hats trimmed to or-
der on short notice.

Hotel Horton,
FARMVILLE, N. C.
T. HORTON, Proprietor.
Table furnished with the best
market affords. Comfortable
rooms. Polite and prompt
attention.

RENTSON ITEMS.

RENTSON, N. C., Sept. 11, 1903.
I. B. and Richard Oakley, of
Tagwell, spent Saturday night
and Sunday in this vicinity.

Jerome McGlohon went over
the river Saturday on business of
importance.

Frank Hardee, of Quinerly,
visited at E. E. Dail's Saturday
night and Sunday.

Exam Dail went to Wilson Mon-
day and returned Wednesday.

Mrs. E. E. Dail and Mrs. C. H.
Langston attended the mothers'
meeting at Winterville Wednes-
day afternoon.

Renton was well represented at
Reedy Branch Sunday.

J. A. Jarrell went to see his
best girl Sunday evening.

E. E. Dail went to Snow Hill
Tuesday.

Mrs. T. R. Norville, of Reba, is
spending sometime with her
mother, Mrs. Levi Worthington.
C. H. Langston has had his
residence dressed with a new coat
of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Worth-
ington, of Standard, spent Sunday
with relatives here.

Several of our young people
went to Reedy Branch Thursday
night.

T. R. Allen, of Ayden, came out
Sunday.

Miss Delia Smith, of Ayden, is
in the neighborhood for a few
days.

R. L. DAVIS & BROS.
Farmville's General Merchants.

No need of going further when we can supply all your needs in

**Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Hardware,
Furniture and Groceries.**

Full line of Richmond Stove Co.'s Cook Stoves and Heaters.
Car load lots of Hay, Corn, Oats, Cotton Seed Hulls and
Meal, Fertilizers and Lime.

Manufacturers of Buggies, Tobacco Flues and Trucks.
Farm Wagons, Coffins and Caskets always on hand.
In season we operate a Manger 3-system Cotton Gin.

T. L. & W. J. TURNAGE
GENERAL MERCHANTS,
FARMVILLE, N. C.

We carry a large stock of General Merchandise, Dry Goods,
Clothing, Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Furniture, Tools, Farm-
ing Implements, Seed, Fertilizer, Hay, Corn, Oats and other
feed stuffs. We solicit a share of your patronage. Fair and
courteous treatment to all.

CHEAP GOODS.

W. G. Speight, administrator of R. H. Speight deceased,
wishes to notify the public that he has charge of the stock of
goods owned by said R. H. Speight at his death, and is offer-
ing them to the public regardless of cost. The stock consists
of a full line of DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING,
HATS, CAPS, SHOES, hardware and groceries, all fresh and
nice. W. G. Speight is also agent of the Royal Tailors Mfg.
Co. All suits made to order to fit the individual. Your meas-
ure is taken and a good fit guaranteed. We can furnish these
goods at 40 percent less than tailors usually charge.
If you want bargains come early to

W. G. SPEIGHT'S Store,
Farmville, N. C.

W. M. LANG,
FARMVILLE, N. C.

Offers you selections from as complete a stock of
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
as can be found in Eastern Carolina.

Special line of Dress Goods and Trimmings for Ladies.
Full line Self Celebrated Shoes for men. Every pair warranted.
Collars, Cuffs and Co. Collars and Cuffs for Men and Ladies.

**FURNITURE OF ALL GRADES. WHITE IRON
BEDSTEADS AND MATTRESSES.**

Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats and Groceries.
Hardware, Farm Implements and Harness. Ice Cream Freezers
and Hammocks.
Two warehouses full of flour, corn, oats, hay &c.

**The Wear Well
Clothing Company**

We have opened a new Clothing and Gent's
Furnishing Store at the stand formerly occupied
by Edmonds & Fleming's barber shop. Our
stock is new and strictly up-to-date and our
prices cannot be beaten this side of New York.
We have a large and carefully selected stock of
the latest style goods. We carry everything in
the Clothing and Furnishing line, such as Shoes,
Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Ties, etc. Do not fail to
pay the new store a visit, as you will surely save
money in dealing with us. Yours very truly,

The Wear Well Clothing Company.

Send your orders for printing
to Relector Printing House.

Cold Comfort

Is what we are after, and the possession of one of
our Refrigerators will insure sweet milk, cream and
butter, cool drinking water and many dainties that
would be unobtainable without the Refrigerator.

HAVE YOU A LAWN?

If you have you will want a Lawn Mower pretty
soon, and we've made it easy for you to own one.
There is no need to borrow a lawn mower when we
sell a good machine with best steel knives at such
a satisfactory price, and guarantee it to do the work.
Water Coolers, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks and
everything else in the hardware line.

H. L. CARR

JAS. B. WHITE,

General Merchandise
and Department Store,
GREENVILLE, - - N. C.

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.

JAS. B. WHITE.

**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.

Cotton seed Meal and Hulls, Hay, Oats, Corn and Bran
always on hand.

Johnston Bros.
CASH CROCCERS

AFTER TWO YEARS PREMIUMS HAVE BEEN PAID IN THE
MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
OF NEWARK, N. J., YOUR POLICY HAS

1. Loan Value,
 2. Cash Value,
 3. Paid-up Insurance,
 4. Extended Insurance that works automatically,
 5. Is Non-forfeitable,
 6. Will be re-instated if arrears be paid within on month while you are living, or within three years after lapse, upon satisfactory evidence of insurability and payment of arrears with interest.
- After second year—7. No Restrictions. 8. Incontestable.
Dividends are payable at the beginning of the second and of each
succeeding year, provided the premium for the current year be paid.
They may be used—1. To reduce Premiums, or
2. To Increase the Insurance, or
3. To make policy payable as an endowment during the lifetime
of insured.

J. L. SUGG, Agt
Greenville, N. C.



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Marble and Granite
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Main office and electric power plant,
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Pactolus Department

The Pactolus Branch of the Eastern Reflector is in charge
of C. E. Bradley, who is authorized to transact any busi-
ness for the paper in Pactolus and territory.

PACTOLUS TEMS.

PACTOLUS, N. C., Sept. 11, 1903
Cotton picking and fox grapes.
J. J. Satterthwaite, R. R. and
J. P. Fleming left last Friday for
Baltimore and New York.

Mrs. H. G. Huntly and sister.
Miss Gertrude Nivens, returned
to Martins Monday.

Little more tobacco is passing
through for the Greenville market
this week than was last. Prices
must be getting better.

The fall must be near. Jackets
are being pressed into service.
J. J. Satterthwaite returned from
Baltimore Wednesday evening.

Town has been full of picture
agents this week. Wonder how
many gave orders to have them-
selves made better looking.

L. T. Ross has a hog not edu-
cated to reading novels but to
walking cotton guards. He is
often seen making personal in-
spections of certain potato patches.

The matter was placed before the
section master and he at once had
what he thought was the remedy
made. The theory is now Mr.
Hog is using tomwalkers to pre-
vent annoyance of blood hounds.

The farmers are busy now
rounding up fodder and picking
cotton. Tobacco is so low we do
not hear much of that, only kick-
ing themselves for planting this
year. Now don't do this same
kicking next year over planting at
cotton.

Crushed Under a Log.

Friday afternoon while at work
around the saw mill of Mr. O. L.
Joyner, three miles from town, Mr.
Jones Dunn met a terrible accident
by a heavy log rolling over on him.
One leg and thigh were crushed
beneath the immense weight, and
Mr. Dunn was also injured inter-
nally. His injuries may prove
fatal.

**J. J. Satterthwaite
& Bro.**

PACTOLUS, N. C.

Invite you to make their store
headquarters and while there to
inspect their complete stock of
GENERAL MERCHANDISE

and learn their low prices. We
can supply all your needs in
any line of goods.

We are selling Lawns and other
summer dress goods at about
half price, to make room for
fall goods.

R. R. FLEMING,
Merchant and
Manufacturer
PACTOLUS, N. C.

Always carries a complete
stock of

General Merchandise.

Manufacturers of Lumber and
Cypress Building Shingles.
Special price on car load lots of
Shingles.

**C. E. BRADLEY
& CO.**

Dealers in General Merchan-
dise, Dry Goods, Notions,
Hardware, Staple and Fan-
cy Groceries, Hats, Caps,
Shoes, Crockery, Tin-
ware, etc., etc.

Sewing Machines and Furniture
Specialties.

**ONLY COLD DRINK STAND
IN TOWN.**

PACTOLUS, N. C.

J. R. DAVENPORT
PACTOLUS, N. C.

After thirty years of successful business I am
better than ever prepared to supply all the
needs of the people with a complete stock of

General Merchandise

I can furnish anything wanted, from a cam-
brie needle to a steam engine.

I handle fertilizers and gin cotton in season.

The manufacture of the Davenport & Braxton
Fertilizer Distributors will begin about Aug.
15th. It is the best invention of the century.

**WANTED.—A Logger with some experience, with two bunk
wagons and one ox cart.**

J. H. GURGANUS,
PACTOLUS, N. C.

Is the place to get Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes,
Hats, Groceries, Hardware, Furniture, Crockery, etc., at

Rock Bottom Prices.

A full line of Drugs and Medicines. Highest prices paid
for all kinds of country produce.

Parham and Parham

TOBACCO WAREHOUSE

Tobacco is Selling for Better Prices.

Parham's New Ware House is one of the largest and best lighted
houses in the state for the sale of leaf tobacco.

In our business we have competent assistants, first-class service
and good accommodations.

By strict attention to business entrusted to us, and straight-forward
honest dealing with all,—we hope to merit a share of your patronage.

PARHAM and PARHAM.

CAROLINA CLUB.

Formal Opening Sept. 29th, 1903.

At the meeting last night the
Carolina Club decided to have its
formal opening on Tuesday night
Sept. 29th.

After that date ladies will be
admitted to the club rooms on
Fridays from 4 to 7 p. m. and to
the reception room and cafe from
8 to 12, every night, if accompan-
ied by a member of the club but
children and boys under twenty-
one years of age will not be admit-
ted at any time.

There is only one more chance
to gain membership before the
formal opening. See that your
application goes in at next meet-
ing.

Most of the furniture, etc., is in,
and it is all expected to arrive
before Sept. 29th.

Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad.

Capt. J. M. Turner, of Raleigh,
was here today talking the pro-
posed railroad from Raleigh to
Pamlico sound. He says the out-
look for the road is good, and that
all the elections to be held on the
22nd will be in favor of it. There
is no doubt about the road being
a great benefit to this eastern
section.

Forty-Five and Canned.

Mr. R. W. King says he never
had a birthday that has impressed
him like today. When he awoke
this morning it came to his mind
that he was 45 years old, and it
made him feel like he was about to
get old. But he does not look it.

A pleasant feature of the day was
a surprise given him by his little
daughters. When he walked out
on his front porch they were await-
ing him and presented him with a
handsome gold headed cane.

May he have many more happy
anniversaries.

It takes a girl with a face as in-
nocent as a baby's to be engaged to
two men at the same time and to
mean to marry the man she is
not engaged to.

SENATOR SIMMONS TALKS.

He Finds the Democrats in Hopeful Mood.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 10.
—Senator F. M. Simmons spent
the day here on his return to Bal-
eigh from a trip to Washington.

In an interview on politics, he
stated that he found the democrats
in Washington decidedly more
hopeful in regard to the next
presidential election than they
were a week ago. He thinks that
President Roosevelt's popularity
is waning and that the large busi-
nessmen of the country has not
the utmost confidence in the presi-
dent. With a strong conservative
man like Senator Gorman, the
North Carolina senator thinks the
democrats would have as good a
chance of electing a president next
year as they had in 1892, when
Mr. Cleveland defeated Mr. Harri-
son. Senator Simmons is firmly
of the opinion that Mr. Gorman
would get as many votes in New
York State as either Judge Parker
or Mr. Cleveland, and he admits
that the latter is very popular in
the North and East.

Miss Nan Pays the Costs.

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 10.—

Miss Nannie Newsome, the young
woman who severely flogged Rick
Roseman a few days ago, submit-
ted before a magistrate yester-
day and paid the costs in the case,
saying, however, that "she didn't
half get satisfaction."

Fire in Durham

Durham, N. C., Sept. 10.—Be-
tween 12 and 1 o'clock this morn-
ing there was a fire in Hayti near
Lincoln hospital which destroyed a
six-room dwelling, owned by Green
Barbee, colored, and slightly dam-
aged another building.

A Very Special Request.

I most respectfully and earnestly
request all who were pupils of Dr.
Braxton Craven to send me at once
on a postal card their name and
postoffice address. I feel sure that
all former pupils will do this much
for the sake of their great and re-
vered preceptor.

Respectfully,

T. N. IVEY,
Editor Raleigh Christian Advocate.

Scotland Neck will hold an
election on Tuesday, 15th, on the
question of prohibition or saloons.

Kinston is moving for an
election for a dispensary.

Capt. J. B. Dixon, of New Bern,
fell off his tug boat, Wednesday
afternoon, and was drowned.

September term of Pitt Superior
court will begin Monday, 21st.

**You have it. You don't want it. Then
why keep it? Drive it out with Ayer's
Malaria and Ague Cure.**

Made by
J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Lowell, Mass.
Sold by
All Druggists.
Price, 50c.

LETTER TO BRYAN AND NICHOLS.

Greenville N. C.

Dear Sir: Shufflet Hardware Co. Hickory, N. C. bought a carload of paint; after selling it a few months, found out it was used seven times a gallon.

Returned it to the maker and credited customers with what they had lost from short measure.

What do you think of a short measure paint? Don't you think it half white-wash? Half the paint is pure white-wash.

Go by the name: Devor lead and zinc. No whitening or clay in that full measure. Besides, a gallon Devor is worth two of white-wash paint.

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOR & CO.

P. S.—H. L. Carr sells our paint.

MARVELOUS CURE BY DR. MOORE.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Pitt County.

To all whom it may concern:

I hereby certify that on the 15th of March, 1903, I, Dr. W. H. Moore, of my son, J. W. Moore, who was the first of last March were strangely affected with a malady resembling diphtheria, and when the attacks were on them they would scream and their convulsions were so violent that they had to be held by main force. I applied to and had the services of five physicians without realizing any benefit whatever. I finally sought the ministrations of Dr. W. H. Moore, colored, and under his treatment my son passed three convulsions, two of them were severe and one was fatal. My wife passed several convulsions with long sniffs to them. It gives me pleasure to announce that they are all getting well and the disease has disappeared.

J. W. MOORE, colored, sworn to before me, Aug. 19th 1903. H. HARRISON, J. P.

The above parties are all white people of good family and well known. I also have other affidavits in my possession showing convulsions under my treatment. I cure all troubles that flesh is heir to. I have made the blind see, the deaf hear and the lame walk, as people living here in Greenville are in the county will testify. My medicine and treatment are no humbug, but I guarantee a cure in all cases or suffer no cost. Don't continue to suffer, but try me and be convinced.

WM. H. MOORE, M. D., Greenville, N. C. P. O. 1856.

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Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Langes, Safes, etc. Leather and Gait & Ax Suits, High Top Tobacco, Key West Cigars, Young George Cigar, Cigar and Cigarettes, Peaches, Apples, Fine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Sates, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass 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. Come to see me.

S. M. Schultz.

Phone 55

Dr. R. L. Caff.

Dentist.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Constipation

Does your head ache? Pain back of your eyes? Bad taste in your mouth? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, headache, dyspepsia.

25c. All druggists.

Want your mountaineer or heard a beautiful brown or red hair? For the

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE

25c. All druggists.

GRADED SCHOOL.

List of Teachers Completed.

The board of trustees of the graded school held a meeting Friday afternoon to complete the list of teachers. Miss Doyle, of Tennessee, did not accept the position to which she was chosen at the previous meeting of the trustees and Miss Lila Chisman, of Hampton, Va., was elected in her stead. Mrs. A. L. Blow was elected to fill the place remaining vacant. This completes the list of teachers for white school.

For the colored school C. M. Epps, of Plymouth, was elected superintendent; Sadie Fleming was elected one of the teachers. Two other teachers, Annie L. Ends and Annie L. Blackwell, were elected subject to examination.

The board also made the following rates of tuition for children living outside the graded school district who wish to attend: For 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades \$1 per month. For 4th, 5th and 6th grades \$1.50 per month. For 7th, 8th and 9th grades \$2 per month.

Fruit Jars at S. M. Schultz.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Meetings Resumed for the School Term.

The Pitt County Teachers' Association that suspended its meetings during the vacation of the schools, today resumed its regular monthly meetings. All are glad to welcome the teachers back among us, and they seem glad to be once more greeting each other and mingling together. The work of the association last winter and spring was of interest and benefit to all who attended, and we feel sure it will continue doing much good for the schools, the advancement of education and better equipping the teachers for their duties.

The attendance at today's session was quite large. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. A. T. King, and after reading the minutes and revising the roll of members the association was briefly addressed by Senator A. L. Blow.

The question of establishing a teachers' library was discussed. Prof. Dowe, in behalf of the trustees of Greenville graded school, extended an invitation to the association to hold its sessions in the graded school building, and also to locate the library there.

Committees were appointed to take the library in charge and to collect funds to procure books.

A committee on nomination of officers of the association was appointed to report at October meeting.

A committee was also appointed to plan a course of work for the association, and there was discussion upon the question of meeting twice a month for a while to better pursue the course of study mapped out. This discussion was engaged in by Profs. Lineberry, Ragsdale, Dove and Everett and Rev. A. T. King.

A man can pull another woman's pair of gloves out of his pocket and thrill all over, when it wouldn't even interest him to pull out his wife's stockings.

The nearer you get to the butt end of revenge the sweeter it isn't. The worst fault of some people is telling other people theirs.

When the bull and the bear go to market there is apt to be something doing at the mutton counter.

The short sighted girl who wears glasses may not be vain, but she knows she looks better with them.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12.

W. B. Cowell returned Friday evening from Washington.

Rev. W. E. Cox left Friday evening for Grifton.

Charles Skinner returned Friday evening from Baltimore.

V. J. Nichols is seriously ill at the residence of R. M. Starkey.

Rev. F. A. Bishop left this morning for Bethel.

Dr. Zeno Brown returned Friday evening from a trip up the road.

Miss Sallie Marshall, of Goldsboro, is visiting Mrs. Alfred Forbes.

Miss Blanche Flanagan returned this morning from a visit to Kinston.

Miss Glenn Forbes returned home Friday from a visit to La Grange.

Mrs. Fannie Jenkins and children returned Friday from a visit in the country.

Miss Lillian Taylor, of Gold Point, arrived Friday evening to visit Mrs. Lena and Georgia A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorine Briley, of Gold Point, arrived Friday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Savage.

Mrs. J. S. Chesson, of Plymouth, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Tait, returned home today.

Misses Mary Thigpen and Nell Simpson, of Mildred, who have been visiting Mrs. J. B. Randolph, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Rob Whitehurst, of Elizabeth City, who has been visiting Mrs. Charles Laughinghouse, left this morning.

Misses Mattie Moye and Amine Kirk and brother, Richard left Friday evening for Kinston to visit relatives.

Miss Hennie Whichard, the editor's oldest daughter, who has been sick for the past nine weeks, now seems to be on the road to recovery. Her condition has so improved that she has been sitting up a little the last day or two.

Mr. John T. Britt, editor of the Oxford Public Ledger and Clerk of the Court of Granville county, in the city. Asked about the sales of tobacco on the Oxford market, Mr. Britt said:

"Sales are very light. Prices are extremely low. The farmers are very much disheartened and those who can do so will hold their tobacco in the hope of better prices. The low price of tobacco has a disastrous effect upon business. In Oxford last year this time we had sales every day, while this year it is a hard matter to have a week and the offerings are very light. Those who are judges say that the crop as a whole is exceedingly good in the country, especially as to fine wrappers. It is an average good crop as to size. When sales first opened there was no buyer except the buyer for the American Tobacco Company. Now there are seven or eight buyers, mostly buying on speculation. The tobacco men say there is a better feeling at Oxford as to prices. Tobacco is selling a little better than at first, due to the competition by private speculators, who believe prices will be better next year and they are prepared to hold it.—News and Observer.

A woman thinks there is only one man in the world whose wife is altogether perfect.

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We have just received a large line of Fall and Winter Goods. Consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Furnishing Goods, etc. On account of the low price of tobacco we are sacrificing our entire stock. This is an opportunity that you will not get every day. Note the following prices:

Men's Suits worth \$5.00	\$2.45
" " " " 10.00	5.48
" " " " 15.00	8.48
Boys Suits worth 1.50	69c
" " " " 3.00	1.69

Youth's Suits, strictly all-wool worth \$7.50 now \$3.98. Shoes, Hats, and furnishings too low to talk about. See us at once.

Good Calico 3 1-2c per yard. Bleaching 4c. White Homespun 4c.

FLEISHMAN AND BRO.

'The market is a Little Better and the 'Old Reliable' is always Good.'

— THE —

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is not satisfied to do as well for the farmer as any other warehouse, but its motto is to do a little better. We are noted for high prices. You have heard the old saying about "the proof of the pudding." Just bring us your tobacco and we will show you the proof in high prices.

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FOUL MURDER IN JONES COUNTY

AGED FATHER OF SENATOR F. M. SIMMONS STRUCK DOWN.

BEATEN TO DEATH BY A NEGRO

State Deeply Stirred by One of the Most Brutal Crimes Ever Known.

Newbern, Sept. 13.—Jones county today is the scene of excitement from one end to the other, over the murder of F. M. Simmons, father of United States Senator F. M. Simmons, who was brutally shot and clubbed to death yesterday afternoon by a negro whose name is said to be Dani.

Mr. Simmons, who lived about eight miles from Pollocksville, Jones county, went there yesterday to sell his cotton, and as he did not return last night his family became uneasy as to his whereabouts, as it was known that he had a good sum of money on his person. His grandson, Jas. H. Simmons, who is a merchant of this place, was notified last night that his grandfather was missing, and he left immediately to help in the search. Senator Simmons was also notified, and he arrived here today and was immediately driven out to his old homestead, and when he reached there he found that the body of his aged father had been found down on the banks of Trent river, about one mile from his home, with three gun shot wounds in the body, and a club wound on his head.

A report reaches here that the man who committed the crime was caught near Pollocksville, about 2 o'clock this afternoon, and there was every indication that the citizens were very much wrought up over the matter.

Mr. Simmons, the murdered man, was a quiet, peaceful old gentleman, and the affair has cast a gloom over this entire city, where he was well and favorably known. Mr. Simmons was 76 years of age.

A dispatch to The Observer correspondent from Pollocksville gives the following particulars: "Furnifold G. Simmons, father of Senator F. M. Simmons, was shot to death Saturday afternoon by an unknown party who was trespassing on his land, squirrel hunting. Mr. Simmons lives in Jones county, about 17 miles from this place. Friday afternoon he heard the report of guns on his land, and went out to find out who the trespasser was, but could not tell what color he was, as it was near nightfall. Yesterday morning the shooting was continued, and he again went out in search of the offenders, and

this time he was shot himself. It is supposed from appearance that he lived several hours after being wounded. He was shot in the stomach, chest and throat with No. 4 shot. He was heard calling at intervals of three-quarters of an hour, but it was thought that he was after the trespasser, and no attention was paid to him. Last night as he did not return home, search was made for him but without success, so this morning the search was continued, and he was found about 100 yards from the road dead. One arrest has been made."—Charlotte Observer.

Safe Crackers Visit Youngsville.

Youngsville, N. C., Sept. 14.—Burglars entered the post office here last night and carried away practically all the stamps in the office and \$200 in cash. Most of the money belonged to the government. The work was done by experts, as the post office doors were opened without injury. Bloodhounds followed the trail to a water tank on the railroad, one mile north of here. It is supposed that the burglars boarded the train at this point and escaped.

Mrs. Peggy is 120 Years Old.

Reidsville, Sept. 12.—Possibly the oldest person in the state is a resident of Caswell county. Mrs. Peggy Murray, of Troy, is 120 years old. (She is now in a rational state of mind and walks among the flowers at all times. She is quite feeble and has almost entirely lost her eyesight. Mrs. Murray, of Corbett, is 93 years old, there are a number of people in this county who have reached the 90 year old mark.

Tucker Gets Requisition.

Reidsville, Sept. 15.—Deputy Sheriff L. W. Tucker, of Pitt county, will leave here today carrying to the governor of Pennsylvania a requisition for Essie Staton, colored, who is charged with killing his brother-in-law, Abram Little, near Grifton, March, 1902.

McKinley Statue Unveiled.

Toledo, O., Sept. 15.—Fully 100,000 people witnessed the unveiling of the bronze statue of William McKinley here today. The parade was the largest seen in Ohio since the close of the civil war. Senator Hanna introduced Senator Fairbanks, who delivered the address of the day.

Sam Jones in a Fierce Fight.

Cartersville, Ga., Sept. 14.—Postmaster Walker Akerman, whom Sam Jones denounced from the pulpit last night for selling wine in his office, this morning met the minister on Main street and a fierce fight followed, in which Sam Jones' lip was split and Akerman's eye blacked. In his sermon Mr. Jones declared that the postmaster was using his office to sell wine, calling it "dope" and that the people of Cartersville would prefer the president to come the Indianapolis game on them and give them a decent negro postmaster than give them such a dirty dog.

Two More Birds Fly the Coop.

Raleigh, Sept. 15.—Two white convicts, one under life sentence, effected a mysterious escape from the penitentiary Sunday afternoon. They were Drayton Medlin, sent here from Gaston county to serve a life term for murder, and A. V. Rice, of New Hanover county, sentenced to 10 years for larceny.

Slight Fire.

A slight fire was caused in Greene & Hooker's ginery this morning by a match in the cotton coming in contact with the gin saw. The damage was slight.

Mayor's Court.

Mayor H. W. Whedbee has disposed of the following cases in his court since last report: Tom Litchworth, drunk and disorderly, fined \$1 and costs, \$3.30. R. B. Allen, drunk and down, fined \$1 and costs, 2.95. Moses Blount and Zeb Blount, drunk and disorderly, fined \$1 each and costs, \$6.05.

Change of Opening Date.

We call attention to the advertisement of J. B. Cherry & Co., announcing the postponement of their fall opening to Thursday, Sept. 24th. This opening will be the event of the season.

"What do you think of this?" said the Observant Citizen as he laid his evening newspaper aside and whirled the smoke from his pipe out the corner of his mouth. "The faith curing business seems to be doing untold good for the west."

"How so?" remarked his companion.

"At the camp meeting of one of the congregations," he replied, "several hundred testimonials of divine healing were given, mentioning cures including consumption, cancer, tumor, pneumonia, heart disease, Bright's disease, paralysis, diphtheria, rheumatism, typhoid fever and fractured bones."

"That is a pretty good record," said the observant citizen. "But—"

"Well, the most remarkable part of the story," continued the narrator, "is that a carpenter who said that a screwdriver fell from a scaffold and gouged out one of his eyes, whereupon he immediately replaced it and prayed to God to save him from blindness, and the eye is now 'as clear as a crystal.'"

"Ah, yes—as clear as glass."

The reason a scandal party breaks up late is that every woman in it is afraid to go away and have the others take up her case. One nice thing about the way women dress is that at a picnic they can sit in a damp place much more comfortably than a man can.

It's an easy matter to master a grief that is doing a stunt at your neighbor's.

As a stuttering man always thinks twice before he speaks he ought to avoid mistakes.

Even the man who lives a useless life may serve a purpose by posing as an example to others.

A man who imagines that he can run the domestic end of the combine better than his wife is a fool man.

21—Only the acting secretary of the Club shall issue tickets of admission to the Club Rooms and then only upon the recommendation of a member of the Club in good standing.

22—The secretary or his duly appointed deputy shall be at his desk in the Club Rooms every evening (Sundays excepted) from 7:30 to 8 o'clock for the purpose of selling Club ticket books and issuing invitation cards.

23—The secretary shall number each series of Club ticket books and write the name of the purchaser on the cover to the same, and shall keep a record of all books sold and to whom sold.

24—The coupons taken from the ticket books by the janitor and the cash collected by the janitor shall be at once deposited in the box or

CAROLINA CLUB.

RULES

1—Members are not allowed to remove books, magazines or papers from the Club Rooms.

2—When a member is required for by a non-member or messenger he shall be sent for, but such visitors shall only be admitted in the lobby prior to an interview.

3—The Board of Governors alone shall have the right to reprove servants or to send them out of the Club rooms for any purpose.

4—Dogs shall not be brought into the Club rooms.

5—Smoking is prohibited in the reception and dining rooms.

6—Improper or profane language or disorderly conduct is strictly prohibited in the Club rooms.

7—The Club Rooms shall at all times be in charge of one of the members of the Board of Governors, whose name shall be posted and who shall be known as officer of the day; on him shall devolve the maintenance of order. He shall have full power to decide all matters in dispute and report all violations of rules to the Board of Governors.

8—Members shall not be accompanied by more than two ladies at any entertainment unless by special permission of the Board of Governors.

9—Ladies will be admitted to the Club Rooms on Fridays from 4 to 7 p. m., and ladies in company with a member of the Club will be admitted to the reception room and cafe from 8 to 12 p. m., every day.

10—Members who have played three games of billiards or pool consecutively shall resign the table to others who shall desire to play and who may have written their names on the board.

11—All games shall be suspended during meetings of the Club and on Sundays.

12—Only sacred music shall be rendered at the piano on Sundays.

13—All complaints must be made to the Board of Governors in writing signed by the party complaining.

14—The janitor and other employees of the Club are forbidden to accept any tips from members or visitors and members are forbidden to give any tips.

15—No children or boys under twenty one years of age shall be permitted to enter the Club Rooms.

16—No intoxicating drinks shall be drunk or brought in the Club rooms.

17—No member or visitor under the influence of intoxicating drink shall be permitted to enter or remain in Club rooms.

18—No gambling, betting or wagering shall be permitted in the Club rooms.

19—No person shall sit on the Billiard or Pool tables and those playing Billiards or Pool shall keep one foot on the floor in making all shots.

20—No credit will be extended to any member or visitor at the cafe, the cigar and cigarette stands or the Billiard or Pool tables. Do not order anything or play Billiards or Pool unless you have a Club ticket book or sufficient cash with which to pay.

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25—The coupons and cash collected for sales at cigar and cigarette stand and at the cafe and for games of Billiard and Pool shall each be deposited in separate boxes kept for that purpose.

26—The secretary shall count the cigars and cigarettes and charge the janitor with the same at the beginning of each month and at the end of the month he shall count the coupons and the cash together with the cigars and cigarettes and charge the janitor with any deficit, which said coupons and cash may not cover.

27—It shall be the duty of each and every member who sees or knows of the violation of any of the above rules to report them in writing to the Board of Governors.

28—Any member violating any of the above rules or permitting any visitor whom he introduces to do so in his presence shall pay a fine of 25 cents for each and every violation.

By order of the Board of Governors this the 15th day of September, 1903.

J. L. FLEMING, Pres.

W. A. B. HEARNE Sec.

In one of Mr. Chase's classes in painting was a young man who could not paint pictures much better than he could save money, and the allowance given to him by his father was very often gone before he knew it. One day Mr. C. was talking to the class on the subject of perspective, and this particular student did not appear to get the idea very clearly. To make it plain Mr. C. went back to the rudiments to get a good start.

"You understand," he said, "that the further you get away from any object the smaller it appears?"

The young fellow shook his head.

"No," he replied, doubtfully, "I'm not sure about that."

Mr. Chase was provoked, and not a little surprised at such ignorance, and said so.

"It's all right as to some things," responded the student, "but not all. Now, there's \$10 bill. The further I get away from that the bigger it appears."—New York Times.

WHICHARD ITEMS.

WHICHARD, N. C., Sept. 15 1903.

W. R. Whichard left this morning for Norfolk.

Miss Ida Mooring took the train at House yesterday for Winterville, to enter the Winterville High school.

Miss Susie Keel left Monday morning to visit Miss Sally Robertson, at Bethel.