

LETTER TO BRYAN AND NICHOLS.

Greenville N. C. Dear Sir: Suffice it to say that I bought a carload of paint after selling it a few months ago...

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NORTH CAROLINA. Pit County. To all whom it may concern. I have a pleasure in announcing that my son, John W. Pearson, and my daughter, Annie L. Blackwell, were elected subject to examination...

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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...

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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...

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.

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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. Bagdale making a report from the committee recommending the purchase of a few volumes in behalf of the trustees of Greenville graded school, extended an invitation to the association to hold its session in the graded school building, and also to locate the library there.

A committee was 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, Bagdale, 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 would 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 Flaagan returned this morning from a visit to Kingston.

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 Misses 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 Heenie 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 even 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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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Owner. Twice-a-Week--Tuesday and Friday. ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR IN ADVANCE. VOL. No. XXII GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1903. No. 78

FOUL MURDER IN JONES COUNTY AGED FATHER OF SENATOR F. M. SIMMONS STRUCK DOWN.

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 Furnifold G. 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...

Tucker Gets Requisition. Raleigh, Sept. 15.—Deputy Sheriff H. 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 Grimesland, in 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 Indiana game on negro and give them a decent negro postmaster than give them such a dirty dog.

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.

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?

The observant citizen as he said 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.

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 leave 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.

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. 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 boxes kept for that purpose. 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 Moore 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. There was a large crowd attended the yearly meeting at Briery Swamp last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, of Washington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. M. A. Whichard. Dave Roberson, of Robersonville, came in Friday night and returned Saturday. W. D. Nobles has been very busy for the last week breaking a goat. We hope him much success. When a girl refuses to marry a duke it is because he refuses to ask her. Probably if there were only a few men in the world women wouldn't have such objections to polygamy.

At last it looks like Durham will get a depot. An agreement has been signed by the three railroads—Southern, Seaboard Air Line and Norfolk & Western, to erect a union station. The total cost of building and site will be \$50,000.

Just open the doors of the penitentiary, gentlemen, and let the prisoners walk out. That will save them the trouble, though slight, of making their escape. The public does not mind having a few murderers at large.

A young lady in a New York hospital has not opened her mouth or said a word for a month. She's in the wrong place. The morgue is the place for her.

Good people, it is snowing adult blizzards in the Northwestern states. Regular wintry blasts of rain, sleet and snow. Truly, there's no place like home.

Pinkerton detectives are looking for Mr. Dewey in this state. If they find that man in North Carolina it will be easy to prove that he is hopelessly crazy.

And Scotland Neck stays in the wet column. Too bad. We would never have thought it of Scotland Neck.

If that Jones county murderer is not lynched the inhabitants deserve to be placed in Job's class.

If victory is all the democrats care for, why not vote for the republican nominee?

Don't swear at the mosquitoes. Very few of them understand it.

**In Days of Old.**

In days of old it must have been quite hard to be a baby; There were no patent malted foods. To build up tissues—maybe. There were no mixtures guaranteed to check eczema's itching. No system of massage that could create complexions witching.

In days of old it must have been quite hard to be a girl; There were no network costumes then. To make men's senses whirl; There were no beauty talks to hear. Noiced drinks to taste; There were no calisthenics for diminishing the waist.

In days of old it must have been quite hard to be a youth; No guide to courtship could be found. Complied by Auntie Ruth. No "How to Live on Ten a Week And Keep a Family, Too." Without a chance to read such hints. What could the poor yaps do?

In days of old it must have been quite hard to be a man; There was no way to build a home. On the installment plan. In days of old it must have been quite hard to live at all. Still, in the past much ice was cut. On this terrestrial ball! —Milwaukee Sentinel.

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\$0.20 Baltimore, Md. and return—Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows. Tickets on sale September 18th, 19th and 20th. Tickets must be deposited with joint agent in Baltimore immediately upon arrival, and upon payment of \$1.25 at time of deposit limit will be extended to leave Baltimore not later than October 3rd, 1903.

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**The Old Guard of the Gray.**

Fast fades the flag of '61, the seasons blur its bars. The rain and stain of many a year has dimmed its warlike stars; Yet, as of old, a thinning band while dies their elder day. Beneath that honored emblem stand the Old Guard of the Gray.

No hate nor rancor of the past nor vengeful ire they know. On the same fields with friendly hand they greet their former foe. Gone is their ancient star, but still their pride no vantage gives— Their cause is long since dead, and yet the south they fought for lives.

She lives; but not to wait and serve to fawn and cover and fringe— To flatter for a passing smile, and bend the faint knee's hinge— But proud as in those vanished years that she can ne'er forget. She lives to claim her large estate and wear the coronet.

So here's those who loved her then— The South that lives and reigns— To those whose dauntless blood today bounds thro' the southern veins.

The victory is their's at last, but in a nobler way. All honor to that gallant few—the Old Guard of the Gray.

—By William Hurd Hillier.

**STATE PRESS.**

The man who does no work is a loafer if not a vagrant, and if the law should be made to include this class it would do no hurt.—Durham Herald.

If the postoffice department allows Mr. Beavers to be as leisurely about his trial as he has been about surrendering himself it will be some time before his case will be determined. It looks as if the department feels itself under obligation to Mr. Beavers for consenting to surrender himself to the authorities and agreeing to stand trial on the charges which have been preferred against him. We look for the District of Columbia grand jury to make an apology for having found a true bill against him.—Wilmington Messenger.

What's this? A Minnesota editor who had his appendix removed, has grown another appendix and must undergo another operation. That's the report. It had been supposed that one operation would do the business for all time for any appendix or appendices. It has been said that only the rich have appendicities. Can it be that the Minnesota editor is rich enough to have two? If so, old Nat Macon's statement, "a government of editors would be a government of the hungry" would be misleading.—News and Observer.

If some kind girl would marry Hobson, or Hobson would kindly marry some girl, it would save a number of prominent young ladies from one end of the country to the other from the embarrassment of being reported as engaged to the hero of the Merrimac.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

Personally we wouldn't care if there should never be another stalk of tobacco grown, but, from a financial point of view, we deem it folly for our farmers to quit tobacco entirely. The man that will cultivate some cotton, tobacco, and plenty of corn, peas, potatoes, rice, etc., every year, will be independent of everybody and everything except the good Lord, whose are all good gifts.—Lumberton Argus.

Col. Watterson says, "With the right man democrats can win in the next presidential campaign." This is one conclusive observation from the manager of the Star Eyed Goddess.—Charlotte News.

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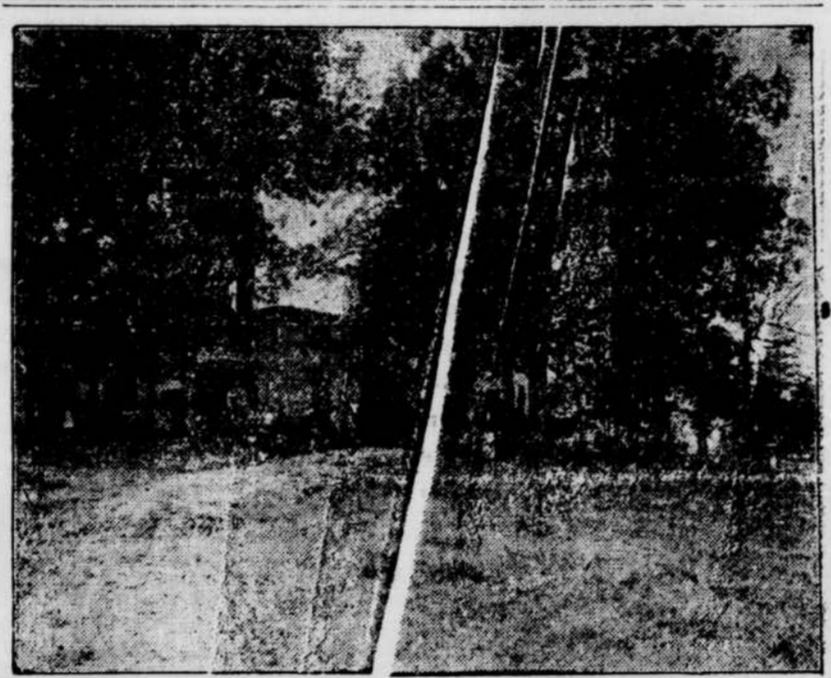
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**REPORT OF  
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RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
Loans and Discounts, \$ 4,110.45	Capital Stock, \$10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures, 602.84	Interest, 179.47
Expenses Paid, 110.00	Deposits, 7,530.00
Due from banks and bankers, 11,968.00	
Cash, 917.76	
<b>TOTAL, \$17,709.55</b>	<b>TOTAL, \$17,709.55</b>

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**M. F. SUMRELL,**  
Successor to J. L. Gaskins, next door to bank.

After a man has tried for three-quarters of an hour to light a fire with dry kindling wood, it is hard for him to see how a fire insurance company can ever lose a cent.

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

**PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.**  
MONDAY, SEPT. 14.

B. W. Mosely went to Robersonville today.

G. E. Cherry went to Rocky Mount today.

F. G. James went to Williams-ton today.

Z. V. Johnson, of Lynchburg, is here.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis left Saturday evening for Raleigh.

A. D. Gardener left Saturday evening for Raleigh.

J. Z. Gardner left Saturday evening for Goldsboro.

C. O. H. Boyd returned Saturday evening from Goldsboro.

Ruffin Allen left Saturday evening for Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barnhill left this morning for Jacksonville.

Mrs. Mary Oxley, of Grifton, is visiting Mrs. W. A. Savage.

Deputy Sheriff L. W. Tucker left this morning for Philadelphia.

L. F. Evans has moved out to his farm, four miles from town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Skinner returned Saturday evening from Raleigh.

Miss Della Erwin returned Saturday evening from the northern markets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Outterbridge, of Scotland Neck, arrived Saturday evening to visit relatives.

J. T. Pairo left Saturday evening for Morehead and returned this morning.

R. P. Skinner left Saturday evening for his home in Danville, Va.

Mrs. J. G. Moye returned Saturday evening from a visit to Tarboro.

Miss Lucy Johnson left today for a visit to Edwards, in Beaufort county.

Mrs. P. E. Dancy and Mrs. Lula Cleve returned Saturday from a visit in the country.

Miss Jessie Lee Sugg left this morning for Wilson to attend school.

Misses Mattie Moye and Amine King returned this morning from a visit to Kinston.

Mrs. J. W. Andrews and child left this morning for Robersonville to visit her mother.

JOHN MAREY, September 7th 1903.

**ARON'S WILD RIDGE 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 marvelous 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.

Miss Kate E. Billings, of Richmond, has taken a position with Mrs. L. Griffin as assistant trimmer to Mrs. Ella Green.

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

**HOTEL TRIPP,**  
AYDEN, N. C.  
EDWIN TRIPP, Proprietor.

Best market a Cards. Porter meets all trains. Comfortable Rooms. Electric lights.

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 15.**

Miss Eller Proctor left this morning for Norfolk.

Mrs. J. G. Moye went to Conetoe this morning.

J. S. Norman went up the road this morning.

Mrs. J. A. Wooten went to Mt. Olive this morning.

Miss Lena Smith left Monday evening for a visit to Kinston!

B. W. Mosely returned Monday evening from Robersonville.

A. R. Stegall returned Monday evening from Washington.

C. W. Harvey returned Monday evening from a trip up the road.

Miss Jamie Bryan returned Monday evening from a visit to Plymouth.

Mrs. D. D. Harrison, of Bath, arrived Monday evening to visit Mrs. J. P. Hilliard.

Misses Lottie and Alice Blow left this morning for Greensboro to attend school.

Mrs. J. W. Bryan and children returned Monday evening from a visit to Plymouth.

Miss Manning, of Tarboro, who has been visiting Miss Mattie Corey, returned home today.

Z. V. Johnson, of Lynchburg, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Moore and little son, Harry, went to Edgecombe this morning to visit relatives.

Misses Lucy Galloway, of Grimesland, Effie Grimsley and Miss Dauden of Greene county, went to Littleton this morning to attend the G. F. College.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16.**

Elmer Barrett left Tuesday evening for Kinston.

Bob Waters left Tuesday evening for Kinston.

Preston Cotton returned Tuesday evening from Boston.

J. S. Ganstall left this morning for Baltimore.

W. J. Nichols left this morning for Norfolk.

L. J. Chapman, of Grifton, was here today.

Dr. J. Morrill, of Falkland, was here today.

Charles Skinner left this morning for a trip in Martin county.

Miss Mollie Bagley left this morning for a visit to Hertford and other places across the sound.

Mrs. A. H. Taft and child left this morning for Henderson to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rideout, who have been spending some weeks here, left this morning.

Mrs. L. Griffin left this morning for Washington to visit relatives.

Henry Gray, a blind boy living near town, left this morning for the school for the blind at Raleigh.

Miss Florence Hardy, of Kinston, who has been visiting Mrs. D. S. Spain, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. Z. White, of Kinston, is spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. W. J. Smith, in West Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Outterbridge and little child, of Scotland Neck, who have been here visiting his father, returned home this morning.

Notice.  
Take notice, club members and visitors.—The rules of the Carolina club will go into effect tomorrow morning, Sept 17th, and are printed in full in this issue.

Children and boys under age positively will not be admitted.

Ladies will please observe the hours prescribed for their admission by the rules.

Now don't get offended if you are reminded of the rules at the door.

By order of B'd of Gov. Sept. 15th, 1903.  
J. L. FLEMING, Pres'd.  
W. A. B. HEARNE, Sec.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR

SEMI-WEEKLY—TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

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

Entered in the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class matter, Advertising rates made known upon application. A correspondent desired at every post office in Pitt and adjoining counties.

Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1903.

We have received a book entitled "Jeffersonian Democracy," by John R. Dunlap. We would like to render the author the courtesy of reading his book, but we are so busy trying to make both ends meet we cannot do it justice now.

We note the fact that Salisbury is to have an active prohibition campaign, and that "the saloon people have organized a paper to advocate their cause."

When Senator Simmons says that Gorman stands a good show for the presidency we are bound to pin some faith to it.

Congressman Small's inland waterway from Norfolk to Beaufort gets a glad hand every once in awhile. We hope he may live to see the fruition of his labors.

It seems that Mr. W. H. Bagley's connection with the editor of the News and Observer is proving something else than a blessing.

The Biblical Record is the only paper we have seen opposing Mr. Bagley's appointment as a director of the A. & N. C. railroad on the ground that the gentleman is not capable.

A Virginia editor has been arrested and jailed on the charge of arson. If he was a lawyer he would have a court house full of attorneys and would never see the inside of a jail.

The Wilmington Messenger flatters THE REFLECTOR when it credits our matter to the Greensboro Reflector, but it may be doing Greensboro an injustice.

Please hold your breath. The governorship is decided, but you are to wait in patience for the name of the gentleman.

Did Mr. Beaver's "influence" run dry, or did he think it best to come in to the grand jury and trust to luck?

When you see a want ad for a man "with one or two thousand dollars to take an interest, &c," you realize that all the fakes are not dead yet.

Eve should be regarded as the patron saint of tailors and dress-makers, as she was the first to think of clothes.

He must be loyal to state and party; he must be a patriot and statesman; he must be a man of first class ability, and he must be a leader in the fight against the saloon.

In Greensboro they go out of doors to get married. But of course it is understood that we must make allowances for Greensboro.

As an optimist the Raleigh Post is the limit. And most of its tips come true.

From some casual remarks appearing in certain exchanges we gather that there has been a campaign in Reidsville.

We still have our original opinion of the newspaper that preaches temperance and advertises the whiskey business.

They say that John D. Rockefeller's fortune has shrunk to a paltry eighty millions. Poor, lonely John!

Write above our dust-covered head "Faithful to his friendships," and let the rest take care of itself.

Mosquitoes are very much like human beings. All of them try to sing and few succeed.

Greenville, we believe, had at one time the reputation of having one of the strongest bars in the state. This reputation was no doubt fairly deserved, but no more so than it is today.

A Virginia editor has been arrested and jailed charged with arson—yet it was not his office which was burned, but two stores.

If the editor is guilty as charged he shows a sadly defective reasoning apparatus. The merchants who would not advertise would have been put out of business without the use of fire.

The cry of fraud and graft has already been hurled at the Durham temperance administration.

The murder of the father of Senator Simmons is a crime that cries loudly for the arm of the law to execute justice. There should be no legal quibbling in this case.

Such a contrast in weather. Here we are sweating in summer heat, while the people of North Dakota are enjoying two feet of snow.

Edwin M. Sheppard defends the South's lynching record. The South needs no defense from Mr. Sheppard or anyone else.

So far we haven't noticed that the republicans have been unduly hilarious over the acquisition of General Simon Bolivar Buckner.

If there is any editor who has not explained the trouble between Turkey and Bulgaria he will please come forward.

The proprietor of a department store recently called on the police to suppress mob violence. It was bargain day.

Tutt's Pills advertisement. This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure. Dose: small, elegant pills. Take No Substitute.

Soldiers who were called to Cripple Creek, Colorado, for strike duty, have set up a martial law of their own, defying the civil authorities.

The News and Observer modestly owns up to 54 years. They have not all been prosperous ones, but the paper is now anchored in the safe harbor of undoubted prestige.

The anti-saloon campaign in North Carolina goes forward slowly but surely. One after another town votes the liquor business out.

The average negro knows nothing of the various "solutions" of the race problem, and cares less. As long as there is white blood in this Southern land there will be white rule.

Miss Todd, the Delaware post-mistress, lost her job by "pernicious activity." Minnie Cox lost her job by the pernicious activity of the people of Indiana.

The Prince of Wales has decided not to visit the St. Louis exposition. There will be a plenty of other curiosities, however.

Tom Johnson's is an optimistic soul. He actually believes he can carry Ohio in spite of Mr. Bryan's endorsement.

They are now making steel from nickel. If we had any that is not what we would do with it.

The Salvation Army has reached the scene of hostilities in Breathitt county, Kentucky.

A bird in the hand is worth several in the bushes growing on posted land.

Good will never die, but it some times appears to have gone into a trance.

Most women are better than they look; most men look better than they are.

Cheating never thrives, but it has a way of appearing to that is often fatally deceptive.

They are separating Canada from England in the newspapers again.

No man is wiser than the provision he has made for the morrow. Don't blame conditions. They were here first. Alter them.

WHY REPEAL THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT?

It is said that Senator Carmack, of Tennessee, will introduce a bill in the next congress repealing the fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States.

In spite of all these evils, which we of this state have known at close range, we would say repeal the fifteenth amendment if there was any necessity for it, but we do not think there is.

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We would like to know just what North Carolina is to exhibit at the St. Louis exposition.

A TORPID LIVER Is the parent of Constipation. Indigestion and all Rheumatic Symptoms. Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder. The American Pharmacal Co. Evansville, Ind.

Blew up House.

Mr. W. G. Stokes, of Stokes, was here today to take legal steps against some parties for blowing up with powder a house belonging to him on Saturday night.

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.

The Honorable David Beaman Hill still harks from the tomb occasionally.

Persons suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia or other stomach trouble will find that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet.

If the sultan begins to tell it to our marines he will no doubt receive an interesting reply.

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.

We would like to know just what North Carolina is to exhibit at the St. Louis exposition.

A PURGATIVE PLEASURE. If you ever took DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness or constipation you know what a purgative pleasure is.

The Turk ought to be abolished the face of the earth, but the Bulgarians will never do it.

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."

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE

BACK! BACK!

FROM

NEW YORK

Where I bought stacks of

Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes, etc.

and other seasonable merchandise, which I am now offering

CHEAP! OF TOBACCO

in fact cheaper than we otherwise would offer, but for the low price

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE

**LAND SALE.**

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made in the special proceedings entitled G. T. Stokes et al 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 situated in the County of Pitt and in the 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 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., sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, a certain tract of parcel of land in Pactulus township Pitt County which lies south of the high water mark on the south side of Grindie creek, and fully described as follows: Beginning at the big cypress at the river wharf, thence up the river to Broad Creek, thence from said creek with the McG Station line (now Fleming and Davenport line), thence across the Greenville road by Davenport's coach shop to the Rollins canal, thence down said Rollins canal to the high water mark of Grindie Creek as it was when the mill dam of the said Tucker was standing, which is said to be a double sweet gum or said canal, thence with the said high water mark of Grindie creek to the late William Grimes' line, thence with Grimes' line to the beginning, containing over hundred acres more or less saving and excepting therefrom the 2 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 45, page 375, provided however that the road way known as the "Rollins' road" and running from the old town of Pactulus 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 17th day of Aug. 1903  
T. B. WOMACK, )  
ALEX L. BLOW, ) Commissioners

ESTABLISHED 1875.

**S. M. Schultz**

Wholesale and Retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Bays, Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorillard and Gall & Ax Saus, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cherries, Henry George Clear, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, 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. Com to see me.

**S. M. Schultz.**  
Pho:re 55

A woman's handkerchief is useful for most anything except the one thing it is supposed to be for.

There is nothing in the world so clever as the way a widow can blush over things she once didn't.

**FOR SALE.**

A valuable tract of farm and wood land within two miles of Greenville. By virtue of a decree of the 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, Nannie Fleming, D. C. Fleming, Adolph 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, dec'd and running thence with her line north 63 west 37 1/2 chains to a ditch; thence north 21 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 filed 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 CANNON,  
Adm'r of Lawrence Stokes, dec'd

North Carolina, in Superior Court, Pit County.  
John E. Hughes and J. E. Lipscomb, against Notice and Summons.  
W. T. Clark and the Hancock Mooreman Tobacco Company.

The defendant, The Hancock Mooreman 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 affidavit and admission of counsel made in open court, that the said Hancock Mooreman Tobacco Company is a corporation and non resident of 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 Mooreman 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 Mooreman 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 last 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 said defendant take notice that if it fails to answer the said complaint within that time, the Plaintiff 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, Pit County, 1 Sept. Term, 1903. Mary Harrington ) Summons. vs. Willie Harrington.)

The defendant above name will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county to obtain 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, ) Atty for Plaintiff Clerk of s. c.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION IN THE TOWN OF GREENVILLE.**

By an order of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville adopted on Thursday the 6th day of August, 1903, notice is hereby given that there will be an election held in the Town of Greenville, Pitt County, N. C., on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, 1903, according to the law and regulations provided for the election of members of the General Assembly at which the question of "subscription" or "no subscription" to the second mortgage bonds of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound Railroad Company by the town of Greenville to an amount, which has been fixed, of \$15,000 will be submitted to the qualified electors of said Town that the Charter of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound Railroad Company provides that the said Company may issue second mortgage bonds to an amount not exceeding \$3,000 per mile for the purpose of aiding in the construction of said Railroad the said bonds to bear interest at the rate of six per cent, and the principle to be due thirty years from the time issued. The Charter of said Raleigh & Pamlico Sound Railroad Company further makes it lawful for any county, township, city or town, in or through which the said road and its branches may be located or which may be interested in its construction to subscribe to the second mortgage bonds of the said Railroad Company in such sums as a majority of the qualified electors of any other county, township, city or town may authorize. Such subscriptions shall be made in coupon bonds bearing interest at five per cent, the principle of said bonds to be due and payable thirty years from the date of issue. The election to be held on the 22nd day of September, 1903, in the town of Greenville is to ascertain whether a majority of the qualified electors of said township favor the said subscription of \$15,000 of five per cent. bonds to the said second mortgage bonds of the said Railroad Company.

Notice is hereby further given that by order of the said Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville, Pitt County, N. C., adopted on Thursday the 6th day of August, 1903, registration books for said election will be open for registration in the various precincts or wards of the said town of Greenville, Pitt County, N. C., on Thursday the 20th day of August, 1903 at 9 a. m., and the said registration books will be closed on the 12th day of September, 1903 at sunset. The registrars for said election are required to keep registration books open for registration from 9 a. m. each day until sunset (Sunday excepted) from the morning of the said 20th day of August, 1903, until the said books are closed at sunset on Saturday the 12th day of September, 1903, and on each Saturday during the period of registration and on Thursday and Friday September 10th and 11th the registrars, shall attend with their books at the polling places of their various wards and precincts or the registration of voters.

The following named persons have been appointed registrars and judges of election for the various precincts or wards in said town of Greenville, Pitt County, N. C., for said election:

**REGISTRARS.**  
1st Ward, Henry Harding.  
2nd Ward, W. A. B. Hearne.  
3rd Ward, L. W. Lawrence.  
4th Ward, G. C. Moore.  
5th Ward, R. A. Tyson, Jr.

**JUDGES OF ELECTION.**  
1st Ward, J. L. Daniel and B. H. Hearne, old Ebora House.  
2nd Ward, Allen Warren and Josiah Dixon, Mrs. Whichard's school house.  
3rd Ward, W. S. Atkins and W. H. Smith, Court House.  
4th Ward, W. J. Turnage and W. L. Brown, Thigpen's Store.  
5th Ward, A. A. Andrews and C. C. Parkerson, C. C. Parkerson's Store.

JAMES C. TYSON,  
Clerk.

**AGAINST SUNDAY TRAINS.**

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

In your issue of Tuesday, Sept. 8th, there is an article without signature, but "communicated," advocating Sunday trains.

I judge the writer is a representative of the Merchant's association and expresses the views of that organization. As I understand, that association was formed with the idea of benefitting the town.

Any plan to benefit an individual, corporation or body politic that ignores true morality as a basis, is erroneous, and positively damaging. Your representative of the Merchant's association offers, as advantages to Greenville in the Sunday train, daily mail, and a chance to leave town on Sunday.

We now have mail daily, except Sunday. Sunday's mail is sent by Kinston, so that we now get Sunday papers by nine o'clock Monday morning. Then the real advantage your Merchants association desires is to receive this mail on Sunday that replies may leave on Monday. Your business man will spend Sunday studying and answering his Sunday mail. Then he must look over the news and conditions of markets, so that by the Sunday mail he would be utterly disqualified for the services of the sanctuary. By this course the influence of the business man would be wielded over young men, against the highest morality, against the worship in the sanctuary, against the sanctity of the Sabbath—against obedience to the laws of God. If this Sunday train is so essential to the success of Greenville, why not secure greater success by keeping your stores open all day Sunday? Run your tobacco and cotton markets Sunday! Require your telegraph and telephone offices to remain open all day Sunday that your gambling in futures may not be interrupted. Is all this in accordance with true morality? Any system of morality not in harmony with the law of God is detrimental to the best interests of humanity.

Then you can only get out of town on Sunday, if you only have a Sunday train.

Is not that rather a harsh criticism on your town? A man will not come to Greenville on business simply because he cannot get out of town on Sunday. What is there so repulsive that a business man is so unwilling to remain over here on Sunday? Good accommodations, with refined social and religious privileges usually attract traveling men to spend Sunday instead of repelling them. But perhaps your Merchants' association wants the privilege of leaving town on Sunday! O, these days must be given to business. Yes, your business man wishes to go to Parmele or Goose Nest on a visit, or for recreation. Is not that a peculiar idea of true morality. For purely selfish purposes, working no real permanent good to the community. The Merchants' association will force the conductor, engineer, mail and baggage men, porters &c. of the train, and ticket agents and operators on the line—all to work on Sunday that a few men can have the privilege of going to Goose Nest.

Remember the men on the train are now away from home every day in the week except Sunday. Your action will drive them from home every day, so that they will be strangers to their own children. Capt. Hawks is superintendent of a Sunday school. You in your intense selfishness would go to the altar of God's church and take the leader of the children, and say give up your church, give up your fos-

Some people swell with importance so naturally that it is hard to believe they won't burst through the coffin when they are dead.

**BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.**  
Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment of balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, Infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Wootens Drug store.

Some men are so convincing that when a woman kisses them they can make her believe that she almost did not let them do it.

**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 he was 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.

fering care of the children—give up your sacred hours of your Sabbath in your home and run this train on Sunday so we can visit Parmele and Goose Nest. It will take something more than Sunday trains to make Greenville compare favorably with Wilson or even Ayden and Winterville. Sunday trains have had nothing to do with making Wilson such an active town.

As I have noticed, a large majority of the leading, brainy men of Wilson are active members of the different churches of the town and opposed to the desecration of the Sabbath. One trouble with Greenville is that too many business men sacrifice the moral precepts of the Bible to their own desires of business and enterprise.

What use has the Lord for business, social, civil or political enterprises unless they conserve the real interests of the kingdom of God in bettering the condition of the human family?

If the Merchant's Association, or at least its representative, will only rub the greed of gain from his eyes and seek moral light to shine upon his conscience—then go out where he can see the injurious effects of Sunday trains upon the morals of the town, I feel sure he will change his position.

"Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy" is just as binding upon us as "thou shalt not steal," and I would remind you that when you advocate a plan to utterly ignore the law of God, you are laying the foundation, not only for dishonesty, but for anarchy and a socialism that will ultimately destroy your very existence as a corporate body.

Let me urge you to co-operate with the leaders of Christian thought in your town—even the pastors of your churches who stand as exponents of true morality as well as Christian principle.

F. A. BISHOP.  
P. S. I ask that you give the name of anyone replying to this.

**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 35c at Wooten's Drug Store.

Some people swell with importance so naturally that it is hard to believe they won't burst through the coffin when they are dead.

**BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.**  
Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment of balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, Infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Wootens Drug store.

Some men are so convincing that when a woman kisses them they can make her believe that she almost did not let them do it.

**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 he was 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.

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**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.

A Wonderful Shot—Last Saturday night, near Ayden, two negroes got into a difficulty when one shot the other right between the eyes. Dr. Dixon probed five inches deep for the ball but failed to find it. The wounded man up to last accounts was still living. The one who did the shooting is in jail.

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.

Saturday was the busiest day with our merchants they have had this season.

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

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.

B. F. Manning and Wood Kittrell went to Greenville Monday.

Don't lose sight of A. G. Cox Mfg. Co's offer to give an Economic back band free with every pair of cart wheels sold before Nov. 1st.

Prof. J. F. Stokes has been in town this week.

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

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

L. L. Kittrell went to Grifton Monday and returned Tuesday.

Good money in black gum poles for those who have them convenient to Winterville. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. are paying 11 cts. per foot for all they can get delivered not over 10 in at the butt and not under 7 at the small end. Several thousand wanted at once.

Mrs. James Manning and Mrs. Lynn Manning have returned to their home in Ayden.

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.

Mrs. W. L. House and children have returned from a visit to her mother at Hanrahan.

The Winterville Mfg. Co. make a specialty of horse shoeing.

Tom Dawson has returned from Grifton.

We have a nice line on hats for both old and young, also trunks, valises, telescopes, &c, at prices we think very reasonable and always glad to serve you and save your money if possible.

Harrington Barber & Co. Carlos Harris, of Greenville, passed through here Sunday.

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.—C. A. Fair, Agt.

Miss Fannie Tyson, of near Kinston, is visiting friends in town.

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.

More buggies!! and we came very near saying better buggies. That really does seem like the natural thing to say, but as A. G. Cox Mfg. Co's policy is to be strictly honest in words as well as deeds we cannot say that those Hunsucker buggies shipped yesterday were any better than the first one made. Why? Simply because all of them are made by Hunsucker, and that is sufficient guarantee. One thing though, it may be imagination, but it really does seem like they get prettier all the while.

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.

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.

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

Milinery Opening—Mrs. Sarah Taylor will have her milinery opening Saturday Sept. 26th. The ladies are all invited to attend. It will be very much to their interest.

The protracted meeting at Reedy Branch conducted by Rev. Mr. Stephens has closed and resulted in 51 conversions, all of whom united themselves with the Free Will Baptist Church. They were all baptized in Forbes Mill Pond last Sunday. Mr. Stephens left Monday evening for Ayden, where he will begin another meeting.

Notice the cut of A. G. Cox Mfg. Co's patent Economic back band on this paper. Surely every man in Pitt county has seen one before now, but in case you have not the cut will show you just how it looks. The best thing for you to do is to get one and try it for yourself.

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

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

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

For several years A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. have been supplying the local trade around here with coffins of their own make and will continue to do so whenever called on. It may not be generally known, however that they also keep in stock a line of fine coffins ordered ready finished up. Prices range from two to twenty-five dollars.

All persons indebted to THE REFLECTOR will please come forward and settle.

E. D. Turnage, of Kinston, is here on business.

No matter how swelled a man's head is he never thinks he is of as much importance in the world as his wife does.

**The Sniff of Autumn Is in the Air**

Every man should now allow the question of Fall Clothes to occupy a corner in his mind.

WE ARE "AT HOME" to all who call to buy or to see what's latest in Men's Wear.

New Fall and Winter beauties in Suits are being unfolded here every day. These Suits have been selected from the best productions of a dozen or more of

**THE WORLDS BEST TAILORS**

There are many new kinks in Fall styles. Prices are as reasonable as can be named for high class garments.

We're ready to show you whenever you're ready to look, but don't wait too long.

**FRANK WILSON**

THE KING CLOTHIER.

Two gentlemen visiting our town for several days during the past week were heard to say "that it was remarkable to note the moral atmosphere which seemed to pervade our entire surroundings. Not a curse word, not a drunken man or the least semblance of immorality had they witnessed or heard during their stay; and surely," remarked one, "Winterville is the garden spot to send a boy or girl to school, where the influence seen and felt may prove a blessing through an entire life."

Indeed, Winterville is a moral town and we boast the fact.

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

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.

W. H. Ragsdale and D. J. Whichard, of Greenville, were here yesterday.

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 squeal 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.

**Pulley & Bowen's**

The Home of Women's Fashions.

"The market is a little better and the 'Old Reliable' is always Good."

**GREENVILLE WAREHOUSE**

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.

G. F. EVANS & COMPANY.

**OXOLO**

Any druggist can make beef, wine and iron—we only can make Oxolo. It gives strength to resist fatigue—it rests one.

Grocers and Druggists Sell it.

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

**Mrs. Bettie Britt**

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, &c. Cheaper than ever.

**J. H. HARRIS & CO.,**  
FARMVILLE, N. C.

Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Fancy Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Fruits, Confections, Tobacco and Cigars. Everything cheap for cash. Highest price on country produce.

**M. T. HORTON & BRO.**

FARMVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Clothing, Dry Goods, Groceries, Tobacco, Cigars.

We make a specialty 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 order. No slight notice.

**Hotel Horton,**

FARMVILLE, N. C.

T. HORTON, Proprietor.  
Table furnished with the best market affords. Comfortable rooms. Polite and prompt attention.

**MARVELOUS CURE BY DR. MOORE.**

North Carolina  
Pitt County  
To all whom it may concern:  
I hereby testify that my wife, Fanny L. Pearce, and my son, John W. Pearce, and Leon Pearce, wife of my son, J. W. Pearce, on or about the first of last March were strangled or suffocated with a deadly resembling gas, and when the attacks were on them they would scream and their paroxysms were so violent that they had to be held by main force. I applied to around the services of five physicians without realizing any benefit whatever. I finally sought the ministrations of Dr. W. B. Moore, colored, and under his treatment my son passed three sickness, two of them were alive and one was dead. My wife passed several bugs with long snouts to them. It gives me pleasure to announce that they are all getting well and the mis has disappeared.  
J. W. PEARCE,  
sworn to before me, Aug. 10th 1903.  
H. HANBING, J. P.

The above parties are all white people of good family and well known. I also have other affidavits in my possession showing wonderful cures 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 and in the county will testify. My medicine and treatment are no humbug, but I guarantee a cure in all cases or take no pay. Don't continue to suffer, but try me and be convinced.  
WM. H. MOORE, M. D.  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

**FRANK M. WOOTEEN,**  
Attorney-at-Law,  
GREENVILLE - N. C.

Practice in all the courts. Special attention to collection of rents and other claims. Prompt attention to all business.

**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 Munger 3-system Cotton Ginnyer.

**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, Farming 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 offering 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 measure is taken and a good fit guaranteed. We can furnish these goods at 40 per cent. less than tailor's usual 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 Sals Celebrated Shoes for men. Every pair warranted. Collars, Coon & Co. Collars and Cuffs for Men and Ladies.

**FURNITURE OF ALL GRADES. WHITE IRON BEDSTADS 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.

**B. FLEISHMAN & BRO.**

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                    169.

Youth's Suits, stritoyl 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.**

## 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 unattainable 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.

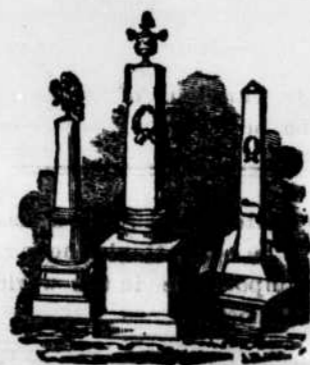
**Johnston Bros.**  
CASH CROCGERS

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.



Established 183. Incorporated 1901.  
**ARTOPE & WHITT C**  
Marble and Granite Monuments and Agents for Wire Fencing. Main office and electric power plant, Macon, Ga. Branch offices and shops, Rocky Mount, N. C., and Sumter, S. C. For prices and designs, address Rocky Mount Office.

## Pactolus Department

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

**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 all 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 Merchandise, Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware, Staple and Fancy Groceries, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Crockery, Furniture, 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 cambric 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. 16th. 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.



**ICE COLD SODA WATER**  
If you are thirsty you can't over-look our Soda Water Fountain. The soda water consumed daily from our fountain during hot weather is enormous. The quantity sold is proof positive of its popularity. Your favorite kind is here, because we have all kinds.

**Bryan & Nichols,**  
DRUGGISTS.

## 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 accomodations.

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.

Sunday Trains.

Mr. H. L. Carr, secretary of the merchants' association, is in receipt of a letter from the officials of the Atlantic Coast Line, that with a change of schedule to go in effect on the road from Weldon to Kinston on the 21st, the train will be run Sundays. Nothing is said in the letter about the double daily trains, which we believe is of far more importance than Sunday trains. Two trains a day are the greatest need on this road, and the agitation should continue until they are secured.

Broke in House.

Saturday afternoon, while all his family were away from home, someone broke in the kitchen to the residence of Mr. W. S. Fleming in South Greenville. A window was broken out, and there was blood on the window and floor indicating that the thief cut his hand on the broken glass. The thief seemed to be after something to eat, as some cooked food was the only thing missed. It was bold stealing in broad daylight.

Fifty-Four Baptised.

As a result of the meeting being held at Reedy Branch church, six miles from town, by Rev. Sam Stephens, 54 persons were baptised in Forbes' mill pond Sunday morning. The baptising began at 9 o'clock and the evangelist finished in time to drive back to the church and preach at 11 o'clock. The meeting continues this week and very large crowds are attending. We hear he will hold a meeting in Greenville some time in October.

Gene After the Prisoner.

Deputy Sheriff L. W. Tucker left today for Philadelphia to get Essex Staton, colored, who is wanted in this county for murder. He goes by the way of Raleigh to get the necessary requisition papers from Governor Aycock and will take these to Harrisburg to the governor of Pennsylvania, and will then proceed to Philadelphia where Staton is in custody.

Whipped by Negroes.

Last Friday two negro women, Annie Simmons and May Daniels, met Master Herbert Johnson, aged 7 or 8 years, son of Mr. George Johnson, a respected white citizen who lives about one mile from Gold Point and four miles from this place. When the negro women met the child on the public highway, they at once gathered switches and gave him an unmerciful whipping, cutting the blood from him in several places. The negroes gave no reason whatever for their rash act.—Robersonville News.

Mr. Cotten Appointed.

Governor Aycock has appointed Mr. R. B. Cotten a delegate to the Farmers National Congress to be held at Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 22nd, to Oct. 10th. This will be a notable gathering of the most prominent farmers from all parts of the United States. Various subjects relating to the interest of the farmers will be discussed by the most distinguished speakers of the land.

Bad Cut on Hand.

D. J. Whichard, Jr., while about the graded school building Sunday, fell out the door and nearly split his right hand open on a tin can. Dr. W. H. Bagwell dressed the wound and had to take several stitches in it.

Invited to England.

Mr. Jesse Speight and lady have received a handsome invitation to attend the opening of a new hotel at Manchester, England. And now friend Speight is looking for the lady who wants to take the trip. Don't all speak at once.

It doesn't take a man long after he is engaged to realize that he is being shown around as if he were a new gown.

As yet there is not much improvement in the price of tobacco.

**Ayer's** quickly destroys malarial germs. Gives prompt relief in all forms of Malaria and malaria. Sure preventive for those living in malarial districts. **Ague Cure**

# BAKER & HART

## HARDWARE MERCHANTS

### Summer Hardware.

Refrigerators, Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers, Lawn Mowers, Hammocks, Rakes, Hoes, Shovels and other Garden Tools. Also Lawn Tennis and Baseball Sets.

### DON'T WASTE MATERIAL

and labor buying an inferior grade of paint. It is economy to get good quality always. The Sherwin-Williams paints are recommended by all who once use them. Covers more surface with less labor than any other; costs no more.

### IN ONE SUMMER

one of our Refrigerators will save you the amount of it's cost, in the food it prevents from spoiling. They are large and roomy and are designed in a way that will prove economical in using the ice. There is absolutely no odor about one of these. In two sizes at rock bottom prices.

### HOME-MADE ICE CREAM.

There is very little trouble, very little expense, very little time involved in making delicious ice cream, sherbets, etc., with the freezer we sell. It is solidly built, metal parts heavily tinned, easy running and a rapid freezer. Prices surprisingly low.

## Greenville Produce and ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

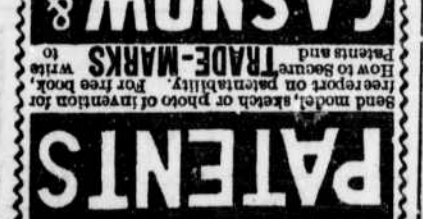
### Provision Market.

Reported by SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Flour—1st pat.	\$4.50 @ \$5.25
Family Flour—straight	\$4.45 @ \$4.25
Corn—per bushel	75 @ 80
Bacon—hog round per lb	11
—hams	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
—shoulders	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
Pork	10 1/2 @ 11
Lard	8 1/2 @ 9
Oats—32 lbs per bushel	45 @ 47
Peas	60 @ 65
Potatoes—Irish—bushel	1.00 @ 1.20
Potatoes—sweet	20 @ 25
Butter	20 @ 25
Duck	20 @ 25
Hens—per head	15 @ 25
B-chickens	12 @ 15
Eggs	12 @ 15
Turkeys—per lb	35 @ 40
Geese	35 @ 40
Feathers—new	35 @ 40
Hides—dry—per lb	10 @ 15
—green—per lb	5 @ 10
Tallow	4 @ 5
Fodder	8 @ 10
Hay	20 @ 25
Beeswax	20 @ 25
Meal	70 @ 80

### Your Tongue

If it's coated, your stomach is bad, your liver is out of order. Ayer's Pills will clean your tongue, cure your dyspepsia, make your liver right. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c. All drug stores.



No. 68	Daily Except Sunday	No. 59
7:30 a m	Lv Kinston Ar	9:45 p m
8:30 a m	" Greenville "	5:47 p m
9:30 a m	" Farmale "	5:07 p m
10:30 a m	" Hobroad "	4:27 p m
11:30 a m	Ar Fender Lv	3:35 p m
11:20 a m	" Weldon "	3:15 p m
1:00 p m	Ar Norfolk Lv	9:00 a m
6:44 p m	Ar Petersburg Lv	7:47 a m
7:45 p m	" Richmond "	9:05 a m
1:40 p m	" Washington "	4:30 a m
7:15 a m	" New York "	9:25 p m

**FLORIDA.**

No. 25	No. 23
Lv Rocky Mount	10:37 p m
Ar Columbia	1:03 p m
" Augusta	8:25 a m
" Charleston	6:17 a m
" Savannah	8:32 a m
" Jacksonville	8:30 a m
" Tampa	7:10 a m
" Thomasville	10:50 a m
" Montgomery	6:20 p m

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**WHO CAN ATTEND.**  
Limits of the Graded School District.  
There seems to be some desire on the part of a number of citizens to know what children outside of the corporate limits of Greenville are entitled to attend the Graded School. We find upon inquiry from the county superintendent of schools that the board of education made arrangements with the trustees of the graded school to admit the children in the following district: Beginning at the mouth of Smith's run at Tar river, running thence with said run following its various courses to the bridge near Mr. L. C. Arthur's residence, thence in a straight line to the first trestle on the railroad south of the depot, thence in a straight line to an oak tree in the south west corner of the yard where E. B. Higgs formerly lived, thence in a straight line so as to include said residence to the fork of the road east of the residence of Mrs. Nannie Anderson, thence east with the road towards Greenville to the bridge over the ravine, thence down the ravine to Tar river, thence with the river to the beginning. All children of legal age within said district are entitled to attend the graded school for the next two years free of charge. This arrangement applies to the white children for only two years. The negro children in the same district have the privilege of attending the negro graded school without the qualifying clause of two years.

By request, Rev. A. T. King will preach at Forbes' school house, on Tarboro road, on the third Sunday afternoon of this month. A Sunday school will be started at the same time. Services will begin at 3 p. m. sharp. Every body cordially invited. L. F. EVANS.

**LETTER TO J. A. BRADY.**  
Greenville N. C.  
Dear Sir: Lead-and-oil is not good paint; don't wear; the rule is, as everyone knows, repaint in three years. Devco lasts six, in the same way—allow wide margin in all such statements. What does it mean, to last? It means the same with both. As to covering; that's another. Here's an instance. Mr. J. J. Hall, Sheffield, Pa. painted two houses, lead-and-oil; took 40 gallons. Last summer bought 40 gallons Devco for the same two houses; returned 10 gallons. The paint that covers, lasts; it's all paint, true paint, and full measure. Lead-and-oil is all paint but not good paint; the lead wants zinc. Better paint Devco.

Yours truly,  
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# Thursday, September 24, '03

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## AFTER U. S. PRINTERY

President Would Have Jurisdiction Transferred to Bureau of Commerce and Labor.

Washington, D. C. Sept. 16.—President Roosevelt, it is learned here, has determined to ask congress to authorize the transfer of the government printing office to the jurisdiction and control of the department of commerce and labor. A quiet investigation into the management of the big printing establishment has been going on for several months under the direction of Secretary Cortelyou, and enough has been secured to convince the president that the most radical reforms should be inaugurated as soon as possible.

## A Young Negress Murdered.

Wilson, N. C. Sept. 16.—The body of Lucy Ann Joyner, a colored woman 19 years old, was found about ten feet from the public road leading from this place to Stantonburg, and about a mile from here. She was last seen alive Saturday evening and it is evident that she was murdered that night. Though her body is badly decomposed and almost unrecognizable, there are wounds about the neck and breast showing they were made with a knife.

## Norfolk's Boy Borgia.

Norfolk, Va. Sept. 16.—John Dey, the 13 year old boy charged with mixing poison which killed his step mother, was given a preliminary hearing in the police court today and was held for the grand jury.

## Sir Thomas Has Appendicitis.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 16.—Sir Thomas Lipton is suffering much pain today from the sickness which attacked him on his arrival in Chicago yesterday. Another conference of doctors was called today. It was definitely declared that he is suffering from catarrhal appendicitis, and his condition is reported as serious.

## Edgecombe Guards Called Out.

Tarboro, N. C., Sept. 19.—A young negro named Paul Mercer, charged with assault with attempt to commit rape, was tried and convicted in the Superior court here yesterday afternoon. Judge Ferguson sentenced the prisoner to 10 years in the penitentiary. Later there were rumors on the street that an attempt would be made last night to lynch Mercer. These rumors were called to the attention of Judge Ferguson and he wired Governor Aycock to place the Edgecombe Guards at the orders of the sheriff. This was done and about 9 o'clock the sheriff called out the military to guard the jail through the night. All was quiet and there was no attempt at lynching.

## Another A. & N. C. Proposition.

Raleigh, N. C., 17.—A second proposition to lease the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad from the state is now in the hands of Governor Aycock and will come up for disposition at the annual meeting of the directors of the road September 24th. The proposition was presented to the governor yesterday morning by Mr. W. W. Mills, of this city, the parties to the proposition being the same as those to the first, which was declined at a recent special meeting of the directors and council of state.

## FACTS ABOUT NEW RAILROAD

Letter from Officers of Raleigh & Pamlico Sound to Hon. Larry I. Moore.

As there seemed to be some misunderstanding about the disposition of the bonds to be voted for the second mortgage bonds of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound railroad—at least some people thinking the town and township bonds would be delivered to the railroad company as soon as voted and the road might not be built—the following letter was sent to Hon. L. I. Moore to explain the matter and it is published that all may understand it.

Raleigh, N. C. Aug. 29, 1903  
HON. L. I. MOORE,  
Greenville, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—We authorize you to say to the people of the towns of Greenville and Grimesland and the townships of Beaver Dam and Farmville, if they shall vote to subscribe as follows: Greenville \$45,000, Grimesland \$2,500, Farmville \$7,000, Beaver Dam, \$2,500, the second mortgage bonds of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound Railroad Company, it will be with the distinct understanding that the Greenville bonds will not be called for until the road shall reach to Greenville, that the Grimesland bonds shall not be called for until the road shall reach to Grimesland, and that the Farmville township bonds shall not be called for until the said road shall reach the town of Farmville, and that the Beaver Dam township bonds shall not be called for until the said road has been built to that township. It being fully understood that this instrument is based upon the understanding that the said railroad is at liberty to construct its line either via Farmville and Beaver Dam township and will then only accept the township bonds through such township said road will run. The Commissioners of Pitt county and the Commissioners of the towns of Greenville and Grimesland can hold the said bonds until the above is complied with. Or if the people of Beaver Dam, Farmville, Greenville and Grimesland shall prefer, the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound Railroad Company is willing that the said bonds should be placed in the hands of three trustees, one to be selected by the Railroad Company and the other two by the Commissioners of the town of Greenville, to be delivered to the railroad as soon as the above is completed with.

## Cross Continent in Auto.

New York, Sept. 18.—L. L. Whitman, of San Francisco, who with E. T. Hammond last night completed an automobile trip from that city to New York, called upon Mayor Low today and presented him a letter from Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco. Mayor Low congratulated Mr. Whitman on the completion of his trip which was made in 73 days, about 5,000 miles being traveled.

## Wireless Telegraphy on Coast.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 18.—This week will see the opening of two wireless telegraph stations on the Virginia and Carolina coast. It is announced that the station at Cape May is completed and the first test will be between the capes and Norfolk navy yard where there is also a new station. Later the weather bureau will attempt to communicate storm warnings to vessels at sea.

## Woman's Betrayal Killed.

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 17.—Russell Sherrill, a member of a prominent family in western Rowan, was shot this morning by Calvin and Thomas White, both of whom are well known and leading citizens of Concord. The shooting was in consequence of the seduction of their niece, Miss Mamie White, a young woman socially well connected. The Whites received a letter yesterday from the mother of girl, whose father is dead, telling them of her ruin and imploring them to come at once. They left Concord yesterday and spent the night with Miss White and her mother, both of whom were distracted. They called at the home of Sherrill, who is 22 years old, at 6 o'clock this morning and insisted that he marry their niece. Refusing to do so, he made a threatening move toward the Whites, who fired upon him, death resulting. The Whites are in jail.

## PENNYPACKER SNUBS AYCOCK

Pennsylvania's Press-Muzzling Governor Refuses to Honor the Requisition for Essex Station.

Neither the municipal nor railroad bonds begin drawing interest until exchange and delivery of bonds is made.

The railroad will be about 110 miles in length, and if taxed at about \$8,000 per mile at one per cent will amount in revenue to \$8,800, which is more than the entire interest on all municipal bonds to be exchanged for railroad bonds. This amount of taxable property would be permanently on the tax list with a probable increase from year to year as the country develops and business of the road increases, and it should only be a few years before the railroad tax after paying the interest on the bonds, must leave a considerable surplus to the towns and townships subscribing to these bonds. This tax runs forever while the bonds are only for 30 years.

## Fatal Renewal of Old Feud.

Suffolk, Va., Sept., 17.—Peter Odum, a white man 38 years old, was called out of his house near Newsoms, early this morning, and shot to death almost in the presence of his wife and children. Odum was awakened and called to the door. Shortly after Mrs. Odum heard two shots. Odum was found in his yard unconscious and lying, one charge having taken effect in the head and another in the breast. There is suspicion attached to two persons, one a resident of Southampton county, the other a man who recently escaped from the North Carolina penitentiary, where he was sent on the charge of shooting Odum six years ago. Blood hounds have been taken to the scene.

## Rockingham Hotel Burned.

Rockingham, N. C. Sept. 17.—At 4:30 o'clock this morning Hotel Richmond was destroyed by fire. No one seems to know how the fire originated. Those who saw it first say it started in the kitchen.

## Troy Postoffice Robbed.

Troy, N. C., Sept. 18.—Last night the safe in the postoffice at this place was blown open by burglars and about \$400 in stamps and money were taken.

A Wilkes county man was fooling with a Winchester rifle when the weapon accidentally discharged. The bullet went through the wall of his store, through the wall of a school house, where it went through the arm of a girl and struck a boy in the breast. The boy was killed.

A large lumber mill and dry kilns, at Mount Olive were destroyed by fire Tuesday.

Some people swell with importance so naturally that it is hard to believe they won't burst through the coffin when they are dead.

The grand jury of Edgecombe county has returned a true verdict against Dr. Julian M. Baker for the killing of Dr. H. T. Bass, of Tarboro, last March.