#### PERSONALS AND SOCIAL

MONDAY MAY 7. Dr. D. L. ont Sunday in Bethel. G. H. Elli-Ayden Saturday evenin Louis Man-Saturday eve R. B. Jarvis c. in Staday a few days, left this morning. evening from No Mrs. R. Z. V Cont Bethel, is visiting Mrs. W. ' Smith. Presiding , ..., D. Bundy S. C., was here today. returned to W minis morning. Dr. L. C. Skinner returned to Miss Annie K. how of Scotland Ayden Tuesday evening. Neek, 18 visitin, ass Rosalind F. D. Foxhall returned Tuesday inunec.

Sanday at Conclus with the pass evening from Bethel. rents of Mrs. Moy ...

sall, arrived Saturd v evening to W. R. Parker returned Tuesday Oats-32 lbs per bushel visit her sister, M. s. W. R. Smith. evening from Everetts. Miss Lonie Creof who has been

visiting Mrs. W. J. Smith, return-Tuesday evening for Charlotte.

C. M. Jones, our of the buyers for the firm of J. E. Cherry & Co., turned Tuesday evening from Ralleft Sunday for ac-thern markets, eigh.

Washington, are visiting his child left this morning for Baltiparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. more. Cowell.

Robersonville, arrived Saturday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. F. The weather certainly sho vs J. Tyson, at the King house.

ton, came in Saturday evening to getting seed potatoes. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cowell.

Miss Lena Anderson and Mrs. H. C. Elwards and son, Olifton, Did you ever see so many including the final bouse. Said went to Grifton Saturday evening fad. and returned this morning.

Rev. Walter Mitchell, of Newport News, came in Saturday evening and held services in the Lon-topal church here Sunday.

berin their three nights engage-

Miss Annie Perkins, who is teaching in the graded school at Farmville, came home Friday evening and remained until Sunday evening.

W. S. Greer, of Baltimore, is in town, and dropped in to leave the Actual cash for THE RELECTOR. Get our prices and see our stock be-fore buying. We want to buy your paint. get now.

Miss Ethel Burnett, of Goose Nest, who was visiting Miss Jamie Bryan, returned home Sanday morning.

TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1903. R. L. Smith went to Norfolk Inday

S. I. Dudley went to Norfolk today.

W. R. Parker went to Everetts today.

Superior Court Clerk D. C

Moore went to Tarboro today. Mrs. Orlando Gwynn, ot Kins-

ton, came over this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. W. T, Burton.

Revs. Walter Mitchel and W E. Cox went to Winterville Monday evening.

C. S. Forbes left this morning for the northern markets to purchase spring stock.

C. A. Jeffress, who has been speuding a few days here, returned to Williamston this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ward, who have been visiting relatives here, left this morning for Bethel.

J. R. Moye, of the firm of J. B-

Cherry & Co., left this morning for the northern markets to purchase new goods. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9. was here today. Major Smith, of Ayden came to Kinston up this morning.

morning.

S. V. Priddy, of Timmonsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Moye spent D. C. Moore returned Tuesday

A. M. Moseley returned Tues-Miss Nanuie dheld, of Has day evening from Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Moore left

Sheriff O. W. Harrington re-

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cowell, of Mrs. L. M. Savage and little Hides-dry-per lb

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ware, of All kinds of garden seeds at Johnston Bros.

signs of improvement.

Frank H. Cowell, of Washing. The planters are having trouble

spead Sunday with his parents, When spring sass comes on 6 got our agent at Delhi, N. Y. cents a pound cabbage will not be Gladstone & Paine were agents in it any more.

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Animal matter.

by the splendid through train ser-G. M. Lindsay, of Snow Hill, vice of the Atlantic Coast Line the great throughfare to the trop ies. Winter tourist rates are now on sale to all points in Florida and to Havana. For rates, schedules, W. S. Greer, who has been her maps, sleeping car and Steamship accommodations write to W. J James Long went to Bethel this Craig, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C

#### **Provision Market.**

Reported by SAM'L M. SCHULTZ. evening from a trip up the road. Flour-1st pat. Family Flour-straigh \$4.59(@\$5.25 \$4.45(@\$4.25 Corn-per bushel Bacon-hog round per 1b -han  $111@135 \\ 111@125$ -sides -shoulders Pork 10a15 84a126 65a65 Potatoes-irish-bushel 1.0081.24 Potatoes-sweet 25a31 20a21 Duck Hens-per head Broilers 15a20

Eggs Turkeys-per lb Feathers-new -green-per ll Tallow odder Beeswax

35a45

4a \$1.2 \$1.2 20a2 70a8

LETTER TO ALFRED FORBES.

Greenville, N. C.,

Dear Sir: Good yarn: How for -----: we mustn't tell names.

it took 10 gallons of white for the trim.

will wear as long as Devoc's. No said; if you get it all on. no pay; if

years ago. He knows now that ted; that's why it took ten gallons

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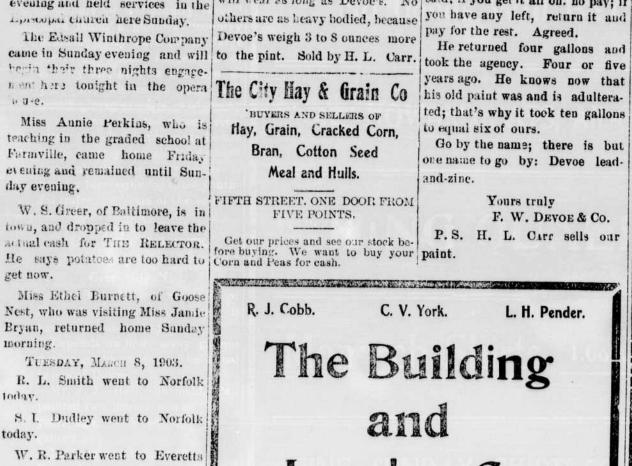
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#### UNION SERVICES.

#### Churches Join in Evangelistic Work. Principal of Ormondsville High School.

DEATH OF PROF. STEPHENS.

He was a young man of great

Miss Elizabeth Carver, assistant

Early Closing

closing of stores at night is being

talked among the merchants.

When all close early no one loses

Consult the Ads.

presents an array of interesting

Refused Requisition.

cock, asknig for the surrender of

More Trouble for Groff.

Look Out.

Our neighbor town, Wilson, has

The business men who want and

clerks get needed rest.

man, and a man who was loved by

family is suffering.

The Ministers Union of Greenville, in a special meeting on Friday, decided to begin a series of of the death of Mr. B. W. Stephbe held in the Presbyterian great shock to the community. duct the song services

The night services will begin at successful career in the school 7:30, and a morning service last- room, but has won his way to the ing three quarters of an hour will hearts of the people. He was be held regularly at 10:30 o'clock. confined to his room on March 2. This naited work is entered and for seven days he wrestled upon with the confidence that the with pneumonia. His home is at Christian people of Greenville will Rexboro. His brother and sister welcome this another opportunity reached his bedside only a few to join heart and hand in an effort hours before death came. to uplift and save.

#### Great Facts About a Kiss.

proposition. Of no use to one, 1901, and since that time he has Dove. yet absolute bliss to two. The been teaching. In his death Orsmall boy gets it for nothing, the mondsville High School has lost a the use of objects and models in young man has to steal it and the most excellent leader, and the old man has to buy it. The baby's community a powerful influence. right, the lover's privilege, the His rematos were taken to Kinshypecrite's mask. To a young ton today and will leave for Roxgirl, faith; to a married woman, boro touight. We share to a

#### AYDEN ITEMS ..

AYDEN, N. C. March 12, 1904. Two new 500 lb Victor safes for corpse to Roxboro, sale by J. R. Smith & Bro.

The train master passed through Ayden Friday. J. E. and W. T. Hart, of Kins

ton, were here Thursday. Services will be held in the Bao-

King. Miss Benton, the trained nurse that has been with Miss Annie Smith and later with Prof. Stevens efr Friday night for Kiaston. appreciate your trade are doing

Mrs. J. R. Harvey, of Grifton, their own talking for it through was here Friday visiting Dr. Jos. Dixon's family.

chines at J. R. Smith & Bro.

50 bags red Bliss seed potators the ones no t entitled to it. Time at J. R. Smith & Bio.

county attending the minister's trading. conference.

W. E. Move has had five cases of pneumonia in his family in the Gov. Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, has refused to honor the last few weeks.

Keen & Kittcell, of Grifton, requisition papers of Gov. Ay were here Thursday.

here Monday with consumption. murder of James Morris at Greens-She was about 25 years old. She boro about four years ago. The leaves a husband and one child cause of the Pennsylvania Govan aged father, one brother and erpor's refusal is not given. two sisters.

W. B. Moore, who has been sick a few weeks, died Wednesday and was buried Thursday in Ayden cemetery. Funeral services famous post office conspiracy case, has practically abaudoned his race were conducted by Prof. King, and a member of the Washington for the democratic presidenial He was about 60 years old and police force, is to face a trial board nomination this year. His posi. served in the Civil war. He has of the police department, and will tion is merely receptive, and he years, and was postmaster and service. mayor here for several years.

A family of seven people at been touched by a well dressed and fears. It is said, however Dotham, Ala., were poisoned by stranger who raised \$1 bills and that some of the strong men who eating biscuits made from flour in worked them off on the people for were behind the Gorman boom which rough on vats had been placed by one of the children. \$10. Other towns should keep a have become convinced that their will be held in the other churches. ful in handling \$10 bills. them all.

Interesting Meeting of Association. ORMONDSVILLE, N. C. March, 10, Though the weather was pretty When the sad announcement

today, the county roads are very bad and it was with difficulty ens, principal of Ormondsville union evangelistic services, on High School, was made last that the teahers could get here to Sunday night, 13th, services will night, at 9:45 o'clock, it was a the meeting of the association. church, Rev. J. A. Hornaday to Mr. Stephens has been principal there was a large attendance and tion to a vote of the people to Many important measures were preach, Rev. A. T. Kicg to con of our high school since Sept. the exercises were interesting and adopt a constitutional amendment. discussed. Some of the ladies 1952, and has not only had a helpful.

> meeting to order at 11 o'clock and of that state. the devotional exercises were After reading minutes of last City Thursday. meeting and calling the roll of

members the program as previous- blown from the ruins of one of the seasoning desserts, an how danger-Miss Arnie Perkins with

model class gave an interesting city. promise, a pure, Christian hearted lesson in first grade work and sight reading. all who knew him. He graduated

A discussion of the method The kass: A kiss is a peculiar at Trinity College in the class of first grade work followed by Prof.

Miss Georgia Joyne - spoke o teaching, impressing the importance of the subject and illustra ion matching.

Co-relation of georgraphy, bis hope; and to an old maid, charity. great extent the grief that the tory and literature was very ably discussed by Prof. J. D. Everett. He was assisted by Miss Lopie Jamestown Exposition endersing and music teacher of the school, J. Creef, of Bethel, who stated very the tercentennial to be held at W. Ormond, R. P. Taylor and J. fully how she would teach the Hampton Roads, near Norfolk, in imal after all. We eat 'tossums R. Turnage accompanied to the history and georgraphy of New 1967. York city. Also Miss Anabel Frank Summers, a blacksmith, yet a vulture will not touch one. Moore read a fine paper telling was found dead beside his mother's During a long season of snow how she would teach its literature igrave in a cemetery at Alexandria some years ago, a farmer said the "Our plan of work" was inter- Va. Now that spring has come, early estingly discussed by Miss Hennie Brown

"How to seence a library" tist caucen Sunday by Key. T. H. acythiog, and both merchants and the subject of a very interesting and \$624,502,000 for 1905. and practical paper read by Miss Daisy Carman, and diecussed by Prof. Ragsdale telling what had Kewanee, Miss. been done in Pitt county and its effect upon the schools

> excellent talk on "Positive teach, and Europe to secure a loan with THE REFLECTOR. This paper irg of morals,"

The teachers show much inter. Russia. advertisements that are always est in their work and the monthly Several Standard sewing ma- worth a careful reading, and the meetings of the association an men who ash for your trade are very hepful.

can be saved in looking at the ad-Rev E. T Phillips is in Greece vertisements before you start out Because she would not allow her, Paul Weaver, a young farmer ment has taken place in the city. Up to the present the outliving near Erwina, Pa., shot his vincinty of Viadivostok. The fit has not been returned. Mr. former sweetheart, Miss Mary Japanese fleet went to Vladivostok up to Greensboro and arrested Mr. Wyker, and then hastened to his in order to locate and attack the Sweeps and brought him to Burhome, three miles distant, where Russian fleet there. It is believed lington. He compromised the he placed a noose about his neck that the Japanese would not have matter by agreeing to pay for the Mrs. David Jackson died near Wm. Hill, charged with the and sent a bullet thaough his

#### Gorman Not in the Race.

New York, March 10.-The World this morning prints the following dispatch from Washing Samuel A. Groff, recently con- ton:

victed in connection with the "Senator Gorman of Maryland the last chance wins. He refuses to discuss his presidential hope popular snpport."

#### GENERAL NEWS.

An unknown man tried to break in the room of Miss Ophelia trail of blood as he fled.

Notwithstanding the difficulties passed a bill to submit the ones. represent.

Congressman Croft, of South house keeping. conducted by Rev. J. A. Honaday. Carolina, died in Washington

picked up eight miles from the young people are growing up.

in a box car containing gasoline, in town and county, is great gain. near Harrisburg, Pa. The gase- It is hoped that ere long many lighting a pipe near one of the ence to avoid creating or developposta

erect a monument to the memory |ger avoided.

letter to the secretary of the

Rev. F. G. Hartman made an bility of setting bonds in America which to carry on the war with

#### Naval Battle Reported.

sians in the vicinity of Possiet bay aud gave them battle.

where Sweeny left it. He claims

#### Union Services.

As the union services will begin tomorrow night in the Presbyterian church, only the morning services together at night.

#### **REFORM LEAGUE.**

No. 31

Important Work Before the Ladies. The meeting of the Ladies Cowper, in Suffolk, Va. She shot League for Moral Reform held the man in the face and he left a Thursday in the Baptist church was well attended and deep in-The Maryland legislature has terest was shown in the work they

The amendment will disfranchise present signed a pledge not to President Everett called the about nine-tenths of the negroes serve wines or liquors as a beverage in their homes, por use it in their

This is regarded by many as an exceedingly important step Few among us realize how extensively A cancelled check that was wines and brandies are used in burned banks in Baltimore was ous the custom is in homes where

Simply to discuss seriously this Four men were burned to death cust m, now entirely too common line took fire from one of the men other ladies will lend their influing such a taste. Other s asoning Citizeus of Columbus, Ga., will can easily be substituted and dan

of a negro who lost his life trying The next meeting of the League to save the life of the city engineer. will be held in the Presbyterian President Roosevelt has sent a church two weeks herce

#### Buzzard Won't Eat 'Possum.

A human being is a ouver anand pay facey prices for them. buzzards in his locality were The treasury department esti- almost starved and to test the mates that it will cost \$605,287, matter he killed a 'possure and was 000 to run the government for 1904 put him out where he could be easily found The visitue s would Five railway employees were not touch him, though they "ex killed in a collision of trains near amined" the careas. Not satisfied, the farmer cooked another Japan is considering the advisa- 'possum up brown and spread him out, but the buzzard declined the feast .-- Greensboro Record.

#### Paid \$300 for the Hire of a Horse and Buggy.

Last July a man by the mame of Sweeny, of Greensboro, traveling London, Much 9 -- A dispatch representative of Pratt's Food from Tokio says it is believed Company, hired a borse and huggy there that a decisive naval engage from Thompson & Loy, of this withdrawa their entire squadron use of the horse and buggy since from before that port unless the the time he hired it which amounted to \$300, and will have the outenemy's location had been discov- fit returned at once. The horse ered. There is a strong possibility and buggy is now at Weldon and nat the Japanese found the Rus has been there for several mouths,

Some of the state papers are that it was simply negligenee on criticising some of the judges for his part that the outfit was not re- failing to get to the courts in turned. The liverymen who had time. The next legislature should the horse at Weldon advertised change the law so as to open courts for the owner, and Messrs. Thomp- in the various counties on Tuesbeen a justice of peace for many no doubt be dismissed from the has a faint hope bora of know- son & Loy will pay them for feed- days, and this would give the ledge that sometimes the man with ing the animal .- Burlington News. judges as well as litigants time to get to the courts without traveling Sundays .- Louisburg Times.

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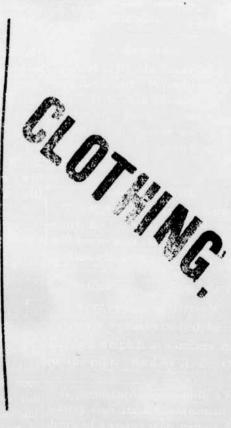
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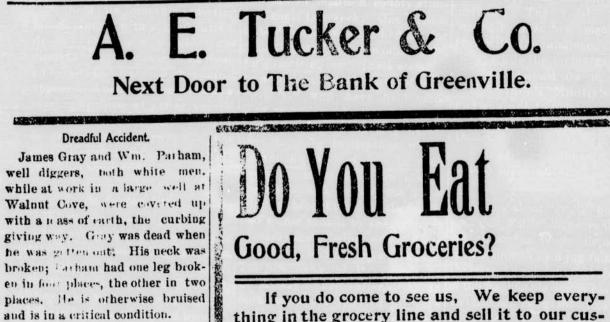
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#### GENERAL NEWS.

An electric railroad is to be built through the principal truck and peaput section of Virginia from Portsmouth to Richmond.

Two thousand people have been rendered homeless by the recent flood in the Wyoming valley of Pennsylvania.

Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, is very ill in Washington. A French steamer is reported

wrecked off the coast of China and it is believed 100 persons perished.

#### Hoarding Money.

There is no telling how much noney is hid away by persons about in the country, instead of investing it. A citizen of this C. ounty recently deposited \$700 in gold in a bank of a neighboring town, which he had been hoarding at home for twenty years. He was induced to put it in a bank at last because somebody had ried to break in his house and stea? it, as he thought.

Of course this man had never twenty years ago it would have ing Machine and Cook Stoves. more than doubled at simple interest .- Pittsboro Record.

**Called Home to Japan** 

from his government to return to is our motto. Japan to assist in the war with Russia. Before coming to this country Mr. Hinohara belonged to the reserve of the Japanese army aud had his name transferred to in a short while.



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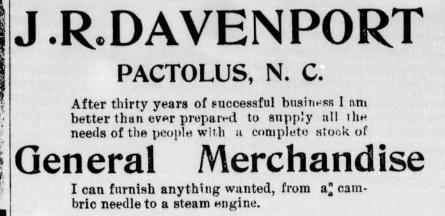
We carry a general line of Merchandise, Dry Goods and Notions. Nice line of Shoes, Shirts and Neck wear & etc. Fresh Stock of Fancy listed this movey for taxation, as and Heavy Groceries. New line of is too often the case with such per- Wood, Iin and Hardware, we sons. If he had invested this \$700 make specialties of Furniture Sew-

We do not claim to have any better Goods or Prices than other merchants, but we do claim a fair and honest deal for ail, we sell for eash which enables us to do a safe Durham, N. C., March 9 .- Mr. husiness and we give our custo-Hinohara, the Japanese student mer- the benefit of it, Cash Sales, at Trinity, has received an order Small Margins and one price to all

#### PACTOLUS, N. C.

**Revival Next Month.** 

Rev. J. E Hutson, of Richthe defensive roll. He is now mond, will hold a two weeks' needed. In a talk to the Woman's meeting in the Baptist church Foreign Mission Society of Main here, beginning the first Sunday Street Methodist church he in- in April. Mr. Hutson has visited formed the members that he had Greenville on several former ocbeen called home and would leave casious to hold meet ugs and is greatly liked here.



I handle fertilizers and gin cotton in season.

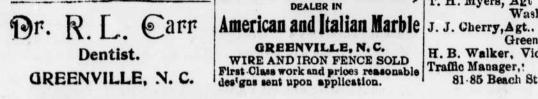
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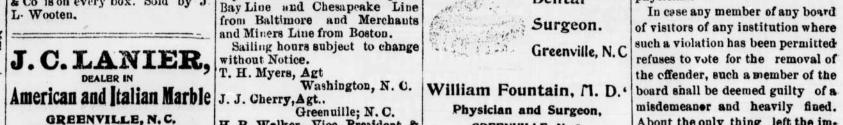




Tragedy Averted.

W. Watkins of Pleasant Ciry, it's hair is growing beautifully W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Obio. "Pneumonia had played said havoc with him and a terri-braise to DeWitt's Witch Haze! noints West. Definition of the played brain o ble cough set in besides Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's new sound, and well.'' Everybody ought to know it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung disease Guaranteed by Worten Dev ble cough set in besides Doctors praise to DeWitt's Witch Haze! Guaranteed by Wooten Drug Store, Price 50c and \$1,00. Trial bottles free.





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prohibiting one under the influence

of drink from yoting in the pri-

mary elections, and the Virginia

legislature is considering a meas-

ure which provides that no teacher

professor or other person in con

tact with students shall use any

intoxicants at any time, except

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SEMI-WEEKLY-TUESDAY AND FRIDAY. D. J. WHICHARD. - - EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

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Aruth in Areference to Fiction

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1904.

It is getting to look like Russia will have to do a little fighting with Great Britain, too.

ism than it ever knew. 

North Carolina political news comes tion. by way of Washington correspondents.

the Japs a chance and they will put certain restrictions around the places it out.

Durham is a prohibition town, but has licensed the sale of cider placing the tax at \$50 and limiting the sale to apple cider only. \_\_\_\_\_

to \$12,600,000 a pound. We in question were not unreasonable wouldn't think of lugging any of or oppressive. the stuff around, not even a dust of

Rhode Island has held her state con vention to nominate delegates to the national convention and six out of eight are for Hearst. The bee will buzz in Willie's cap worse than ever.

How does this strike you for treat. ment of the negro? A mob of 2,000 infuriated citizens of Springfield. district of the city occupied by ne- ordinances of the town, and the travel some. groes. This did not occur in the court further says: South, mark you.

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states wanting a constitutional stricting its sale, will not be guided the stock but has given it a healthy to have a dispensary in the place of bably will be rushed through Korca suring the administration of state beneficial to mankind." affairs by those who are capable of managing them.

just the same.

The Dunn Guide prints a very uncomplimentary picture of the editor of the Washington Gazette-Messenger in refuting a charge made by the latter that closing ealoons there had killed Dunn and caused the failure of two banks in that town. The Guide leaves no room to credit the correctness without foundation.

BLOW TO SALOONS.

The saloon business in North Carolina has received another severe The Smoot investigation is learn- jolt by a recent decision of the Su ing the country more about Mormon- preme court. The decision of the court is that a town ordinance, when within its charter right, is absolute It looks funny that most of the and cannot be tested by an injunc-

The opinion was on a case sen. men of that town had adopted certain No need of much werry over how ordinances to govern the sale of where it is sold. A saloon keeper instituted injunction proceedings land. against the town to prevent the en forcement of the ordinances. The The price of radium has gone up the latter held that the ordinances stated if he ever lived in Utah.

sold to have any screen doors, blinds stench in his department by pulling Just look at Hears: will you? painted windows, partitions, screens, the congressmen into the mud ile. or anything that will obstruct a full view of the interior from the street mitted. No restaurant or eating t is printed Changes are too From there many of the veterans rushin' fleet .-- Durham Sun. tables can be run in connection with sudden to keep up with them. saloons, no billiard, pool or gaming tables of any kind are allowed, and no saloon can be entered or opened Sun is not ignorant of the existence duced. Thus, in one trip veterans shaper of public opinion on earth and Go'clock Monday morning.

"Liquor being regarded as an evil in itself and an enemy of civiliza-Maryland has joined the list of tion the courts, in passing upon the railroad being in the hands of a re-validity of laws regulating or re- ceiver does not hurt the price of

# Moody, widow of the late Congress to restrain the collection of a privi- to this disgrace. man Moody to carry on the contest lege tax of 25 cents for each mile of between Moody and Gudger, wire operated within the state. The but the public will talk about it, pany doing much more intar-state postmaster general in helping to loot same wires for both.

If the Bristow wholesale charge against senators and congressmen of of the Gazette-Messenger s statement but shows conclussively that it is without foundation. but in will disclose. but disclo

Greensboro continues to be agitated over the "hello" situation in that

look after their own allowances.

committee to call off the investigation and send him home.

thing is broke to stay broke.

A man in New Jersey arraigned statues .-- Charlotte Chronicle. finding of the lower court was in fa- for bigamy astonished the court by vor of the town. The saloon man admitting that he had been marappealed to the Supreme court, and ried forty-seven times. It is not

Goose Nest. If so our brother

The Atlantic & North Carolina

ington.

most subject of discussion in North Carolino newspapers, the increasing WASHINGTON, D. C. Mar. 11, 1984. frequency of the disruption of mar-Hereafter democratic congressmen laxity of laws is credited with mos fice boodlers. had best let republican postmasters of the blame while the method of In the investigation of Reed without any necessity for rigid

Divorces again figure as a fore

Children.

will go to the great exposition at St. Louis, as it is only about ten hours ride from Nashville to St. Louis and We hope the esteemed Durham the railroad fare will be greatly re-

#### WASHINGTONCORRESPONDENCE.

The appropriation bills slide The spring poet fever ought to be tial relations being noted with glibly along and it begins to look accinated before it breaks out too alarm. It is observed in connection as if Congress might adjourn by hat divorces are exceedingly rare in May 1st, unless members take up Canada where they are obtained only too much time with speeches exby a parliamentary decree. The plaining that they are not post-of-

carrying out the law is not often Smoot's qualifications as Senator the even so much as mentioned. The principal Mormon apostles are It looks like there has been enough State of New York has comparative- still being examined. The implicaof the Smoot scandal heard for the y rigid laws but allows secret de tion seems to be that if one apostle crees which permits all kinds of has four wives, and another fortywasions. Canada's laws are no two children. Reed Smoot, who has more strict than those of New York only one wife, should be expelled and it is the publicity that discour- from the Senate. There may be a This winter's back bone seems to ages the demand for divorces. Can- curious anti-climax to this investihave as many joints as a cat has ada allows separations but in order gation. By a clever maneuver the lives. You just can't tell when the that either party may marry again, Mormons may succeed in getting all the intention to apply for divorce their testimony printed, which will must be published before the appli- include the four books on which The church member who stands cation is made to Parliament. Not their church is founded, the Book of for the saloon is giving his tuffu- all the evils is to be attributed to our Mormon and the Protestant Bible ence against morally and peace laws, and a large share of it is dir- being two of them. An effort is beectly due to the possibility of obtain- ing made to keep out the last two. up from Washington. The alder- and for the devil and debauchery. and the decree "between cases in It would be unprecedented to have court" as one contemporary speaks the whole Bible printed as a public Whether Cleveland will allow his of it. Laws allowing and providing document. Would it be less shockthe Russian fleet will get out. Give whiskey in that town and placing name to go before the convention re- for separation in place of our present ing to have the Book of Mormon apmains to be seen, but as time goes laws for divorce, and then a law pear in the same way and be franked on it daily looks more like Cleve- similar to the Canadian statue would all over the country? As a missiongo far in solving the vexing problem ary enterprise this has never been equalled.

> For three days this editor has been feeling bad-very bad. In The liquor lawyers who went up fact has been confined to his room to Raleigh last winter to defend the for the best part of two days. Sunwhiskey business, failed to earn day afternoon Ma Laria grabbed their fees. In looking for big hold of him with a capias instanter, things, they did not discover that and served it forthwith without so Possibly the fourth assistant innocent looking little anti-jug law much as a sitfacetious dessert, and The ordinances of Washington do postmaster general was merely try- for four counties that turns out to then threatened him with fever. not allow places where liquors are ing to take attention away from the be big enough to cover the whole But we all have our ills, and we are State like a horse blanket .- Charity not talking an air ship to those we know not of. We are sure of one thing. We are not immune to the The next annual Reunion of the machinations of Ma Laria or Bil I. When a weather item is written United Confederate Veterans will be Ous, and as a good doctor's patient nor are back doors, side doors, trap these days it is not with any cer- held at Nashville, Tennessee, on the we are patiently abiding our time doors, elevators or stairways per- tainty of being correct by the time 14th, 15th, and 16th of June. and Japaneseing this physical

#### Can Japan Whip Russia.

The London Times, which is cred ited with being the most powerful between 8 o'clock Saturday evening of a town in North Carolina named can attend the Reunion and the ex- estimates that Russia can not use more than 200,000 soldiers in Man-Ohio, set fire to and destroyed a The Supreme court upholds the should take Sam Jones' advice and at Nashville during the last week of distance from the base of supples June, 1896, and was one of the most and the necessity for maintaining enjoyable we have ever attended. armies in other parts of Europe, No doubt this will be equally or even Japan at the beginning of 1904 had more enjoyable .- Pittsboro Record. 273.268 soldiers in active service and has now about 450,000. The We see that Greenville, N. C., is permanentlarmy can be and proamendment that will remove the ne- by the rule applicable to restrictions stimulus. What stock has been on open bars. The town has done itself to Manchuria and this army alone gro as a factor in politics and in- upon o business which is useful or the market brought high prices. great credit to carry this election. A (273,000 troops) will outnumbers dispensary is better than one bar, the total available forces of Russia. Seven divorces in twenty minutes much less a dozen. One of the very In addition, Japan's military forces Judge Simonton, of the United is a record made in Wake county the closing of the saloons and the number 225,000 and those will be States Circuit court, has made per- Superior court. It is a crying shame establishing of the dispensary. All ample for home service. When the The story was sent out from Wash- manent the injunction which the that divorces are so easily obtained that is necessary is to put the right question fof naval supremacy shall ington that Thomas Settle obtained Western Union Telegraph Co., ob- in North Carolina. The next legis- men on as a board of managers and have been settled, the two nations an additional \$2,000 from Mrs. tained temporarily against the state lature should be quick to put a stop it is a success from the first. Make will be about equal as to numerical it a financial success as well as the strength. Russia is plainly at a best method of dispensing whiskey, disadvantage with regard to supand this will strengthen it among plies and will of course be more so The thanks North Carolina con- the citizens of the town and the tax after the inevitable capture of Port When interviewed about the story judge held that such a privilege tax gressmen get for helping republi- payers. People want whiskey, and Arthur by the enemy. It seems that Mr. Settle said it is "none of the pub- would be a burden on inter-state can postmasters get more pay, is to will have it. The right thing to do Russia is defending contiguous terlic's business." May be it is not state commerce, the telegraph com- be charged by the fourth assistant is to give them the very ritory but it would matter but little best that can be had, sell to her if the Aulantic Ocean were in at a good profit, and use the revenue the place of Siberia. As to the comthan inter-state business, using the the treasury. And the charge is wisely, to lessen taxes and to bring parative fighting and campaigning raising a warm time around Wash- about necessary improvements in qualities of 'he two armies the the town, and to pay the expenses of American official report of the Pethe schools. If there is one thing kin campaign described the Russian in the world that ought to be taxed, soldiers as "industrious foragers." Emperor William, of Germany it is whiskey. So let it be taxed to and said of the Japanese: "If Jahelping to loot the treasury calls wants to present a statue of Freder- to the utmost, and sold in a manner pan can keep the armament and forth a joint resolution raising a lick the Great to the United States to minimize the evil as much as pos- equipment on a par with her solcongressional committee to investi-government to be erected in Wash-sible, and let nobody be afraid to and a most formidable enemy." All gate all the government departments ington. Some of the senators are make the dispensary a financial suctainted with scandal, great good will opposed to accepting the statue on cess. This is the way to cause the true that the American people syma of the Gazette-Messenger's statement come out of it. Just think of the the ground that the former German tax-payers to prefer it to any other puthize with the underdog, it be-

# WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

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

#### WINTRVILLE ITEMS.

WINTERVIAE, N. C. Mar. 12 H. A. White, of Greenville, was here Wednesday in regard to losses sustained during the recent fire.

Always bear in mind that the Winterville Mfg. Co.manufactures Harper. a good wash board of good materiupou application.

that weighed 101 pounds.

made us a very pleasant call one main. day this week.

have to pay a little more for it day night with Mrs G. R. Dixon Winterville Mfg. Co.

Hugo, after spending from Tues- up, married and 'amassed quite a and see. day to Friday with their father, sung little property. L. F. Elliott, have returned home.

received 2 cars of hay that will residence or at the store of B. G. country. be sold cheap for cush.

T. R. Moore and wife, of Green ville, were here a short while

Wednesday.

the Winterville Mfg. Co., always customerses as heretofore gives good satisfaction when you go to them to have one put in your plow they can also furnish supplies. Dry goods, notions, hand es for your plow.

For corn, oats, cotton seed meal see us, one and all. see G. A Kitirell & Co.

Don't forget Dr. Cox now has his office in the residence of J. H. Mayne Ives came in from their C. Dixon.

here Wednesday in the interest of Mrs. J. D. Cox. his firm, J. R Smith & Bro.

went to Greenville vesterday.

R. M. Newton, of Westmorefine old gentleman.

public that I will grind every orders with A. G. Cox Mig. Co. Saturday at my mill one mile W. L. Hurst has returned from was here Weinesday. south of Frog Level on Sam Kitt- Martin county. rell place.-Purnell Tripp.

Harness as well as buggies! been visiting A. G. Cox. Don't go some where else to get your harness when you can get your harness when you can get, any style just as cheap (and perhaps cheaper,) just as nice (and perhaps nicer) right here from Hun-cker, the man yot get buggies from.

The best prices for the best goods can be bad at H. L. Johnson's.

The latest brands of cigars and tobacco at H. L. Johnson's.

School books, pens, pencils and best quality of stationary always for sale at the drug store.

Everything sold at the lowest market price at R. G. Chapman & Co's.

Best prices and tip top goods daa be had at B. G. Chapman & Co,'s store.

House in town. Dr. B. T. Cox wishes to pur-

chase 10 lbs new goose feathers. Misses Mary and Jan e Harper. of Black Jack, are visiting the families of G. R. Dixon and J. W.

To our friends and customers, yard, al and will quote prices on same Having very near lost our estire solicit a continuance of your proportion. valued patronage. Thanking you

Yours to Serve.

A good article is better if you Mrs. Susan Oox spent Thurs- more so than ever before. in 25 years. Young Cox was

G. A. Kittrell & Co., have just country can be found either at his Sadie Carroll at her home in the Where People Can See Plays For e Chapman & Co.

In a few few days Harrington, Barber & Co. will be ready to A plow beam manufactured by are in the position to furnish our in

> Harrington Barber & Co. We carry complete live of farr groceries, drug and ect. Come to

Harrington Barber & Co. Misses Lydie Roberson and respective school vesterday to J. A. Divis, of Ayden, was spend today and tomorrow with G. Chapman & Co.

in the recent fire. He is a very in stock. Dou't you believo this Mig. Co. is becau-e there isn't anything do- dr. Moore, who is superintend- a flushed face tells the audience how Notice-I wish to potify the ahead of you, but place your Josephus Gaskins, of Agden,

received by G. A. Kittrell & Co. ing the harvest.

Boarding House-Mis. J. D R. G. Chapman & Co. invite the Cox. Board \$1 per day. Best public to call and examine their public to call and examine their stock of dry goods, notions &c. H. L. Johnson daily received the nicest assortment of confecioneries and fruits: See H. L. Johnson for heavy

and light groceries. Mrs. J. D. Cox has some beautiful byaciuths in bloom in her

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co's shops stock of merchandise in the recent present a scene of great activity. In a shipment of turnips re- fire, we are now making arrange- Large shipments are being made ceived by G. A. Kittrell & Co. the ments as rapidly as possible to every day but the demand for other day there was one turnip open again. We most earnestly their goods seems to increase in

The shipments by the A. G Charles Cobb and J. B. White one and all for past favors we re- Cox Mfg. Co. in cotton planters, we are informed by the depot Harrington, Barber & Co., agent, are unusually large, much

Rowan Cooper has moved from than a cheaper article at a smaller and left next morning for Linsoln his residence on Railroad street price, so try one of the Carroll county to make her home with an around the corner on Second singletrees manufactured by the only sou, whom she has not seen street to a much larger building. The line of ladies dress good in Winterville Mfg. Co. Robert Elliott and family, of when a child and has since grown is unusuallay attractive. Call

> Miss Lala Chapman is spending Dr. B. T. Cox when not in the today and tomorrow with Miss

> > The other day a party bought It was between acts at the theasome wire fonce from A. G. Cox ter. The man just a row ahead did this morning and attacked the

> > Mrs. Sarah Taylor has opened r. spleudid ssortment of millinery pretty rough at that. I visited sevrooms in the rear of the post office. a few years ago. The country towns Indies will certainly miss a rare the little towns to get the real worth reat if they fail to call and see of his money. In such a place the Mrs. Taylor.

Our young friend thervey Cox, for any and everything in the the babies yell is a caution. The Israel Stocks and Albert Cox who has been cooffied to his home grocery and confectionery line. for sometime wich pacummin, we We now have a nice lot of porch in June and ending like a political are pleased to learn is improving, column timber. It you are in need caucus. The actresses quarrel over

nunde. Don't let any more gett boarding with Samuel Manning. and are very nice, and the perform-

the song of our farmer friends Think of it! Wat Cox, of Craven county. now as they bringcotton to market. There are some among us who It is called the People's Palace of Car of cotton seed hulls just have a few bales left and are reap- Nicholas II. and is a fine building



KING BREWISTER COMBINATION BUGGY.

-- MANUFACTURED BY --

G. COX MANUFACTURING COMPANY. To the schoolmaster's surprise, the boy quickly turned and said, The stock complete in every de-partment and prices as low as the WINTERVILLE, N. C.

## Every Suit is Worth The Money We ask for it, and every man who buys one of these

eds. Cassimers, Plain Cheviots and Tweeds.

You can pay more money to the tailor but you'll get

Lay it away tend rly.

The old Winter Suit

That has given such wear.

For the man who is not so pitifully poor, or so

wrecklessly rich, we have suits in Fancy Cheviots. Wors-

Pack it with care.

even if you have notion of no buying. Come in, an yhow just for a look.

# FRANK WILSON

THE KING CLOTHIER.

remarked a man to the friend with known.

"Probably the finest of these people's theaters is in St. Petersburg. Englishmen visiting St. Petersburg generally visit the theater.

"I have no doubt that these theaters are the means of accomplishing much good in Russia by keeping the poor people interested and away from worse resorts. The example might perhaps be followed with beneficial results in other countries. "But there goes the curtain."-New York Tribune.

#### A Clever Dunce.

An English rural schoolmaster was greatly annoyed one day by not getting satisfactory answers to the questions he put to one of his schoolboys. At last he called the dunce to the front and, handing him twopence, said: "Away you go and buy some

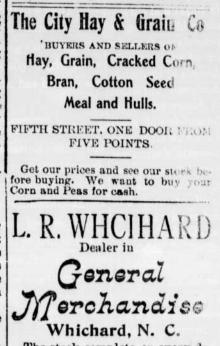
brains." are for you?"-London Globe. Russians Make Attack.

St. Petersburg, March 11 .- The Russian torpedo boat flotilla left Port Artnur at broad daylight

Admiral Makaroff inaugurated dramatic art in the rough, and it is his assumption of the command of by a complete change of tactics She invites special attention to her in Russia abound with them, and As soon as he appeared he ordered elegant line of cannon cloth. The several of the big cities have them. the removal of the battleship Retvisan, which was stranded the mouth of the harbor and barr ed the channel at certain stages of the tide, making the egress of battleships impossible.

This morning he directed a south of the torpedo boat flotilla, suc ported by part of the Russ

Newspapers are improving out land county, Va., was here yester. It is nothing strange to hear that of them why not let us fit you up. 'turns,' and the honors are carried language out of sight. A tourist land county, Va., was here yester. It is nothing strange to hear that of them why not let us fit you up. day concerning policies destroyed Hunsucker has sold the last briggy Prices are right. Winterville off by some young man with long hair and an overfed ambition. Aft-trolley-man calls himself a "moner the agony is over a fat man with toneer;" a Manchester, N. H. ing. You never were worse unst ing the construction of the brick low down a man must be who will undertaker advertises himself as a For best grade of chewing and smoking tobacco go to the drug coming faster than they can be from Goldsboro and they are from Goldsboro and they are from the buildings are of stone is in the building 'gabsquirt'' is a new word recetly emitted in the house of rpresenta most incredibly low-about one- tives by a congressman from Climbing up the golden stair is fourth of a penny in our money. Minnesota. Hurry up the next new dictionary!-Darham Sun.



"And have I to tell the man they lowest Highest market prices paid for country produce.

Light and heavy groceries al- building with a thatched roof and ways on hand at the store on R. Inthe squares of the haned around the door by way of ornamentation. Be sure and see H. L. Johnson the women on the left, and the way

Mfg. Co. saying he wanted a fence not think much of the show, and he Japanese fleet. One Japanese Thursday.Barber & Co. will be ready to<br/>serve their customers with any<br/>thing in the merchantile line.Mfg. Co. saying he wanted a fence<br/>which would turn his ewn boys as<br/>well as other folks and adding\_Internation of the show, and the<br/>was determined that every one with-<br/>in earshot should know his ideas on<br/>the subject.One Japanese<br/>torpedo boat was sunk and one<br/>Russian torpedo boat destroyer,<br/>the Bezposhtchadni, wassunk also.Mrs. Sarah, Taylor and brother,<br/>Robert Elliott, went to GreenvilleWe are now occupying W. L."The only fence that will do it is"That fellow ought to go to one<br/>The fate of the latter he latter he latter he latter he House shop on Main street, and your make with barb wire woven of the people's theaters in Russia," The fate of the latter's crew is not

him. "There is where one gets real But one has to get out into one of theater is generally a large wooder little squares of tin nailed around Inside the men sit on the right and plays are mostly of the blood and squadron, against the Japanese ances are of a much higher standard. The admission charges are al-

snits will be well satisfied. no better snit

We would like to show you the new Spring Styles.

## Grimesland Department.

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every day.

Greenville's = Great = Department = Store

SHOES.

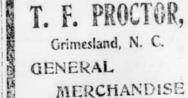
Dorothy Dodd

## J. O. Proctor & Bros GRIMESLAN D'S SUPPLY HOUSE. Merchants, Millers and Manufacturers.

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

Our mill and ginnery are now in full blast and we are prepared to gin cotton, grind corn. saw lumber, and, do all kind of turned work for balaste and house trimmings. We als do general repairing of buggi carts and wagons.

It takes less time to go and tu anything up than it does to s down and wait for it to turn up o of its own accord.



Anything wanted in the way of Clotning, Dry Goods, No-tions, Shoes, Bats, Grocories tions, Shoes, Bars, Grocories and Hardware can be found here. whether it is some thing to eat, something t wear, or some article for the house or farm, you can b supplied. Highest prices pair for conton, country produce - the farmer sells.

COLUMN TOWNED BOODS STREET

C. VENTERS.

GRIMESLAND, N. C.

ceries, Tobaceo and Cigars. The

\$92.15; Coroner \$19; record books \$10; court costs \$26.70; Register Deeds \$85.40; witness tickets \$71 -90; Clerk Superior court \$12,10;

present.

Veterans' Association \$50; misellaneous \$4.70, stock law terriory \$454.30. The mostbly reports of treasures ad superintendent of health were

W. E. Stocks, Thos. McLaw or, L. B. Tilghman, C. B. Butler and Abram Baker were released

COUNTY MATTERS.

Proceedings of the Commissioners.

The board of county commission

ers met in regular session of

Monday, 7th, all the members

Orders drawn on the treasury

amounted as follows: For paupers

\$178.25; county home \$ 66.46;

bridges and ferries \$116.21; jail

Dry Goods. Notions, Fancy Grofrom fall tax for 1903. Pauper allowance of Mrs. Jane only Soda Fountain in town, All Whitehurst was increased to \$2 the popular drinks. Hot Peanuts per month. Clemmie Stocks was added to pauper list to receive \$3 per month.

Nane ' An Beverly was admitted to county home.

A donation of \$50 was made to the Confederate Veteran Asso ciation.

A donation of \$50 for the next twelve months was made to W. C. Hines towards keeping blood hounds.

Bettie Grimes, Chicod town ship, was released from taxes on 3300 real estate erroneously charged.

The following were released from special school taxes in Farmville township: Chas. Joyner, Moses Carr, John Tyson, Lum Jackson, Mrs. T. M. Flynn, Chas. Flana gan, J. T. Bundy and Mc. D. Horton.

#### Farmville Growing.

FARMVILLE, N. C. Mar, 9, 1904ª Parmville is the happiest town Pitt county.

You just ought to see J. W. Parker. His face is all smiles and he has a pleasant word for everybody. There is surshine and gladness in his soul, and there is sunshine and gladness in his home. They have named her Vira Lee.

There are other happy homes too, Geo, Moore and John Baker of insured. are congratalating each other upon the advent of their sens.

Last Sunday J. Stanley Smith greeted his friends with a us he announced the arrival of J. Stanley Jr:

Its quite amusing to see these four foad 'papas' congregate on some street corner and each tell the other of the cute trick of his

But who blames them? Not us, for we have been along that road to, and there have been babies in our home.

But we pause now, to make ther appouncements later.

#### Paint Your Buggy for 75c.

to \$1.00 with Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs more to the pint than others, wears longer, and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by H. L. Carr. 2 25 d eowk.

#### More Coming.

The next attraction at the opera house will be Barlow & Wilson's elebrated ministrels, on the 18th. And on the 22nd Harry Lindley will be here with a strong com pany. Lindley is an old favorite in Greenville and the theatre goers will be glad to see him here

### BETHEL DEPARTMENT

DR. R. J. GRIMES,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

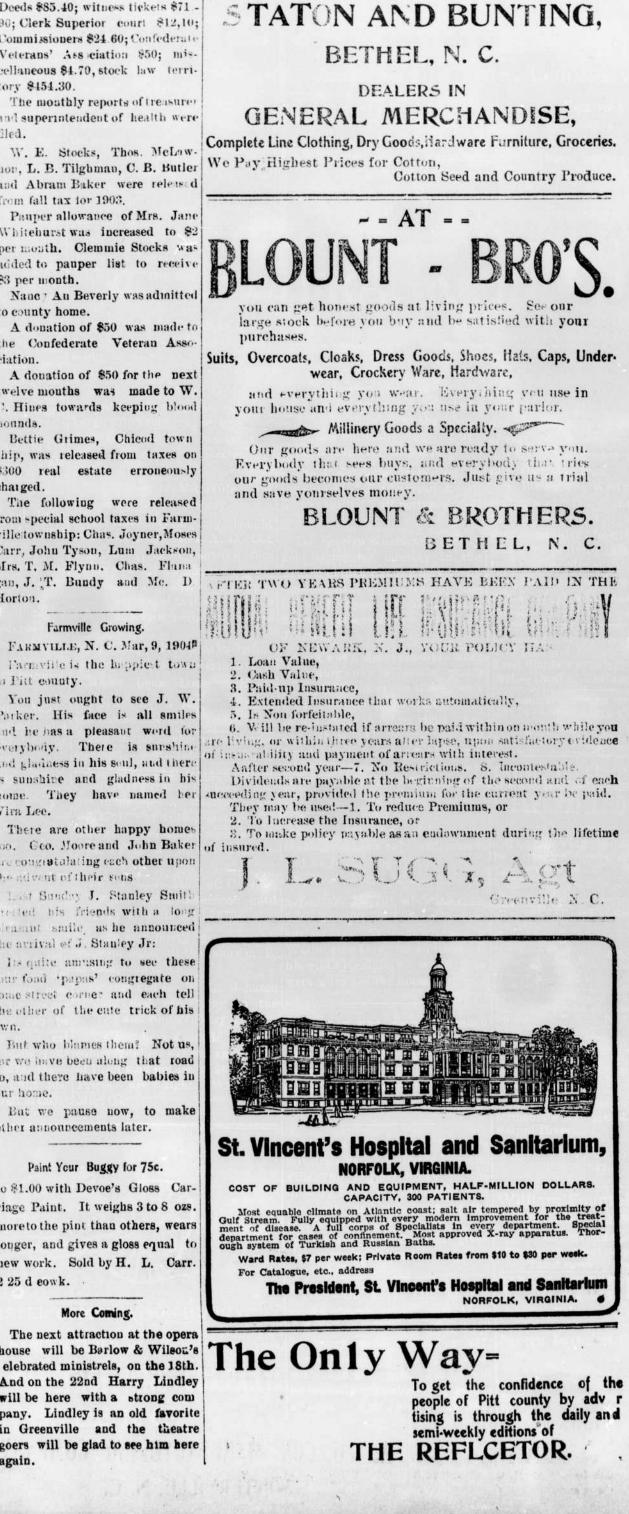
BETHEL, N. C.

Office opposite depot.

DR. G. F. THIGPEN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

BETHEL, N. C.

# Office next door to Post Office.



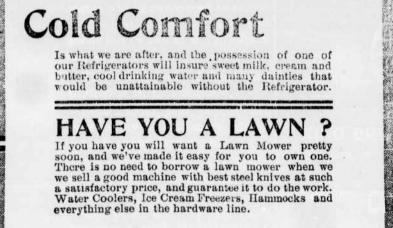
The "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe has that something in beauty and style that means individuality.

It posses "style" in the highnst degree; it gives distinction to the foot. In the diversity of kinds there are styles for every person from the exqusite evening slipper to the sturdy winter street boot; they all have a light, airy gracefulness peculiarly their own, which is sure to appeal to a woman's eye. "DOROTHY DODD" Shoes Fit, They Fit Perfectly.

Shoes should always fit closely under and about the instep so as to make it impossible for the foot to slip forward and crowd the toes, while the ball and toes should have plenty of room thus giving free play to the foot.

This is exactly what "Dorothy Dodd" shoes do. Our new Spring Styles in exfords and sandals will be re very shortly.





H. L. CARR

#### Nearly Completed.

The Masons contemplate hold ing their next meeting, third Mon day night, in the Masonic temple The halls on third floor of the temple are nearly completed and work on other portions of the building is progressing nicely. The opera house on second flour will be very handsome.

#### Unconfirmed Reports.

Tokio, March 9 .- There is no confirmation of the reported engagement between a Japanese squadrou and the Vladivostock equadron, or of the re-attack on Port Arthur, or the Japanese movements in southern Manchuria It is reported that the Hwang Chinshai fort at Port Arthur was half ruined in an earlier bombardment and that now only three of the shore batterics there can be used. It is rumored that the emperor of Corea may shortly visit the Milkado.

#### Utilizing Vacant City Lots.

In the April Delineator Allan Sutherland writes of a remarkable sociological experiment-no longer an experiment, for its practical value has been demonstratedthat has been tried in several large cities, of changing unbeautiful vacant lots into garden spots. Vacant tracts of land are borrowed from generous owners of real estate, divided into small tracts and loaned to needy people, chiefly old men, invalids and children. They are furnished with seed, tools, etc., and their work is directed by competent supervisors. Among the many beneficent results of the efforts of the Vacant Lots Association, the following are mentioned in the article: Hundreds have found employment who would otherwise have been idle; land has been rescued from weeds and rubbish and made to bring forth fruits and flowers: little children who at best could hope only for a "country week" have found a glorious "country summer;" they have had in large measure at least suggestions o country life, with its blessings of pure air, wholesome food and health-giving exercise, and many have already set their faces reso lutely to look for pleasant homes in the country; indeed, the demand from suburban property owners is rapidly increasing for these youthful trained workers of the soil.

#### LETTER TO W. M. SMITH.

Greenville N. C.

Dear Sir: Devoe is worth \$4 or \$5 a gallon, put-on; how much is another paint worth?

Depends on how many gallons you've got to put-on, to he equal to one of Devoe.

Mr. J. J. Hall, Sheffield, Pa., painted two houses one coat, five years ago, lead-and-oil, took 40 gallons.

Last summer bought 40 gallons Devoe for same houses; had 10 gallons left.

Mr. N. Avery, Delhi, N. Y owns two houses exactly alike; painted one with Devoe; took gallons. The other with some other; took 12 ga lons.

What'd you give for those of paints? Bear in mind you've got to pay for the painting. Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & Co.

P. S. H. L. Carr sells our paint.

In after years the girl with auburn tresses becomes a red-hair ed wife.

The meaning of an epigiam is. corcealed by the brilliant effect it preduces.



PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

WEDNESDAY MAR 9. L. O. Cox, of Grifton, spen today here. J. B. Randolph went to Raleigh is improving.

today. T. M. House left this morning

for Roanoke Rapids.

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

morning to visit Mrs. H. C. J. M. Reuss went to Winterville Wednesday.

E. G. Barrett came over thi morning from Kinston.

G. G. Fineman returned Wed nesday evening from Tarboro.

Mrs. B. E. Parham left Wednes. of the Prespyterian church, Quite day. day evening torja visit to Kinston

Elder J. M. Barfield, of th Ayden Free Will Baptist, was in town today.

Mrs. J. F. Brinkley returned ach other. Wednesday evening from Balto more.

Misses Rosalind Rountree and Annie Kitchen left Wednesda evening for a visit to Kinston.

Mrs. C. W. Gold and childre of Wilson, and Mrs. W. O. How ard, of Tarboro, are visiting Mrs. . Friday night, 13th. J. G. Moye.

THURSDAY, MARCH. 10 J. D. Boushall, of Raleigh,

in town. W. E. Quinerly, of Ayden

spent today here. J. M. Ruess returned this morn

ing from LaGrange. L. O. Cox, of Grifton, returned home Thursday evening.

J. J. B. Cox returned to Grifton Thursday evening.

Major Smith returned to Ayden Thursday evening.

E. V. Cox returned to Ayden from near the town of Bath, this Thursday evening.

J. W. Brown .eturned Thursday found yesterday afternoor. 2 evening from Rocky Mount. had been searching for Bermons

R. Greene returned this morning from a visit to LaGrange.

The Edsall Winthrope Stock two gum trees about one hundred Company left Thursday evening vards behind his field. The six for Kinston.

J. T. Abrams has moved from the John Cherry house to South Greenville.

and son, Charlie, went to Scotland wandered about, he knew not Neck today.

and then died. County Superintendent W. H. Ragsdale returned this afternoo from a trip to the rural schools.

Mrs. G H. Wilkie, of Sanford, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily Harris, returned home today.

The work at Greenville under the leadership of Bro. A. T. King, is moving along nicely. There is no pastor in the State so young, and pastor so short a time, who is so well up with his people and his work He knows every body in his congregation and tries to help them; and they love him devotedly, and trust him without reserve .- Biblical Re corder.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11

F. M. Wooten went to Tarboro today.

S. C. Wells, of Wilson, is visiting E. A. Moye.

W. T. Lipscombe left this morning for Richmond.

Dr. L. C. Skinner returned to Ayden Friday evening.

Rev. W. E. Cox went to Winterville Friday evening.

Mrs. L. Randolph returned Friday evening from Raleigh.

STATE NEWS.

W. M. Hart, of South Hampton

Mrs. Emily Harris, who has been quite sick the last two weeks,

Miss Elmer Whichard, of

Misses Sallie E. Cox and Mar

Burney, of Grifton, arrived th

Pleasant Evening.

were "at home" Friday evening

to the members and congregation

a number gathered at the manse

and the evening was most delight-

fully passed. Sach social ming-

draws all in closer touch with

ling of church and congregation

SHORT LOCIL ITEMS.

rain today.

Everybody regretted to see more

Get your razors out. There?

going to be a possum-a-dance at

the Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels

More men would have indiges-

tion if forced to eat their words.

ince milder weather has come.

down just a little.

pires March 15th.

bage at S. M. Schultz.

The trees are budding rapidly

The price of shad has come

The time for hunting birds ex-

Fresh bananas, celery and cab-

Died in the Woods.

Washington, N. C., March 11 .--

The body of Joseph J. Sermons,

who disappeared mysteriously

county , last [Sunday night, wa

party of over one bundred men

for three days. When found he

was sitting between the fork of

Edwards, in South Greenville.

Whichards, is visiting Miss Fan-

county, Va., is visiting his son, J

N. Hart.

nie Moore.

Goldsboro is going to have street carnival.

Charley Campbell, a murderei who was confined in jail a: New ton, made his escape Thursday evening,

A power plant on Pigeon river will farnish electric power for the own of Waynesville.

News comes from Richmond tha the Atlantic Coast Line will exten its road from Washington to New Bern.

M. R. Guthrie, aged 85 years. Rev. and Mrs. F. G. Hartman] dropped dead in the road near his bome in Iredell county, on Thurs-

> Thomas Thacher, of Greensboro. has disappeared mysteriously and o far no trace of him is found

Miscreants drew spikes from the rails of the Southern railway track on a curve near Greensboro. It is believed their purpose was to wreck a train.

A colored man working in Duke'obacco factory, at Durham was caught in a fly wheel and instantly killed.

Receipts of the Raleigh dispen ary during February were \$12. 00. \$900 more than in January

Fisherman along the sound ay the outlook is that the cate! f shad and herring will be large his spring.

The commissioners of both Craven and Lenoir counties passed rosolutions condemning the receivership business of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad.

Owing to the appearance of a case of smallpox in one of the schools in Wilmington, the health authorities ordered that pupils of all the city schools be vaccinated.

Six North Carolinians sailed from New York, Tuesday, bour or Jerusalem.

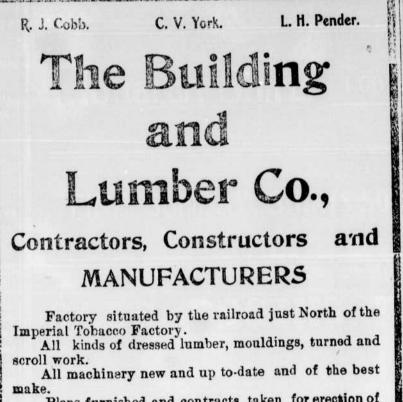
Charlotte is moving to have city park.

Smallpox is reported in thirty. nine counties of the state.

Twenty-five of the applicants hundred dollars that it was alleged disappeared with him was found before the State Pharmaceutica on his person, being located in Association, Tuesday, were granthis pocket. The surmise is that ed licenses. Four negroes were WOWNERSTINE STREET BERTHER STREET after Sermons left the house of a before the board and two of them

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Munford Mr. Swindell Sunday night he passed the examination, where, until he became exhausted Telephone wires are great kite

eatchers.



Plans furnished and contracts taken for erection of buildings.

Tinning, Slating, Guttering and all kinds of sheet metal work. Our Tin shop is next door to Shelburn's Mr. R. L. Wyatt has charge of our tinning and slating department. You will find him

a master of his trade. We ask for our share of the public patronage and will do our best to give satisfaction.



Our customers, are the kind strong temptation to please ou just as good" at a lower price and thereby get a bigger profit ut we are firm and only go ds of highest quality are bought. We have no old goods to work These Groceries are fresh and in perfect condition. Noth ing low about them except the rice. We pay the highest mark price for all kinds of Country BLAND & PARKERSON.

77775 方清行 TARE SPRING GOODS I Fast Coming In C. L. Wilkinson has just returned from New York Where he bought all the Newest things in Dress Goods, Trimmings, Clothing and Furnishing Goods &c.

All The Newest Styles were Secured on this trip and Will Be Sold at Moderate Prices.

C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

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#### Twice-a-Week--Tuesday and Friday.

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1904.

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#### **Dnion Services.**

Business Houses Closed.

thas been researd then God beries of meetings. .completes the work.

He urged his hearers, especialy doubt, of unbelief, of inactivity, freg, or what? We will enlighten fool, in that he had neglected the wrote THE REFLECTOR and asked church Sunday. so that a great blessing in the you. It is the phneominal con- most important matter of all, pro- several questions about the town saving of souls could come noon tortionist, Renze, who appears vision for his soul.

morning conducted by Rev. W. E. Friday night, 18th, Powell. Tonight's services will begin at 7:80 and the sermon will be by Mr. Hornaday.

#### Second Appearance

. Sunday was the second day for Justice will preside. the appearance of the ground hog. and as he saw his shadow again yet. The tradition says the ground others are as heavy bodied, because dilustrets. her first comes out the 2nd of Devoe's weigh S to S ounces more which appeared here last night, Shedow he shays out and winter to the pint. Bold by H. L. Uter opens a new era to prinstreisy. Malive of Greenville at Read of Eig Ha Ayden, but now of Belle Haven, tis spearded as over. If the sees A premature explosion in a rock boisterousness, and the use of rough Mr. C. G. Joyner, of the firm of Abrer Faulkner a nighty re-

#### The iremen.

reasonable cause why they should long enough to know a little law them here.-Salt Lake Daily posted business near to faltimore at 4 o'clock this morning. He not be dived for absence, and upon and to be able to partially inter- Desert News. mp osed there names will be drop lawyer for the client. In such Frieay night, 18th.

#### Mr. Eusiness Man

tising money, consider where you of cost than being put to the not all confined to the departments may invest at most safely and most trouble of setting up a defence. in Washington by a jug full. It is the paper the people of Fitt read, be closely looked after, and in of the fashionable towns have them, good effect of fermory in the right toba ecc-producing state. Her They take is, pay for st, read it, both sentences referred to above for fashion rules the roost, even way. He raised ou one acre let crep will average 7,000 000

#### Why She Didn't Marry,

Austrique marden was asked why size did not marry.

"There's no need of it." answered. "I have a parrot that swears, a cat that stays out all night, and a monkey that chews tobacco and spits all over the house. I am satisfied."

#### Coward & Patrick Dissolve.

The firm of Coward & Patrick has dissolved copartnership, B. F. I am now receiving a very hand-Patrick purchasing the interest of some and complete line of mil-E. A. Coward in the business. B. linery for spring The triminng E. Patrick is the other member of department is still under the the firm and father and son will direction of Mrs. Greene. We

#### More Houses Needed.

Greenville is far short of enough houses to supply the demand. Let even the possibility arise of one being vacant and there are at once several applications for it.

The first of the union services All the business men of Greenin which the several churches of ville have agreed to close at 7 the town have joined, was held o'clock p. m. during the progress The attendance was quite large Sunday night in the Presbyterian of the union services in the Pres- again, Tuesday night, at the church. The coogregation was byterian church. This will give union services in the Presbyterian county was congratulating THE Bros. very large and good interest was both business men and employes church. Key, J. A. Hornaday REFLECTOR, upon the town having chowe. Rev. J. A Hornaday an opportunity of attending the preached from the text "Thou carried the election in favor of tha Smith & Bros. preached an excellent sermon from Services. Such interest on the fool; this night thy soul shall be dispensary, and said "I feel more Miss Moore, of Kinston, is visit-"the text "Take away the Stone." part of the business people in required of thee." The sermon inclined to become a clizen of the ing her sister, Mrs. Carney. He said that God requires human religions services is commendable, was strong and forcifui. He show- lown now that the saloons will be Joe Sumerell, who lives near thanks to do all they can do, and and we believe a great blessing to ed that from the world's view point closed." This man owns property here, is very sick with poeumonia. when the limit of their ability the town will result from this the man of whom the text was here and is a man of influence, and W. G. Gardner, of Greenville,

Go and Ser.

Court Next Week.

court, for the trial-of civil cases, prayers. will begin next Monday. Judge

severe in sentencing itwo pillars of ine darkey, was charming in the Mr. Joyner is a native of North Might. All the menanets are Gesenville Volaateer Fire Com- the law in Madison county cran- extreme. The vocal numbers Carolina. He is foud of his home cases the court fees are always made safe, and, usually the fellow

#### School Closing.

house

#### Millinery Announcement.

continue the business together. will try to please you both in prices and work. Come see my new goods. Wait for my opening, will be aunounced later. aw 2t-2td Mus. L. GRIFFIN.

Bev. W. E. Cox will preach in the chapel at the county home Fresh bauanas, celery next Sunday afternoon at S o'clock, bage at S. M. Schults.

#### UNION SERVICES.

The Meetings Growing in Interest.

#### Barlow & Wilson's Minstrels.

"The performance are despired of and Cap Company Judge B. F. Long was rather portrayal of the unique altributes enterprising spirit in the business Ayden lodge No. 498 A. F. & A. M. will meet nex fuesday

When you invest your adver- had rather submit to the payment ers, Col. Fairbrother says they are server. ofitably. THE REFLECTOR is The practicing "J. P.', needs to the colonel's opinion that almost all John H. Litter has shown the North Corolina stand- hird as a exercises of a school taught by Miss A liveryman will charge you just as count. Chickens, eggs, vegeta The Robesonian. Deha Smith, in Nobles' school much for a carriage to drive two bles and the like find the way to blocks to a funeral as he will for an this market from his farm .-entire day. It's a great shame, Stanley Enterprise. Let fair weather continue some that's what it is; it ought to be days and things will take on a abolished. Some beloved old different appearance around the Catholic priest a number of years Charlotte, N. C., March 14.- I thank my many friends for their ago took up the reformation, but he The town of Pineville, ten miles past patronage and hope they will could not make it. I think they south of here, was destroyed by favor me in the future with their

boro Record.

Methodist church have decided to Reid and was discoved by a negro ually bring a large crowd to towe, build a new church edifice at an barber. early date.

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#### ONE WAY IT HELPS. People Like Towns with Good Moral In-

fluences.

One of the best men of the

spoken was a great success, in that his coming will add to the town. has taken a position in the buggy be made abundant provision for We are reminded by this of the factory. bimself in this world's goods; but fact that last fall a man in Georgia He urged his heavers, especially -Christians, to remove all stones of doubt of anticity Is it a scrept or a doubt of anticity Is it a scrept or a from God's stand point he was a from God's stand point he was a wanted to move to Gree ville. He spleudid sermons in the Baptist

one of them being if we had open A service was held at 16:30 this Minstrels. Will be in Greenville. likewise. A year, a decade, a life his questions were answered. He Odd Fellow's hall. ime cannot determine what real replied to the letter saying many J. W. Taylor, our popular jewreveal it. After the sermon a pressed thim favorably, but he and returned Tuesday. The March term of Pitt Superior number of people stand to request would not like to take his boys to W. H. Davenport, a former loons.

It can be seen from this that Rev. D. W. Davis will fill his No Gloss Change Paint Made lest dancers for the clustry. They in lowns where the moral influences Shaday moral g and pigtr there will be some more wieter will wear as long as Devoe's. No we with Barlow and Wilson's are good, and the closing of the Ben Nama a professional value subons in Greenville will do much ter, of Kinston, has taken a p. Si Barlow and Wilson's Minsterle, loward bringing goal citizers here, tion in the buggy fact re-

hole for 40 days. On his second doub of a round was named Wir. appearance if he sees his -shadow death of a young man named Vir-comon with some of the so claimed spirit in North Carolina circles in is very sick with pacumoda. first-class companies; yet the vivid Paltimone and represents the most Ayden lodge No. 498 A. F. &

papy held its monthly meeting inal court last week. One justice were all given in a manner that state and takes as much pride in Charile Dixon a remove of our Monday night with a good atten-dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for dance. Our approximation of the peace was fined 1\$300 for start, while the orchestra was all ville, where he lived many years the termination of the peace was fined 1\$300 for here fined the peace was fined 1\$300 for start, while the orchestra was all ville, where he lived many years the termination of the peace was fined 1\$300 for here fined there fined elected. Notice syns ordered issu- for practicing law. There seems to that was claimed for n. Earlow as do the present business men of He leaves a wite and that was claimed for n. ed ta the absentees that they must be astendeney on the part of some and Wilson's Minstrels always that hustling tittle eng. Mr. appear at April mosting and show (.J. F's." who have held office and without avoiding Joyner is considered the best Mr. Lyna Mannia

#### A Profitable Acre.

crucified him and put him out of fire early this morning and only job printing. If its stationery one business house remains. The you want let the REFLECIOR do The colonel will find many to fire is believed to have originated it for you. agree with him, but it is feared they from a stroke of lightning during a will not carry out his ideas .-- Greens- severe thunder storm. The total loss is estimated at \$20,000 with \$10,000 insurance. The fire start. The members of the Lumberton ed in the drug store of Dr. W K.

Hugh Sheppard has purchased

charge Monday.

AYDEN, N. C. March 16, 1904. Car seed oats at J. R. Smith &

AYDEN ITEMS.

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Red Bliss seed potatoes at J. R.

The little builders will give an "Greenville during this meeting. nightly with Barlow and Wilson' So many in this day and time do saloons here and how many? All entertainment on 3rd of April in

success is-eternity alone can of the advantages of the town im- eler, left Sunday night for Raleigh

a town that had eleven open sa- school boy here, of Lenoir county is visiting friends in town.

Coprov and Murry he the her. people like to have their families regular apointment love third

faiture to appear or pay the five pret the code to dispense with a Will appear at the opera house trade. He has built up an ever. He was about 70 years the served mous business and adds daily a lit the civil war, had to a in bad large mataber of friends from all health several years, a s good who is brought before the court | Talking about "grafts" and graft. sections .- Raleigh News and Ob. citizen and a member of the Free Will Baptist church de left a wife, and several a drea all married.

believe in it, and depend upon it. Judge Long has set an example down to the minutest details, the past season 360 bushels of pounds, valued at nearl \$7,000 000-Its maracter helps the advertiser that other judges will do well to There are undertaker grafters, sweet polatoes (as fine as you ever 000. Its tobacco factories make livery grafters, flower grafters and saw,) and he got no less than 60 up about 35,000,000 pour is valued the rest of them," sagely remarks cents per bushel for them, about at \$7,000,000 and there's something the colonel; "funerals ought to be \$200 off of one acre-it beats like \$26,00°,000 invested a tobacco County Superintendent W. H. abolished. I mean these fashionable cotton! John lives four miles manufacturing plants in the state. Ragsdale went out this afternoon funerals wherein the aforesaid graf- east of Albemarle, works only one Virginia stands second and Ken she to deliver au address at the closing ters get a chance to do business, mule, but he makes everything tucky first in tobacco producing,-

#### Again at the Old Stand.

Having disposed of the Burch

#### Yours truly, W. F. BURCH.

Always Glad to See You.

Civil terms of court do not usbut we hope those who come next week will remember where THE Fresh bauanas, celery and cab business of W. F. Burch and took have plenty of blank receipts on hand