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"A Crime to Miss the World's Fair."

Ferdinand W. Peck, who was vice-president of the World's Columbian Exposition, and commissioner general for the United States at the more recent Paris Exposition, thus speaks of the St. Louis World's Fair:

"I can freely say that this exposition is on a more colossal scale than any which preceded it. The grounds and buildings are larger and the exhibits more complete.

"If any citizen of the United States who can possibly attend remains away he is almost committing a crime.

"Besides my connection with the Columbian and Paris expositions, I have represented the state of Illinois at Atlanta, Nashville and Omaha, I state unequivocally that the world has never seen anything so valuable, so educational, so magnificent as this and I repeat it would be a crime to miss it."

Dr. C. Alphonso Smith Will Not Go to Tennessee's University.

Chapel Hill, N. C., July 12.--Dr. C. Alphonso Smith returned from the University of Tennessee today and your correspondent interviewed him in regard to accepting the presidency of the University.

He said: "Yes, I have just declined the call to the presidency of the University of Tennessee. It was a call that touched my ambition in many ways--a call that appealed profoundly to me. But after spending three days on the ground studying the problem at first hand I came to the conclusion that my duty for the present lies with the University of North Carolina. The University of Tennessee is in the shape and has before it a future of great expansion and usefulness. The State ought to give it at least fifty thousand dollars a year. Its development, like that of every other State University, depends on the intelligent and liberal co-operation of the State."

Notice.

A meeting of the Democratic Congressional Executive Committee of the first Congressional District is hereby called to meet in the town of Plymouth on Thursday, July 14th, at 3 o'clock p. m. The object of the meeting is to determine the time and place of calling the Congressional Convention. Members of the Committee who cannot be present will please appoint a proxy with authority to act.

This July 1st, 1904. W. B. RODMAN, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, GREENVILLE, N. C. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 9th, 1904.

Table with Resources and Liabilities columns. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Overdrafts, Furniture & Fixtures, Due from Banks, Checks & other cash items, Gold Coin, Silver Coin, and US Notes. Liabilities include Capital Stock paid in, Surplus, Undivided Profits less Expenses Paid, Deposits, and Cashier's checks outstanding.

I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of June, 1904. JAMES C. TYSON, Notary Public.

Different Kinds of Kisses.

To steal a kiss, says a French writer, is natural. To buy a kiss is stupid; for two girls to kiss is a loss of time; not to kiss at all is an insouciance; for two men to kiss is quite tedious; to kiss the hand or the tips of the fingers is droll; to kiss one's sister is proper; to kiss one's wife is an obligation; kissing a child is often a regret for not being permitted to kiss the mother; to kiss an ugly person is galling; to kiss an old, faded widow shows great devotedness, but to kiss a young, blushing widow is charming; to kiss one's waiting maid is very dangerous; to kiss one's affianced is a premeditation and a right; an old, rich aunt is a hypocrite; a young cook in the bloom of age is delicious, dainty; to kiss a neighbor's wife is doubtless very good, but quite wrong; kissing three girls the same day is an extravagance; a girl whose father is watching her, it may make one jump over the fence; to kiss a mother-in-law is a sacrifice; an old maid, it is politeness; finally, a kiss to one's mother is the purest, the sweetest of all kisses.

Excursion to Norfolk.

Hatch Bros. will run a big excursion, exclusively for white people, from Kinston to Norfolk on the 25th of this month, returning on the 26th. Fare for round trip will be \$2, children under 12 years old \$1. One night and two days in Norfolk with opportunity to visit the many places of interest.

Mayor Parker Sick.

Information reached Greenville by mail Tuesday night that Mayor W. R. Parker, who left with his family Saturday for Ocracoke, was taken quite sick soon after getting there. The report says he suffered a stroke of apoplexy. Ocracoke is so isolated that no communication is had there except by mail and that in a very round about way. We hope to hear soon that he is better.

Just like our folks.

Rev. Frank A. Bishop of this city has received a letter from J. R. Smith and Bro. of Ayden, N. C., enclosing a check and a letter to Mr. J. T. Cole and wife, whose three children were burned to death here last week. The letter breathes a spirit of sweet Christian sympathy for the bereft parents and is backed by substantial evidence of sincerity.

Returned Home.

John M. Taft, who left here a few months ago for Cincinnati to take a course in telegraphy, has finished. He returned home Sunday evening. His many friends are glad to see him back again.

Hogs For Sale.

I have about 70 head of hogs for sale. Sows and pigs, and shoats running from 25 to 150 pounds gross. W. A. POLLARD, Greenville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

I will pay you cash for your Beewax.

S. M. SCHULTZ. Experienced travelers have found great benefit by taking with them a bottle of Dr. Seth Arnold's Balsam. It cures illness caused by impure water and sudden changes of climate. Warranted by J. L. Wooten, Greenville. 6 15 4w

Announcement

We beg leave to announce that we are Wholesale and Retail Distributors for Harrison's White Lead, Paints, Colors, Varnishes and "Town and Country Ready Mixed Paints.

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The New Season WILL FIND THE OLD Greenville Warehouse

Right at the forefront of the tobacco business. We will be in shape for handling every load to the best advantage of the farmer. With plenty of room, perfect lights, ample capital and a competent force, the Old Greenville is not going to be behind any other house in high prices. Our aim will be to take the lead and hold it. Opening sale will be

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2ND, 1904.

Mr. B. T. Bailey will be auctioneer for us this season. He is one of the best in the state. Come right along with your tobacco and you will go home satisfied that you got the highest price to be had.

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PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

THURSDAY, JULY 14

Miss Ethel and Clara Lincoln left Wednesday evening for Kinston.

Misses Lucille Cobb and Margaret Blow left Wednesday evening for Kinston.

Misses Lillian Burch, Mattie Moye and Amine King left Wednesday evening for Kinston and Goldsboro.

Miss Jennie Moye, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. W. King, returned to Kinston Wednesday evening.

Josh Manning went to Norfolk today.

Miss Lottie Skinner went to Tarboro today.

Miss Sue Kinsaul left this morning for Littleton.

F. M. Hodges returned from Tarboro Wednesday evening.

J. N. Hart has moved into his new house in West Greenville.

Mrs. S. J. Parham and children left this morning for Louisville.

Miss Margaret Skinner has returned from a visit to Washington.

Chas. Skinner returned Wednesday evening from a trip on the road.

FRIDAY, JULY 15

L. I. Moore went to Norfolk today.

H. Harding returned from Centerville today.

Mrs. M. L. Pearce left this morning for Norfolk.

M. H. Tucker, of Norfolk, came in this morning.

Mrs. W. J. Smith left this morning for Plymouth.

W. B. James left this morning for Robersonville.

Dr. J. M. Ayer, of New York, spent today here.

Mrs. J. B. Cherry left Thursday evening for Morehead.

W. W. Perkins returned from New Bern this morning.

Mrs. Maggie Reddit, of Kinston, is visiting Mrs. R. Greene.

R. L. Wyatt returned from Southport Thursday evening.

W. H. Dail, of Snow Hill, is visiting his son, W. H. Dail, Jr.

Mrs. E. M. Cheek and children left this morning for High Point.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burton and children left Thursday evening for Goldsboro.

SATURDAY, JULY 16

W. J. Thigpen returned Friday from Norfolk.

Miss Blanch Cromartie left this morning for Dunn.

E. H. Shelburn returned Friday evening from Raleigh.

Little Miss Effie Corey left Friday for a visit to Ayden.

P. B. Bowie returned Friday evening from a trip on the road.

A. R. Forbes and W. L. Nobles returned Friday evening from St. Louis.

Mrs. S. D. Bagley, Miss May and Reuben returned to Mildred this morning.

Miss Daisy Parker, of Tarboro, arrived Friday evening to visit Mrs. J. C. Lanier.

Miss Agnes Spain and brother, Spruill, returned Friday evening from a visit to Washington.

Miss Gertrude Bateman, of Plymouth, who has been visiting Miss Janie Bryan, returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barnhill, Mrs. A. H. Critcher and children, F. C. Harding and family, Mrs. A. A. Forbes and Misses Mamie King, Sue Joyner and Lucy Forbes and E. A. Coward left today for Ocracoke.

Parham's Warehouse.

In another column appears the announcement of the opening sale at Parham's Warehouse. This house will be run the coming season by Parham, Foxnaid & Bowling, a team as strong as the strongest, and what they fail to know about tobacco is not worth knowing.

B. E. Parham ranks with the pioneers of the Greenville market, first as a buyer and later engaging in the warehouse business.

J. G. Bowling was several years connected with the Star Warehouse, and is a warehouseman right, knowing all about the business.

F. D. Foxball has not been on this market as long as the others in the firm, but had several years experience before locating in Greenville.

Parham's Warehouse is large, well lighted and has every convenience for farmers.

The News From Billville.

The railroad cut off our wooden leg recently. If we'd only had our good leg on the track we would have got big damages.

Thank heaven for the warm weather! We can now roast beef-steak on the roof and boil eggs in the mill pond.

The warm weather is only uncomfortable in that it reminds a gray headed sinner of what lies before him--Atlanta Constitution.

A Sham Battle.

One of the interesting features of the Fireman's Tournament in Salisbury will be a sham battle. Says the Sun:

"A feature of the Firemen's Tournament which had not been anticipated is a sham battle on the second day of the tournament, the Statesville, Lexington, Concord and Salisbury companies participating. Other companies may be present and the Rifles are now in correspondence in reference to the matter. The date of the battle has not yet been fixed but it is expected to take place on the first day. The military companies will participate in the parade."

Married.

At 7:30 o'clock this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McGowan, in South Greenville, their sister, Miss Mollie Leggett and Mr. T. H. Smith, both of Farmville, were married by Rev. W. E. Powell. The couple left on the morning train for a trip north.

Milch cow for sale by J. C. Lanier.

State Press Convention.

A most interesting programme is being arranged for the coming annual meeting of the North Carolina Press Association, which will be held at the Atlantic hotel, Morehead City, July 27 and 28.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, president of the Jamestown exposition, will address the association some time during its session. The exact time will be announced in the printed programme.

Governor Charles B. Aycock will deliver the address of welcome, which will be responded to by Archibald Johnson, editor of Charity and Children.

President Varner has appointed the following essayists for the meeting: The adoption of the Linotype by the Country Weekly, by Walter L. Cohoon, Tar Heel, Elizabeth City.

The Relations of the Press to Education, by J. Y. Joyner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Raleigh.

Reminiscences of the Association Since its Organization, by Henry A. Loudon, Pittsboro Record.

Does it Pay to Use Pictures? by J. J. Farris, High Point Enterprise.

Does It Pay to Give Premiums and What Kind? by W. C. Dowd, Charlotte.

Two Hundred Lost.

Manila, July 18.--A cloudburst over the hills northeast of Manila caused a flood which has destroyed San Juan Del Monte. Two hundred hives were lost. The low-lying districts were inundated. The homes of Americans and foreigners are isolated. Transportation through the streets is carried on in boats only. Rain has fallen for 27 hours, totalling 17 1/2 inches. This is unprecedented. Communication with outside places is interrupted.

The damage to property is estimated at \$2,000,000.

"Amen and Amen!"

DEAR REFLECTOR, I am still watering you with loving eyes.

When you said (July 12): "We hope Wilmington and Greensboro will do as well in their coming anti-saloon elections as did Charlotte and New Bern."

I said "Amen!"

When on the same page you said: "The result of the elections in Charlotte and Newbern show how the sentiment against saloons continues to grow. May it continue to increase until there is not a saloon left in the state."

I said "amen" again. I long to live to see your prayer answered. A. D. BETTS, Lillington, N. C.

Up Go Prices Here.

Newport News, Va., July 13.--An average of 2 cents a pound on all meats purchased from the local branches of the packing houses was announced by the retailers here today.

Will Not Stay Vacant.

Several of the buildings in town formerly occupied as barroom, have already been engaged for other business. It will not be long before all are occupied.

Chicago, July 13--Eighteen persons were killed and about sixty-eight injured tonight in a collision on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad at Glenwood, Ill., twenty-three miles south of Chicago.

Pickwick Club Entertained.

Reported for Reflector: Those who attended the entertainment to the Pickwick Club Friday evening will ever cherish a happy memory of those pleasant hours spent in the home of Miss Bessie Haskett. The charming manner in which Miss Haskett entertained added much to the pleasure of all present.

Mrs. W. B. James had handsomely decorated the reception hall with ferns, potted plants and ivy, and as the soft green foliage caught up the enchanting strains of music and wafted them gently over the perfumed air all felt truly that it was "good to be there!"

Then, nearing the close of the happy evening the following couples partook of delicious refreshments served in the most graceful manner by Misses Mammy and Bessie Haskett and Mrs. R. F. Betts.

T. A. Duke and Miss Fannie Bogwell, E. L. Strickland and Miss Sadie King, Wm. Smith and Miss Mary James, J. Y. Monk and Miss Mary Goodwin, Wm. Lipscomb and Miss Margaret Skinner, W. L. Best and Miss Mamie Hasket, F. M. Hornaday and Miss Bessie Haskett, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Betts.

Greenville Wins Again--12 to 4.

The home boys simply outclassed the Kinston team Thursday afternoon in a one-sided but still interesting game of ball. Our boys were in the game from the time the first ball was twirled until the last and it is necessary to state right here that so far the Greenville boys have shown their superiority over every team they have met this season.

In order that they can play Rocky Mount, Goldsboro and other towns in the Eastern part of the State this season, they must have some backing. The rooting so far has been tip top, but to run the team and have several games played here this summer, they must be financially supported. On the two games they have had here this season they lost money.

Following is the score of Thursday's game by innings: Greenville 14 2 1 3 0 1 0--12 Kinston, 0 0 0 2 1 0 1--4

Batteries, Greenville, James B., White and King. Kinston, Meacham and Armstrong.

Line up for Greenville--Blow, ss-3b King, c, White, 3b-p, James, B. p-ss, Randolph, rf, Anderson, lf, Forbes, 2b, James, D. cf, Jarvis, 1b.

Sensible Talk.

To be a live, up-to-date business town and take advantage of every good thing that comes along, the merchants and business men generally must cultivate and have a friendly feeling for one another.

Because one man has different opinions politically and religiously from you is no reason you should hold yourself aloof from him.

Remember always that his friendship is worth more to you than his opinion. In friendship there is harmony, and in harmony there is strength.

One man alone cannot build up a town, nor can half its citizens do so when the other half oppose them. It may be a bitter pill to pull in the same harness with your neighbor up the street, but aim to be one if you pull with him awhile you will find out that he is a better man than you thought for, and if you are pulling to accomplish the same good end, in this way you will quickly become acquainted with his good qualities, like him better and soon overlook his faults--Eagle.

Complementary to Miss Blow.

A number of young men gave a delightful outing Wednesday evening complimentary to Miss Lottie Blow of Greenville, N. C., the guest of Miss Neil Hinsdale. Penny's pond was the objective point and a luncheon was served upon their arrival there. The party included Misses Lottie Blow, Nell Hinsdale, Mary Barbee, Irene Lacy and Frances Lacy and Messrs. Percy B. Fleming, Hubert Hill, James Arrington, Baxter Durham and Mr. Hubbard, of Providence, R. I.--Raleigh Post.

Bad Wreck.

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Something New!

A most interesting proposition was presented at the meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the American Association of Laces and Ladies' White Vests, which will be held in Greenville, N. C., on Friday, August 15th, 1904.

Laces and Ladies' White Vests On display Next Week

The best recommendation of the ladies of the branch is that the display of the new styles of laces and ladies' white vests should be held in Greenville, N. C., on Friday, August 15th, 1904.

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SEMI WEEKLY—TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

D. J. WHICHARD, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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., TUESDAY, JULY 19 1904.

Parker grows and grows, but does not say much about it.

Judge Parker starts out to be right first, and then be president

The dispatches say that Japan has expressed a willingness to quit the fight.

Japan has met such reverses as to look like it is on the losing side of the war.

It ought not to take thinking people long to reach a decision between Parker and Roosevelt.

It is time for the falsehoods about the Watts law to stop. The people are learning the truth.

There! They say the Guatemalan ant eats the cotton plant, too, after he has finished the boll weevil. That is to bad.

The estimate has been made by those figuring on it that the next cotton crop will reach 13,000,000 bales. If so it is going to mean low prices.

Some papers are putting forth arguments to show why we will win in the coming national election. The best reason is because we will get the most votes.

Already republican leaders are admonishing their followers not to be over-confident. They realize that Roosevelt is not going to have a walk-over with Parker against him.

The Atlantic Hotel at Morehead City is enjoying its old time popularity this season. There is not a more delightful summer resort any where and people are there in large numbers.

Another cut in the wages of Massachusetts mill operatives, in which 25,000 employees are affected, is further evidence of the prosperous times laborers are enjoying under republican dispensation.

The eaters of Western meat may expect to pay more for it than even the high prices that have prevailed for sometime. Forty five thousand employees in the large packing houses are out on a strike.

Judge Witt, of Richmond, takes the right view in imposing sentences. A negro who was a high school graduate was before him on the charge of forging and pleaded guilty. The judge, in pronouncing sentence, said that the prisoner was intelligent and educated, and was therefore setting a bad example for the race. He was given ten years in the penitentiary, which was full punishment for the crime.

Oom Paul Kruger is dead.

They are naming the babies for Parker.

An exchange reports the arrest of a man for beating a train. Hope he did not hurt it.

One man has said he will promise that by the time another summer season comes Greenville will have an ice factory.

We do not hear of any start being made toward a building and loan association in Greenville. A good association of this kind would work wonders in the growth of the town.

Every one who returns from a trip to the world's fair at St. Louis is enthusiastic in its praise. It is the greatest exposition ever undertaken and the world may never see its equal again.

It all depends on which side the news comes from, and then must be taken with plenty of allowance. From Russian sources there came the report that the Japanese had lost 30,000 in a battle. When the Japanese got a chance to put in a word the number had reduced to 171.

All that goes to make an ideal summer resort can be found at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City. There is not a better kept hotel, and the opportunities for good sailing, bathing and fishing are unsurpassed. And the transportation to and from Morehead is all that could be desired.

Mr. Bryan has given most a lengthy statement in which he declares he will support the nominees of the national democratic convention, Parker and Davis. In his statement he pointed out certain views of Judge Parker with which he did not agree, but says, "Judge Parker stands for enough things that are good to justify me in giving him my vote."

Mr. Bryan concludes his statement by saying:

"After having stated that I should support the ticket and after having given my reasons for so doing, I think it due to the democrats of the nation to say that while the fight on economic questions is postponed, it is not abandoned. As soon as the election is over I shall, with the help of those who believe as I do, organize for the campaign of 1908, the object being to marshal the friends of popular government within the democratic party to the support of a radical and progressive policy, to make the democratic party an efficient means in the hands of the people for securing relief from the plutocratic element that controls the republican party and for the time being is in the control of the democratic party. This plan of organization will be elaborated soon."

It is said republican papers are finding much fault with the St. Louis convention. They should bear in mind that that was not intended to please their side of the house, and those who held the convention care but little for what they may think about it. That convention was held by and for democrats, and to them the result is most satisfactory.

Whenever a campaign is waged against saloons, the saloon advocates go to all manner of extremes in the effort to make votes for their side. Such a campaign is now in progress in Wilmington, and in that city the contest has become so warm that employers are attempting to coerce employees into voting for saloons. The Star says:

A rumor, apparently well founded, went the rounds yesterday to the effect that in one of the largest industrial plants in the city, employing more than a hundred men, a placard had been conspicuously posted, calling the attention of the employees to the fact that while it was not the company's purpose to coerce or intimidate any one in its employment, yet the managers of the plant deemed it to the mutual interest of all concerned in the operation of the plant, that a dispensary should not be established in Wilmington. All were advised to register and vote in the election.

This is an insult to every employee in that establishment, and every self-respecting man among them ought to resign his position.

The New York Times is authority for the statement that Mrs. Ida Shrouds-Flagler, the divorced wife of Henry M. Flagler, of the Standard Oil Company, is living in New York, and is said to be almost entirely recovered in health, although she is still under the care of a physician. For almost a month she has occupied a fine brick house at 353 Riverside avenue. Living in the house with her are Dr. Carlos F. MacDonald, the alienist, who has been caring for Mrs. Flagler since she first became ill; Mrs. MacDonald, a companion for Mrs. Flagler; two trained nurses, and a housekeeper. Henry M. Flagler secured a divorce from Mrs. Flagler in Florida in 1901 under the provision of law which had been passed a short time before by the Florida Legislature, and which made insane a cause for divorce. Although her physician will not make a statement of the condition of the patient, what the neighbors in the Riverside Drive district have observed of Mrs. Flagler leads to the belief that she is almost cured. The implied fact that Mrs. Flagler is soon to become sane, lends additional interest to this celebrated case. The question occurs to us, would it not be more merciful for her to go to her grave without ever having waked to a realization of what has taken place since her reason fled—Charlotte Chronicle.

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Little Jack's Prayer.

The Philadelphia Press relates that a 5-year old Jack is very brave in the day time, but a coward when it is dark. The other night, after having prayed for all his relatives he mournfully concluded his supplication in the following words: And, dear Lord do take care of Jack when it gets dark and the light is all gone don't let anything hurt him, please, and don't let anybody get him." Then changing his tone to a very cheerful, confident one, he said: "You needn't bother about him in the daytime. Lord; just let him alone and he can have a good time and take care of himself."

Appeal to Cotton Growers to Organize.

State Secretary T. B. Parker, of the Farmers State Alliance, has issued a letter to the cotton growers of the State calling on them to organize, as this is the only way to prevent too rapid marketing and the consequent decline of prices, and he declares that now is the time for action.

The following extracts are taken from the letter:

"Early in the season last summer there was a prospect of short cotton crop, notwithstanding the acreage was the largest ever planted. The farmers met in convention and resolved not to sell for a less price than 10 cents per pound. Daniel Sully, the cotton farmer's friend, was then in the market. Through the determination of the farmers not to sell for less than 10 cents per pound, and not to sell at all except as the trade demanded the cotton, and Sully's presence in the 'pit,' the crop of approximately ten million bales has sold for about \$600,000,000, or twice as much as the crop of 1898, which was nearly two million bales larger than the crop just disposed of.

"This fact should put the farmers of the South to thinking, and cause them to take some definite action. The farmers of the South cannot afford to lose a third or half the price of a cotton crop; and to use a slang phrase, 'They don't have to.' There has never been a time when the farmers could command the situation so well as they can now. The scare-crow of two million bales annually brought over and exhibited as the over-production boggy has vanished, and the season will open with a bare market. The world has been educated to use cotton goods and must have them. There is nowhere to get them except from Southern grown cotton. The South grows three-fourths of the world's supply of cotton, and can be master of the situation. The 'bears' tell us cotton will be grown in Africa, in India, and in many other places; but the truth of the matter is, it is grown in the South, and we need not let the 'will be' argument cause us any uneasiness for some years, and certainly we need not let it affect the price of the coming crop, whether that crop be large or small. We cannot tell the size of the crop yet. The rains, nor the droughts, nor the boll weevil, nor the pickers have set in their reports, so we cannot tell just the effect they will have on the size of the crop.

"The cotton farmers need have no fear if they will come together with a determination to build with genuine Southern fervor and unconquerable will. The time for action is now at hand."

Organize Tobacco Growers of These States.

Tobacco planters from North Carolina, Virginia and Kentucky are planning for a convention to be held in Lynchburg next October for the purpose of thoroughly discussing the tobacco situation and considering the various plans of securing the operation of tobacco planters throughout these States in an effort to obtain and maintain profitable prices for tobacco. North Carolina will endeavor to have delegates in attendance from every county in the tobacco sections, and members from the various organizations.

This meeting will be the culmination of the plans of the Tobacco Growers' Association of Virginia to organize the growers of the three States of the great tobacco belt into a solid association, so as to control the prices of tobacco.—Raleigh Times.

How an Indiana Town was Cleaned by its Citizens.

A town in Indiana was cleaned recently at very little expense and in rather novel manner and now looks as if an army of "white wings" had gone over it. The members of the village improvement society decided that the town needed a general cleaning up, and notice of the effect was published in the local newspapers. The society asked every one to aid it particularly the school children, and announced that after the work was over ice-cream and cake would be served.

The day set for the cleaning was on Saturday, and the work was begun in the morning and kept up until late in the evening. Men, women and children, armed with rakes, hoes and heavy brooms, took hold with a will, and paper, leaves, sticks and other matter were raked into heaps and carted away. Some positive nuisances were cleaned up which soon would have required the attention of the board of health.

The town's enterprising improvement association has been in existence only two years, but during that time it has accomplished a great deal. Through its efforts two new school-houses have been built, a fine library secured, many shade trees planted and the residential streets improved 100 per cent. Its one aim and object is to make the town a better place to live in.—Ex.

T. G. BRITTON FOR LEGISLATURE.

In primary meetings and conventions the political work of our country has been largely done since the days of reconstruction, and this is wise, as results have proven; but there have been dangers in circumscribing the limits of this method, which have been eliminated by constitutional amendment.

The time has now come—namely being safe—when we should consider well the character of the individual to be entrusted with the interest of this constituency and state at large. Bath, Pitt county, has a man we think in every way worthy a seat in our legislative halls, worthy the consideration of the coming convention. A Christian gentleman of unquestioned integrity, who could not be bought for any sum either directly or indirectly. A graduate of the University of N. C. His name is T. G. Britton. We hope to have the chance with consent of the democratic convention to cast a ballot for this worthy young man.

Avilonest Mistake.

The depot was much crowded with the colored contingent Saturday afternoon. A fat old woman stood at the door with her right foot firmly fixed on the left number 12 of Henry Elow. The weight grew too much for Elow, and when he informed his companion that that was his foot she begged to be "scused" saying, "I thought I was standin' on a vilise."—Duplin Journal.

Health Insurance

The man who insures his life is wise for his family. The man who insures his health is wise both for his family and himself. You may insure health by guarding it. It is worth guarding. At the first attack of disease, which generally approaches through the LIVER and manifests itself in innumerable ways TAKE

Tutt's Pills

And save your health.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

This department is in charge of A. D. Johnston, who is authorized to represent the Eastern Reflector in Winterville and territory.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., July 16. Mrs. Polly Smith returned from Ayden Wednesday.

G. A. Kittrell & Co. will pay you highest market price for your potatoes.

Car load No 1 Timothy hay just received. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Sheet and Valley tin. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Mrs. C. H. Langston and daughters, Misses Eva and Lucy Belle, spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. D. Johnston.

Car load of flour just received, lowest prices. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Everything in our store cheap for cash. R. G. Chapman & Co.

Stop at Kittrell & Taylor's fountain for a cool drink.

Miss Juanita Manning, of New Bern, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Manning.

Kittrell & Taylor will pay you highest market price for spring chickens.

Carry your beeswax to Kittrell & Taylor.

Don't forget Kittrell & Taylor carry a full line of horse and cattle medicine.

Mrs. Henry C. Nelson is quite sick.

NOTICE—The time for listing town taxes has expired. All persons who are required by law to list taxes in the town of Winterville, will come forward and do so at once and save trouble. J. E. Green, tax lister.

H. L. Johnson pays highest prices for eggs and chickens. If in need of a good barrel of flour see Kittrell & Taylor.

See those nice shirts at H. L. Johnson's.

2 milk cows and one heifer for sale. Apply to F. O. Cox, Winterville, N. C.

Gedalia Tucker has typhoid fever.

Some people talk about this being the "dull season" of the year when there is nothing to do. This may be true in some places but it is far from being true at Hunsucker's buggy shop. He has been shipping buggies almost daily for a long, long time and still orders come more and more. While a good many of these buggies are sold in this state he also ships large numbers to Virginia and South Carolina.

Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Notions cheap at R. G. Chapman & Co.

Notice—I have reopened my barber shop in the store formerly occupied by Kittrell and Taylor. 5-28-2w Will Worthington.

If you are in need of Tobacco Flues or Flue Iron you will do well to correspond with the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. and get their prices. They have a supply of iron on hand and make the best flues that can be had. They will also give you best prices on iron.

MRS. SARAH TAYLOR FASHIONABLE MILLINERY, Main Street, Winterville, N. C.

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

See G. A. Kittrell & Co. for any thing in the feed line.

Mason's Fruit Jars at lowest prices. Kittrell & Taylor.

A force of brick masons and carpenters at work on the Pitt County Oil Mill.

Latest styles and very cheap underwear at H. L. Johnson's.

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. have in stock all the while a complete line of "Pittsburg Perfect" and "Wovon Wire" Fence and will be glad to give you prices and receive your orders.

All kinds of soft drinks cool and refreshing. H. L. Johnson.

F. N. Manning & Co. are carrying the medicine that will cure diseases of the heart in any state.

Fruit jars 1 gallon size 90c., quart size 65. H. L. Johnson.

Mrs. Nannie Wyatt, of Raleigh, is here visiting Mrs. A. G. Cox.

Roan Cooper with his factory seems to be alive. Call and see us either at factory or store. Our smiles will do you good. Winterville Mfg. Co.

I am now prepared to furnish brick at lowest market prices. O. M. Manning.

Miss Mamie Dawson, of Grifton, is visiting the Misses Dawson.

Notice—I wish to notify the public that I grind every Saturday at my mill one mile south of Frog Level on Sam Kittrell's place. Purnell Tripp.

Say! Have you seen 'em? Those buggies that Hunsucker has in his show room. If not drop in when in town and take a look at them. It will do you good. We do not ask you to buy, only stop and see them.

While at work on the Pitt County Oil mill your correspondent cut his foot so that he is unable to get about to hunt up news items. Hope to be able to travel within a week.

A well selected variety of druggists sundries also a full stock of medicines kept at the drug store.

Try a pound of Columbia flour the best in town. H. L. Johnson.

CAS-TO-RINE is the on perfectly Tasteless CASTOR OIL sold. Taste as good as Maple Syrup. 15 cents per bottle at Dr. B. T. Cox, Winterville, N. C. 3-23 swt

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We have Jno. David Smith to thank for our first watermelon.

Tom Buck, of Vanceboro, is visiting relatives here.

500 pair of shoes at a sacrifice come and see for yourselves. Jno. Whitty & Son.

The ladies are especially invited to see our line of Tricos, Hamburg and Laces. Yours to Please A. W. Ange and Co.

Postmaster Mc G. Bryan is off for Bethel this morning.

Miss Mimie Cox went to Greenville Thursday afternoon.

See H. L. Johnson for heavy and light groceries.

If you are not a patron of our store come and get acquainted with us, examine our stock and learn our prices. B. T. Cox & Bro.

Mrs. McG. Bryan went to Ayden Thursday.

Mrs. Bettie Kinsaul returned to Ayden Thursday.

Shoes, Hats and Caps at your own price at A. W. Ange and Co.

Miss Lala Chapman went to House Friday morning.

"Now is the accepted time" to send in your order for Handy Tobacco Trucks to be used in housing this seasons crop of tobacco. Do not wait until the last minute when your tobacco is ripe and should be in the barn before you attend to this matter. Be ready. Although the crop is short there is a great demand for our trucks. We have already sold more than we had expected to sell and still the orders keep coming. If you have not already bought send us your order at once before the final rush comes. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

The boiler for the new A. G. Cox Mfg. Co's. shop has come and is being placed.

See those nice pants at H. L. Johnson's they are cheap and good stuff.

For nice pants and shirts see A. W. Ange and Co.

G. A. Kittrell and wife have returned from Morehead.

McLaughlin fountain pens a specialty at Dr. B. T. Cox & Bro's drug store.

There is a splendid assortment of T. W. Wood & Son's., garden seed at the drug store.

A Kansas City woman wants a divorce from her husband because he will not argue with her. A woman who is an expert henpecker acquires her proficiency through her husband's powers of verbal resistance. Not to argue with her is to put her out of business.—Atlanta Constitution.

Two Pieces.



NO VEST.

There's great comfort in wearing Coat and Trousers without the vest during this warm weather. You get rid of the vest, the suspenders and the stiff shirt. You get a free circulation of air. There's no dragged out look to the coats of our lightweight two-piece suits.

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A little thing in the right spot makes the garment hold its shape. You'll appreciate this as soon as you see the suit and as long as you wear it. Smart, snappy patterns. Real young stuff for men of all ages, who fee they are still in it. Flannels, Homespun, Serges and Cheviot mixtures, just the proper materials.

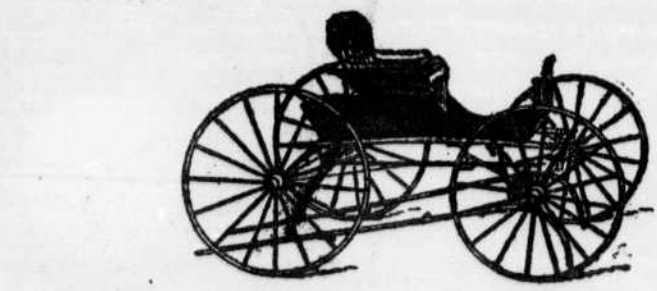
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Great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale.

Beginning Monday, July 4th we will start our Great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale. Our rule is not to carry goods over from season to season, Great inducements will be offered on entire stock of Dress Goods, Trimmings, Laces and Embroideries, Clothing, Shoes and Furnishings. We must have space for our fall Stock.

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WINTERVILLE, N. C.

Grimesland Department

H. S. YENTERS,
GRIMESLAND, N. C.
RENSSELAER, N. C., JULY 14, 1904

Some of the farmers are curing tobacco this week.
Charlie Langston and son, Henry, went to Greenville Tuesday.

O. Proctor & Bros
GRIMESLAND'S SUPPLY HOUSE.
Merchants, Millers and Manufacturers.
You want lumber to build a house, furniture to go in it, clothing and dry goods for your family, provisions for your table, or implements for your farm, we can supply your needs. Our mill and ginney are now in full blast and we are prepared to gin cotton, grind corn, saw lumber, and do all kinds of turned work for balusters and house trimmings. We also do general repairing of buggies, carts and wagons.

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

Anything wanted in the way of Groceries, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Groceries and Hardware can be found here. We have the best of everything to eat, something to wear, or some article for the house. You can be supplied. Highest prices paid for cotton, country produce or any other article.

Greenville's Great Department Store



"Dorothy Dodd Shoes"
It is easy enough to cry "BEST" but that which convinces is the test. We make strong claims for Dorothy Dodd shoes.
So strong perhaps as to excite skepticism in the minds of those who do not know. We, however, ask but a trial that our contentions may be proved or disproved in all fairness. We are showing a beautiful line of
"Dorothy Dodd Shoes"
In the seasons newest styles, Oxfords, Strap Sandals, Gibson Ties, Etc.
B. B. Cherry & Co.
Greenville's Great Department Store

Wooten's Department

G. R. Wooten,
Wooten's Department
RENSSELAER, N. C., JULY 14, 1904

Miss Annie Tyson, of Standard, has been visiting her grand father, and came home yesterday.
We are sorry to learn that O. W. Frizzelle is ill.
G. T. Tyson is on a visit to his folks at Ballinger.

The girls and boys in our neighborhood are preparing for the time at Wooten's Department.
Miss Annie Tyson, of Falkland, is visiting at the home of Miss Louise Tyson, of Standard.
Eddy Best, of Greenville, is visiting his little cousin, Lydia Tyson.

A meeting of the Democratic Congressional Executive Committee of the first Congressional District will be held at Wooten's Department, on Thursday, July 14, 1904.
A sudden attack at night of some form of Bowel Complaint may come to anybody. Every family should be provided with a bottle of Wooten's Balm.

Wooten's Balm
Greenville, N. C.

Sheguard the Children
Notwithstanding all that is done by boards of health and charitably minded persons, the death rate among small children is very high during the hot weather of the summer months in the large cities. There is not probably one case of bowel complaint in a hundred, however, that could not be cured by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale at Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, R. L. Davis & Co., Farmville.

Like a Comet
This is the remedy for the star of health. It cures the weak and nervous, the indigestive, the dyspeptic, the nervous, the stomach troubles, the indigestive, the nervous, the stomach troubles, the indigestive, the nervous, the stomach troubles.

Kodol
supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed mucous membranes of the organ are allowed to rest and heal. It cures indigestion, flatulence, palpitation of the heart, nervous dyspepsia, all stomach troubles, cleaning, purifying and strengthening the membranes of the stomach and digestive organs.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
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Greenville, N. C.

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Complete Line Clothing, Dry Goods, Hardware Furniture, Groceries. We Pay Highest Prices for Cotton. Cotton Seed and Country Produce.

Do You Eat Good, Fresh Groceries?
If you do come to see us. We keep everything in the grocery line and sell it to our customers at the lowest possible price.

Johnston Bros
CASH GROCERS
Greenville, N. C.

Cold Comfort
What we are after, and the possessor of one of our Refrigerators will insure sweet milk, cream and butter, cooling drinking water and many delights 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, Hairbrushes and everything else in the hardware line.

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\$1.50 and \$1.25 Negligee Shirts all going at the ridiculous low price of ONE DOLLAR.

Nothing Special! Clothing Special!
Severe Cut in Entire Line of Spring & Summer Clothing. Thin Coat and Pants.

THE BEE HIVE CASH STORE
Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

TOWELS 50 Doz Fringed Bleached Towels, Good size. Bee Hive Price 5c each	OXFORDS La Firve Kid, Oxfords, worth \$1.00 Bee Hive Price 40c	Organdy, Dimity. 200 yards fine figured Organdy and Dimity Lawns, worth \$10.00 Bee Hive Price 5c
UMBRELLAS Ladies Congo Crook Umbrellas worth 75c, while they last. Bee Hive Price 35c	LAWNS 700 yards Scotch Figured Lawns worth 8c Bee Hive Price 4c yd	LACES 10,000 yards Hamburgs, Insertion and laces 1-3 off

Bee Hive Cash Store
These Prices will last as long as we have the goods. Don't Wait! You will have to hurry before they are all gone.

Quick Arrest
J. A. Gullledge of Verona, N. C. was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors and excruciating pain. Remedies failed. Dr. King's New Life Pills cured him. He writes: "I feel like a new man now. The pills have done for me what nothing else could do. I feel like a new man now. The pills have done for me what nothing else could do. I feel like a new man now. The pills have done for me what nothing else could do."

Japanese Losses Small
London, July 13—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister in an official report to the Japanese government, says that the Japanese occupation of Manchow. The report shows that the losses are remarkably small for so fierce a management. The casualties amounted in four days' fighting were 174 killed or wounded.

A Sure Thing
It is a sure thing, but it is not death and taxes, but this is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Life Pills are a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. Vaunder of Shepherdton, W. Va. writes: "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything, but heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills cured me. It is infallible. I have had Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It is guaranteed by Dr. Wooten's Drug Store. Trial bottles free. Reg. U. S. Pat. 506, 511."

Weak Hearts
Are caused by indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you are subject to attacks of indigestion, the stomach expands—swells, and puts up against the heart. This prevents the heart from getting its proper blood supply, and the result, when you eat, takes the strain off the heart, cures indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, and contributes to nourishment, strength and health to every organ of the body. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

Fire Sweeps Business Section of Millington
Millington, Md., July 13.—The entire business section of this town was swept by fire yesterday afternoon, entailing a loss of two hundred thousand dollars. The fire started in a blacksmith shop and in fifteen minutes had spread to a dozen other buildings. Fifty buildings have been destroyed. A dispatch from Wilmington, Del., says the mayor there has started a subscription for the relief of the sufferers.

A Startling Test
To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mohopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes: "I was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles, so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 12 months. Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them Only, 50c at Wooten's Drug Store."

Prof. A. A. Ambrose
attack of Diarrhoea will often prevent a serious sickness. The best known Remedy is Dr. Seth Arnold's Balm. Dr. Wooten's J. L. Wooten warrants it to give satisfaction.

All Sorts of Reduced Rates via The Atlantic Coast Line.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Account Grand Lodge Meeting B. F. C. Elks, July 18th to 23rd.
Louisville, Ky.—Account Biennial Ceneave Knights of Pythias, August 16th to 20th.
Richmond, Va.—Account National Association of Engineers August 1st to 6th.
St. Louis, Mo.—Account the Worlds Fair, Season, Sixty day, fifteen day and Coach Excursion tickets.
Summer Tourist, and Week End rates to Seashore Resorts in Virginia and the Carolinas.
For full information as to rates, dates of sale, limits of tickets, schedules, etc., call on any Ticket Agent of the A. C. L., or write
H. M. Emerson, W. J. Craig
T. M. G. P. A
Wilmington, N. C.

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A Cure at Last Obtained. After Searching Investigation, by St. Louis Interests.

A few months ago the attention of a few scientific and philanthropic gentlemen of St. Louis was directed to an entirely new method of combating that most dreadful of all diseases, tuberculosis, commonly called consumption. Out of 115 test cases, 77 were completely cured and 22 had shown such improvement that their immediate recovery was but a question of a few weeks.

So astonishing has been the results and so complete the cures pronounced incurable by all old methods that a company has been formed and is now prepared to furnish, at a normal cost, this cure to all sufferers of the "White Plague." One of its chief features is that patients can remain at home, surrounded by friends and relatives, and in a great many instances, especially the incipient or early stages of the disease, pursue their daily vocations and still become completely cured.

Patients receiving the same treatment here in St. Louis have completely recovered as rapidly as those in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. The wonderful results in question have been accomplished by the Benzonizer, and the company which controls this marvelous medical device has located their main offices at 417 North Seventh street, St. Louis. They have also located a factory on Madison avenue and a laboratory has been built at Hillside, Mo. The cure will be known as the Benzonizer Lung Cure, and Mr. C. P. Benson, the discoverer of the fluid inhalants which are used, will personally have charge of the affairs of the company. Mr. Benson will personally meet all who call at the office of the company on Seventh street, and will answer all communications from sufferers who are unable to make a personal call.—From the St. Louis Globe Democrat.

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Cleanliness our Motto.

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BETHEL, N. C., July 15, 1904.
A large crowd left here Wednesday for Virginia Beach.
Misses Mattie and Effie Grimes left Wednesday for Seven Springs.
The potato crop is about all in. Some have made and some have lost.
T. A. Carson went to Conetoe Wednesday on business and says crops are looking fine around there.
Miss Rosa Bullock has a house full of music. She has five nice up-to-date pianos.
J. T. Smith and wife are spending this week in Plymouth.
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Mrs. F. C. James went to Greenville Thursday.
W. J. Whitehurst and wife have just returned from Morehead City and Pollockville. He says he caught lots of trout with hook and line and also says he caught the largest Jack fish ever caught in Neuse river.
John Ford has opened a new beef market on Main street in the old F. W. Andrews store.
J. G. Thomas and wife have gone to LaGrange to make it their home for a while.
Watermelons are just coming in and oh they are so sweet. J. W. Thomas presented me with a half of one today.

Original Observations.
You are not obliged to believe all the evil things you hear about yourself.
The average girl looks out for a man with a fine figure—in his bank account.
The only thing a man wants after he gets all the money he needs is more money.
There are too many people in the churches who went to dead-head their way to heaven.
If all the people who give good advice would follow it themselves, the world would be full of argels.
We are glad to know that it is no longer fashionable to call people lazy—they are only taking the "rest cure."

"How far is it off to where the devil stays?" asked Charles Walker of Jeff Taylor. "Don't ask me no sich question ez dat! No matter how how fur it is, it's hot enough for me!"—Orange Virginia Observer.

Car Load Whiskey Seized.

Ashville, N. C., July 15.—Revenue officers yesterday afternoon made another big seizure of contraband whiskey in the freight yards of the Southern Railway. It became known to the revenue officers that a car load of whiskey was there and investigation resulted in the seizure of the liquor for irregularities. The car contained twenty-five barrels of the "stuff" and it is said it had been shipped from Cincinnati to an Ashville dealer. The car containing the twenty-five barrels was ordered placed on the siding, and during the afternoon the liquor was hauled up town and placed in the basement of the government building.—Ex.

Poor Revenge.

The manager of the Kinston base ball team said that as the Washington boys beat them two games, they stopped in Greenville to take revenge on our boys. They took it in a score of 12 to 4 in favor of Greenville.

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Tobacco Sale
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Right at the forefront of the tobacco business. We will be in shape for handling every load to the best advantage of the farmer.
With plenty of room, perfect lights, ample capital and a competent force, the Old Greenville is not going to be behind any other house in high prices. Our aim will be to take the lead and hold it. Opening sale will be
TUESDAY, AUGUST 2ND, 1904.
Mr. B. T. Bailey will be auctioneer for us this season. He is one of the best in the state. Come right along with your tobacco and you will go home satisfied that you got the highest price to be had
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Loans and Discounts \$183,309.34
Overdrafts 3,239.39
Furniture & Fixtures 3,618.57
Due from Banks 73,225.39
Checks & other cash items 3,525.03
Gold Coin 5,828.50
Silver Coin 3,319.37
N't in' l'bk & other US notes 15,020.00
\$291,085.59
Liabilities:
Capital Stock paid in Surplus, 20,000.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses Paid 12,097.92
Deposits 226,973.38
Cashier's checks outstanding 7,014.29
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The report states that 3,778 separate claims were handled by the committee and that the amount of insurance paid on these claims was \$29,074,358.51.

There are still eleven claims unsettled, and in addition there were probably about 1,000 or 1,200 smaller claims which were settled direct by the companies.

The amount involved in these small claims will not exceed \$1,500,000, so that the total insurance paid to those who lost in the fire will be about \$30,500,000.

How Much They Get.

The Raleigh postmaster has been figuring on the salaries of all the mail carriers in the state, with the following result: One hundred and forty-four get \$720 each; 160 get \$707; 117 get \$684; 102 get \$666; 68 get \$648; the remainder range from \$612 downwards.

It Would Be Fun.

The old base ball boys that composed a team here several years ago are talking about getting together and challenging the new team for a game. The fat and lean folks of the town might get up an interesting game also.

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EDITOR REFLECTOR:
We are no politician, simply a plain farmer, but when we read the little paragraph endorsing Capt. Berry for the legislature it touched a responsive chord in our heart.

We love Capt. Berry, every body who knows him loves him, and if you don't believe it issue a circular calling for signatures and see the result. He is a good man, a sensible man, a man of grit, a man of nerve, and a man when he sees the sense of a thing possesses the stability to maintain that thing. Not only so, but Capt. Berry is a man of unusual sense and sagacity, endowed with the strictest perception of honor, and so cause or circumstance placed in his keeping can apprehend the slightest danger. A workman, a democrat, a friend at all times, he can and will be trusted wherever known. Give to old Contentnea this man and the result will prove a victory which will make all democrats smile.

CONTENTNEA FARMER.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson Dead.

Mrs. Sarah V. Johnson, widow of the late Mr. S. M. Johnson, died about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at her home near the Christian church.

Mrs. Johnson was 59 years old. She had been an invalid for several months and for sometime confined to her bed. She bore her sufferings with Christian fortitude and the end came peacefully. She leaves six children, three daughters and three sons, who have the heartfelt sympathy of our people.

Mrs. Johnson was a sister of Mrs. A. J. Outerbridge and Mrs. Isaac Hardy, of Greenville and Mr. C. L. Patrick, of Ayden.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Powell in the Christian church at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The funeral took place at the Patrick burial ground two miles from town.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Deeds R. Williams issued licenses to the following couples last week:

W. J. A. N. Wood and Rosa May G. J. Woodward and Rosalind Bonner.

T. H. Smith and Mollie Leggett. Henry Bryant Hardee and Maggie Mills.

COLORED.

Samuel Shivers and Lizzie Teel.

Bishop Watson is Ill.

Wilmington, N. C., July 18.—Friends all over North Carolina will regret exceedingly to learn that Rt. Rev. A. A. Watson, bishop of the East Carolina diocese, suffered another stroke of paralysis at his home in this city early this morning. The venerable bishop was resting fairly well tonight, but it is believed that the end is not far distant.

Fell off Train.

Wiley Norcott, a young colored man, while about to board the South bound freight train, Tuesday afternoon, missed his hold and fell off the car. He was rendered unconscious by the fall and narrowly escaped being run over.

Prohibition Wins.

Greensboro, N. C. July 19.—The official vote in the prohibition election here today shows 315 votes for saloons and 741 against saloons. This gives Greensboro prohibition got two years after next January.

Look at C. L. Wilkinson & Co.'s advertisement today. The goods must go, profits scared to death.

MEETING OF LADIES AID SOCIETY.

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The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bert Moye. The meeting was well attended, and was both interesting and instructive. The President, Mrs. C. T. Munford, called the society to order, and after the devotional exercises, business of importance was transacted.

Business over Mrs. Chas. Laughinghouse read a very interesting selection entitled, "Aunt Rhody's Dream," which was very much enjoyed by all present. This concluding the business of the meeting the society adjourned with benediction.

As all were preparing to go to our homes, Mrs. Moye, much to the delight of all, invited us to partake of most delicious watermelons, which were very much enjoyed. Each one left delighted with the success of the meeting and the charming manner in which Mrs. Moye entertained.

State Veteran's Reunion.

The State Reunion of Confederate Veterans will take place in Asheville August 31. The Veterans will be entertained free by the people of Asheville. The Veterans are preparing for a great time on this occasion. The Buncombe veterans have sent a circular which among other things says the following:

"The good people will throw wide open their doors, whether to humble cottage, or more palatial structure, and bid you come to their homes, there to converse for your 'War'."

You need bring no affidavits as for your impeccable condition; nor extra cars to hold your towels and blankets! Just bring your usual check (necessary to finding your All else will be furnished free, alike to high and low, rich and poor. Some carrying this may say this is all "Buncumb!" Well, my besos—come and see!"

All Sorts of Reduced Rates via The Atlantic Coast Line.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Account Grand Lodge Meeting R. F. O. Elks, July 18th to 23rd.
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For full information as to rates, dates of sale, limits of tickets, schedules, etc., call on any Ticket Agent of the A. C. L., or write
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A few months ago the attention of a few scientific and philanthropic gentlemen of St. Louis was directed to an entirely new method of combating that most dreadful of all diseases, tuberculosis, commonly called consumption. Out of 115 test cases, 77 were completely cured and 28 have shown such improvement that their ultimate recovery is but a question of a few weeks. So astonishing have been the results and absolute cures in cases pronounced incurable by all old methods that a company has been formed and is now prepared to furnish at a normal cost this cure to all sufferers of the "White Plague." One of its chief features is that patients can remain at home, surrounded by friends and relatives, and in a great many instances, especially the incipient or early stages of the disease, pursue their daily vocations and still become completely cured. Patients receiving the same treatment here in St. Louis have completely recovered as rapidly as those in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. The wonderful results in question have been accomplished by the Bessonizer, and the company which controls this marvelous medical device have located their main office at 417 North Seventh street, St. Louis. They have also located a factory on Easton avenue and a laboratory has been built at Hillside, Mo. The cure will be known as the Bessonizer Lung Cure, and Mr. C. P. Besson, the discoverer of the fluid inhalant which is used, will personally meet all who call at the office of the company on Seventh street, and will answer all communications from sufferers who are unable to make a personal call.—from the St. Louis Globe Democrat.
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Greenboro, N. C., July 18.—At Jamestown yesterday afternoon, Fred Brown, aged nine years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pinckney Brown, while trying to draw a bucket of water from a new, uncurbed fifty foot rock lined well, caught hold of the rope to the bucket, just as it reached the water forty feet below, and was plunged headlong down the well. The alarm was given by his seven-year-old sister, who was with him, and in fifteen minutes the lifeless body of the little fellow was drawn up from the cavernous depths below. He had evidently been killed by striking the rocks in his descent, as his neck was broken, and his head terribly gashed, the skull being fractured in three places.

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MEETING OF LADIES AID SOCIETY.

Reported For Reflector.
The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bert Moye. The meeting was well attended, and was both interesting and instructive. The President, Mrs. C. T. Munford, called the society to order, and after the devotional exercises, business of importance was transacted.
Business over Mrs. Chas. Laughinghouse read a very interesting selection entitled, "Aunt Rhody's Dream," which was very much enjoyed by all present. This concluding the business of the meeting the society adjourned with benediction.
As all were preparing to go to our homes, Mrs. Moye, much to the delight of all, invited us to partake of most delicious watermelon, which were very much enjoyed. Each one left delighted with the success of the meeting and the charming manner in which Mrs. Moye entertained.

CONTENTSEA FARMER.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson Dead.
Mrs. Sarah V. Johnson, widow of the late Mr. S. M. Johnson, died about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at her home near the Christian church.
Mrs. Johnson was 50 years old. She had been an invalid for several months and for sometime confined to her bed. She bore her sufferings with Christian fortitude and the end came peacefully. She leaves six children, three daughters and three sons, who have the heartfelt sympathy of our people. Mrs. Johnson was a sister of Mrs. A. J. Outerbridge and Mrs. Isaac Hardy, of Greenville and Mr. C. L. Patrick, of Ayden.
Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Powell at the Christian church at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The interment took place at the Patrick burial ground two miles from town.

State Veteran's Reunion.

The State Reunion of Confederate Veterans will take place in Asheville August 31. The Veterans will be entertained free by the people of Asheville. The veterans are preparing for a great time on this occasion. The Buncombe veterans have sent a circular which among other things says the following:
"The good people will throw wide open their doors, whether to humble cottage, or more palatial structure, and bid you come to their homes, there to receive the best their larders afford. You need bring no affidavit as to your impetuous condition; no extra cars to hold your towels and blankets! Just bring your usual check (necessary to thrilling war stories) and a Confederate appetite! All else will be furnished free, alike to high and low, rich and poor. Some carping critic may say this is all "Buncombe!" Well, may-be-so—come and see!"

Marriage Licenses.

Register Deest R. Williams issued licenses to the following couples last week:
WHITE.
J. A. Newton and Rosa Moody G. J. Woodward and Rosalind Rountree.
T. H. Smith and Mollie Leggett.
Henry Bryant Hardee and Maggie Mills.
COLORED.
Samuel Shivers and Lizzie Teel.

How Much They Get.

The Raleigh postmaster has been figuring on the salaries of all the mail carriers in the state, with the following result: One hundred and forty-four get \$720 each; 160 get \$702; 117 get \$684; 102 get \$666; 68 get \$648; the remainder range from \$612 downwards.

It Would Be Fun.

The old base ball boys that composed a team here several years ago are talking about getting together and challenging the new team for a game. The fat and lean folks of the town might get up an interesting game also.

Hold For Murder.

Norfolk, Va., July 18.—Special William Marks, who was shot on an excursion train on the Sea Board Air line Saturday night, died in St. Vincent's hospital yesterday afternoon and H. L. Smith is held in the Norfolk county jail charged with murder. Both men are from Roanoke Rapids, N. C. and came down on an excursion to Virginia Beach.

Prohibition Wins.

Greensboro, N. C. July 19.—The official vote in the prohibition election here today shows 315 votes for saloons and 741 against saloons. This gives Greensboro prohibition got two years after next January.
Look at C. L. Wilkinson & Co.'s advertisement today. The goods must go, profits scared to death.