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SELL YOUR TOBACCO!

WITH THE Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Co.

BECAUSE--The profits derived from the business are returned direct to the farmers.

BECAUSE--It is a business owned, handled and conducted in the interest of the farmers,

BECAUSE--On any of our floors you are guaranteed the highest legitimate market price at all times and under all circumstances,

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THE FARMERS, formerly run by Joyner & Dail; THE STAR, formerly run by Coward, Hooker & Co., and THE JEFFRESS, run last year by Foxhall & McDowell. MR. H. A. TIMBERLAKE, who or a number of years has been connected with the Star as auctioneer, (and no better one ever sung to the bids of buyers) will have personal charge of the Star. MR. S. B. McDOWELL, who was one of the firm of Foxhall & McDowell last year at The Jeffress, will have charge of that house this year, while Mr. O. L. JOYNER will be at the Farmers. All these gentlemen will follow the different sales and

SEE TO IT THAT YOUR INTEREST IS NOT OVERLOOKED OR NEGLECTED

YOURS TRULY

The Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Co.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

MONDAY, AUGUST 29

John White returned to Henderson today.

F. M. Hodges spent Sunday at Whartons.

T. W. Whitehurst spent Sunday in Bethel.

Miss Alice Blow left this morning for Tarboro.

Miss Clyde Cox, of Ayden, spent today here.

Mrs. J. A. Barnhill left this morning for Bethel.

Alex. L. Blow, Jr., left this morning for A. & M.

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

D. C. Moore and A. J. Moore spent Sunday in Bethel.

Harry Skianer returned from Raleigh Saturday evening.

J. F. Davenport went north today to purchase new goods.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dail, Jr., spent Sunday in Snow Hill.

Gordon Congleton returned Saturday evening from Raleigh.

Miss Donie Abrams went to Winterville Saturday evening.

Miss S. Ella Frankfurt, of Norfolk, is visiting Miss Mae Schults.

E. B. Ficklen and little son, James, went to Richmond Sunday.

W. F. Burch and A. R. Forbes made a trip around the circle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tucker returned Sunday evening from Norfolk.

Frank Wilson left Sunday for New York to make his fall purchases.

Alvin Dupree left this morning for Raleigh, to attend the A. & M. College.

H. F. Forbes went to Ayden Sunday evening and returned this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. House returned Saturday evening from the world's fair at St. Louis.

Miss Lula Smith, of Ayden, who has been visiting Misses Lena and Georgia Anderson, returned home Saturday evening.

Misses Lena and Georgia Anderson and Nannie Johnson went to Ayden Saturday evening and returned this morning.

Lieut. R. R. Harrell, of West Point, spent Saturday here with W. B. Wilson, Jr., and left on the evening train for Goldsboro.

J. R. Moyer and C. M. Jones returned Sunday evening from New York, where they had been buying goods for J. B. Cherry & Co.

T. E. Hooker and J. G. Latham returned Saturday evening from Richmond where they had been to purchase their stock of groceries.

C. B. Whichard went to Rocky Mount Sunday and Mrs. Whichard and the children, who had been visiting there and at Nashville, returned with him.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30

W. A. B. Hearne, of Norfolk, is in town.

J. C. Lamb, of Williamston, was here today.

J. C. Andrews, of Norfolk, spent today here.

J. C. Lanier left Monday evening for Seven Springs.

Mrs. R. W. King and children left Monday evening for Kinston.

Rev. A. J. King left this morning for Virginia to officiate at a marriage.

Mrs. E. M. Cheek and children left this morning for Wilmington at which place they will make their home.

A CARD

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF PITT COUNTY:

My attention has been called to an article published in King's Dollar Daily on the 27th inst. in which is intimated a charge that I have endeavored to draw a line as to what democrats should attend and participate in the party primaries on the 10th day of September next, and further that I had written or inspired certain articles which had been published in THE REFLECTOR newspaper. In reply to the insinuation, I have to say:

1. That for twenty-one years I have been the chairman of the democratic committee for Pitt county, and for the past ten years against my desire and protest. How well I have discharged the duties of the position, the democrats and white people of the county can testify. During that time I have not attempted, by word or line, to prevent any democrat from attending the primaries and conventions of the party who intended to support the nominees of the party, but on the contrary have urged all such democrats to attend and participate therein, at the same time stating that if there were any difficulties to be settled between democrats that it should be done in the councils of the party and in such a manner as not to benefit the enemy, the republican party.

2. That as to any connection with the articles and editorials written in THE REFLECTOR, I can truthfully say that during this campaign I have not written, procured or inspired to be written, a single line or word for that paper, nor have I in any manner suggested a line of policy for it. Its editorials and correspondence I have nothing to do with and shall assume no responsibility therefor.

In the said issue of King's Dollar Daily its editor states: "It is well to remember that Jarvis & Blow are pledged to keep up the anti-saloon liquor fight until every bar is run out of Pitt county and Greenville made to monopolize the business." The firm of Jarvis & Blow has never made any such pledge and the only foundation upon which such an assertion can be made is in the fact that on the 11th day of April, 1904 in a letter to the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville concerning the appearance of the firm of Jarvis & Blow in a certain suit then pending in the Superior court, growing out of an election held in said town on the second day of March, 1904, we wrote "that we will neither make any charge nor accept any compensation for our services whatever. We worked to close the bar rooms because we thought we were serving the best interest of our community. We are willing and ready to continue the fight in the courts or on hustings." This letter was recorded on the minutes of the Board of Aldermen and also published. It had reference alone to the fight in the town of Greenville and contained no allusion to Pitt county or any other place.

The undersigned voted for the Watts law in the legislature because he believed he was doing so for the best interest of the people living in the country. In the election held in the town of Greenville he

voted in favor of the temperance movement because he thought it best for the interest of the town. He has no apologies to make for either of these votes. He accords to the people of the towns of Farmville, Falkland, Grifton and the other towns in Pitt county the right to decide as they think best all such questions as may affect them, without interference from any one not residing therein. All towns and cities in North Carolina have had the right under the laws of the state for more than thirty years to say whether liquor should be sold in their community or not and if the Watts law was repeated they would still have that right.

In the belief and with the request that all democrats of Pitt county will attend the primaries on the 10th of September and express their individual preferences, without the hindrance, interference or dictation of any one, I now take leave of the subject.

ALEX. L. BLOW.

BEAVER DAM FOR ELKS.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Please allow me space in your most excellent paper to second the nomination for sheriff of Pitt county made by Mr. Proctor and seconded by Mr. Grimes. The public life of John Elks is before the people and needs no words of commendation from any one as they speak in clear notes for themselves.

Mr. Elks is a very successful farmer whose business qualifications is second to none, and if fair and impartial dealings in business and inflexible fidelity to the principles of democracy count for anything he should receive the nomination for sheriff on the first ballot by a large majority.

Let us make no mistake but nominate John Elks of Chichester, and Pitt county will have a sheriff of whom she will feel justly proud.

BEAVER DAM VOTER.

FOR FLEMING

GRIMESLAND, N. C., Aug. 27.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

We are glad down in Black Jack that there is such a strong sentiment in the county for Jim Fleming for the senate and we do hope the county will go solid for him on the 10th of Sept. in the primaries and will be unanimously nominated at the county convention when it meets in Greenville.

ISRAEL EDWARDS.

Two Sisters Dead.

On Monday, Mrs. J. E. Randolph died at her home near House, and that evening her sister, Miss Lou Stancill, died at her home in Belvoir township. The two sisters were buried together today in the Stancill burial ground in Belvoir.

Mrs. Randolph leaves a husband and several children.

Prices Not So Good.

This week the tobacco warehouses are having fair sized breaks but a slight falling off in price is noticeable, especially in the common grades. There is general belief with the small crop that prices will be better. The prices just now range from 4 to 18 cents, according to quality.

BETHEL FOR FLEMING.

Alwood, N. C., Aug. 29th, 1904.
EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Bethel is usually slow to speak, but always sure to be heard from. She may differ as to her candidate for the lower house of the legislature, but I believe she will be practically solid for Fleming for the senate. She gave him a good majority last time and she will come very near giving it all to him this time.

The masses of Bethel township know J. L. Fleming well. He spent a part of his boyhood and school days here and those who knew him in those days and since will never fail to support him for anything he wants, as long as he is as faithful to every trust, as he has always been so far.

If Jim Fleming undertakes to represent you or your cause, whether as attorney or legislator you will never have cause to complain, because he will never cease the fight until he has given the best in his shop, and this whether client or the citizen be great or small. Jim Fleming will not hesitate to say no to the most influential citizen in Pitt county, if he does not think his demand just and fair, and he will hear the most humble and give all just relief.

I have served with him on the board of education of Pitt county in addition to having known him all my life, and I know that wealth nor influence cut no figure with him in passing upon right and wrong.

I put him in nomination at our county convention two years ago and I said more about him than I am going to encroach upon your space to say now. If he had been nominated then, I don't believe we would have had the discussion in democratic ranks that seem to exist now, even with the passage of the identical laws that were passed. His strength was not taken in certain townships as it should have been, and while his friends said nothing because he desired, they felt and knew that he was entitled to more representation upon a voluntary vote of the people. But the past is gone and lets forget it. I believe Fleming is so strong in the hearts of the people of Pitt county that nothing can prevent his nomination at the coming convention.

Without his consent and without knowing what he may think about it, I desire now to ask his friends in Contentnea and Farmville townships, to go to the primaries on Saturday evening, Sept. 10th, and ask for a vote on Fleming for senator and see that they get it. The party law says he shall have it when demanded by any of his friends, and I trust those who are in charge of the party machinery will see to it that it is carried out.

B. M. WHITEHURST.

Lays After Death.

W. P. Edwards came down the other day bragging on his heels. He said they are such good layers that one of them even laid after she was dead. This particular hen hung herself by the neck in the fence (whether with suicidal intent or by accident is not stated), and after choking to death in that position laid an egg.

IMPROVE THE ROADS.

Cottondale, N. C., Aug. 29, 1904.
EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I wish to endorse the article in your paper a few days back signed "Citizen of Greenville" with reference to the needed improvement of our public highways. The time has come for us to make an effort to get some relief on this line, and it is encouraging to find "Citizen of Greenville" bring this matter before the public.

While the spirit of enterprise is being manifested in various ways in our county, and especially in Greenville, our public roads are being neglected to the serious detriment of progress in all directions. There are roads in our county that have not been worked for over two years. The present road law served a good purpose in its day, but the spirit of progress now demands better roads than this old system is giving. Nature has done too much for our county to permit this important matter to remain neglected.

It would be hard to even approximate the far reaching effect of a system of up-to-date road building in our county. It would mean the cultivation of more social intercourse between all country and town, better church attendance, better school attendance, cause us to place a higher value on our country homes, increase the demand for country investments, put the country people generally on a higher plain of living, and add to the spirit of contentment with country life.

These improvements would simply be in line with rural tree delivery, telephones and improved facilities for our schools.

How to bring about this improvement on our public highways I will not here attempt to say. I hope our legislators will take the same view of this matter as the writer, and others of our county.

R. R. COTTEN.

GRIMESLAND ITEMS.

GRIMESLAND, N. C., Aug. 30.

Miss May Galloway is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. C. Venters, of the city.

Miss Helen Galloway was on our streets today.

Mrs. Nannie Stafford and Mrs. Ella Crisp of Norfolk, who have been visiting relatives left for their home this morning.

Don't forget to call on J. R. Proctor for cold drinks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayo, of Aurora, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jao Mayo, returned to their home this morning.

Miss Bonnor Kittrell, of Winterville who has been visiting her sister for the past few days returned to her home this morning.

We have had lots of rain for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Boyd returned from Baltimore Monday where they have been to purchase their fall stock of millinery.

There was a large crowd went from here on the excursion from Washington to Norfolk.

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Investigation of Scuppernon Grape.

The United States Department of
Agriculture is investigating the
Scuppernon grape with a view to
determining the best varieties,
methods of culture, pruning, train-
ing, etc., as well as the uses to which
the fruit can be put. One of the
features of this investigation which
is considered of particular impor-
tance is the locating of vines of this
type, either wild or in cultivation,
that are known to excel in product-
iveness, size, color or quality of fruit,
or in some other important particular.

In this connection, the Viticultur-
ist of the Bureau of Plant Industry,
who has the work in charge, will be
glad to receive reports on such vines
from persons who know of their ex-
istence, stating the facts regarding
them and the points of special merit
that have been observed in them.

Correspondence regarding such
vines should be addressed to Geo.
C. Hasmann, Viticulturist, Bureau
of Plant Industry, U. S. Department
of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.
The Department will, upon applica-
tion, furnish special mailing boxes
and franks with which specimens of
choice varieties can be forwarded to
the Viticulturist for examination
without cost to the sender.

The Greenville REFLECTOR says it
is "really refreshing to read in these
times of the manner in which the
authorities of Wilmington are abat-
ing vagrancy." There is nothing
surprising in this. If the Green-
ville people will follow the example
of these of Wilmington and get the
right kind of a mayor they will find
that the law is being enforced.—
Wilmington Messenger.

T. W. Wood & Sons'
New Fall Catalog

Issued August 1st, is the most
helpful and valuable publication
of its kind issued in America. It
tells all about both

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as they exist in a healthy stomach,
combined with the greatest known tonic
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Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure in-
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Store to patronize. You can
recognize at once, from the way
you are served, that your best
interest is being studied. We
study the fit of every garment
you try on much more closely
than you do, and when the pur-
chase is completed there's not
a line of a garment that isn't
perfect. Two and three piece
suits divide honors of patronage.
Some want vests, some don't.
We're able to offer each the
widest possible variety of fabrics
for selection.



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THE HUSTLING CLOTHIERS

Soon be time to look after your
coal supply.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator
of Annie L. Smith, deceased, late of
Pitt county, N. C. this is to notify all
persons having claims against the
estate of said deceased to exhibit them
to the undersigned on or before the
27th day of August 1914, or this notice
will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate
will please make immediate payment.
This 27th day of August 1914.
BENJ. SMITH,
Administrator.

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by Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor
suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P.
Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff,
High Life Tobacco, Key West Che-
rries, Henry George Beer, Can-
nel Cherries, Peaches, Apples,
Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk,
Flour Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap,
Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil,
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Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches,
Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass
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and to buy one, is to never be
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to go when they need the finest
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tions, Hamburg etc. Cannon and
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friends here, has returned to her
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E. E. Dail & Co. will do all they
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2.50 and 2.00 are now \$3, 2.75,
2.25 and 1.75. Shirts that were
\$1 and 50c each are now 90c and
45c each. A few pair of shoes in
both low and high cuts at
your own figures. Lawns, white
goods and all trimmings at almost
2-3 their value. Come and see.

Robert Proctor and family came
from Robersonville Saturday and
spent the Sabbath here with his
wife's mother.

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Smith & Bro.

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ing wire bed springs at J. R.
Smith & Bro.

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feels to think more of yourself than
ever before? See W. E. Hooks and
find out.

Miss Mamie Cooper, of Washing-
ton, after spending sometime with
the family of J. J. Hines has re-
turned to her home.

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solicited. J. A. Griffin.

Why suffer from intense head
ache, eye ache, smarting and burn-
ing, when you can be permanently reliev-
ed by one pair of glasses properly
fitted, by J. W. Taylor, the gradu-
ate Optician, Ayden, N. C. Weak
eyes, when in need of glasses, al-
ways go from bad to worse. A lit-
tle piece of glass properly arrang-
ed will often work wonders.

J. R. Smith says his firm has a
pair of shoes for every body. They
come in by car loads.

Our stock of ribbons is wide,
narrow, nice and cheap, J. R.
Smith & Bro.

Come to see when you want
to buy Independent Manufactured
Tobacco, we don't handle Trust
goods, Hart & Jenkins.

Two or three industrious worthy
young men can get free tuition at
the graded school during the com-
ing session by cleaning the build-
ing and preparing fuel. This is
an excellent opportunity for some
worthy young men to get the very
best school advantages. Applica-
tion should be made at once to the
superintendent.

I take this method of informing
the public that as the Summer
season is about over I am offering
special inducements in order to
sell. My line of pants cannot be
excelled, and the Edwin Clapp
shoe which I handle exclusively is
not surpassed by any other make.
Give me a call when I have
shown you my dry goods, notions
other line of goods I know I shall
be able to please you and sell you
J. J. Hines.

A big stock of Richmond cook
and heating stoves and repairs for
same at J. R. Smith & Bro.

Large stock of furniture consist-
ing of sofas, beds, rockers, dining
and sitting chairs, mattresses,
straw, bed and room at J. R.
Smith & Bro.

One lot of 100 shirts for 75c at
W. M. Edwards.

75 doz Mason Fruit Jars and
Rubbers at J. R. Smith & Bro.

The Ayden Milling & Mfg. Co.
have opened several new employes
to their business in the last few
weeks. This is to tell. Their
business is good. In fact the de-
mand for our flour manufacture is
greater than they can supply.

To make room for fall stock we
will sell dry goods, shoes and hats
at greater reduced prices. W. M.
Edwards and Co.

George Worthington & Bro
Tinners, work in this line sol-
icited. Roofing a specialty. Work
Guaranteed.

A lot of Hamburg edgings in
remnants. You can buy them
cheap at W. M. Edwards & Co's

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF AYDEN,

AYDEN, N. C.

At the close of business June 9th, 1914.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts, : \$25,274 94	Capital stock paid in, : \$10,000 00
Overdrafts, : : 6 85	Undivided profits less
Furniture and Fixtures : : 425 50	expenses, : : 58 33
Due from Banks, : : 5,634 49	Dividends unpaid : : 108 00
Check and Cash Items, : : 33 41	Demand certificates of
Gold Coin, : : : 52 50	deposits, : : 22,573 53
Silver Coin, : : : 641 08	Deposits, : : : 708 00
National Bank notes and	
other U. S. notes 1,379 00	
Total, : : : \$33,447 86	Total, : : : \$33,447 86

Those desiring first-class work
in the enlargement of pictures will
do well to see Hart Bro.

We manufacture buggy seats for
the trade, that are simply the
smoothest seat on the market
Ayden Milling & Mfg. Co.

While perhaps just at this E.
G. Cox may not possibly be as
busy as a Wall street broker yet
it is plain as an insurance man be-
gets there. He is not only a suc-
cess, but has found it necessary to
employ assistance. His companies
are first class and every body
realizes the fact, hence Mr. Cox
is to be congratulated in being a
hustler and having something
good to hustle.

The protracted meeting in the
Disciple church still continues.
Six have connected themselves
with the church and right much
feeling is manifested by others.
Mr. Davis is doing a good work.

Corn, hay and oats, at J. R.
Smith & Bro.

Now we have plenty of the
"Green leaf" wagon and cart
wheels and will sell them as cheap
as any one.

Ayden Milling & Mfg. Co.
Ayden, N. C.

We are told that Cannon
& Tyson keeps the best and most
complete line of furniture in town

If you need a pair of pants now
is the time to buy them at W. M.
Edwards & Co.

New up-to-date Wheeler and
Wilson sewing machines for only
\$30.00 at W. M. Edwards & Co.

The remains of Miss Fannie
Dixon, of Snow Hill, state organi-
zer of Little Builders and C. W.
B. M. of the Disciple church, who
died in Washington, N. C., last
Thursday, passed through here
Friday evening and were conveyed
to Snow Hill where they were in-
terred Saturday morning. While
the funeral cortege was passing
through and out of town, the bells
were tolled and the hearts of our
citizens went out to the bereaved
ones, for Miss Fannie was beloved
by all and the high position she
held in church and society fully
attest the fact.

For next fifteen days you can
buy a suit at cost from W. M.
Edwards & Co.

All 10c percales for 7c. at W.
M. Edwards & Co.

Cotton seed meal and hulls at
J. R. Smith & Bro.

Latest Styles Hair Cutting,
Shaving and Lhampping.

W. B. ALEXANDER,
Tonsorial Artist,

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One lot of 5c calico at W. M.
Edwards & Co.

Ladies and Misses slippers at
costs at W. M. Edwards & Co.

A nice selection of rugs at W.
M. Edwards & Co's.

We want your hams chickens
and eggs. J. R. Smith & Bro.

Mrs. C. D. Landish, Holland—
Was all run down; could not eat,
sleep, or work. Hollister's Rocky
Mountain Tea made me strong and
robust. Great tonic. 35 cents,
Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug
Store

Wanted

The public to know that
I handle only a first-class
stock of DRUGS, an
up-to-date line of STA-
TIONERY, all kinds
TOILET articles, best
quality of RUBBER
goods and the best

CHEMICALS OBTAINABLE

Also carry Garden Seed
Dye-stuff, Cigars, Cigar-
ettes, Chewing and Smok-
ing Tobacco, a large as-
sortment of Pipes, Hard
Rubber and Elastic Trus-
ses, Best stock of Brush-
es of all kinds. Pre-
scriptions carefully com-
pounded.

M. M. SAULS,
PHARMACIST,
AYDEN, N. C.

Dr. Joseph Dixon,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office Brick Block, West Railroad,
Ayden, N. C.

Dr. Louis Skinner,
Practicing Physician & Surgeon
Office Hotel Annie,
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FARMERS,

Fence Your Farm With
American Steel Fencing
BECAUSE

They save stock, They save land, They save neigh-
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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR

SEMI-WEEKLY—TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

D. J. WHICHARD,

EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

EXTRACT FROM STATE PLATFORM.

There has been so much said about the Watts law and whether the state convention endorsed it or not that we think it well to publish that part of the state platform adopted by the state democratic convention at Greensboro and let it speak for itself.

That part of the platform which refers to the Watts law is in these words:

"We approve the general principles of the Watts law regulating the manufacture and sale of liquors, and limiting the same to localities in which there may be adequate police protection. The principle that no saloon or still shall operate except under police protection is as sound as that whiskey shall not be sold to minors, drunkards, or on Sundays, or near the schools and churches. The general assembly has the power and when controlled by the democratic party can be trusted to make all amendments which experience and conditions may demonstrate to be wise and proper."

Pitt county was well represented in that convention. It had a fine delegation of sterling democrats. Among the delegates present from Pitt we find such life long, hard-working, staunch democrats as A. L. Blow, J. L. Fleming, J. J. Laughinghouse, F. G. James, O. W. Harrington, R. W. King, H. T. King, W. R. Horne, R. R. Cotten, H. A. Blow, L. I. Moore, E. B. Ficklen, Shade Cox, J. E. Clark, Jr., Alston Grimes, W. E. Proctor.

We are told the platform was received with hearty applause and that not one of Pitt county's delegates voted against it. In view of these facts we shall say that the Watts law is not a democratic measure and a good thing. Of course those fire-tried democrats could not vote to "APPROVE the general principles" of a law that is undemocratic and a bad thing. It comes to us with the stamp of their APPROVAL upon it and it must be a democratic measure and a good thing.

The republican party in convention assembled say "we denounce the democratic legislature for the enactment of the Watts law," while the democratic party in convention assembled says we APPROVE it. Thus the issue between the two parties on this question is made up. With such democrats as A. L. Blow, J. L. Fleming, J. J. Laughinghouse, F. G. James, O. W. Harrington, R. W. King, H. T. King, W. R. Horne, R. R. Cotten, H. A. Blow, L. I. Moore, Alston Grimes, E. B. Ficklen, Shade Cox, W. E. Clark, Jr., and W. E. Proctor standing together and "approving" the general principles of the Watts law regulating the manufacture and sale of liquors, and limiting the same to localities in which there may be adequate police protection, there ought to be no trouble in nominating and electing democrats for the legislature who stand squarely upon the democratic platform.

War news takes second place now with local politics.

Port Arthur does the most falling not to fall of any fort in history.

The pugilistic gentlemen have again been in the public eye for a brief space and Jeffries continues to wear the belt.

A f eight conductor of the Southern railway whose home is at Spencer, has been arrested for stealing goods from cars in his charge. It has developed that he had a well constructed cave on his premises in which to secrete stolen goods.

Strikes us the Democratic party in Pitt county will be getting down to small business if it takes up a man who denounces the platform of his party as made at the state convention, sets up a little platform of his own and asks the party to get on it with him and send him to the legislature. Surely there are enough worthy men from whom to select our representatives.

A national editorial conference composed of editors in the United States who are favorable to the election of Parker and Davis, will be held in New York on the 7th and 8th of September. During the conference the editors will have an excursion from New York to Esopus at which place they will have the pleasure and honor of being presented to Judge Parker and shaking his hand.

The real "man of work" is he who does his duty in the ranks and says nothing about it.—Raleigh Times.

And for the same reason, we take it, the promoters of the book by that name are endeavoring to search out and publish for the benefit of others the achievements of the man whose example is worthy of emulation for the benefit of those who come after him. There is hardly a doubt that some of the most truly great men are the least known.

The Raleigh Post calls on THE REFLECTOR to help it get the Duplin Journal straight on the state platform, the Journal man seeming to have reached the conviction that the platform workers did not know what they were about when they declared in favor of four months schools for each race. THE REFLECTOR is rather busy to undertake to keep an eye on all the wayward-inclined boys at once, but if the Journal has been reading THE REFLECTOR it has doubtless reached the conclusion that the opinion of this paper is that the best democrats are those who uphold the principles of the party as enunciated in the platform of the party state convention. We may differ on certain ideas, to be sure, and need not fall out about them, but the general principles of the party should have our support.

"Hemming in Port Arthur" is what some of the papers say the Japs are doing. But it looks like they can't tuck it.

Asheville is filled this week with Confederate veterans of the state assembled there in annual reunion. A joyous time to the noble heroes.

If Pitt county is to be decently represented in the next legislature there is work for the true Democrats to do in the first ten days in September.

Ex-Congressman Shuford, of Hickory, says he has been commissioned to re-organize the Populist party in North Carolina. Pretty hard thing to do, we think.

The proposed lease of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad is the absorbing topic of the week. Just what the outcome will be cannot be predicted but it is hoped that what is best for all interested will be done.

Ex-Governor and ex-Senator David B. Hill, of New York, announces that he will retire from active politics at the close of the present campaign. He has long been the active leader of the Democratic party in his state and has figured prominently in national politics. And it can be said of him that he comes out with a clean record.

The same sentiment seems to prevail in every state, whether North, East, South or West, wherever a negro lays vile hands upon the virtue of a white woman, the hemp, the pyre or a bullet awaits him. Wyoming and Georgia both started off the news of the week with a lynching for the crime that arouses men's ire. The North is already to abuse the South when a lynching occurs in this section, but we notice that the men up there are about as quick to take the law in their own hands and dispatch the fend who assaults a woman.

A Thousand Ways of Lying.

There are a thousand ways of lying, but all lead to the same end. It does not matter whether you wear lies, tell lies, or live lies, your character is ruined just the same.

There is no more demoralizing influence in modern life than the unnatural straining to seem other than we are. Nothing else so quickly lowers self-respect, takes the fine edge off honor and blunts the conscience as the sense of being a sham, a gilded fraud or an unreality. It cheapens standards, lowers ideals, saps ambition, and takes the spring and joy out of living. No man can make the most and best of himself until he is absolutely honest with his own soul, and unflatteringly true to his highest ideals, and this is impossible while he is living a lie.—Ex.

Peculiar Pigs.

Mr. H. D. Pindexter has two peculiar pigs out on his farm near the city. One pig was born with three legs, but is otherwise normal, and is a healthy and lively shoat. The other pig of the same litter was born with only the two front legs, and it gets about with seeming as much ease as its four-legged brothers. The pig is now eight weeks old and is as large of body as any in the litter.—Winston Business Guide.

CHAIRMAN SIMMONS' VIEW.

Webster's Weekly, published at Reidsville, in discussing the vital principle of the Watts law, says:

"The Watts law, regulating the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, was not enacted by stealth. It was not rushed through the Legislature in a day nor a week. It was not sneaked through. Its enactment was recommended by Gov. Aycock and heartily endorsed by Senator Simmons, the chairman of the democratic state executive committee. It was one of the first bills introduced in the last legislature. It was thoroughly discussed in open committee and on the floor of both houses of the general assembly. Every argument and objection was weighed. Nothing was done in a corner. The original bill was amended in several particulars, but all propositions looking to the exemption of certain counties from its operations or to leave it to a vote of said counties were rejected. Not that the democratic party wanted to force legislation upon the people of any county, but because it had confidence in them and knew the source of the cry that the bill ought to be submitted to the ballot box.

"The Watts law is an evolution and not a revolution. It is not an experiment. It proceeds along conservative lines. It was framed to meet a long-felt want. Gov. Aycock in his message to the last legislature recommended that the manufacture and sale of liquor be confined to incorporated cities and towns and gave his reasons therefor.

"It was for the protection of the country people that this legislation was undertaken. The whiskey traffic having been driven from two thirds of our rural territory into the incorporated towns, where it could be watched and curbed, the democratic legislature went to the relief of the remaining third and said that the rural schools and churches should have a free hand in training the rising generation. And this policy met the approval of the democratic state convention without a dissenting vote.

"Police protection is the essential principle of the Watts law. The like of it is the reason the liquor traffic is shut out from the country districts. It is no discrimination against the country people, but in the contrary a decided boon."

The editor of Webster's Weekly wrote a letter to Chairman Simmons to ascertain the construction he placed upon the temperance plank of the state platform, and his reply was in part as follows:

"In reply to your several inquiries, I beg to advise you that the democratic state convention recently held at Greensboro did unanimously approve the general principles of the Watts law. The language of the platform upon this subject is in part as follows: "We approve the general principles of the Watts law, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor and limiting the same to localities in which there may be adequate police protection." A subsequent clause in this plank of the platform declares that, "The general assembly has the power and, when controlled by the Democratic party, can be trusted to make all amendments which experience and conditions may demonstrate to be wise and proper." Of course the legislature has unlimited power to amend or repeal all legislative enactments, but those two clauses of the Democratic deliverance upon the subject of temperance legislation, as embodied in the Watts law, should be taken together, and construing them together, an amendment of this law, which would allow the manufacture and sale of liquors in localities in which there may not be adequate

police protection, would in my opinion be a violation of its general principle, and in conflict with the platform declaration.

"The essential principle of the Watts law is that liquor must neither be manufactured nor sold in this state except under adequate police protection. As at present written, that law confines the manufacture and sale of liquor to incorporated towns, where adequate police protection is presumed because required by law. It would seem, therefore, without reference to the incorporation of a locality as a municipality, if adequate police protection of the traffic to be conducted therein can be and is in truth and in fact provided and secured by law, it would be a compliance with the party's requirement limiting the manufacture and sale of liquors to "localities" in which there may be adequate police protection."

In concluding its comments on this letter Webster's Weekly says:

"The Democratic party has taken its position and is not going to destroy the essential principles of the Watts law to gain a few votes here and there. The liquor element have the machine with them in a few counties, but the State as a whole is for the Watts law and will stand by it. We agree with Chairman Simmons that it is "the most important single measure, with the exception of the suffrage amendment, adopted in this State since the war."

Those who read the foregoing can readily see the soundness of the position of THE REFLECTOR upon the Watts law as recently expressed in these columns, and it leads us again to the assertion that the man who declares his opposition to the Watts law and asserts that he will not support anyone who favors it is at variance with the principles of the Democratic party, and such men ought to be excluded from participation in the party primaries.

A True Picture.

In his speech a few nights ago in Brooklyn Senator Bailey, of Texas, said:

"They tell us that the President is honest. Let us grant it, but let us remember that he is as erratic as he is honest. They tell us that the President is brave, and so he is, but he is as rash as he is brave. If we were seeking a soldier, I would prefer the President over almost any other man now in public life, but as we are seeking a statesman, I would prefer almost any man who is in public life over the President. He would be one of the best men to lead a desperate charge in time of war; but he is one of the worst men to administer a great government in time peace."

There is one other trait just as prominent as those alluded to, and that is his stolid indifference, his persistent irreverence to that which is sacred to the heart of all true Americans. This he has manifested in the only way in which it is possible to destroy the social relations which are necessary for the happiness and prosperity of both races. His conduct in this particular has no precedent among men in his class, and it only needs a comparatively few like him to destroy the present social status between the races.

He has over-shot his own party associates, with but few exceptions. Social equality is an American distinction, and is not confined to any section, but North, South, East, and West wherever the stars and stripes is seen, declares this country is a unit forever in the social separation of the two races.

Mr. Roosevelt with his splendid intelligence, with his ability to discriminate, has not realized the dire consequences of his rash act.—Raleigh Times.

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., Aug. 31.

Prof. King, of Ayden, was here Sunday.

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

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.

Corn, Oats and Hay for sale cheap for cash, G. A. Kittrell and Co.

Try R. G. Chapman and Co's white wine vinegar for pickling. It is splendid.

Jim Green went up the road Sunday.

See Kittrell & Taylor for a fresh loaf of bread.

If a need of a good barrel of flour or pork see Kittrell and Taylor.

If you want ice and lemons don't fail to get them from Kittrell & Taylor.

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

Claude Dawson returned to Griffin Sunday afternoon.

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

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

We now have on hand a nice line of dress goods at remarkably low figures, come, see and be convinced. Yours truly

Kittrell and Taylor.

A. W. Ange has moved his family into the F. O. Cox house.

The Winterville Mfg. Co., puts up nice fly proof kitchen safes. They are cheap and convenient. Get your dealer to order you one.

We want your eggs. Highest prices. Harrington, Barber & Co.

G. A. Kittrell & Co. will be on the market this season as grape buyers and will pay the highest prices.

A. W. Ange & Co., say their working clothes are the best and men who have bought them say they are right. They are the Carhart brand, which explains it all.

Len Manning went to Parmele Saturday and returned Sunday.

STRAY TAKEN UP—One small black, male pig, unmarked. Has been with my hogs about 6 weeks. C. J. JACKSON.

Trunks and valises cheap. Harrington Barber and Co.

Robert's Chili Tonic 50 cts size now only 25 cts.

R. G. Chapman and co.

I take this method of announcing that I am a candidate for constable in and for Contentnea township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, and if elected will do my faithful duty.

F. B. Tucker.

The Winterville Mfg Co. are now busy on a big lot of wash boards a lot of saddle blocks for economic lack bands, and a lot of those famous kitchen safes.

In spite of the rainy weather the A. G. Cox Mfg Co. are shipping out wagons and buggies almost every day.

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

Ed Hamilton and Miss Addie Langston, were here Saturday and Sunday.

Boarding house—Mrs. J. D. Cox. Board \$1.40 per day. Best house in town.

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

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

W. M. Carrol, of Kinston, spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

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

Kittrell & Taylor have just received a nice assortment of cutlery if you want a nice knife see them.

WANTED—1000 Lightwood Cart Hubs. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

Mrs. F. C. Nye and little daughter, Beatrice, returned Saturday night.

Fine line of window shades just received by R. G. Chapman & Co.

Dinner pots, Wash pots and preserving kettles crockery and glass ware tin ware wood and willow ware. Harrington Barber & Co.

We now have a complete line of ladies dress goods and trimmings, notions, hats and umbrellas, rugs and window shades. Will take pleasure in showing one and all through our line.

Harrington, Barber & Co.

Our town is full of wedding rumors. We hope to be able to tell you about two in our next issue.

Felix Pitman, of Kinston, and George Peterson, of Washington were here Tuesday.

Fruit jars reduced to 50cts for quarts and 75cts for 1-2 gals.

H. L. Johnson.

Window and door frames, porch columns, brackets and all kinds of house trimmings at rock bottom prices, Winterville Mfg. Co.

Miss Lizina Moore, of Grimesland, who has been visiting at A. G. Cox's left for Greenville Monday.

The Winterville Mfg. Co. is now at work on another lot of church seats. These go to Speed, N. C.

Jno. R. Carroll, book keeper for the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. left Monday to enter Wake Forest College.

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. 3-22 swt

John Lamb, of Williamston, was here Monday. This was his first trip to Winterville.

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

A. W. Ange & Co. pays highest prices for eggs and sells goods cheap.

The A. G. Cox Mfg Co. are purchasing a lot of fine timber for Tar Heel carts and wagons. They are also making a large supply of these wheels so they can fill a big demand when the proper season arrives.

Get Sum soda 5cts per pound. T. N. Manning and Co.

Miss Nellie Munford, who has been spending sometime here, returned to Ayden Sunday.

Pictures and picture frames. Harrington Barber & Co.

We carry a complete line of heavy & fancy groceries, prices right. HARRINGTON BARBER & CO.

R. G. Chapman & Co., say to make room for fall stock that all summer goods will be sold at a bargain.

Miss Meta Dew, of Fremont, came in Friday to take charge of the girls' dormitory of W. H. S.

Being in position to secure first class raw material cheap, having machinery with which to do our work, and being able to save and work up nearly all of our timber, are a few of the reasons why we can save our customers money.

Winterville Mfg. Co.

Car load flour just received. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Prof. Lineberry left Tuesday for Fremont to attend an Odd Fellow's picnic and in interest of his school.

For framed pictures and photograph frames try John Whitley & Son.

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

STRAYED—About two months ago one 4 month old heifer. Color, light red, unmarked. Of her whereabouts you will please notify C. J. JACKSON.

Frank Edmonson, of Eureka, has accepted a position as book keeper for the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

Stoves, heaters and ranges. All styles, lowest prices. See our stock before purchasing and save money. Winterville Mfg. Co.

The A. G. Cox Mfg Co. are keeping up a continued ham with their machinery, cutting and preparing timbers for guano sowers, cotton planters, and other things that are manufactured by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and children, of Edgecomb, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Alfred Cannon.

Frank

Wilson,

THE KING CLOTHIER

Is now in New York making his selections of Fall and Winter

Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gents Furnsings.

Wait for his return before buying.

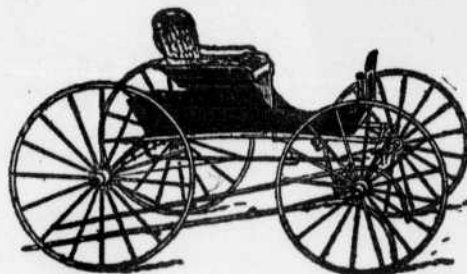
Frank Wilson,

The King Clothier.

C. L. WILKINSON & CO.

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR OUR ANNOUNCEMENT OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS. OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS RIGHT.

C L Wilkinson & Co



KING BREWSTER COMBINATION BUGGY.

— MANUFACTURED BY —

A. . COX MANUFACTURING COMPANY

WINTERVILLE, N. C.

Greenville's Great Department Store

Grocery Department

We carry the very finest Butter and Cheese that we can buy and keep it on cold storage. Always fresh pure and delicious. Fancy and Heavy Groceries of all kinds.

China Department

We have placed in our windows several beautiful patterns in Baravian and BARAVIAN AND HAVILAND CHINA 100 pieces only \$35.00. Only a few sets at this price

Furniture Department

You can find everything you need in in House Furnishings at

J. B. Cherry & Co.

Greenville's Great Department Store

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

Assets:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$183,309.34	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 3,239.39	Surplus 20,000.00
Prepaid & Expenses 3,618.57	Undivided Profits less
Due from Banks 73,225.39	Expenses Paid 12,097.92
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THE FARMERS, formerly run by Joyner & Dail; THE STAR, formerly run by Coward, Hooker & Co., and THE JEFFRESS, run last year by Foxhall & McDowell. MR. H. A. TIMBERLAKE, who for a number of years has been connected with the Star as auctioneer, (and no better one ever sung to the bids of buyers) will have personal charge of the Star. MR. S. B. McDOWELL, who was one of the firm of Foxhall & McDowell last year at The Jeffress, will have charge of that house this year, while Mr. O. L. JOYNER will be at the Farmers. All these gentlemen will follow the different sales and

SEE TO IT THAT YOUR INTEREST IS NOT OVERLOOKED OR NEGLECTED

YOURS TRULY

The Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Co.

CONTENTNEA WANTS LAUGHING-HOUSE.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Sept. 2, 1904.
EDITOR REFLECTOR:

By reading your paper, and by one of my neighbors reading King's Dollar Daily, I have been hearing from a few of our Pitt county citizens, and I have been puzzling to know how many sorts of people we have in the county.

I have been noticing that a good many of them seem to be a little thirsty, or are in sympathy with others who are thirsty, and we wish that we could relieve them, but we do not have but one plan here, which, if given, might not do much toward quenching their thirst or satisfying their ravings.

People sometimes move to our little town to try our plan, and, notwithstanding their thirst, they are determined, and they stay and stay, until after awhile their thirst begins to pass away and then they want to bless our little temperance town.

Our little town has no fears about other towns' dispensaries hurting our business, for we think we have a promising neighbor town, Ayden, that is with us. Besides the piteous pleadings from some of our unrestored don't cause us to feel much disturbed, for we know that they and all their friends will be restored if they can continue the treatment, or, at least, that is the way the plan works here and I believe that it is safe everywhere.

Well, I didn't intend writing about all this, as we know so little about these whiskey troubles. We may not know how to suit all these complainers, and if it don't suit them it might hurt our chance to get nominated.

I saw that great long list of names in your yesterday's paper suggesting the name of J. J. Laughinghouse as our candidate for the next legislature, and I felt that these men had made no mistake. I went over the list and called out the names to see if I knew the men and I soon found out that I knew most of the men and then I knew, too, that these men were speaking for hundreds of Pitt county's best citizens.

Yes, I am also glad that I know Mr. Laughinghouse as one of our best citizens. He is well informed as a farmer and knows more of the farmer's needs than almost any man in the county. I also know him to be a man of fine business ability and he knows how to look out for the business interest of our people. He is a broad man—he can see more things to look after besides the Watts law, and should he see the Watts law need be amended or wiped out he can do as much to get it done as any man you can get.

I could step out and soon get a list like the one you printed yesterday that would say give us J. J. Laughinghouse as our next representative and our interest is safe, but you did not have room to print all the other names and we will let you to such trouble just now, but when you read them, you can call for them through our correspondent.

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TOBACCO MEN ENDORSE LAUGHING-HOUSE.

We, the undersigned members of the Greenville Tobacco Board of Trade, having seen a communication in THE DAILY REFLECTOR advocating J. J. Laughinghouse for the legislature, take this method of subscribing our hearty endorsement to every word of that communication. We notice that almost every class of our citizens are represented among the subscribers, farmers, merchants, bankers, professional men generally, and as tobacco men we want to be permitted to add our most enthusiastic approval to the nomination. Mr. Laughinghouse has for ten years been a familiar figure on our warehouse floors, as a tobacco farmer, looking after and selling his tobacco, and in all relations we have found him to be a high minded, practical gentleman. If the convention will nominate him for this place, we herewith make an advanced prophecy that he will make the county one of the best representatives that ever served the county in this capacity.

Mr. Laughinghouse is a very vigorous man in whatever he undertakes, and on this account is frequently misunderstood by those who do not know him intimately, but by his own people, his neighbors and those who have come in to intimate contact with him, he is appreciated for his genuine worth. We hope the democratic county over will join together and nominate this gentleman for one of the places on the legislative ticket.

As the communication above referred to aptly says, "He will be the representative of no one man, or class of men," but he will represent the county and her every interest. Nominate him for this place and you will be proud of him. Nominate him, and before the next general assembly adjourns he will be recognized by his associates in that body as a most able, most persistent and fearless champion of the people's rights.

O. L. JOYNER, R. O. JEFFRESS, C. W. HARVEY, E. H. THOMAS, T. W. SKINNER, A. L. HALL, A. F. KENNEDY, J. J. WILLIS, J. D. GARDEN, F. W. CLARE, W. H. DALL, JR., E. B. FICKLEN, S. B. McDOWELL, R. STRICKLAND, E. B. THOMAS, M. H. WHITE, Geo. S. PRITCHARD, H. S. HARDY, W. T. BARTON, J. FRANK BRINKLEY, O. D. HOOKER, G. L. MOORE, J. G. BOWLING, T. A. DUKE, J. T. MEADOWS, H. A. TIMBERLAKE, A. A. ANDREWS, M. A. ALLEN.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Mr. W. H. Whichard, who lives near Staton's mill, had a squad of hands pulling fodder Wednesday. In the field was a dead pine tree, and while the hands were at work near this tree without a warning sound it fell crashing among them. The trunk of the tree fell lengthwise the body of a colored woman instantly crushing her out. A colored youth was also struck and seriously injured. Mr. Whichard and others of the hands narrowly escaped being struck by the tree.

I have just returned from Raleigh where I brought my belt menders and notions. Opening Sept. 15, 1904. Mrs. H. L. BOYD, Greenville, N. C., next door to Dr.'s office.

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY.

We are on the verge of a very important election, and one that every voter should consider carefully before he casts his vote in the primaries. It seems that our people are not worrying over anything but whiskey. Is it possible the good of our county depends upon the sale of whiskey? I, myself, was not an ardent advocate of the dispensary, but it is here and I try to see two sides to it. I find it is a good thing for the masses of people. It interferes only with the man who likes the social drink and right here is where three fourths of the drunkards start. Men who deal in either the sale or drinking of whiskey, are generally speaking very liberal people. Let a few get together and take a social drink, then they are not content until the crowd has treated around. By this time they are unfit to go home to their families. Now what per cent of the population of Pitt county is this class? Is it 5 per cent, or is it 10 per cent?

There were twenty-five or thirty saloons in Pitt county before the dispensary. With an average of two families to a saloon it will make about 1 per cent of the population of Pitt county who got their living out of legitimate liquor dealing. Now is it right to jeopardize happiness and prosperity of the 90 per cent, or 95 per cent, of the population of the county to satisfy the thirst and profits of the few who have been getting their living out of it?

Another important thing to consider is this.—A few years ago we were raising a great fuss over being taxed to educate the negro, and wanted special legislation in town to prohibit it. Now some of our main aspirants for office who are opposed to the dispensary, were among the main movers then, whereas, with the dispensary well conducted in town the negro will spend enough money for whiskey for the profits to educate their own children, thus being the very thing the hotheads pretended to want.

Pitt county, I consider is the banner county of the state in many respects. We should be puzzling our brains towards developing our resources in other lines that will prove more advantageous to us and our children than the whiskey traffic, for we all know earnestly and truthfully that the dispensary is better for us morally.

Our public roads might be considered seriously for one thing, for nothing in the county needs attention worse. I, for one, would be glad to see all the main leading roads from the county sent to the limits of the county line macadamized, which would cost about three thousand dollars per mile the increase in the valuation of the property along these roads, the taxes of which would pay the interest on the debt, thereby relieving our people from the present trouble of working roads and enabling our country people far and near, to haul as much with two mules and wagon to market, as three such wagons and mules, thus saving the expense of two extra hands each day. With this system of roads in the county in ten years we would have at least five thousand people to immigrate here, as trucking could

be carried on anywhere in the county. Hauling would be almost nothing, comparatively speaking, as to what it is now.

We might save something to help out in our road system in the salaries of a few officers in the county. The treasurer's office, for instance, should not pay more than six hundred dollars per year. The sheriff's office could be handled for less money, but I suppose we would have to have special legislation for that. Our town has passed this course in cutting salaries, as our treasurer cost last year twelve hundred dollars, or about that, and this year we get the same office filled for two hundred and fifty dollars. Our tax collector last year cost about one thousand dollars, this year six hundred dollars. You see we are saving nearly as much from the salaried offices of the town as the town received from the licensed saloons last year.

It is very necessary that we think over these things carefully, and not listen too much to the fellows who want office, as nine times out of ten he is talking for self and just a few. We want men to represent the masses as a whole in the legislature.

In nominating our county commissioners I do ask for one to be from the town of Greenville, and I would suggest our townsman, Joo. L. Wooten.

A TAXPAYER.

TOWN MATTERS.

What the Aldermen Did.

The board of aldermen were in regular monthly session Thursday night and had enough business to keep them together until 11 o'clock. The standing committees had no reports to make except for the colored cemetery, the grounds of which are being cleared and a new fence placed in front.

The tax collector, treasurer, police officers and dispensary commissioners filed their reports. The dispensary report showed that purchases to the amount of about \$9,000 had been made, while the sales have amounted to a little more than \$3,500. As the dispensary has been in operation only two months and stock must be paid for first, it is too soon to report what profit it is making.

Two citizens appeared before the board and complained of the streets near livey stables being blockaded with barges left standing on the streets. The board passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any unlighted vehicles to be left standing on streets, the ordinance going into effect at once.

A. J. Griffin, who had been elected chief of fire department, declined to accept the position. J. J. Moore, lamp lighter, sent in his resignation because of bad health.

C. D. Rountree, list taker, turned in the tax list for 1904. The list was returned to him as tax collector with authority to proceed to collect the taxes.

The question of getting estimates on the erection of a guard house was referred to the market committee.

Alderman M. A. Allen, having decided to change his residence from Greenville, tendered his resignation as a member of the board, which was accepted with regrets.

Accounts amounting to \$535 were allowed and orders for same drawn on treasurer.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Greenville at Hotel Bertha Monday Oct. 3rd and until noon of Tuesday Oct. 4th for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and fitting glasses. 924 W.

TO THE PEOPLE OF PITT COUNTY.

We, the undersigned voters of the county, without the least intent to disparage or detract from the merits of any one who is or may become a candidate, desire to respectfully suggest the name of a gentleman for one of the representatives in the next general assembly from Pitt county who, if nominated, will in our opinion make as good a representative as ever sat in a state legislature.

That man is J. J. Laughinghouse. His familiar and extended acquaintance in the state, his wide range and practical knowledge of public questions combine and peculiarly fit him for this position. We believe him to be a clean, straight, honest upright man whom neither fear nor favor from any quarter would prevent from doing his duty as he saw it.

Although a man of strong convictions and powerful will-force, he is easily approached and open to reason, and when convinced that he is in error has the manhood and courage to recognize and correct it without apology for doing so.

If he should be nominated by the convention he will be the representative of no one man or class of men, the pliant tool of no clique, but the zealous and watchful representative of all the people of the whole county without regard to their position or vocation in life. He will be the people's representative in the broadest sense of the word, to whom the humblest may go with equal freedom and frankness with the mightiest in the land.

I have been for forty years a tiler of the soil, and naturally for this class his sympathies are extended, for no man in the state knows better than he does the many peculiar and trying perplexities with which the farmer has to contend. But no man, whatever may be his calling if it is an honest one, need have any fear of Joe Laughinghouse, for he is a just man, of kindly heart and tender sympathies, and believes in fair play.

J. B. Kilpatrick, J. E. May, J. M. Wooten, W. J. Kilpatrick, D. M. Johnson, J. L. Tucker, G. B. Kilpatrick, E. S. Laughinghouse, J. T. Worthington, Walter Newborn, J. R. Moore, J. J. Turner, L. C. Arthur, J. B. Cherry, J. C. Cogges, G. E. Harris, T. J. Moore, E. F. Patrick, R. A. Tyson, Wiley Brown, J. G. Moye, J. S. Smith, B. J. Pulley, Joshua Manning, C. L. Wilkinson, H. L. Carr, H. Harding, W. N. Wilkinson, C. S. Carr, C. D. Rountree, Eugene Wilson, R. M. Moye, J. L. Carper, Henry Dixon, J. E. Elks, A. B. Ellington, H. J. Smith, J. L. Stigs, W. H. Laughinghouse, B. E. Moye, O. M. Jones, W. H. Johnson.

[There are many more names signed to this, but owing to the want of space today all of them could not be printed. Any whose names do not appear will know that this is the reason.—Ed.]

Larger and Better.

The breaks on the tobacco market were very large today. In some instances prices struck the best figure of the season, some good lots bringing as high as \$26. The common grades remain at about the same figure.