

At close of business January 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts \$129,778.65	Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts, 6,783.38	Surplus 6,500.00
Bonds, 1,000.00	Undivided profits, 6,545.1
Furniture and fixtures 2,415.64	Deposits
Due from Banks 53,827.22	Time 19,394.99
Cash items 2,081.26	Subject 147,141.28
Gold coin 510.00	to check 166536.27
Silver coin 1,982.77	Due to bks & bankers 615.02
National bank notes and U.S. notes 16,187.00	Cashiers checks outstanding 389.53
Total \$205,565.92	Total, \$205,565.92

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, R. J. COBB, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
R. J. COBB, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd day of Feb., 1906.  
C. S. CARR, Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JAN. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts \$147,144.31	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 4,604.01	Surplus, 25,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc. 2,500.00	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes Paid 12,588.44
Furniture & fixtures 3,617.32	Deposit subject to check 210,645.14
Banking House 4,100.00	
Due from Banks 8,448.52	Cashier's checks outstanding 5,280.69
Cash items 1,204.79	
Gold coin 4,914.50	
Silver coin 8,619.82	
National bank notes and U.S. notes 21,331.09	
Total \$278,514.27	Total \$278,514.27

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
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 5th day of Feb., 1906.  
WALTER G. WALD, Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FARMVILLE, FARMVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JAN. 29TH, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts \$22,616.63	Capital stock pd in \$10,000.00
Overdrafts 499.44	Undivided profits 1,607.04
Furniture & Fixtures 1,630.50	Depos. sub to check 32,609.88
Due from Banks 15,478.17	
Cash items 30.05	
Gold coin 502.50	\$44,216.92
Silver coin 1,401.63	
Nat. bk & U.S. notes 2,058.00	
Total \$44,216.92	Total \$44,216.92

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, J. R. DAVIS, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. R. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of Feb., 1906.  
J. V. JOHNSTON, Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BETHEL BANKING AND TRUST CO., AT BETHEL, N. C.

At the close of business Jan. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts \$15,517.73	Capital stock \$5,300.00
Overdrafts secured 89	Surplus fund 700.00
Furniture & fixtures 989.63	Undivided profits 813.87
Due from Banks and Bankers 19,436.06	Time certificates of deposit 2,515.00
Cash items 426.30	Deposits subj. to check 25,991.08
Gold and silver coin 1,204.79	Cashier's checks outstanding 372.06
National bank and other U.S. notes 2,922.21	Certified checks 660.60
Total \$39,323.98	Total \$39,323.98

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, H. H. Taylor, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
H. H. Taylor, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of Feb., 1906.  
SAMUEL A. GAINER, Notary Public.

# SPECIAL

## White Goods SALE

A Sale You Will Talk About For Many Years to Come.

**BIG VALUES**

Wise buyers, come early. This Sale embraces every department in this store. For a number of days we have been receiving and assorting cases upon cases of New Spring Goods. Arranging stock to place ourselves ready for days of work. Selling. We can't begin to tell of all the goods which we are going to sell so remarkably low.

**WHITE GOODS.**

We are prepared, through early and heavy purchasing, to offer values which we know will not be duplicated. Look where you will, compare price with value—then come here.

1000 Yds 40 inch White Lawn is now going 5c  
1000 yds 12 & 15c Nainsook special price 8c  
1000 yds 20 & 25c Piques sale price 10 & 15c  
1000 yds 25 & 35 Plain and welted Piques 15 & 20c

Yard Wide White Honspan at this sale 5 1-2c  
Yard Wide Heavy Canton Flannel 6 to 8c  
Yard Wide Best Grade Bleaching now at 6 3/4c

**CORSETS.**

A Good Heavy Jean Corset 4 hooks - strong needs Steel, in white only 25c  
Medium Length Corset with Hose Supporters attached, Lace Trimmed good quality of Hose Supporters attached 40c  
A Beautifully Made Corset Haandsomely Trimmed with Fine Lace, Regular 1.25 value now going at 68c

**COMFORTS**

Closing out all up to \$1.50 at the small price of 98c  
Closing out all up to \$2.50 at the small price of \$1.38

**BLANKETS**

A Few more Extra Size Bed Blankets 38c  
New Wool Blankets Bought Before the Advance at Your Own Price

**CLOTHING.**

Special Prices in Men's, Youths and Boys Clothing

**HATS HATS HATS**

At Your Own Price.

**GLOVE, GLOVES**

Men's Work Gloves 25c  
" Driving " 49 & 98c  
" Golf " 49c  
" Fine Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves 98 & 1.37  
Shoes for Men Women and Children

**MILLINERY**

It Will Pay You to Visit our Millinery Department

# FURNITURE

We can Furnish Your House from Top to Bottom and will Give You Right Prices.

# C. T. MUNUORD'S

## Big Store

Greenville, North Carolina.

**A BURNT CHILD DREADS FIRE.**

People who are old enough to be reminiscent remember the day when the cotton growers thought they were ruined because cotton went down to 25 cents a pound. In those days it cost a pile of money to run a plantation, for everything was high and we doubt whether there was as much clear money in cotton as there is today. Old folks remember when the bagging and ties on cotton cost a little fortune and nearly every other expense in producing cotton in those days was proportionately high.

It is true that the cotton growers of those days "did keep on making it as the price went down" and the time was when the farmers planted all cotton and depended on buying their provisions and even the corn and hay which they fed to their stock. They had all their eggs in one basket—the old cotton basket—and disaster overtook the agricultural industry in the South. There is no telling how greatly the agricultural industry in the South was retarded by the unthinking agricultural policy, in those days, when the people were engaged in a fierce struggle to overcome the effects of war.

Our cotton growers should never go back into the old rut. Diversified crops and reduced acreage in cotton will keep our farmers from "going on the lien" again. There have been tough days with the cotton growers and it will be their fault if they again go around with a mortgage begging somebody to "carry" them from year to year.—Wilmington Star.

**Watermelon for Sunday Dinner.**

Perhaps Mr. W. A. Caudle, of the vicinity of Peachland, was the only person in the United States who had watermelon for dinner last Sunday. While picking over his cotton late in the afternoon Mr. Caudle discovered several nice watermelons in the patch. He carried the melons in cotton seed; and during the Christmas holidays he and his family ate all of them except the one that was eaten Sunday. The melons, Mr. Caudle says, were as sound and nice as any he ever saw.—Wadesboro Messenger.

**Better Pay Up.**

Sheriff Tucker gives notice and publishes the list of appointments for his last round to collect taxes due for last year. Those who fail to pay may expect cost to be added and their property advertised for sale. The sheriff also has to make certificate of all white men who pay poll taxes and those who fail to pay by May first may be debarred from voting in the next election. No white man should lose his vote through failure to pay his poll tax.

**Miss Alice Twenty Two.**

Washington, Feb. 12.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained a large party of friends at the White House tonight to celebrate Miss Alice Roosevelt's twenty-second birthday. Many of Miss Roosevelt's younger friends attended, and Mr. Longworth was able to be present.

**Following the dinner there was a musical.**

Alonzo Cherry, a well known colored man of this town who had been at work at Tillery for a few years, died there Monday and his remains were brought here on the evening train.

Even if everything and everybody in town does not meet with your approval, that doesn't relieve you of your duty of doing what you can for the good of the community.—Kinston Free Press.

**Rain and Wind.**

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**Mr. C. V. York, who is the observer of the government river gauge here, tells us that for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning the rain fall was 2.006 inches. This was the heaviest rain fall since the heavy rains of last July.**

**THE JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION**

The Formal Opening is Set For April 26th, 1907.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 12.—The formal opening of the Jamestown Exposition has been set for April 26, 1907, instead of May 13, 1907, as originally planned. It was on April 26th, 1607, that the English settlers in the London company first embarked at Cape Henry, Va., and in the desire fittingly to celebrate the 300th anniversary of that event as well as the ter centennial of the settlement at Jamestown, May 13, is found the reason for changing the date of the formal opening. The celebration of the landing anniversary, May 13, will be made the occasion of a monster celebration, which will be the great event of the exposition.

Will Hold Half Million Bales for Thirteen Cents.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 12.—President Harvie Jordan, of the Southern Cotton Association, made the following announcement today:

"I have secured an engagement with a syndicate of Eastern capitalists, headed by E. R. Thomas, to take 500,000 bales of middling cotton from Southern planters at the minimum price of 13 cents a pound, delivered at anterior points or the ports, by or before July 1, 1906, the deal to be closed as soon as option on the syndicate's requirements shall have been secured.

The agreement further provides for the taking of all cotton ready for market next August or September from the crop 1906 at the then market prices, to be not less than the minimum price fixed by the Southern Cotton Association. This agreement is not intended to affect holders, who are demanding a maximum of 15 cents at present. New York bankers are prepared to finance fully all Southern banks in assisting holders of cotton for higher prices. Option contracts will be forwarded upon application to all cotton growers."

**Rumley Hasket.**

The following invitation has been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. David D. Hasket request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Mary Louise

to Rev. Julian Leecroft Rumley on Wednesday afternoon, February the twenty eighth nineteen hundred and six at half after three o'clock corner Twelfth and Washington streets Greenville, North Carolina. No cards in town.

**No Hanging Friday.**

Sylvester Barrett, who at the last term of Pitt Superior court was sentenced to be hanged on Friday, Feb. 16th, for the murder of Constable W. J. Lovie, of Farmville township, will not be executed on that date. An appeal was taken to Supreme court which stays the matter until that court passes upon it.

The clearing weather ought to bring out a good attendance at the Valentine party tonight.

When it comes to desirable location and nearness to the business section of the town, Sam White's property in South Greenville can't be beat. You better see him if you want a lot before the price goes up.

A man would dare to do most anything but tell his wife how pretty some one else's baby is.

**HE YEARNS FOR AN INVENTION.**

He Needs it in His Business and Says There is a Fortune in It.

A man that the girls will call an old fogey years for an invention, in which he says there is a fortune. It is a clock he wants—a clock of not an unusual design, at least he says it would not be hard to make one for "cuckoo" clocks have been made for many years and the kind he wants would not be any harder to make; in fact it could be patterned after it. What he desires, he says, is a real nice article of a clock, suitable for use in his parlor. He wants it so made that he can set it, somewhat like an alarm, at any hour and when the time arrives, have a door that will fly open, a man will pop out with a club and yell—"It's 11 o'clock! time to go home! go home!" at the same time waving his club. He says he has tried every other means to keep the boys from staying up next to all night with his daughters and thinks this would solve the problem.

"I might go in and tell the boys to get, but this wouldn't be right, nor in good form, you know, but that clock would fix 'em. Wonder how come such a thing has not been invented?"

Here's a chance for some genius to wade in and make a fortune.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.**

By Ocklawaha Tribe No. 47, I. R. O. M.

Farville, N. C. Feb. 12, 1906.

It has pleased the Great Spirit in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst, our beloved brother, W. J. Lovie, who while attending to his official duties, was on the night of Jan. 20th, 1906, slain by the hand of an assassin. Be it therefore resolved

1st. That in the loss of Brother Lovie, the Tribe has lost one of its best members, one who was always present at the meetings, and never refused to answer whenever called upon.

2nd. That the sympathy of this Tribe be extended to the bereaved family, although our loss is his eternal gain.

3rd. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased, a copy be spread upon the archives of this Tribe, and also a copy be sent to the EASTERN REFLECTOR for publication.

4th. That we wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days in memory of our deceased brother.

C. L. Barrett, } Com.  
G. M. Pollard, }  
Mc. D. Horton, Jr. }

**SHELMERDINE ITEMS.**

SHELMERDINE, N. C. Feb. 14.

H. B. Phillips and son, Fred returned from Suffolk Tuesday.

G. G. Gabriel, of Washington, was in Shelmerdine Tuesday.

Geo. H. Cole is all smiles. It is a sweet little girl.

P. H. Harrington must be making rapid progress. He went hunting Monday afternoon for the ladies and it raised "to beat the band."

Cecil Harrington returned from Aulander but did not bring his wife. She will reside in Aulander with his mother for the present.

C. D. Barker spent Monday in Greenville with the dentist.

Miss Mabel Savage returned Tuesday night from a pleasant visit to Miss Allen near R. D. Banks.

M. T. Hardee returned Tuesday night after spending several days away.

Dr. Moyle and Ricks were in consultation Tuesday over Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Joie Alford, who has been in the Beaufort County Lumber Co's employment for a long time, has resigned his position and left Tuesday morning for his home in Nash county.

O. G. Calhoun and H. H. Stanley went to Greenville Saturday.

We are glad to note that Mrs. O. G. Calhoun's hand, which was badly burned a few days ago, is much better.

Mrs. Bailey is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Venters, who lives near Shelmerdine.

O. G. Calhoun is having some repairs made in his back yard which will make it more convenient and much larger.

We have said it often, and we say it again, patronize your own merchants. It is the local merchant and business man who pays the taxes, contributes to the relief of sufferers at home, gives credit in time of need and adds to the wealth of the town and county. The trade-at-home spirit, however, must be backed by fair business methods, on the part of the local business men, and he must exhibit common and enterprise in using the advertising columns of the local papers. The two things are the most effective weapons against the mail order business.—Concord Times.

**ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.**

The Memorial Baptist church here will hold an anniversary service on the fourth Sunday in March, that Sunday conforming nearest to the date of the organization of the church, March 27th, 1827. A committee has been appointed to take charge of the arrangements.

Rev. J. S. Corbett will preach in the chapel at the county home Sunday morning, 18th.

**LETTER FROM PRESIDENT MOORE.**

Will Speak in Greenville Feb. 24.

We have received the following letters which we publish in full as they are of vital interest to every man of every calling in Pitt county. Now farmers, merchants, lawyers, doctors, all turn out in full and give the president of the North Carolina Cotton Grower's association your loyal and enthusiastic support.

He is engaged in a great work and every man in Pitt county should hear him. Remember the day and date Saturday, February 24. LETTER FROM SECRETARY PARKER. Raleigh, N. C. Feb. 14 h.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Please announce through your columns that Mr. C. C. Moore State President of the Southern Cotton Association will speak at the following places:

Kinston, Friday Feb. 22.  
Snow Hill, Friday Feb. 23.  
Greenville, Saturday Feb. 24.  
Washington, Monday Feb. 26.

Please urge the farmers and business men to attend these meetings.

Unless court is in session he will speak at the court house, at 11 o'clock. If court is in session the local committee should provide a hall for him. T. B. PARKER, Sec.

**LETTER FROM PRESIDENT MOORE.**

Raleigh, N. C. Feb. 14 h.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I am pleased to read in the paper you send, the interesting report of the Pitt County Cotton Association. I appreciate the thought which prompted you to send the paper.

If you have space will you kindly publish the following:

Pitt county is reported as being active in Cotton Association work. This is well, because a county producing a crop of over 25,000 can well afford to set a good example to counties of less production.

Doubtless the Pitt county farmers realize what a benefit the Southern Cotton Association has been them.

I have heard that "figures don't lie," if this old saying is true, let us try figures here.

It is admitted that through the work of the Cotton Association the price of cotton was advanced fully \$20 per bale, multiply 25,000 bales by \$20 and you have the magnificent sum of \$500,000 deep down in the pockets of Pitt county farmers as their share.

That is not all, the business men have enjoyed an increase in their business of \$500,000.

Then every family in Pitt county has enjoyed more comforts in the same time ever before.

I hope every farmer in Pitt county will join his district or township club at once and attend regularly every meeting.

I request the secretary of each club to forward to our office the roll of members so that we can from time to time send our literature direct.

Bear in mind that when the United States produces above eleven million bales of cotton we sell it around five to seven cents, but when the crop is about ten million bales we sell around ten or twelve cents per pound.

We cannot afford to produce over ten million bales in 1906, therefore we must reduce our average 25 per cent. from 1904.

Talk less here at your township club meetings and resolve to reduce acreage as advised by the New Orleans convention.

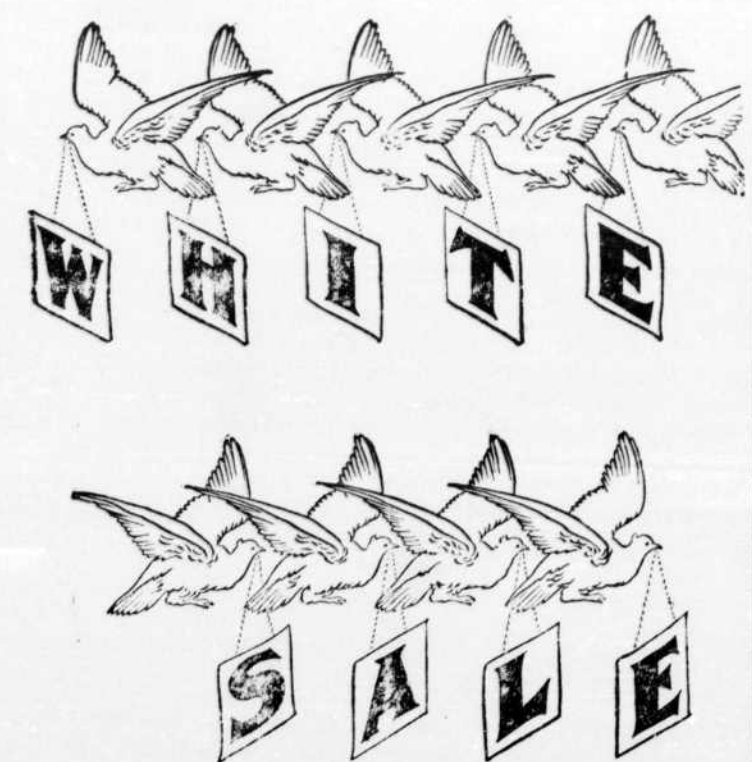
On Saturday, February 24th, I expect to be in Greenville and I want to see every man who chops, blows or picks cotton in Pitt county.

All come and let us look into questions important to us as farmers.

C. C. MOORE, President.  
N. C. Div. S. C. A.



# THE February



is now going on and will continue for every day this month. Great bargains are offered in all kinds of White Goods, and it will pay you well to supply your needs for Spring and Summer use from this sale.

## THIS WHITE SALE

will prove the most beneficial to you of any offering we've attempted and we advise that you don't wait until the last day for what you need. But come now while all the best things are here. Sale strictly cash, no goods charged except at regular prices. India Linens, 1,000 yards of snowy white India Linens, all fine and sheer, will be offered during the "White Sale" at the lowest prices ever known. It will pay you to buy them by the piece as they only contain 24 yards and think of the hundred uses for this the most popular of all white goods. Regular 8c India Linen for 5c yard. Regular 10c India Linen for 8c yard. Regular 15c India Linen for 10c yard. Regular 18c India Linen for 12c yard. Regular 20c India Linen for 15c yard. Regular 25c India Linen for 20c yard.

## FANCY WHITE GOODS

A gathering of all the seasons latest novelties, in plain, fancy and mercerized effects. Piques, Popelins, Etamine novelties, Jacquard effects, brilliants and a host of other beautiful goods all to be offered during the "White Sale" at prices far under value. Fancy Piques, worth 10c for 15c yard. Mercerized novelties worth 20c for 15c yard. High grade mercerized effect in Jacquards, Brilliants and dozens of other new lines of white goods worth 25, 30, 35c yard will be sold without reserve for 19c yard. You will be surprised at the beautiful showing and the astonishing low prices asked Check Nansook, Check Nansook, regular prices 12 1/2 for 9c yard. Table linens, here is a golden opportunity for housekeepers and wise ones will profit from the great savings offered. Regular 35 white table Damask for 22 yards. German Black Damask the regular 50c quality for 30c yard. All our 60c linen damask in beautiful variety of patterns for 49c yard. 75c table Damask, handsome designs and beautiful quality 69c yard. All the regular \$1.25 finest saten Damask will be sold for 98c yard. 10,000 yards tureen and val. lace, worth 8 and 10 to be sold at 5 and 6c yard. This is the greatest lace bargain we've ever shown. Plain Damask, snowy white Nansook, the queen of all soft stocks for making baby dresses underwear and a dozen other uses will be offered in pieces containing 12 yards, each piece at the following unheard of prices. No 50c pieces containing 12 yards for \$1.10. No 50c pieces containing 12 yards for \$1.49. No 510 pieces containing 12 yards for \$1.69. If you prefer a smaller amount then we will sell them by the yard. We advise however that you take them by the piece, first the saving, second you never have goods of this kind to go to waste.

**HANDKERCHIEFS**  
The 5c kind to be sold for 6c. All hemstitched handkerchiefs that even 10c to sell for 6c. A lot of C. & B. Corsets worth 50, 60 and 75 to go at 39c you must see these to know their value. Mens white unlaundred shirts that were worth 50c to sell at 25 cents.

**AN IRISHMAN WAS SITTING IN AN INN IN COUNTY MAYO ONE DAY WHILE HE WAS RAMBLING FORTIALLY WITHOUT A NOBLEMAN'S BROUGHAM DROVE UP TO THE DOOR OF THE HOSTERY. BLAZED ON THE PANELS OF HIS DOORS WERE THE ARMS OF HIS OWNER, INSCRIBED WITH THE MOTTO "FIDES REGNAT UBIQUE" (FAITH REIGNS EVERYWHERE). "PAT," ASKED SOME ONE OF THE IRISHMEN, "HOW DO YOU TRANSLATE THAT?" "EASY ENOUGH," PAT REPLIED. "FIDES REGNAT UBIQUE"—FAITH, IT RAINS EVERYWHERE.**

**A PRIMATE'S EQUINOX.**  
In 1104, when Henry I. was in Normandy, a primate named Serlo preached so eloquently against the fashion of wearing long hair that the monarch and his courtiers were moved to tears. Taking advantage of the impression he had produced, the enthusiastic primate whipped a pair of scissors out of his sleeves and cropped the whole congregation.

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**\$10 REWARD!**  
A reward of \$10 will be paid for information sufficient to convict any party or parties who leave gates open or do any damage to roads or fence around Greenville stock lot territory, or who cut the fence so that dogs and horses may pass through.

**THE SHOOTING STAR.**  
The shooting star is an oddity of the very oddest kind. It is a world of itself—a miniature planet—probably not larger than the paper mache globe on your study table or the rubber ball with which the schoolboys play "three cornered cat," but it is a world just the same. These lacy planets are not always round, as planets are generally supposed to be, but are known to be in all sorts of queer shapes. Some are square, others octagonal, some irregular and many cornered, while one is occasionally met with which is smooth as a brick or a cement paving stone. Probably you have never heard of a man (or woman either, for that matter) "meeting with" a shooting star in any of his wanderings. Let us see how such a thing might be possible.

The shooting star is originally a miniature world, revolving around the sun with as much regularity as the earth, Jupiter, Venus or Mars. It keeps up this amazing flight thousands or even millions of years. Finally it reaches the limit of its existence. Suddenly and perhaps without any visible cause it shoots off at a tangent. It is now a "shooting star." Formerly it was a world, but now it is not bright as other stars are. Let us see what will cause it to "flame up like a gigantic torch in the heavens." This particular body that we are talking about shot from its orbit in the direction of our earth. Its speed is not less than twenty miles a second, probably five times that.

In the great outer sea of space it encounters no resistance to its headlong flight. But wait. It is nearing the envelope of atmosphere which surrounds our globe. What will be the result when it comes in contact with "the air we breathe"? The first stratum it strikes is so attenuated that its resistance is very slight. Yet the friction is great enough to instantly raise the temperature of the world. Within the hundredth part of a second the dense stratum of atmosphere has been encountered. The flight of the little world is now perceptibly checked, the result being a sudden firing of the mineral matters in the stone. There is an instantaneous burst of light, and then with a sound doomed representative of the miniature planet in all its meteoric splendor. Possibly the streak of fire it leaves asthward the heavens will not appear to be more than a few hundred feet long. Certainly it will be thin and short if the little world was not larger than a football, because it will be almost instantly consumed as soon as it strikes the denser portions of the atmosphere. On the other hand, if this world which has so suddenly come to an end was as large as a good sized barn when it started fragments of it weighing from ten to 1,000 pounds may reach the earth. It is from these fragments that we learn the shape and composition of the aerial phenomena referred to as "shooting stars."

**A Grim Wager.**  
Wagers have sometimes taken a grim form. It is credibly recorded that in the eighteenth century a wager was laid for one of a party of gay revellers to enter Westminster abbey at the hour of midnight. He was to enter one of the vaults beneath the abbey, and in proof of his having been there he was to stick a fork into a coffin which had recently been deposited there. He accomplished his object and was returning in triumph when he felt himself suddenly caught and was overcome with terror that he fell in a swoon. His companions, not being able to account for his long absence, found him in this condition. The fork which he had fastened into the coffin had caught and pinned his long cloak and so occasioned a fit of terror which nearly proved fatal.

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**G. L. WILKINSON & CO.**  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

## GENERAL WHEELER'S FIRST MEETING WITH LEE.

General "Joe" Wheeler, a hero of two wars, and rich in years and fame, died before he had lived out the one ambition that remained in his heart. He wanted to write the history that he had helped to make with his sword and as a legislator and pacificator of his country. He wished to close his career as a man of letters and especially as a historian.

With this purpose in view, about a week before his death he became a stockholder, a director and the historical editor of the Golden Age, a new magazine edited and published by Southern men in New York. He wrote his first article, his Recollections of West Point Fifty Years Ago, for the February number of this magazine, and died. The article is of especial interest as being the first effort of a noble purpose and the last effort of a noble man. But it is of itself of inherent interest. The famous cavalry commander describes his first meeting with General Lee, then Colonel, Robert E. Lee, the Superintendent of the Military Academy. The following is a brief extract:

"I found my way to the door of the office of the Superintendent of the Academy The Superintendent's orderly, whose duty it was to announce visitors, was for a moment absent, and the first stratum it strikes is so attenuated that its resistance is very slight. Yet the friction is great enough to instantly raise the temperature of the world. Within the hundredth part of a second the dense stratum of atmosphere has been encountered. The flight of the little world is now perceptibly checked, the result being a sudden firing of the mineral matters in the stone. There is an instantaneous burst of light, and then with a sound doomed representative of the miniature planet in all its meteoric splendor. Possibly the streak of fire it leaves asthward the heavens will not appear to be more than a few hundred feet long. Certainly it will be thin and short if the little world was not larger than a football, because it will be almost instantly consumed as soon as it strikes the denser portions of the atmosphere. On the other hand, if this world which has so suddenly come to an end was as large as a good sized barn when it started fragments of it weighing from ten to 1,000 pounds may reach the earth. It is from these fragments that we learn the shape and composition of the aerial phenomena referred to as "shooting stars."

"A young cadet who has come to report? Never have I seen a form or face which so impressed me; his uniform was closely buttoned, showing his erect, well rounded and perfect figure; his manner was dignified and embodied modesty, kindness, benevolence and all the characteristics which convey the idea of purity and nobility. He was in his forty-ninth year, mustache faded, with slightly gray hair. At that time he was a captain of engineers, with brevet ranks of Major, Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel, which honors he won by courage and valuable service in the battles of Mexico. So highly regarded was he that the Army and War Department considered him the logical and certain successor of General Scott as commander of the army.

"In reply to the question I bowed to express the affirmative and after a few kind words he took me to the door of the office of the Adjutant, Lieutenant I. B. Fry, afterwards a prominent General, telling me that Lieutenant Fry would give me all instructions and directions. This kind, fatherly reception was different from my preconceived idea of military decorum; there was not a particle of austerity in the bearing of Colonel Lee or Lieutenant Fry."

The above is only a forstaste of this article, in addition to which there is a thrilling dramatic narrative of General Wheeler's campaign at Chickamauga, from the pen of one of his old troopers Dr. John Allan Wyeth. With these two features the Golden Age will be of special interest to all southern readers. Its subscription price is \$1.00 per year. Published at 48 West Twenty-seventh street, New York.

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In the great outer sea of space it encounters no resistance to its headlong flight. But wait. It is nearing the envelope of atmosphere which surrounds our globe. What will be the result when it comes in contact with "the air we breathe"? The first stratum it strikes is so attenuated that its resistance is very slight. Yet the friction is great enough to instantly raise the temperature of the world. Within the hundredth part of a second the dense stratum of atmosphere has been encountered. The flight of the little world is now perceptibly checked, the result being a sudden firing of the mineral matters in the stone. There is an instantaneous burst of light, and then with a sound doomed representative of the miniature planet in all its meteoric splendor. Possibly the streak of fire it leaves asthward the heavens will not appear to be more than a few hundred feet long. Certainly it will be thin and short if the little world was not larger than a football, because it will be almost instantly consumed as soon as it strikes the denser portions of the atmosphere. On the other hand, if this world which has so suddenly come to an end was as large as a good sized barn when it started fragments of it weighing from ten to 1,000 pounds may reach the earth. It is from these fragments that we learn the shape and composition of the aerial phenomena referred to as "shooting stars."

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We will inaugurate Our Spring Season by putting on display the newest ideas to be shown in

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We have no trash or Special Sale stuff but we will have the latest and best things that were obtainable in the American markets and we cordially invite the Ladies that are desirous of seeing the NEWEST CREATIONS IN SILKS AND WHITE GOODS to call at our establishment and feast their eyes. Very truly yours,

Our rugs and art squares are finer than the finest, Cannon and Tyson.

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Mrs. McLawhorn returned from a visit to Hanrahan yesterday.

J. J. Edwards & Son have just received another car load of Ellwood wire fencing.

Preserve your buildings by painting them with Harrisons, Town and county Paint—oil lead and full line of colors, kept at J. R. Smith & Bro.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Alexander died yesterday morning at the home of its parents in this place. It was quite young.

Buy your felt mattress at Cannon & Tyson, they have the best.

V. Crumps and paper roofing, Pumps with long or short joints and pipe at J. R. Smith & Bro.

Amos Tyson has accepted a position as clerk with F. G. Buhmann & Co.

Dress goods, Broad cloth, Henriettes, Mohair, cashmere, albatross silk, trimmings, lining and white goods at J. R. Smith & Bro

Bedsteads, mattresses, springs, single and double, rockers, dining and split-bottom chairs wash stands dressers centre tables at J. R. Smith & Bro

There were services in the Missionary Baptist church Sunday morning and night by the pastor. In the afternoon Rev. B. W. Spilman delivered one of his famous lectures to a large audience.

Calico and Gingham at 4 cents per yard, great reductions in white alppers and summer goods, at J. R. Smith & Bro.

E. E. Dail & Co. will do all they possible can to please you with their new line of heavy and fancy groceries.

S. M. Smith and J. T. Dixon, two prominent farmers from the Farmville section, were pleasant visitors last week.

Car load of salt for sale by Cannon and Tyson.

There was a large crowd from the Swift Creek section here Tuesday in attendance upon a magistrate's court.

In response to a message announcing the death of his uncle, Sheriff Hodges, in Washington, Stancil Hodges left here Saturday to be present at the funeral. He returned Sunday evening.

P. S. Cannon.—Since the fire I can now be found on east side of railroad between office of Dr. Joes. Dixon and Tripp Bro shops. I have a full supply of general and fancy groceries, confectioneries, cigars, and tobacco. Fresh Oysters and fish every night on arrival of train, call and I will treat you fair. P. S. Cannon.

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For Cook Stoves Ranges, Heaters Pumps, Guns, Ammunition, One and Two Horse Steel Plows, Meat Cutters and Stuffers. In fact anything in Hardware come to

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Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE NORTH CAROLINA FRIDAY FEB 16 1906

February continues to make good and give it to us had

The hungry man may make the welkin ring, but he prefers the dinner bell.

When it gets so they can plow the farmers will have much to do to atch up with their work.

There has been no announcement that Breeze will take the lecture platform to tell how it happened.

If a man robs a bank and escapes punishment on a technicality, the fact yet remains that he is a thief.

Make fun of the ground hog if you want, but the weather shows that he is a prophet of the prophets.

Those who escape getting a valentine in this day of comics will consider themselves more fortunate than those who get them.

The fellow who wants to make a spiteful hit in the dark at somebody gets a chance to do so with the comic valentine.

As they have put Durham on the water wagon she has gone to clamoring for the pure article—or aquapura as the doctors call it

When it comes to Senator Tillman, you can always count on him saying something. And it is apt to scrape where the hide is thin.

Miss Gould, that used to be, concluded that \$2,019 a day that it cost her to keep the Count in style, was a pretty dear price to pay for her title.

If you don't mind a scrap will yet come out of this American-Chinese muddle. And as between the two, it is said Japan is against us over there.

If the condition of country roads now does not convince travelers over them that they ought to be better, then the said travelers are beyond the pale of conviction.

The Countess de Castellane was as long time making the discovery that it would have been much better for her to have married a man—Durham Herald.

And cheaper, too.

A scientist is claiming that the water is disappearing from the face of the earth and there is danger of us all dying of thirst after awhile. He must have just heard about the flood. At any rate he could not convince a two-year-old down this way of his theory in the midst of all this rain.

This is the week of weeks at the National capital. In all history there has not taken place a wedding in this country around which there centered more interest than the marriage of the President's daughter, Miss Alice Roosevelt, to Congressman Longworth, which occurs in the White House next Saturday noon, except it was when ex-President Grover Cleveland took to himself a bride when he was our Napoleon a President.

The House did the right thing with the railroad rate bill, but the trouble is that it yet has to run the gauntlet of the Senate.

No houses are going up in Greenville yet through the help of a building and loan association, but they will be doing so after awhile.

In the South \$225,000,000 are invested in cotton mills, yet not a cent of it in Greenville. And Pitt county raises 30,000 bales of cotton a year. Where the cotton is raised the mills should be located.

They do say the new voting machine votes like an individual. But then we have always had a lot of individuals that vote like machines.—Durham Sun.

Guess you mean they vote like the machine wants them to.

It is very considerate in the miners to put off their strike until April 1st. We poor folks can get along without coal then for some months. But it is awful mean in the mine owners to put up the price of coal in advance of the strike.

The editor of the High Point Enterprise is indebted to Mrs. B. Horney for two ripe tomatoes grown this year by her. There's nothing to match with High Point—Durham Sun.

When it comes to punning Jim Robinson can squash everything in the pod, or triped either.

The Iowa man who tried to commit suicide because his wife and seven children kept singing "Everybody works but Father," might not have had so much time to brood over it if he had been working some himself.

They are hard to shake off when once they get a stall in the government crib. Postmaster Tyre Glenn seeing his finish in the Greensboro postoffice, has set his cap for Collector Duncan's place as collector of the Eastern District. No rufers in it, down this way.

Maybe Mr. R. D. Douglas will be given something equally as good. How would it do to give him a consolation?—Greensboro Record.

That would make editing the Industrial News from too long range. It is something on the spot to help out the Republican paper that the crowd backing him wants.

Miss Ellea McGowan is on the sick list, but is getting better.

L. N. Edwards, who was hurt by the train some days ago, is improving quite fast. Our clever merchant and mill man, J. M. Cox, has a very sick child.

We are having it wet enough now, so wet one almost has to hold his breath when he walks in the field. The B. C. L. Co. is doing lots of work in this section. Farmers have right much cotton around here waiting for 12 or 15 cents. Do you think they will get it? Good weather would make people get busy on the farms. As yet not much has been done.

SEED OATS. Sow Ninety Days Oats and they are ready to harvest in ninety days. The Red Rust Proof ripens fifteen days later. J. R. and J. G. Moye, L. W. Tucker, Sheriff.

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."

There is no line in the world better than the Harrison line. It has behind it a century's reputation for honorable wares and honorable dealings.

If you use the Harrison Paints you need never worry quality.

We trust that you will favor us with your orders whenever you want good paint for any purpose. Have just received a car load and can give you Special Prices.

Baker & Hart

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One of the judges of the Superior Court who is working now in the mountains, said the other night when here that the east might not go any further in the prohibition line, but that the west had only started; that he never saw people more determined to weed out liquor in every shape than these mountain folks. He added that the blockaders were giving more trouble than usual, but the public sentiment was such that in time they would be put out of business. And this judge was not a prohibitionist, either.—Greensboro Record.

COX'S MILL ITEMS. COX'S MILL, N. C. Feb. 13, 1906.

Misses Eva Cox, Minnie McGowan, Cora and Sadie Carroll attended the teachers' meeting at Greenville Saturday and report a very pleasant and instructive meeting.

Miss Rosa Tucker, who is teaching near here, also attended the meeting and stayed over with her mother until Sunday afternoon, when she came back to continue her school.

Benny Savage, of Greenville, was in our section Sunday.

Some of our people attended church at Red Banks Sunday.

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We are having it wet enough now, so wet one almost has to hold his breath when he walks in the field. The B. C. L. Co. is doing lots of work in this section. Farmers have right much cotton around here waiting for 12 or 15 cents. Do you think they will get it? Good weather would make people get busy on the farms. As yet not much has been done.

SEED OATS. Sow Ninety Days Oats and they are ready to harvest in ninety days. The Red Rust Proof ripens fifteen days later. J. R. and J. G. Moye, L. W. Tucker, Sheriff.

Rain Coats



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This is splendid weather for Ducks, Doctors and Rain Coats. Every prudent Man will buy a Rain Coat and get along without the Doctor and his bill. A Cravenette Rain Coat, if it is genuine, is a regular Fall Overcoat of Covert, fine Cheviot, or mixe Worsted, with the fabric chemically treated before the Tailor gets hold of it. The process doesn't hurt the cloth in any way, but helps it in most ways; makes it impervious, though not proof against a fire-hydrant. In short, a Gentleman's Rain Coat is both a luxury and a necessity. Rain Coats tailored and finished in the best style, known to Rain Coat makers, \$10 to \$25.

FRANK WILSON THE KING CLOTHIER.

Came Back to Life. A negro died near Grifton, Monday night. At least his family and friends thought he was dead and prepared him for burial. Next morning a messenger was sent to Grifton for a coffin, but when he returned with the coffin the supposed dead man had revived. The coffin was sent back to town. A Salisbury man has voluntarily retired from the saloon business. It is stated that he "set an example of sobriety that almost repelled the purchaser of a drink." Such a man has more to answer for, in conducting a saloon, than one who has less control of himself. He has, or might have, refined sensibilities that would operate to make him slow to place evil invitingly before his fellow man.—Greensboro Telegram.

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WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

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

For nice apples, candies, oranges, bananas and nuts go to H. L. Johnson's

Roy Kittrell, of Greenville, was in town Sunday.

Nice line of fresh groceries always on hand Harrington Barber & Co.

Any one in need of a good cart one that will last and render good service just call to see or write the A. G. Cox Mfg Co.

If you expect to exchange your seed for meal you can save time by taking meal for your seed when you have your cotton ginned at the Pitt Co. Oil Mill.

For special prices on heaters see W. L. House.

If you want good seed Irish potatoes go to Harrington, Barber & Co.

If you want your laundry to look nice and last long take it to H. L. Johnson who represents the Wilmington steam laundry.

Claud Chapman, of Shelburne, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Chapman.

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. are still shipping cotton planters and gunn sowers by the car load, and if you need any you had best write or see them at once. All farmers anticipating oats sowing and wheat can be supplied with mowers, rakes, reapers and binders at Harrington, Barber & Co.

John Nichols, of Kinston, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother.

Be sure not to forget the furniture and those iron bedsteads at A. W. Ange & Co.

Miss Clyde Harrison returned from Kinston Monday morning.

Winterville Canning factory, consisting of furnace, cooker, canning books, work shed, warehouse and about one third acres of land in heart of Winterville for sale. For particulars see Dr. B. T. Cox or J. F. Harrington.

We offer our silver table ware, 25 years guarantee at a bargain. See us. B. T. Box & Bro.

Buy a pipe from J. H. C. Dixon at the drug store.

Go to H. L. Johnson's for nice candies, apples and oranges.

Call at H. L. Johnson's and examine his line of Hosiery for children Misses Ladies and Gents.

For bargains in pants go to H. L. Johnson's.

2,000 yards standard calicoes at 4c per yard, Harrington, Barber & Co.

Nice buggy robes at Harrington Barber & Co.

Go to H. L. Johnson's for shoes, he has a nice lot just received, they are nice.

All colors of paint, and yellow ochre at Harrington Barber & Co.

Quite a large crowd from Winterville attended services at Ayden Sunday.

Nice line of boys suits at H. L. Johnson's.

Just received by R. G. Chapman & Co., a car load of line which they will sell very cheap.

Another large shipment of shoes all styles and sizes and prices very reasonable. Harrington Barber & Co.

J. E. Green, who is depot agent here, went to Williamston Monday and returned Tuesday night.

White's Colic and Kidney Cure, the combination kidney medicine for stock and a sure colic cure. at the Drug Store

J. L. Hobgood was in town Tuesday evening.

Buy your Candies, Apples, Oranges and Bananas from J. H. C. Dixon at the drug store.

Try a bottle of "Folley's Kidney cure" a sure cure for all Kidney troubles at Harrington Barber & Co.

Grover McLawhorn was in town Tuesday evening.

If you have cotton seed to sell or exchange write or phone Pitt Co. Oil company, their prices are the highest.

Nice line of winter underwear for men and youth's at H. L. Johnson's.

H. L. Johnson is headquarters for groceries.

Rey. Mr. Stanfield, of Ayden, was in town Tuesday evening.

A new line of crockery just received by R. G. Chapman & Co.

Men's and youth's pants, all sizes, at Harrington Barber & Co.

The demands for Tar Heel cart wheels is great now, and any one in need of same will do well to write or see the A. G. Cox Mfg Co.

H. W. Gastin has been with us a few days this week, relieving Mr. Green at the depot, while he was away on business.

Trunks and valises at Harrington Barber & Co.

If you want an easy shave and a neat hair cut, just call to see W. H. Worthington, next door to Winterville bank, for white people only.

If you want a nice shirt go to H. L. Johnson's. He has a new lot of nice ones, cheap too.

The Pitt County Oil Co. will pay highest price for seed cotton.

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., are still shipping cotton planters by the car load.

Big line of hats and caps just received, latest styles. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Tooth and Disk Hair Brushes at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Go to H. L. Johnson's for meats, fish and oyster.

Farmers make money by exchanging their cotton seed at the meat at Pitt County Oil Co.

H. L. Johnson can fill your order in the grocery line, for he carries a full line all the time.

If you have not had any good biscuit lately you go to R. G. Chapman & Co. and get some of that flour he sells and you will be convinced that it is the best on the market.

5,000 yards tobacco cloth at Harrington Barber & Co.

FOR SALE—Two horses seven years old each, and one mule six years old will either sell for cash or on time as suits the purchaser. W. L. House.

Just received by R. G. Chapman & Co., a car load of salt. Be sure to get their prices at once.

Nice Silk waist patterns cheap at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Our meal analyzes \$32, Pitt Co. Oil company.

I will pay highest market price for Chickens, Geese and Turkeys. Have large orders to fill.

G. A. Kittrell, Winterville, N. C. A new line of hats just received at R. G. Chapman's & Co. Be sure to see them before you buy elsewhere.

Nice line of fresh groceries always on hand at H. L. Johnson's.

Let me make you a price on Mink Otter and Raccoon skins, also Cow hides. G. A. Kittrell, Winterville, N. C.

Any one in need of a plow will do well to go to A. W. Ange & Co., and get one of those "Oliver Childed Plows." They are the best on the market.

Farming implements of all kinds at Harrington, Barber & Co.

We want to sell you a valentine. See what we have to offer before Feb. 14th. B. T. Cox & Bro.

Woods high grade garden seed have for years been the most popular southern seed offered truckers and gardeners in east Carolina. You can always find them at the drug store of B. T. Cox & Bro.

Friday evening, Feb. 9th, Miss Magdeline Cox entertained at her home in South Winterville a party of young people in honor of her sixteenth birthday.

She had arranged a very interesting play for her guests, a "bean bag contest," and its beautiful arrangement added much to the looks of the room which was very beautifully decorated. The prize of this contest was won by Miss Janie Kittrell. After the contest was over and the prizes given, then paring and reparing was done, and all the young people seemed to think that the "paring" was well done, judging from their pleasing looks as they were ushered to the beautifully decorated dining hall. There was a beautiful cake, and on it was the figures sixteen in large type, signifying the age of the hostess. On the inside of the cake was a thimble, a ring and a ten cent piece. The thimble was found by Miss Miriam Johnson, the ten cent piece by Miss Addie Cox and the ring by the hostess. After refreshments were served all the guests returned to the parlor where they spent the rest of the evening very pleasantly.

A representative of Ginn & Co. was here Tuesday consulting the principal of the Winterville High School about the course of studies. Ginn & Co. stand at the head of publishing companies, and their books are used in all the leading colleges, and of course the Winterville High School uses some of them, too.

Try a Prince George, or a Dan Emmett O'gar. Jim Dixon at the drug store will show them to you.

If you need a nice Rag just call at A. W. Ange & Co and you can get out, and cheap too.

W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C. will be in Greenville on Monday, Feb. 16th, at Winterville, at the leading hotel Tuesday, Feb. 27, for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and Fitting Glasses.

200 bushels of seed Oats at Harrington, Barber & Co.

If you want good flour, some that you can eat without any trouble with indigestion, go to A. W. Ange & Co., and get some of that flour he has that is made out of pure wheat.

For nice fresh eggs call to see H. L. Johnson, our leading grocerman.

If you are wise preserve your houses by painting them with Harrington's town and country paint, for sale by A. W. Ange & Co.

You need not fear putting your money in the Winterville Bank for they have taken Burglar Insurance to make everything safe. So go ahead and put your money where it will be safe.

We noticed in the papers a few days ago that while some party was out driving the buggy shaft became unfastened and the entire buggy was thrown from the top of a high embankment, the occupant barely escaping serious injury. The cause was a defective shaft coupler. Such accidents as these are serious in as much as they often threaten life, and every precaution should be taken to guard against them. It is to your best interest. You can do this by using Hunsucker Buggies. The shafts are fastened with Holdfast Couplers which we are told, are the best on the market. They are quick and easy to apply and never come off or rattle. You can then take your wife, sweetheart, or children with perfect safety.

Have you seen those nice suits at R. G. Chapman & Co's. If not you get this price before you buy elsewhere.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.

Norfolk Cotton & Peanut

AS WIRE BY J. W. PERREY & COMPANY.

Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va.

Table with columns: Today, Yesterday. Rows: Striped Middling, Middling, St. Low Middling, Low Middling, PEANUTS, Fancy, Strictly Prime, Prime, Low Grades.

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS.

AS WIRE BY COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY Bankers and Brokers, NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

Table with columns: Closed, Today, Yesterday. Rows: Mar., May.

Liverpool Futures:

Table with columns: Today, Yesterday. Rows: Jan. & Feb., Chicago Markets: May Wheat, May Corn, May Ribs, July Ribs, May Lard, July Lard.

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET.

REPORTED BY J. R. & J. G. MOYER.

Table with columns: Middling, 104 to 104.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF

The Free Will Baptist Church

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Thomas & Burton, heretofore composed of E. H. Thomas and W. T. Burton, doing business at Greenville, N. C., has this day dissolved co partnership by mutual consent. This dissolution including all the interest of the Euzita Bottling Works. All persons indebted to said firm are kindly requested to make settlement with E. H. Thomas This January 28th, 1906.

E. H. Thomas, W. T. Burton.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, having issued letters of administration to me, the undersigned, on the 25th day of January, 1906, on the estate of W. J. Lovie, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned within twelve months after the date of this notice, or this notice will be held in bar of their recovery.

This the 29th day of January, 1906. R. E. BURCHAM, Adm'r. on the estate of W. J. Lovie. L. A. Sugg, Attorney.

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Carries at all times the most up-to-date line of House Furnishing Goods in town. New goods arriving daily! Special attention is called to our new line of TOILET SETS, HALL RACKS, CHAIRS, COUCHES,

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We have just received our full line of WASH GOOD consisting of FANCY WHITE GOODS, PERSIAN LAWNS, 45 IN INDIA LINEN! GINGHAMS, CHAMBRAYS, MADRAS, PERCALES, &c will be on sale Monday. Everybody cordially invited to inspect these goods,

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Help Wanted

Have you ever suffered loss by fire? If so, did you need the help of any one to assist you in securing a prompt and satisfactory settlement? My experience in the adjustment of fire losses has been very large and it has always been my pleasure to render every assistance to my patrons when they were in need. I desire to call the insuring public's attention to the fact that they get the benefit of my experience when they insure their property in Companies represented in my office. THE ABOVE IS WORTH YOUR SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

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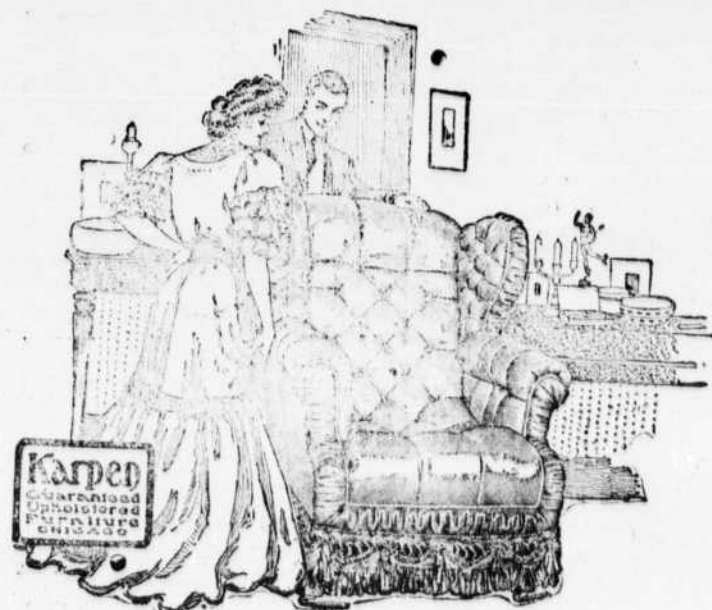
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# J. R. & J. G. MOYE.

**South's Rapid Growth**  
There is an interesting and instructive article in the February issue of the Review of Reviews entitled, "The South's Amazing Progress." The article is well worth reading and has much of value and interest to Southerners. Many facts and figures are new to those best informed.

It is shown by the report that the amount invested in a \$100 million South in 1880 was \$21,000,000. This amount was increased in 1890 to \$60,000,000 and in 1905 to \$225,000,000. To put it plainer ten times as much is invested in South Carolina mills today as there was 25 years ago.

These figures speak for themselves and carry a world of significance as to the marvelous growth of the South along the lines of manufacturing in recent years. The facts are more than true and of a nature of great pride to all Southerners.—Charlotte News.

**The Yellow Fever Germ**  
It has recently been discovered that it bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria poison and constipation. See at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

**My Friend, This is Worth Reading—**  
Suppose You Stop and See—  
Isn't it wonderful?  
Greensboro, N. C. March 29, 1903.  
Mrs. Joe Person:—I take pleasure in stating that your Remedy has entirely cured our little girl of a very bad case of eczema, which covered a great part of her body. She had eczema (periodically) from the time she was three weeks old, until she was six years old. She is now perfectly well and I feel that I cannot speak too highly of it. She has not a symptom of it for six years. Respectfully,  
J. W. COBB.

**GREENVILLE, N. C.**

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He is a peculiar individual. His work is so very exceptional, so very different from your own. While you are sitting in your seat placidly wondering whether you are going to have a pleasant evening at the theater or whether the business to which you are about to attend will be as profitable as you desire, he is out on the long track over which you are speeding calmly examining the bolts that hold the shining metals together. Neither rain nor sleet can deter him. The presence of intense heat or intense cold has no effect on his labors. Day after day, at all hours and in all sorts of weather, he may be seen placidly plodding these iron highways, his wrench and sledge crossed over his shoulders, his eyes riveted on the rails, carefully watching to see whether any bolts are loose or any spikes sprung. Upward of 200 cannon ball blows rush by him on what might be called a four track bowling alley each day, and yet he dodges them all for perhaps as little as any laborer is paid. If he were not watchful, if he did not perform his work carefully and well, if he had a touch of malice or a feeling of vengeance, he could wreck your train, mangle your body and send you praying and screaming to your Maker. There would be no sure way of detecting him.—Theodore Dreiser in Tom Watson's Magazine.

**Japanese Art.**  
The oriental artist does not so much seek to transcribe nature as to suggest her moods. His interest is centered in the poetic sentiment which she elicits. The saying of the Japanese that a picture is a "voiceless poem" is particularly appropriate to their landscape painting. Our best artists also seek to express the poetry of nature. But they find it in many things. Our aesthetic pleasure in landscape is a complex one. The oriental, on the other hand, in conformity with his type of mind, finds it in the dominant character, in that which remains when all its accidents are eliminated—in other words, when it has been simplified and idealized. "For a landscape painting," to quote our Japanese critic once more, "is not loved because it is a facsimile of the natural scene, but because there is something in it greater than mere accurate representation of natural forms, which appeals to our feelings, but which we cannot express in words."—W. M. Cabot in Atlantic.

**Absentmindedness.**  
The best instance I know is that of an amiable Irish judge, now no longer on the bench. Among other amusing tales told of him it is said that on the occasion of a "bar dinner" he went upstairs to dress, but did not reappear. The company sat patiently for some time till at length, just as their hunger was getting the better of their manners and an emissary was being dispatched to hunt up the missing judge, his lordship appeared and explained, with many apologies, that, imagining he was retiring for the night, he had undressed and got into bed. After an hour's repose it suddenly struck him that he had not yet dined, on which he hurried down to his guests.—London Spectator.

**Was His Check.**  
It is told of a well known humorous writer that in the early days of his career he sent some pieces to a certain comic paper, only to have them returned almost immediately. He sent them out a second time, and again they came back. Then the author sat down and wrote the following note to the editor, again sending his contribution:  
Dear Sir:—Pardon your absence your office box has been in my possession several of which I inclose. Trusting that you will return me my earliest correspondence, I am, etc.

It is said that the editor remitted.—Harper's Weekly.

**Quite Sufficient.**  
A man who has for years consulted audiences of old and young at his pleasure says that no comment on his entertainments ever tickled his sense of humor more than one made by a ten year old girl of his acquaintance.  
She was a serious little person, and when the lecturer said to her, "I see you in the front row, Jean, but I'm afraid you didn't have a good time," she looked at him with large, reproachful eyes.  
"Why, I had a splendid time!" she said, earnestly. "Didn't you see me laughing? I laughed several times."

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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GREENVILLE BANKING & TRUST COMPANY.**

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At close of business January 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts \$120,778.65	Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts, 6,783.38	Surplus, 6,500.00
Bonds, 1,000.00	Undivided profits, 6,545.10
Furniture and fixtures 2,415.64	Deposits
Due from Banks 53,827.22	Time 19,394.99
Cash items 2,081.23	Subject to check 147,141.28
Gold coin 510.00	Due to bks & blnks 615.02
Silver coin 1,982.77	Cashiers ck outs d'ng 369.53
National bank notes and U S notes 16,187.00	
Total \$205,565.92	Total, \$205,565.92

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, R. J. Cobb, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
R. J. COBB, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd day of Feb., 1906.  
C. S. CARR, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
J. L. WOOTEN,  
H. A. WHITE,  
C. T. MUNFORD,  
Directors.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE,**

GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JAN. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts \$147,144.01	Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured 4,604.01	Surplus, 25,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc. 2,000.00	Undivided Profits 6,545.10
Furniture & Fixtures 3,547.35	Deposits and Taxes Paid 12,588.44
Banking House 4,100.00	Deposit subject to check 210,645.14
Due from Banks 80,448.52	Cashier's checks outstanding 5,280.69
Cash items 1,234.79	
Gold coin 4,944.50	
Silver coin 8,619.82	
U. S. notes 21,381.97	
\$278,514.27	\$278,514.27

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
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 5th day of Feb., 1906.  
WALTER G. WARD, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
J. A. ANDREWS,  
J. G. MOYER,  
W. B. WILSON,  
Directors.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FARMVILLE, FARMVILLE, N. C.**

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JAN. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts \$22,616.63	Capital stock paid in \$10,000.00
Overdrafts 499.44	Surplus 1,607.04
Furniture & Fixtures 1,630.50	Undivided profits 32,609.88
Due from Banks 15,478.17	Depos. sub to check 32,609.88
Cash items 30.05	
Gold coin 602.50	
Silver coin 1,401.63	
Nat. bk & U.S. notes 2,058.00	
\$44,216.92	\$44,216.92

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, J. R. Davis, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. R. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of Feb., 1906.  
J. V. JOHNSTON, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
W. M. LANG,  
W. J. TURNAGE,  
R. L. DAVIS,  
Directors.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BETHEL BANKING AND TRUST CO.**

AT BETHEL, N. C.

At the close of business Jan. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts \$15,517.73	Capital stock \$ 5,300.00
Overdrafts secured 89	Surplus fund 700.00
Furniture & Fixtures 989.03	Undivided profits 815.87
Due from Banks and Bankers 19,436.66	Time certificates of deposit 2,545.00
Cash items 426.86	Deposits subj. to check 28,991.08
Gold and silver coin, National bank and other U. S. notes 2,922.21	Cashier's checks outstanding 372.03
Total \$39,323.98	Certified Checks 600.00
	Total \$39,323.98

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:  
I, H. H. Taylor, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
H. H. Taylor, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of Feb., 1906.  
SAMUEL A. GAINER, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
ROBT. STATION,  
J. R. BUNTING,  
M. O. BLOUNT,  
Directors.

# SPECIAL

## White Goods SALE

**A Sale You Will Talk About For Many Years to Come.**

**BIG VALUES**  
Wise buyers, come early. This sale embraces a large assortment of goods in this store. For a number of days we have been receiving and assorting cases upon cases of New Spring Goods. Arranging Stock to place ourselves ready for days of quick selling. We can't begin to tell of all the goods which we are going to sell so remarkably low.

**WHITE GOODS.**  
We are prepared, through early and heavy purchasing, to offer values which we cannot well not be duplicated. Look where you will, compare price with value—then come here.

**800 Yds Best Calico 50c**  
**900 " Checked Henspan 40c**  
**A Big Line Flannelettes Light and Dark Colors 90c**  
**2500 Yds Best A. F. C. Ginghams 10c**  
**2000 Yds Best Sea Island 36 inch 10c**  
**1000 Yds 40 inch White Lawn is now going 5c**  
**1000 yds 12 1/2 & 15c Nainsook special price 8c**  
**1000 yds 20 & 25c Pique sale price 10 & 15c**  
**1000 yds 25 & 28 Plain and waled Piques 15 & 20c**

**CORSETS.**  
A Good Heavy Jean Corset 4 hooks strong reeds Steel, in white only 25c  
Medium Length Corset with Hose Supporters attached, Lace Trimmed good quality of Hose Supporters attached 40c  
A Beautifully Made Corset Handsomely Trimmed with Fine Lace, Regular 1.25 value now going at 68c

**BLANKETS**  
A Few more Extra Size Bed Blankets 38c  
New Wool Blankets Bought Before the Advance at Your Own Price

**COMFORTS**  
Closing out all up to \$1.50 at the small price of 98c  
Closing out all up to \$2.50 at the small price of \$1.38

**BLANKETS**  
A Few more Extra Size Bed Blankets 38c  
New Wool Blankets Bought Before the Advance at Your Own Price

**GLOVE, GLOVES**  
Men's Work Gloves 25c  
" Driving " 49 & 98c  
" Golf " 49c  
" Fine Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves 98 & 1.37  
Shoes for Men Women and Children

**MILLINERY**  
It Will Pay You to Visit our Millinery Department

**HOSIERY**  
Ladies Mixed Hose 7c  
" Extra Heavy Hose 9c  
" Fast Black " 9c  
" " " 14c  
" Lisle Thread " 23c  
12 doz Misses and Boys Heavy Ribbed Hose 25c

**GENT'S NECK-WEAR**  
In all Styles and Colors, Plenty to Select From 25c

**CLOTHING.**  
Special Prices in Men's, Youths and Boys Clothing  
**HATS HATS HATS**  
At Your Own Price.

**FURNITURE** We can Furnish Your House from Top to Bottom and will Give You Right Prices.

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**ELECTRIC POWER.**  
Reflector Presses Driven By Motor.

THE REFLECTOR has just had installed a 3 horse power electric motor to run its presses. Machinist R. L. Humber put in the shafting, pulleys and belting, while Superintendent J. A. Dunlap, of the water and light plants, looked after the electrical arrangement. The motor was purchased from the General Electric Co. through H. Harding the local agent. The adjustments were completed and power first turned on the presses Friday evening. While all the minor arrangements are not yet perfected, it is seen that the motor runs the presses beautifully. Those who feel interested in seeing the motor and presses at work are invited to call in any evening after power is turned on from the municipal plant.

**THE BOSS AXEMAN IN GASTON COUNTY.**

During the big sleet Mr. Dave Garrison, of Worth, was having chills, and he hasn't shaken them off yet. But it is remarkable how much work he does even on his chills days. On Monday after the sleet he went to the woods and cut cord wood until the noon hour, when he was stopped by a chill. During the morning he cut 31 cords of wood. At noon he lay down before the fire and when he had shaken off his chill he went back to the woods. The afternoon was spent in cording up the wood he had previously cut, and when night came he had laid up 64 cords as an afternoon's work. So the record for the day stands: three and a half cords of wood cut from the stump, one chill shaken off, and six and a half cords of wood laid up. Mr. Garrison says that to cut and put up five cords of wood is a light day's work. He loves to feel his keen ax-blade reaching deep into the timber at every stroke. Mr. Garrison is a tall man, of large frame and powerful build and muscles. He says he is feeling a little older than he used to, but is still full of snap and go, all quickness and energy with his work.—Gastonia Gazette.

**A Crazy Negro.**  
Macon, Ga., Feb. 15.—In an address before the five hundred delegates, attending the convention of negroes in this city, to discuss racial problems, Bishop H. M. Turner declared the American flag to be a dirty and contemptible rag. He further said that hell was an improvement on the United States when the negro was involved. In closing he said: "If a little ignorant and stupid white man who was never heard of until ten thousand years after the resurrection trumpet, wishes a little notoriety he begins to believe and slander the negro and bounds into popularity. And I challenge any one or all of them to meet me in public discussion and I will show that the negro is a far better man than they are."

A special from Durham says that about 7,000,000 pounds of tobacco has been sold in that town of this year's crop at an average 11 3/4 cents. At South Boston the average price has been 9.32, the total sales aggregating 2,000,000 pounds. At Greenville and Kinston the average price has been a fraction under eight cents. Is the tobacco sold at Durham of better grade?—Raleigh News and Observer.

**THE WHITE HOUSE WEDDING.**  
MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT BECOMES THE BRIDE OF CONGRESSMAN LONGWORTH.

Ceremony Performed at Noon Today Amid Splendid Surroundings. Many Nationalities Represented, Immense Display of Presents, Couple Leave for the South.

Washington, D. C., February 17.—No social event in the history of this country has ever attracted as much interest in all sections of the country and among all classes of the population, as the wedding of Alice Roosevelt, eldest daughter of President Roosevelt, to Congressman Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio. The popularity of Miss Roosevelt's father, coupled with the outside fact that all the world loves a lover, particularly if that lover is the daughter of the chief executive of the country and has endeavored herself by her naturalness and democratic ways, has made the wedding of Miss Roosevelt a national event in the full sense of the word. The wedding came quite near being considered an international event, and, to some extent, has assumed that character, although President Roosevelt, with his Democratic spirit, tried his best to prevent it.

For many weeks the preparations for the joyful event at the White House had been going on, and during the last few days, a tremendous amount of work had been done in the line of decorating the various rooms and arranging matters for the reception of the large number invited guests. But, until a great deal remained to be done during the last few hours preceding the ceremony. From early morning there was feverish activity in all parts of the White House. The florists and decorators put the finishing touches upon their work begun yesterday.

The beginning of the ceremony had been set for high noon, but the first carriages with guests began to arrive shortly after eleven o'clock, and when the noon hour approached, there was an uninterrupted line of carriages depositing their occupants at the hospitable door of the White House. It was a brilliant assemblage which filled the magnificently decorated rooms. Women in beautiful gowns, men of distinguished appearance, in military uniforms, the rich garb of the diplomatic corps or the less picturesque costume prescribed for ordinary civilians at noonday functions of this character, crowded the space reserved for the invited guests and awaited patiently the beginning of the ceremony.

A few minutes before noon Bishop Satterlee, of Washington, and the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, who were to perform the ceremony, arrived in the East room and took their places within the enclosure of white ribbons, forming a barrier around the altar. A few minutes later the bridegroom, accompanied by his best man, Mr. Thomas Nelson Perkins, entered the room and took their positions at the side of the altar, where they awaited the arrival of the bridal party.

At the stroke of twelve the Marine band in the lobby began to play the wedding march from Wagner's "Lohengrin," and at the same moment the bridal party started in two columns toward the East room.

The bride leaned on her father's arm and walked with stately and dignified steps. Mrs. Roosevelt walked with her son Kermit, Miss Ethel with her brother Archibald

and the baby of the family, Quentin, was conducted by his cousin, William S. Cowles, Jr., the only son of Capt. and Mrs. William S. Cowles. Mrs. George C. Lee, the venerable grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. William S. Cowles walked together and were followed by the other members of the Lee, Roosevelt and Longworth families, who had come from all parts of the country to attend the wedding.

The eight ushers selected by the bridegroom awaited the bridal party at the foot of the stairs and preceded them to the East room, where they arranged themselves, four on each side, forming an aisle. They held white ribbons in such a way that they formed an arch, beneath which the bridal party marched toward the altar. The ushers were Quincy Adams Shaw, of Boston; Frederick Wintrop, of New York; Francis R. Bangs, of Boston; Guy Newman, of Boston; B. A. Wallingford, of Cincinnati; Larz Anderson, of Washington, D. C.; the Viscount Charles de Chambrun and Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the eldest son of the President.

The wedding ceremony was conducted in accordance with the ritual of the Episcopal church, Bishop Satterlee officiating and the Rev. Dr. Roland Cotton Smith assisting in the ceremony. During the progress of the ceremony the boy's choir of St. John's Church sang a number of sacred selections, including Mr. Longworth's favorite, "Be Thou Faithful unto Death," from "Elijah," and a selection from the Song of Solomon, "My Beloved Cometh."

Miss Roosevelt had originally intended to use for her bridal dress some of the magnificent satins, brocades and other costly materials which had been presented to her by the Empress Dowager of China, and other Oriental potentates, whom she had visited during her trip last year. She changed her plans, however, upon the suggestion of the President, who called her attention to the fact that it would be more appropriate for her to select for her bridal dress only materials of American manufacture.

Nearly every one of these present had had more than one opportunity in his life to attend social functions on a princely scale and to revel in the beauty of magnificent decorations at weddings or big State functions. Nevertheless all were struck by the exquisite beauty of the decorative arrangements carried out in every detail at this wedding. The quiet elegance of the East room and the other rooms and corridors formed a suitable background for the truly artistic decorations of the interior. Enormous quantities of the richest and most beautiful flowers, ferns, palms and other green plants were employed with great consummate skill that a most pleasing effect was produced, noble and rich, yet unobtrusive and artistically perfect in its harmony.

It is extremely doubtful whether any bride who was not a princess of royal blood was ever so overwhelmed with wedding presents as Mrs. Longworth.

For weeks wedding gifts of every description have been flowing into the White House, until the library was actually filled with the gifts. They came from every part of the United States, from every corner of the world and varied in value from a few dollars to a king's ransom.

One of the most beautiful presents sent to the bride of the White House by one of the foreign governments is a fine goblet, the wedding gift of the French Republic, through its president. It is a piece of tannery, two feet wide and four feet long. The design is very handsome and is a reproduction of a painting by Ebran of Strassburg, an Alsatian artist, renowned during the middle part of the last century.

Emperor William's gift to the bride was a handsome bracelet, artistically wrought in gold and jeweled.

The Empress Dowager of China sent a curiously wrought treasure chest, covered with beautiful carvings and filled with costly silks, satins, brocades, ivory carvings, lacquers, etc.

The king and queen of Italy sent a fine piece of mosaic from the Government Mosaic Works in Venice.

The Cuban Republic sent a magnificent gift in the form of a collar of pearls valued at more than \$25,000.

Nothing gave stronger proof of the popularity of the bride than the fact that the wedding presents sent to her from all parts of the world were by no means all sent by wealthy people or the heads of governments. Many of the gifts came from comparatively poor people, farmers in some of the Western states, artisans and others not richly endowed with worldly goods. From those sources the bride has received enough vitals to feed a good sized family for a year. Among the gifts were potatoes, all kinds of vegetables and fruit, pumpkins, eggs, and even coal in generous quantities.

Among the countless gifts from wealthy friends of the Roosevelt

family is a large silver pitcher, three feet high, which Mr. James Stillman had made to order by a New York firm.

Two other superb gifts came from the Ambassador to Great Britain and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and from the Secretary of State and Mrs. Root. The ambassador's present is a beautiful and costly dog collar of pearls and diamonds, while that of Secretary Root is a beautiful emerald chain.

Most of the members of the numerous Roosevelt clan have sent presents of silver and it is safe to say that in the aggregate there will be enough knives, forks and spoons of all kinds to stock a good sized store. Some of the members of the Roosevelt clan have also sent jewelry, works of art, lace, bric a brac, and glassware.

The relatives and friends of Mr. Longworth also remembered the bride and sent her some handsome wedding presents.

The wedding luncheon and reception lasted until three o'clock, when Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth retired to prepare themselves for their departure on their wedding trip. An hour later the newly married couple was driven to the Pennsylvania station, where the special Pullman car "Republic," specially fitted up for the bridal trip, stood ready to receive them. Mrs. Longworth looked charming in her traveling gown of tan cloth, cut in princess style and with a short bolero jacket. The skirt was trimmed with folds of chiffon velvet of the same shade as the cloth. The upper part of the waist and the sleeves were in chiffon and lace. The little hat was trimmed with bands of velvet. With this costume she wore a tri-cornered hat of tan velvet, with a band of pearls on the side, fastened with a tortoise shell and silver buckle.

The first of the trip of the newly married couple, but it is understood that the couple will go soon, probably to Georgia and will pay a visit to the home of her mother. Later they intend to spend a week or more at Palm Beach, Fla.

The trip will only last about three weeks, as the session of Congress makes it necessary for Mr. Longworth to return to Washington. After the adjournment of Congress Mr. and Mrs. Longworth intend to go to Europe and spend some time in the details of the principal countries. It is expected that they will be presented at the various courts which they will visit, although the death of King Oscar of Denmark will somewhat interfere with the original plans of the trip. The European courts, being in mourning, there will be little opportunity for the travelers to attend large court functions. They propose to spend considerable time in London and Paris, where both have many friends and relations.

Alice Roosevelt's "Twin" Marries.

New York, February 17.—Miss Madge Hogan, of this city, known among her friends as "Alice Roosevelt's twin," was married here today at high noon with William Holbrook, a private in Company E, eighth Infantry, stationed at Governor's Island.

The peculiar sobriquet of Miss Hogan was given to her because, like Miss Roosevelt, she was born on February 11, 1881, and always had the greatest admiration for the latter. When Miss Hogan heard that Miss Roosevelt was to be married of February 17, she arranged with her intended to be married at the same time. The marriage took place at the home of Miss Hogan's parents in this city. Invitations had been sent to Miss Alice Roosevelt and Mr. Nicholas Longworth.

A Mecklenburg county negro accidentally cut off one of his big toes. He carried the toe in his pocket to a physician to get it sewed back on.

**A CALL TO ALL.**

President Moore Coming Next Saturday.

To the Cotton Farmers of Pitt County, Business men, Lawyers, Doctors and men of every other Profession or Calling who are Interested in the Prosperity of our Country:

You are earnestly invited and requested to attend a mass meeting to be held in the court house at 11 o'clock on Saturday, February 24. President C. C. Moore, of the North Carolina division of the Southern Cotton Growers Association, will be present and speak on the cotton situation, the most vital subject now confronting the Southern people.

In his letter President Moore says, "I want to see every farmer in your county on that day. I want to talk to the people who go to the cotton fields and who actually drive the mule that pulls the plow, and all others who are directly or indirectly interested in the price of cotton." Now let the public show their interest by their presence on that occasion.

R. R. COTTEN, Pres. Pitt County Branch Southern Cotton Growers association.

**THE NORTH CAROLINA TEACHERS' ASSEMBLY.**

Next Session to be Held in Raleigh.

The next session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly will be held in Raleigh, June 12 to 15, 1906. The executive committee of the assembly came to this decision a few days ago after receiving an invitation to meet there, extended to them by the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce.

The decision of the executive committee to meet in Raleigh will be good news to the teachers of the state. Everybody likes to go to Raleigh. Now where else can the teachers in so short a time or at so small an expense learn so much about North Carolina as in the capital city, where they can visit the capitol and the various departments of the state government.

In the State Museum can be found a fine display of the great and varied resources of the state, where lessons can be learned in North Carolina geography and in North Carolina history better than in all the books ever written. In the State library and in the library of the Supreme court will be found interesting and instructive lessons in the history of the State. There are more schools in Raleigh, where there are more teachers and more pupils, than in any other city in North Carolina. Among these are the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College, the North Carolina schools for the Deaf and Dumb and for the Blind, S. Mary's school, the Baptist University for Women and Peace Institute. Other places of interest see the North Carolina Hospital for the Insane, the State Penitentiary, the Soldiers' Home, the Methodist Orphanage, etc.

The executive committee was promised that ample accommodations at a rate of \$1 a day in first-class boarding houses would be provided for as many as 2,000 teachers, and the railroads will offer the usual reduced rates. Six large and beautiful auditoriums will be placed at the disposal of the assembly.

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