EDITORIAL NOTES.

(By Occasional Contributor)

Speaker Cannon is reported that the tariff should be revised to the extent of dropping the [illegible]

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The general impression throughout the South will be that New York got just what he deserved at Cuba field for not drawing the color line in the fistic world.

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H. G. Wells, the English novelist, says that draw poker is a game. This would indicate that Mr. Wells had never experienced the suspense that causes a man to see whether he has gotten a thing to fill a bob tail.

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The Czar of Russia must say himself a good many sleepless nights by disguising himself as a member of the deceased Duma.

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Hereafter in all probability bank depositors will take more stock in time locks than in revival meetings as a safeguard for their funds.

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The vital statistics announce a striking increase in the number of suicides in Chicago. Easy remedy. Don't live in Chicago.

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About the only change that seems contemplated by the new rate law is that the courts will pay to reverse the interstate commerce commissions findings instead of merely failing to confirm them.

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From the past weeks hearings it would seem that the department of agriculture was not much stuck on the packers' old labels.

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So long as a country is China, no wonder it suffers from shakes.

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A tariff that must not be revised by its enemies and is not going to be revised by its friends, looks like something of a political fixture.

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Secretary Shaw had better get a little more in touch with the vagaries of the grain exchange before he goes to electioneering in Kansas.

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There is no indication that either of the political parties will have a barrell as even a part of their wardrobe in the present campaign.

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Reports from Wisconsin seem to indicate that both parties are making a desperate effort to get all there is out of the La Follette election law before they repeal it.

New lot of Books,
A. B. Ellington & Co.

No Court in Greene.

This week court was to have been held in Greene county by Judge T. J. Shaw, but owing to his sickness and inability to get to Snow Hill the court was adjourned for the term.

Books for ladies, men, boys and girls. A. B. Ellington & Co.

Those having real estate in town or in the country to sell, those wishing to purchase real estate, town lots or farms [illegible] do well to call on me at my office in Greenville, N. C.

ISAAC A. SUGG

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I am now prepared to do [illegible] and do work in Greenville and Creek townships.

BRYAN BROS.

Books and stationery in small and large quantities. A. B. Ellington & Co.

Farmers are not going to be too much to bring in new cotton with the price so low as at present.

The editor spent Friday night very delightfully at Winterville and will have something to say later about the splendid school here.

SENSATION IN CURRITUCK.

Elizabeth City, Sept. 6.—News was received here from Currituck court house this morning, that Joshua Harrison, one of the oldest citizens of Currituck county, was yesterday indicted by the grand jury of Currituck Superior Court, now in session, upon the charge of being an accomplice in the causes by which Kenneth Beasley, the young son of Hon. S. M. Beasley, disappeared more than a year ago.

A capias instanter was issued for Mr Harrison and today he was held under arrest by an officer, pending the giving of bail. Joshua Harrison's name has been connected with this affair ever since the child disappeared.

The diappearance of Kenneth Beasley, Feb. 23, 1905, created a profound sensation in the State and remains an unsolved mystery, toward the possible solution of which the arrest of Harrison is the first step. Detectives scoured the country in vain and all efforts to locate the missing boy were futile.

COLE'S CIRCUS COMING

ill be in Greenville on Thursday, 20th.

The first advertising car of Cole Brothers United Shows, arrived here this morning, and the work of billing the town and surrounding country for the coming of this show to Greenville on Thursday, Sept. 20th, is in progress.

The advertising car was in charge of Mr. Harry Curtis who called on The Reflector to a range for space to tell the people the merits of this great show.

Fresh from their triumphs abroad the Cole Brothers have greatly augmented their shows in every department. This season their spread of canvass covers an area of about nine acres and when erected the big tent alone affords comfortable accommodations for 12,000 persons. Overcapping the three big rings, three elevated stages and vast hippodrome track is a veritable maze of trapeze riggings, bars, rings, ropes and apparatus upon which dauntless queens and kings of the air wice daily defy death in entertaining the thousands of patrons. Over 300 men, women, children and educated animals are employed in the presentation of the astounding program.

Keep the date in mind and bring all your folks to the circus.

Lost Herself in Town

On Thursday Little Grace, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Warren, followed her father from his home in West Greenville as he was coming down town for his mail, either Mr. Warren nor any member of the family knowing that the little girl had followed him. She got lost down on Third street and was found crying, saying she was "looking for pa-pa." Her sister, no little tot could not tell her own or her father's name. She was taken in charge and a little later was recognized, and a phone message to Mr. Warren's home told him the whereabouts of the child, he having returned home to dinner time.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in certain Mortgage Deed executed by Cordy Nash Eppes and husband to [illegible] to secure a debt therein described, default having been made in the payment of said debt, I will on the 10th day of October, 1906, at the court house door in Greenville, Pitt county, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder, before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt county, North Carolina, the following described property, to wit: [illegible] This the 6th day of September, 1906.

THOS. J. JARVIS, Mortgagee
Substituted Trustee.

NOTICE.

[illegible]

Julia Strong,
Vs.
Henry Strong.

NOTICE

The defendant [illegible] take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of said court, to be held in the office of the Clerk of said court in Greenville, N. C., on the second Monday after the 4th Monday in September, 1906, at the Court house of said county in Greenville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 4th day of August 1906.

L. C. WOOD, Clerk Superior Court. Bryan Brown and R. C. Flanagan, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Department Store News.

Our Buyers have returned from the Northern Markets and in a few days our store will be crowded with

New Fall and Winter Coods

which you are invited to see.

Our stock will be complete in every department, our buyers have been careful to provide the best and newest in each line represented in our large collection of Merchandise, as usual a high standard of quality has been maintained and the lowest prices consistent therewith will prevail.

We Have Just Opened a small shipment of Long Black Silk Gloves.

You should call early before sizes are broken up.

Watch this space for announcements of new arrivals each few days. Visit this store often and keep an eye on our new showings.

JR & J G MOYE.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR.

D J WHICHARD, Editor and Owner. Twice-a-Week---Tuesday and Friday. ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR

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WINTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL.

Prospects of Present Session Best in Its History.

It was our pleasure to spend last Friday night in Winterville and attend the reception given to the pupils of Winterville High school. It was enough to fill any heart with pride to look upon the splendid assemblage of boys and girls who are attending this school and to note the earnestness with which they have entered upon the duties of the session.

The prospects are that the present session will be the best in the history of the school. The very first week enough pupils came in to overrun the dormitories and it was necessary to obtain rooms for some in nearby homes. Every year the school has grown larger and better, and already it is apparent that there must be an enlargement of quarters before another session. Especially must the girls' dormitory and the academy building be made larger, and the trustees have already begun planing with that end in view.

The excellent work done by this school—and it is surpassed by none—has given it a reputation through out the State and students are there from many different counties. The graduates from Winterville High school take high rank in any college which they enter, and those who do not pursue their studies further than the high school course go out well prepared to enter upon the duties of life.

It was a fortunate day for Pitt county when Prof. G. E. Lineberry came to take charge of this school at the time it was established. He has been principal from the beginning and his heart and life are enlisted in the work. Too much cannot be said in praise of the splendid work he has done. In Prof. F. C. Nye he has an excellent assistant, and the faculty this session is unusually strong. No effort has been spared to get the very best teachers that could be secured. Miss Elizabeth Boushall, of Elizabeth City, is in charge of the primary department, Miss Effie Barker, of Apex, has the intermediate grades, Professor Lineberry and Nye the higher grades, and Miss Bessie Sams, of Mars Hill, is music instructor. Each is a specialist in his or her respective department.

Winterville high school is already the pride of Pitt county and it is going to be the leading educational center of the entire eastern section of the State.

A Small Gathering.

Unless there was more interest in the Republican primaries in other townships, Saturday afternoon, then the one held in Greenville that party will cut a sorry figure in this county in the coming election. Here there was a mere handful of participants and all that was done was a few speeches about the need of two political parties and an invitation to all who wanted to participate in it to be a delegate to the county convention next Saturday.

Marriage License.

Register of Deeds R. William issued licenses to the following couples since last report.

WHITE.

Edward Edwards and Emma Cox.
Berry Thomas and Alice Peebles
John A. Jones and Laney Tyson.

COLORED

Sharper Forbes and Elnora Staton.
Noah Oakley and Rosa Vann.
Samuel Tarnage and Millie tneCS

DEMANDS PARLORS FOR BEAU

The Housemaids Union the Latest Thing in Labor Circles.

"Are you a union lady?" is the question now fired at the housekeepers of this city should they wish to hire a servant.

The housemaids' union has been formed here, and it is about 200 strong, according to Mrs. Anna Brown who framed up the affair, and who is at the head of it. It is woe to the housemaid now who cannot produce a working card.

The object of the housemaids' union is to improve social conditions. So far there has been no talk of a strike for higher wages, shorter hours or anything of that sort, but the housemaids do want to be recognized more extensively by their mistresses—and they are getting ready to enforce their demands or quit.

It is the intention of the girls to demand that they be allowed the parlor in which to receive their company at least one night in the week, the same as a daughter of the house; that their linen shall be sent to the laundry with the family linen; that they get two weeks' vacation each summer on full wages.—McKesport Dispatch.

NEWSPAPERS ONLY MEDIUM.

A Buffalo Advertiser Tells His Experience With Circulars, Cards, and Such Things.

J. J. Knozie a prominent real estate man of Buffalo, in an address on billboards to aldermen of that city the other day said:

"Ten years ago I started sending out circulars, folders, booklets cards, calendars and other printed matter. I gave great thought to methods of distribution and considered myself a qualified expert. Last year I had printed and lithographed 30,000 calendars, and everybody on the east side got one. I sent out folders and other material also, and no year in ten has passed that less than 150,000 pieces of advertising material were distributed.

"I know that it was all a mistake, that it was almost useless and that I was wasting my money, and I have absolutely given up that kind of advertising matter and am reaching my people in the only approved modern manner—through the newspapers."

SUPPORTS THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Grimesland, N. C., Sept. 8. 1906.

EDITOR REFLECTOR;

Please allow me space through your columns, to correct the erroneous report that is being circulated throughout the county that I will be an independent candidate for register of deeds. I have never entertained any such idea, and take this method of announcing to my friends and the public generally that the report is false, and, like others that have been circulated, without foundation or even an another.

I am too well known to the people of Pitt county for a lie of this kind to excite my ire. I have ever supported the Democrat ticket from president to township constable, yet not being different from all others, the pill has been a little bitter at times.

Respectfully,
W. M. Moore.

Rev. B. W. Spilman, of Kinston, will deliver a lecture at Winterville High school Wednesday night.

RURAL MAIL ROUTES

Washington, N. C., Sept 8, 1906

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I am much gratified to read an editorial in the recent issue of the Reflector calling the attention of the people to the conditions upon which their rural routes could be maintained. You explained the situation so clearly that it ought not to be necessary to call renewed attention to its importance. It is the duty of a representative to have this service extended wherever possible and to exert all his influence to prevent the discontinuence of a single route and to prevent the change from a daily to a tri-weekly service, but at the same time an important duty devolves upon the heads of families who live on or near existing routes. Where there are as many as one hundred families who are in a position to erect boxes and only twenty five or thirty families have shown sufficient interest to provide boxes the situation is discouraging and particularly to officials who have no local interest and only view it from a impartial standpoint.

Pitt county has a very fine service but there are still a few routes which are within the danger line of discontinuance. Those families who have provided themselves with boxes and are enjoying the benefits of the service, should exert themselves to induce others to provide boxes and all should unite in subscribing for one or more newspapers and periodicals and otherwise patronizing the route. I have in mind some plans for further extension of the rural services in Pitt county so that even a larger area may be covered,

Yours truly,
JOHN SMALL.

STOKES ITEMS.

[illegible] 7th, 1906.

We are glad to know that ex-Sheriff G M Manning is much improved.

A large crowd from here attended the second meeting at Flat [illegible] last report [illegible] time.

Dr. T. G. Brewington went to Greenville Tuesday.

L. H. Robertson and sister, Miss Cora, attended services at Oak Grove Sunday night.

Herbert Bailey, of Parkers Cross Roads, Lee Davenport and Arthur Davenport, of Pactolus, were callers in Stokes Tuesday night.

[illegible] Stokes [illegible] Grifton [illegible] Tuesday afternoon [illegible] Stokes [illegible]

[illegible] Stokes has been [illegible] Thursday, but we expect her back in March to take [illegible]

Miss Anna Spain is teaching the school at Cherry Swamp. Miss Spain is an excellent teacher and we wish her much success with her work.

THE LIBERTY [illegible]

In the High st Average.

The figures as furnished me by Mr. C. W. Harvey, secretary of the tobacco board of trade of the Greenville market as to the amount of tobacco sold during the month of August and as to highest average, is simply as follows, and figures don't lie: The market sold during said month, not including the Liberty, 1,048,126 lbs for $94,261.61 an average of $8.99 1-3. The Liberty sold 460,463 lbs for $42,025.28 an average of $9.12 2-3. Thus leading the entire market 13 1-3 cents per hundred.

S. T. Hooker,
Prop Liberty W. H. Co.

Sworn to before me this Sept. 10 h. 1906

C. W. Harvey,
Notary Public.

The above figures can be verified by calling at the office of the Liberty Warehouse Co., and in looking the books, which are open to the public or by calling on the secretary. By analyzing the above figures you will readily see that so did elsewhere lost $1,397.50 the first month by not selling with us. At 13½ cents per hundred on 1,048,126 pounds which the others sold amount to the above dollars, which sum [illegible] be made to buy a interest in a good warehouse. The Liberty sold during the month 17,627 pounds more tobacco than any firm on the market. Why? hard work, fair treatment and high prices did it. Farmers and friends be not deceived by snares and traps. Think for yourselves and come to the Liberty, the high price house where your every interest will be protected and a hearty welcome always await you. Yours for the highest average.

The Liberty Warehouse Co.

THURSDAY, SEPT, 20TH.

Is the date for Cole Bros. Circus.

Independent of all other managers and long recognized as show kings, Cole Brothers emphatically announce they will never enter into any compact to do away with the street parade. In the words of Messrs. Cole, others may do as they please relative to holding streets displays, but promise to continue putting on the most gorgeous pageant money can get let just as long as any common here the public. This season Cole Brothers, whose [illegible] will be seen Thursday afternoon and evening Sept. 20th, in Greenville, promise a [illegible] spectacle. In this year's exhibition will be heads of elephants, camels and ponies, herd of [illegible] Asiatic cattle; 400 [illegible] men and [illegible] horses, [illegible] the [illegible] circus [illegible] from [illegible] numerous new and exclusive features. Notwithstanding that Cole Brothers have invested a fabulous amount of money in the purchase of animals, the building of rolling stock and in providing up-to-the-minute novelties for this free street show, they have combined their several amusement enterprises and exhibit all under huge water proof tents for one price of admission. The presentation of the program occupies two full hours during which there is not an idle second as many as fifteen acts being given simultaneously. A word to the wise—go to the shows early, visit the horse fair, inspect the menageries, listen to neat whisconcert and be in your seats to the grand tournament band

A CARD.

To the voters of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina.

The office of Solicitor has always been declared to be a non-political one.

The present incumbent, Hon. L. I Moore, has held the office two terms, 8 years, and now seeks to have the people elect him for another term of four years more.

To my mind, and the mind of a great mass of the people, he has by his own act, disqualified himself from holding this office longer and should resign. He has accepted the attorneyship of a Railroad corporation at a salary of three thousand dollars per year, to wit: The Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Rail Road. It is well known, that the interest of the state is often brought in conflict with the interests of railroads, and other corporations and no man can serve both as attorney, when these conflicts arise, with zeal and fidelity.

"No man can serve two masters for either he will hate the one and love the other or else he will hold to the one and despise the other." "Ye cannot serve God and Mammon."

For these reasons, and others I do hereby declare myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina, and I ask all the right thinking voters, to vote for, and elect me to that position with the assurance on my part, that I will faithfully perform the duties of the office to the utmost of my abiliby.

ISAAC A. SUGG,
Greenville, N. C.

Sept. 10th, 1d06.

Greenville, N. C., Sept. 12th, 1906.

In a statement issued by the Liberty warehouse and published in the Reflector of Sept. 10th this house claims to have made an average of 13 1-3 cents above the average of the market. This average also left out the good sales made by the Liberty.

The Consolidated as published some days ago averaged 15 cents a hundred more than the market including its own average as well as the average of the Liberty.

These facts and these figures are not of our own make but are sworn to by the secretary of the board of trade from whom we got them. We would like to inquire also where the Liberty warehouse or Mr S. T. Hooker got his information from which he drew the conclusion and stated as a fact that his house, the Liberty warehouse sold 17,627 pounds more tobacco than any firm on the market. The secretary of the board of trade when approached about this matter stated positively he had not given any such information and he is supposed to be the only person who knows what was sold by the other houses. The laws of the board of trade prohibit most positively the secretary divulging the amount of sales of any particular warehouse, we therefore should like to know the source of this information.

The Consolidated Tobacco Co.

Rev. E. L. Hyde of West Conshohoken, Pa. an Evangelist of a national reputation, will begin a series of meetings in the Methodist Episcopal church at Parmele, N. C., Sunday September 16th. We will be glad for all who can to hear him. When you hear him once you will want to hear him again. J. A. Hadson.

Parmele N. C.
Sept. 16th, 1906.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Met Tuesday night in Adjourned Session.

The Board of Aldermen met in adjourned session, Monday night. Those present were Mayor Wooten, Aldermen Carr, Hooker, Spain, Mosley, McGowan and Taft. The regular committees made their monthly report. The streets recommend that Atlantic street be accepted when deed for it is tendered—which was accepted. The committee on water and lights recommended that suggestion made by the finance committee, that the sum paid for water and lights be reduced from $400.00 to $350.00 per month, which was adopted. The cemetery committee reported that much work had been done in the cemetery since the last report and that it would be continued until the cemetery is in good condition, which the Board approves, all the members showing interest in that work.

Aldermen D. S. Spain, B. W. Mosley and Mayor Wooten, a committee appointed to advise the Board as to sewerage.

We, D. S. Spain, B. W. Mosely and F. M. Wooten, your committee appointed for the purpose of advising you as to what Board should undertake and build for the town a Sewerage System, make the following report: That the Board of Aldermen should have this work done under its own direction, it representing the town as a whole, also for the reason this Board is looked to for the finances with which to build the sewerage system.

Also, we advise first that the Board advertise for contractors to bid on the system as a whole, to turn over to the town a system complete reserving the right to reject all bids.

2nd. That the Board advertise for the material needed with the view of making purchases for the system direct.

3rd, That the Board advertise for contractors to lay the pipe and to do the other work necessary for building the system, the town furnishing all the material, and the committee further recommends that Mr. J. E. Ludlow C. E employed by the town to superintend the construction of this system to be instructed that the town is now ready to proceed with the work and that his service as designated by the contract which the town has with him is now needed.

Negro Had Leg Cut Off.

Will McKoy, a young negro employed in a wrecking crew of the Atlantic Coast Line under Capt. Mauldsby and at work yesterday morning on the debris of the freight wreck, near Ivanhoe, on the A. & Y. railroad attempted to get up between two flat cars while the train was in motion and fell between. His right leg was cut off and he suffered other slight bruises. The injured man was brought to Wilmington last night for treatment.—Morning Star.

Peter Pappas, the well known restaurant keeper in "tobacco town" fell dead last evening at Harris Restaurant. Peter had the reputation of being a good cook and was said to be honest and truthful.

Louisburg, Sept. 8.—Tonight at 7 o'clock one of the hacks usually meeting trains ran over and, it is feared, fatally injured the little son of J. A. Cash. The driver, Sterling Freeman, has been arrested and locked up.

THE REFUGEES

By A. CONAN DOYLE,

Author of "The Return of Sherlock Holmes"

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been there," said I, "you'll see a great cross on the left side of the doorpost. If there's no cross, then pull the latch and ask the bishop if he'll come up to the cell to speak with as his house can bring him." The major started an hour after us. He would be in Paris by half past 10; the bishop won't be in his carriage before 11, and he would reach Versailles half an hour ago—that is to say, about half past 12. By the Lord, I think I've driven him off his head!"

De Catinat went round the cell now, waving his arms and his legs, with his shadow exactly as if he were afraid of him, all disturbed in the moon.

"Oh, if I could but do something for you!" he exclaimed.

"You can, then. Lie down on that straw and go to sleep."

By persuasion and a little nudging he got his delighted companion on to his couch again and he took the straw over him to use as a coverlet.

So weary was the young guardsman that it was long past noon and the sun was shining out of a cloudless blue sky before he awoke. He was still enveloped as he was in straw, and with the rude smell of the dungeon mingling in four parts known to others above his head, he stared about in bewilderment. Then in an instant the doings of the day before, his mission, the unknown, his imprisonment,

He sprang down at him in an instant with his knife.

all flashed back to him, and he sprang to his feet. His comrade, who had been dozing in the corner, jumped up also at the first movement, with his hand on his knife and a sinister glance directed toward the door.

"Oh, it's you, is it?" said he. "I thought it was the man. They brought those two loaves and a jug of water just about dawn, when I was settling down for a rest."

"And did he say anything?"

"No; it was the little black one."

"Simon, they called him."

"The same. He laid the things down and was gone. I thought that maybe if he came again we might get him to stop. Maybe if we got these stirrup leathers round his snake he would tell us where we are and what is to be done with us."

"Pshaw! What does it matter since our mission is done?"

"It may not matter to you—there's no accounting for tastes—but it matters a good deal to me. I'm not used to sitting in a hole, like a bear in a trap, waiting for what other folks choose to do with me."

"There's no help but patience, my friend."

"I don't know that. I'd get more help out of a bar and a few pegs." He opened his coat and took out a short piece of rusted iron and three small, thick pieces of wood, sharpened at one end.

"Where did you get those, then?"

"These are my night's work. The bar is the top out of the grate. I had a job to loosen it, but there it is. The pegs I whittled out of that log. You see, peg number one goes in here, where I have picked a hole between the stones. Then I've made this other log into a mallet, and with two cracks there it is firm fixed so that you can put your weight on it. Now these two go in the same way into the holes above here. So! Now, you see, you can stand up there and look out of that window without asking too much of your toe joint. Try it."

De Catinat sprang up and looked eagerly out between the bars.

"I do not know the place," said he, shaking his head. "It may be any one of thirty castles which lie upon the south side of Paris and within six or seven leagues of it."

He was dropping back to the floor and put his weight upon the bar. To his amazement it came away in his hand.

"Look, Amos! look!" he cried.

"Ah, you've found it out! Well, I did that during the night. I could make no way with my knife, but when I got the bar out of the grate I managed faster. I'll run this one back now, or some of those folk down below may notice that we have got it loose."

"Are they all loose?"

"Only the one at present, but we'll get the other out during the night. You can take that bar out and work with it while I use my own picker at the other. You see, the stone is soft, and by grubbing it you soon make a groove along which you can slip the bar. It will be mighty queer if we can't clear a road for ourselves before morning."

"Well, but even if we could get out into the courtyard where could we turn to then?"

"I think I can manage," said De Catinat. "I am slighter than you." He pushed his head and neck and half of one shoulder through the gap between the bars, and there he remained until his friend thought that perhaps he had stuck and pulled his legs to extricate him. He writhed back, however, without any difficulty.

"They are building something," he whispered.

"Building?"

"Yes. There are four of them, with a lantern."

"What can they be building, then?"

"It's a shed, I think. I can see four sockets in the ground, and they are fixing four uprights into them."

"Well, we might get away as long as there are four men just under our window."

"Impossible!"

"But we may as well finish our work for all that."

The gentle scrapings of his iron were drowned amid the noise which swelled ever louder from without. The bar loosened at the end, and he drew it in.

The steady hammering and sawing went forward. It was early morning, and the first cold light was beginning to steal over the courtyard before the work was at last finished and the workmen had left. Then at last the prisoners dared to climb up and to see what it was which had been constructed during the night. It gave them a catch of the breath as they looked at it. It was a scaffold. It was buttressed up against their wall, and in the center stood a headsman's block.

"I think it is time that we left," said Amos Green. "The window is clear. Let us make a rush for it."

"It is useless." I can see a line of armed men along the farther side of the yard. And here come more. See, at the center gate!"

As he spoke the door which faced them opened, and a singular procession filed out. First came two dozen footmen, walking in pairs, all carrying halberds and clad in the same maroon colored liveries. After them a huge bearded man, with his tunic off and the sleeves of his coarse shirt rolled up over his elbows, strode along with a great axe over his left shoulder. Behind him, a priest with an open missal pattered forth prayers, and in his shadow was a woman, clad in black, her neck bared, and a black shawl cast over her head and drooping in front of her bowed face. Within grip of her walked a tall, slim, fierce faced man, with harsh red features and a great jutting nose. He wore a flat velvet cap with a single eagle feather fastened into it by a diamond clasp, which gleamed in the morning light. But bright as was his gown his dark eyes were brighter still and sparkled from under his bushy brows with a mad brilliancy which bore with it something of menace and of terror.

The woman had faltered at the foot of the scaffold, but the man thrust her on, and two of the followers caught her by either wrist and dragged her forward.

"Oh, Maurice! Maurice!" she screamed. "I am not fit to die! Oh, forgive me, Maurice, as you hope for forgiveness yourself! Maurice! Maurice!" She strove to get toward him, to clutch at his wrist, at his sleeve, but he stood with his hand on his sword, gazing at her with a face which was all wrestled and contorted with merriment. She turned away and threw back the mantle which had shrouded her features.

"Ah, sire!" she cried. "Sire! If you could see me now!"

And at the cry and at the sight of that fair pale face De Catinat, looking down from the window, was stricken as though by a dazzle, for there, standing beside the headsman's block, was she who had been the most powerful, as well as the wittiest and the fairest, of the women of France—none other than Françoise de Montespan, so lately the favorite of the king.

CHAPTER XIII.

ON the night upon which such strange chances had befallen his messengers the king sat in his cabinet attended only by Louvois, his minister. There was a tap at the door, and Rontenas peeped in. "The archbishop has arrived, sire."

"Very well. Bring him. Ask madame to be so good as to stop this way. And order the witnesses to assemble in the anteroom."

As the valet hastened away Louis turned to his minister. "I wish you to be one of the witnesses, Louvois."

"To what, sire?"

"To my marriage."

The minister started. "What, sire! Already?"

"Now, Louvois; within five minutes."

"Very good, sire."

There had meanwhile been busy goings on in the small room where the red lamp burned in front of the Virgin. Françoise de Maintenon stood in the center, a little flush of excitement on her cheeks and an unwonted light in her placid gray eyes. She was clad in a dress of shining white brocade, trimmed and slashed with silver serge and fringed at the throat and arms with costly point lace. There came a discreet tap at the door.

"It is Bontemps, madame," said Mlle. Nanon. "He says that the king is ready."

"Then we shall not keep him waiting. Come, mademoiselle, and may God shed his blessing upon what we are about to do!"

The little party assembled in the king's anteroom and started from there to the private chapel. In front walked the portly bishop, clad in a green vestment, puffed out with the importance of the function, his missal in his hand and his fingers between the pages at the service de matrimonia. The king and Mme. de Maintenon walked side

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"One thing at a time, friend. Any way, there is more air in the yard than in here, and when the window is clear we shall soon plan out the rest."

The two comrades did not drive do any work during the day for fear they should be surprised by the jailer or observed from without. The instant that night fell they were both up upon the pegs, grinding away at the hard stone and tugging at the bars. It was a rainy night, and there was a sharp thunderstorm, but they could see very well, while the shadow of the arched window prevented their being seen. Before midnight they had loosened one bar, and the other was just beginning to give when some slight noise made them turn their heads, and there was their jailer standing, open mouthed, in the middle of the cell, staring up at them.

It was De Catinat who observed him first, and he sprang down at him in an instant with his bar, but at his movement the man rushed for the door and drew it after him just as the American's tool whizzed past his ear and down the passage.

"It is serious worth while to go on," said De Catinat.

"We may as well be doing that as anything else. If my picker had been an inch lower I'd have had him. Well, maybe he'll get a stroke or break his neck down those stairs. I've nothing to work with now, but a few rubs with your bar will finish the job. Ah, dear, you are right, and we are fairly treed!"

A great bell had begun ringing in the chateau, and there was a loud buzz of voices and a clatter of feet upon the stones. Hoarse orders were shouted, and there was the sound of turning keys. Five minutes passed, however, and yet another five minutes, without any one appearing.

"Well, I'll have that bar out, after all," said the American at last, rising and stepping over to the window. "Anyhow we'll see what all this caterwauling is about." He climbed up on his pegs as he spoke and peeped out.

"Some uproar! Lots of excitedly to his comrade. "They've got some other game going on here, and they are all in a coil too busy to bother their heads about us."

De Catinat clambered up beside him, and the two stood staring down into the courtyard. A hearse had been lit at each corner, and the place was thronged with men, many of whom carried torches. The main gate was open, and a carriage, which had apparently just driven in, was standing at a small door immediately in front of their window. A man wearing a plumed hat and enveloped in a riding coat stepped from the carriage and then, turning round, dragged a second person out after him. There was a scuffle, a cry, a pause, and the two figures vanished through the door. As it closed the carriage drove away, the torches and lanterns were extinguished, the main gate was closed once more, and all was as quiet as before this sudden interruption.

"Well," mused De Catinat, "is this another king's messenger they've got?"

"There will be lodgings for two more here in a short time," said Amos Green. "Give me your bar, a nim. This thing is giving. It will take us long to have it out." He set to work furiously, prying to and fro on the groove in the stone, through which he hoped to clear the stone. Suddenly he ceased and strained his ears.

"By thunder!" said he. "There's some one working on the other side!"

They both stood listening. There were the thud of hammers, the rasping of a saw and the clatter of wood from the other side of the wall.

"What can they be doing? Can you see them?"

"They are too near the wall."

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Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of Wick Harris, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same for payment on or before the 28th day of August 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This 28th day of August, 1906.

W. L. CLARK,
Admr. of Wick Harris.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as executor of the last will and testament of Sarah Hooks, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate must present the same for payment on or before the 23rd day of August, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 23rd day of August 1906.

Proclamation by the Governor

$100.00 REWARD

State of North Carolina
Executive Department

Whereas official information has been received at this department that W. H. Harrington Jr. late of the County of Pittsylvania charged with conspiracy and assault upon W. J. Tell, and whereas, it appears that the said W. H. Harrington Jr. has fled the State or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

Now, therefore, I, R. B. Glenn, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of One hundred dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said W. H. Harrington Jr. to the Sheriff of Pittsylvania city at the Courthouse in Greenville N. C. and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our City of Raleigh the 16th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six and in the one hundred and thirty-first year of our American Independence

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Mr. Coward, Jr., left Friday for Chapel Hill.

We have on hand one haypress which will be glad to make you a price on same.

J. R. Turnage & Co.

Mrs. Reddit has been visiting friends here.

We can peaches, apples, corn beans, &c, apply to E. E. Dail.

Mr. and Mrs. Britt and children, of Wilmington, are visiting Mrs. Britt's father.

Anyone who are in need of a cook stove we can make it to his interest to see us as we have bought a solid car load, and expect them to arrive next week. Cannon & Tyson.

Mr. W. E. Hooks is visiting in this country. He has gone to Pecoro and will have left Us Eddie Tripp to take care of the store until his return.

Try the famous "Queen Quality" shoe for women from J. R. Turnage & Co.

Mr. W. J. Jackson, from the country is spending the week with his son, W. C. Jackson.

When your eyes need attention see Mr. Taylor, expert optician, Greenville, N. C. is the man to do the work if you want to be pleased.

Miss Ethel Bowling, of Greenville, is visiting Miss Rusha Dixon.

Our Furniture line is now complete and we will be glad to have you inspect our stock before buying.

J. R. Turnage & Co.

Misses Annie Edwards and Blanche Cannon left this morning for school. The former will attend the Greensboro Female College and the latter the Conservatory of music at Durham. They both be sadly missed until their return.

MERCHANDISE BROKER.—I carry a full line of meat, lard and canned goods. Don't buy before giving me a trial. Frank Lilly & Co.

We regret to inform our friends that our friend, Mr. Sam S. Quinerson of J. W. Quinerly has the diphtheria. Sam is a popular fellow and we all hope soon to see him well.

Don't forget we carry a big stock of dry goods dress goods and clothing.

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We always carry on hand a full line of feed stuff at lowest cash prices. Such as corn, oats, corn, cotton seed meal and hulls, brand ship stuff. Frank Lilly & Co.

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We want to make room for other goods and in order to do so we are offering very cheap bargains in summer goods. We must move them out of the way and have put a price on them that will be sure to get them off. Now is the time to get value for your money. Cannon & Tyson.

We have just received a case of Celebrated Fry stockings for ladies and children.

For Sale: A nice one horse farm containing 48 acres more or less about 25 acres cleared within half mile of Ayden. Good well water and necessary outbuildings. Land in high state of cultivation. Apply to J. O. Cox, Ayden, N. C.

Original Observations.

All wheels are tired that attempt to move on our roads.

The mantle of charity is woven in the loom of forbearance.

The life work of some people seems to be criticising others.

The prospects of some men are so fine that they can't see them.

If you have money to burn, you buy your winter's supply of

As I expect to be in New York for at out two weeks my office will be closed from Aug. 22nd, till Sept. 3rd. J. W. Taylor.

Thelbert, the seven year old son of George Worthington has diphtheria at the home of his father, on Third street.

You will find Wheeler and Wilson and Singer sewing machine. Prices way way down at J. R. Tripp & Bro. next to Early Hotel. Ayden, N. C.

If in need of a disc plow or cultivator, get our prices before buying.

J. R. Turnage & Co.

Owing to business engagements we were prevented attending the Republican primary here Saturday. From the best information we can gather there was a tolerably fair size crowd present. There were however, so we learn, only 36 to participate in its deliberations.

Mrs Willie Prince, of Oak City, is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs Sick Smith.

We supply of hay, grain, hulls cotton seed meal, bran, ship stuff, always on hand, Cannon and Tyson

The Greenville boys are all right.

Rev. C. H. King, of LaGrange, filled his regular appointment in the Missionary Baptist church Sunday.

Buy the McCormick, vertical lift, mowing machine, and self dumprake from J. R. Turnage & Co.

J. J. Hines is in Baltimore after his fall stock.

Our slippers must go, the season is well advanced. The prices now will interest the most economic buyer

Cannon and Tyson.

J. J. Newland and wife, after a lengthy visit here to relatives have returned to their home in Tampa, Fla.

For a nice present buy a novelty clock at J. W. Taylor's. It is appropriate for any occasion, and give satisfaction.

Mrs. R. H. Carney came up on the train yesterday from a visit down the road

For anything in improved farm machinery call to see us and we will be pleased to quote you prices.

J. R. Turnage & Co.

J. R. Turnage left Sunday morning for the northern markets to purchase his fall and winter goods. Watch the columns of the Eastern Reflector for his big ad. It will be to everybody's advantage.

A colored slight of hand performance was one of the attractive features here during the past week. Most of his tricks were of the North ark class, but some were really good.

Geo. E. E. Dail & Co's new market for beef, fresh meats, sausage, and fresh fish.

Miss Nellie Faulkner and Bertha Jones went on a visit to Grifton Thursday and returned next morning.

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J. R. Turnage & Co.

Mr. Hugh Brooks left Monday morning for Winchester, Va., at which place he goes to accept a position. Charlie Ross and Clarence Cannon have gone to Chapel Hill, and Albert Cannon and Hyman Buck to Trinity High Pr ... school at Durham.

Jake Dixon and Dan Abbott, of Grifton, spent Friday afternoon in Ayden.

Miss Lena Dixon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Buhmann. Miss Lena will have charge of the primary department at the graded school next session. The trustees were fortunate in securing her services.

Dan Patch Makes New Record

St. Paul, September 8.—Dan Patch broke the world's pacing record at the state fair grounds this afternoon, going the mile in 1.44 flat.

FATE AND ANDREW JACKSON.

During the young manhood of Andrew Jackson, when he rode the circuit in Tennessee, knowing more law than most of his brethren at the bar, afraid of nothing on earth, ready to challenge to duel some trained lawyer from the older settlements, who, not less yet trespassing upon his own preserves and made fun of his ignorance—as Waughtish Avery did—thus holding his ground against all comers. Apartly brute force and partly by mental superiority he was probably nearer to happiness than he ever was afterward.

From court to court he rode his race horse, pistols in holsters, carrying his gun and his pack of hounds, ready for the court house, ready for the deer chase, ready for the shooting match, ready for the house-raise, ready for the house raising and log-rolling, ready to go out himself and drag into the court house the desperado whom the sheriff feared to arrest.

Rough-and-tumble times these were in backwoods Tennessee, with rude and lawless elements boiling and bubbling in that inevitable period of unrest and struggle which prevails in border settlements before the community takes form, and everybody snugly congratulates everybody else on the "reign of law and order."

In just such a state of society young Jackson was peculiarly fitted to lead, dominate and prosper.

Had he gone eastward instead of westward, had he cast in his lot with the lawyers that were striving for advancement in the cities of the original thirteen seaboard states, nothing is more certain than that the world would never have heard of him.

His stock of knowledge of the law would have made him easy prey to those who were masters of this profession; his fiery temper would have kept him constantly in battle array, and in fighting those lawyers who got the better of him in the citation of legal authorities he would, in the nature of things, have met the wrong man, sooner or later.—Tom Watson, in his Magazine for September.

If a man owned the earth he would try to dodge the tax collector just the same.

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Baltimore's All Night Bank.

Baltimore's all-night bank began business Tuesday night. The Sun says that from 7 p. m. until late in the night, four clerks were kept busy opening new accounts. Hundreds of visitors called and were greeted with hearty handshakes from the officers of the bank and were shown through the building. They saw a fine bank served to the accompaniment of a box of cigars was much in evidence. Things are changing in the banking world. The bankers no longer sit back and wait for business to come to them. They advertise and otherwise hustle for it.—Baltimore Chronicle.

Snake Between Them.

E. N. Cox, of Shelmerdine, says two boys, about 13 years old, which are twins, when the bell rang for dinner stopped Monday, went and sat under a tree nearby. They sat down about a foot or two apart with a small bush growing between their feet, which had grown up in a small gulley. They sat there for a short while when they began feeling something touch their feet, but never paid any attention to it. In about one minute they saw a snake moving off and, on investigation proved to be a rattle snake. They secured a hoe and killed it. The heavy is that the snake was coiled between the feet of the boys. The snake was three feet nine inches long and had five rattles.

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts,	$39,089.50	Capital stock paid in,	$13,500.00
Overdrafts Secured	208.44	Surplus fund	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	610.59	Undivided profits less expenses,	649.59
Due from Banks,	10,952.57	Dividends unpaid	222.00
Cash Items,	41.15	Deposits subject to check,	37,412.58
Gold Coin,	135.00	Cashier's ch'ks outstand'g	655.72
Silver Coin,	907.32		
National Bank notes and silver U. S. notes	3,129.00		
Total,	$55,043.67	Total,	$55,043.67

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF PITT,

I, J. R. Smith, 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. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August.

STANCIL HODGES,
Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. R. SMITH,
JOSEPH DIXON,
R. C. CANNON,
Directors

woman?"

"What have I done, then? The king came to my room to see the children taught. He stayed. He talked. He asked my opinion on this and that. Could I be silent, or could I say other than what I thought?"

"And so, by your own confession, you stole the king's love from the most virtuous of widows!"

"I had all gratitude and kindly thought for you. You have, as you have so often reminded me, been my benefactress. It was not necessary for you to say it, for I had never for an instant forgotten it."

"Pah! Your hypocrisy sickens me! If you pretend to be a man, why are you not where the men are? I was honest, and what I did I did before the world. You, behind your screens and your dressing and your precedence and your intrigues—do you think that you deceive anyone but yourselves?"

Her naturally dark gray eyes sparkled for the first time, and she took a quick step forward, with one white hand half lifted in rebuke.

"You may speak as you will of me," she said. "To me it is more than the foolish parrakeet that chatters in your antechoir. But do not touch upon things which are sacred. Ah, if you would but raise your own thoughts to such things as if you could but turn them inward and see before it is too late how vile and foul is this life with which you have lived! What might you not have done? His eyes were in your hands like clay for the potter. If you had refused him, if you had led him on the higher path, if you had been to him all that was noble and good, which he was capable of being, what would your loved and blessed from the children to the cottage? But no. You dragged him down, you wasted his youth, you drove him from his wife, you marred his manhood. Take heed, madame, for God's sake take heed lest it be too late! For all your beauty there can be for you, as for me, a few short years of life. Then, when that brown hair is white, when that white cheek is sunken, when that bright eye is dim—ah, then God pity the sin stained soul of Françoise de Montespan!"

Her rival had sunk her head for the moment before the solemn words and the beautiful eyes. For an instant she stood silent, cowed for the first time in all her life, but then the mocking, defiant spirit came back to her, and she glanced up with a curling lip.

"I am already provided with a spiritual director, thank you," said she.

"Oh, madame, you must not think to throw dust in my eyes! I know you and know you well!"

"On the contrary, you seem to know less than I had expected. If you know me so well, pray what am I?"

All her rival's bitterness and hatred rang in the tones of her answer. "You are," said she, "the governess of my children and the sweet mistress of the king."

"You are mistaken," answered Mme. de Maintenon serenely. "I am the governess of your children and I am the king's wife."

CHAPTER XIV.

OFTEN had De Montespan feigned a faint in the days when she wished to disarm the anger of the king. But now she knew what it was to have the senses struck out of her by a word. She could not doubt the truth of what she heard. There was that in her rival's face, in her steady eye, in her quiet voice, which carried absolute conviction with it. She stood stunned for an instant, pinling, her slit nostrils hands feeling at the air, her brilliant eyes dulling and glazing. Then with a short sharp cry, the wail of one who has fought hard and yet knows that she can fight no more, her proud head drooped and she fell forward senseless, and Mme. de Maintenon stooped and raised her up in her strong white arms. There were tears in her eyes as she looked down at the swoon pale face which rested against her bosom, all the bitterness and pride gone out of it and nothing left save the tear which sparkled on one the dark lashes and the pitiful droop of the lips, like that of a child which has wept itself to sleep. She laid her on the ottoman and placed a silken cushion under her head. Then she gathered together her and put back into the open cupboard all the jewels which were scattered about the carpet. Having locked it and placed the key on a table where its owner's eye would readily fall upon it, she struck a gong which summoned the page.

"Your mistress is indisposed," said she. "Go and bring her maids to her." And so, having done all that she could for her foe, she turned away, and in the great silent room where, amid the rich and the all-time, her beautiful rival lay like a crushed flower, lifeless and hopeless.

Hopeless enough, for what could she do? And hopeless, too, for her whole fortune and fate. The insignia and ... had gone back to the king, and she was alone. She scrutinized with sickly ...

"Yes," she cried, stamping forward with her hands and clenching her sleeves. "You triumph now. You terrify me. I have never harmed you. Why should you wish to ruin an unfortunate woman? Oh, speak to me, for God's sake, speak!"

Still the pallid face fell upon the white bosom, and she was alone and save her own sharp breathing.

"Perhaps you do not know who I am?" she cried, endeavoring to assume her mood of command, and succeeding only in a shrieking and impenetrable darkness. "You may learn when it is too late that you have chosen the wrong person to ... the enmity. I am the Marquise de Montespan, and I am not one who forgets a slight. If you know anything of the court you must know that my word has some weight with the king. If you

the gold, the vases, the pictures, the crucifixes, the watches, the trinkets—together they represented many millions of francs. With her own hands she packed away the most precious and portable of them, while she entrusted with her brother for the to be hung on of the others. By noon it was ready, and the ... property ... to be ... to her ... the ... the ... the

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR
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D. J. WHICHARD, - - EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

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GREENVILLE NORTH CAROLINA FRIDAY, SEPT. 4, 1906

Chamber of Commerce when? say the word, business men.

Roosevelt seems to be more anxious to reform spelling thi high tariff.

You can make Greenville grow if you do your part pushing it along.

You can drive a horse to water but you can't make him drink. Something as to the president's new fangled spelling

The weather and the mosquitoes seem to be the leading subjects of discussion these days. The "good old summer time" lingers with us this year

Owing to the heavy rainfall this summer everybody expected to hear the cry "hard times," but such does not seem to be the case. There is great activity in business and the great problem is to find laborers sufficient to do the work.

There is general complaint among our good housekeepers about the scarcity of vegetables. As Greenville is growing very rapidly and the demands are greater than the supplies, it might be a good business for some of our citizens to pay more attention to late gardening.

In this time of high wages, the young man who is working for a salary should be careful to save a part of his earnings. It is the duty of every man to practice economy and prepare for possible days of adversity.

No one has a lease on health, and he should lay aside something for "the rainy day."

The following advice from the September Money Maker if heeded by the average wage earner will make him a wiser and a happier man. It says-

There is one servant that can work seven days a week without breaking the fourth commandment and seven nights as well, and that does not even take a summer vacation, namely, invested money. To exceed your income a dollar per month is misery; to save a dollar a month from it is progress. The secret of success," says Emerson, "lies never in the amount of money, but in the relation of income to outgo."

While debt was hurrying the prodigal out of his fine home, extravagance pushed him on the faster. "Extravagance in family living," through pride that goeth before destruction, was one of his causes of failure. "We are taxed twice as heavily by our pride as by the State" The table rotes more than the thief." "It is the eyes of others, not our own, that ruin us." The candle is soon consumed burned at both ends by neglect of both income and outcome. "Wilful waste makes woeful want." Young men especially should economize to get a little capital so that they may be able to dobusiness for themselves.

FOR BRYAN AND AGAINST GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF RAILROADS.

In Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer, Capt. S. A. Ashe defines the best position on Mr Bryan and government ownership of railroads that we have read. Capt. Ashe says:

Were the government to own all of the railroads, necessarily, no new lines could be built except by the government, with public money. There would be but one system of railroads throughout the United States.

Railroad construction has not been finished in this country. We will need many more lines The location of these new roads must depend on the enterprise and demands of the growing towns and communities of every section of the Union. Under government ownership, we would have to apply to the Railroad Department, not for permission to build—but for the money to build.

If a desired road interferred with "the system," neither permission nor money would be given. In this aspect of the case it seems that the time has not come when it may be expedient for the government to own all the railroads.

There are several millions of voters connected with the railroads. They would be controlled by the administration.

Under government ownership an administration could perpetuate itself in power. Our government now is by parties, and the party in power, with the aid of the pensions, the postoffice, the National banks, and the railroads would be invincible. Our system of government would be changed to an oligarchy—dominated by the chiefs of the ruling party

For these reasons I am unalterably opposed to government ownership—a though strenuously favoring governmental control, and the abolition of every free pass of every kind—except to an employee traveling on the business of his road on that particular road.

Mr. Bryan, I hope, will be our candidate for the Presidency; but the subject of government ownership is not involved in his candidacy. That is a matter outside of the office of President, Nor is it imminent. To effect government ownership an amendment to the Federal Constitution would be necessary.

Bryan during his visit to North Carolina, will not come further east than Raleigh. He will speak in the following towns: Raleigh, Sept. 17th, Winston-Salem, Sept 18th, Salisbury, Sept 18th, Concord, Sept. 18th, Charlotte, Sept 18th. If any of the Democrats of this section wish to hear him they will probally attend the speaking at Raleigh If the new railroad were complete, doubtless a large number would go.

In a railroad wreck on the Ohio River division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad two men were killed and five injured. The wreck occurred in a fog, the trains coming together on a bridge over Fish Creek. The cause is given as a misunderstanding of orders.

Court and circus both next week will bring many people to town.

At Greenville,
THURSDAY,
September 20, 1906

EARTH'S MIGHTIEST AND BEST ASK ANYBODY.
3—BIG RINGS—3
3—HUGE STAGES—3
3—EQUINE FAIRS—3
3—COMBINED MENAGERIES—3
3—SPECIAL TRAINS—3
COUNTLESS COSTLY PEERLESS FEATURES
COLE BROTHERS WORLD-FAMED UNITED SHOWS
COMING IN ALL THEIR VAST ENTIRETY
103 CAGES, DENS & TABLEAUX CARS
ALL SUPREME SENSATIONAL SURPRISES HERE.
INVINCIBLE ARTISTS IN DEATH-INVITING FEATS TWICE DAILY.
1100 PEOPLE HORSES & RARE WILD ANIMALS.
LARGEST RAILROAD CONCERN PROPELLED BY STEAM.
TRIPLE MODERN HIPPODROME.
300 PREMIER PERFORMERS.
AMERICA'S ONLY AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISE WHICH HAS CIRCUMNAVIGATED THE GLOBE.
ALL TENTS SUN AND RAIN PROOF - SEATS FOR 11,000 PERSONS.

JUST A MOMENT PLEASE—WE TOTE FAIR.
THE SEARCH LIGHT OF TRUTH ON THE AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISES OF THE WORLD REVEALS
THE GREAT COLE BROS. UNITED SHOWS
AS EARTH'S LARGEST AND BEST REPRESENTATIVE TENTED ENTERPRISE.
3 RINGS—All Double Length R. R. Cars.
3 STAGES—103 Educated Quadrupeds.
3 MENAGERIES—1100 People and Animals.
3 HIPPODROMES—105 Cages, Dens, Floats.
3 HORSE FAIRS—300 Star Performers.
3 SPECIAL TRAINS—41 Jolly Clowns.
The Fountains from which Flit bubbles all the Newest, Most, Novel and Sensational Features. The Talk of the Times abroad and at home. America's Only Shows which have circumnavigated the globe
FLOODING FEASTS OF NEW DELIGHTS BY OUR CONGRESS OF CELEBRITIES They Have no Equals. They are Matchless in Marvelous Wonders.
The Year's Best Treat. Don't Wait to See Others THERE ARE NONE.
Seats for 11,000 Persons beneath our Sun and Waterproof Tents.
WITH THESE AND ONLY THESE GREAT SHOWS ARE TO BE FOUND
SIGNAL, ASTOUNDING, SUPERIOR, HIGH-CLASS FEATURES BY THE
AERIAL SHAWS
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AERIAL DESPAS
ROSCHETTA BROTHERS
RUSSELL TRIO
SEVEN DELAMEADS
COESELLE TRIO
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LEITZEL TRIO
MIKE HOONEY
LINDA JEAL JULIAN
ROSE GEER
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PROF. JOE FERRIS and Over 500 Others,
WM. WINSLOW
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Including 41 Jolly, Male and Female Joke-Making Jesters.
Thrilling Equestrians Fearless Aerialists, Dazzling Wire Kings and Queens, Amazing Acrobats and Gymnasts, Boneless Marvels, Dashing Race Riders and Drivers, Expert Bicyclists, Wonderful Jugglers, Astonishingly Educated Elephants, Horses, Ponies, Dogs, Goats, Monkeys and Rare Fierce Animals.
WE NEVER DIVIDE OR DISAPPOINT
WE NEVER CHANGE OUR DATES.
TWO PERFORMANCES IN ALL SUN AND WATERPROOF TENTS AT 2 AND 8 P. M. Doors Open One Hour Earlier for a tour of the Peerless Triple Menageries and attendance of the Musical Contest by Overwhelming Popular Votes on Wealth and Splendor. Open Lines to Place Wild Beasts, Herds of Elephants, Camels, Ponies, Horses, Five Bands of Music and all Executive New Novelties.
STILL THERE ARE MORE STARTLERS TO FOLLOW.
A 20-FOOT AWAKING DRAGON TRAP.
THE GREAT BLACK WILD BACTRIAN CAMEL Most Fun for the Monkeys of the Jungle.
THE GREAT BLACK TIGERS WE WON THE ONLY ONES EVER SEEN IN AMERICA. THERE WE NEVER HAPPY ONLY THERE ZOOS CONTAIN SPECIES OF TERRIBLE EARTH'S FEREST CREATURES. SEEN ANYWHERE ON THE GLOBE. OUR TERRIBLE ROAR.
M'LLE D'ZIZI
The Queenly Equine Star, Unknown Equal, Sensational Stunts Without Equal.
SPANNING DEATH'S ARCH
SOMETHING REALLY NEW
Everything Wealth can Procure—Culture Suggest—Experience Conceive.

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We can solve it for you.
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Furniture Sale Competition is Brisk and Furniture Sale Claims are many and loud.
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TO MAKE ROOM FOR ALL GOODS
The price on all Dry Goods and Notions will be marked down low.

We are now selling our ladies oxfords, figured lawns and embroideries at cost.

3.00 Regenia Shoes at 2.50
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Save the Worry
The hot weather brings you enough dissomfort without adding to it by worrying over your breakfast, dinner or supper. With such a store of
Groceries, Canned Goods, Package Goods, Pickles, Butter Cheese, Coffee, Tea, Cakes, Candies, Fruits, &c as I carry, the selecting and buying are easy and the worry all saved It will take no argument to convince you of this if you visit my store and see what I carry. You can find me one door North of Munford's.
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Your money hidden away at home is worse than useless. Better put it in a bank, and let it be making something for you. It's dangerous to have much at home when after people know it. The Bank of Winterville will pay you intrest on time deposits

J. F. Harrington, Joseph Barker and Henry Carey left Sunday mornidg for Baltimore where they will spend several days on business and sight seeing.

Quite a number of our young people went to Red Banks to the yearly meeting Suday.

B. F. Manningand Co., have just moved into their concrete store and have returned from the northern markets where they purchased a full line of of ladies, dress goods, gents furnishings, shoes hats, caps and also a large line of noions. The goods have arrived and are ready to the shown. They cordially invite all to come and examine their vast stock before buying elsewhere.

Miss Elizabeth Boushall, who spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. O. Bobbitt, of Shelmerdine, returned Monday.

"Laxo takes the place of Calomel," We sell it.
B. T. Cox, & Bro.

Nicest line of dress shirts ever shown in Winterville at
Harrington, Barber & Co.

Mrs, L. L. McLawhorn died Sunday night of consumption at her home near here. She was buried Monday evening. A sorrow stricken husband and two children aged 10 and 8 years are left to mourn their loss. She had been a devoted member of Reedy Branch church for 10 or 12 years.

We still have on hand a few copies of Teachers Bibles, we are offering to the trade at very low prices.
B. T. Cox, & Bro.

R. G. Chapman spent Sunday with his son near Shelmerdine.

Go to the drug Store of B. T. Cox & Bro for T. W. Wood & Son's high grade turnip and rutabaga seed.

No need of not having good pants when Harrington, Barber & Co., have just received a new lot, that they will sell cheap.

For fruit jars and rubbers go to Harrington, Barber & Co.

A nice line of granite and tin ware at J. B. Carroll & Co.

B. F. Manning went to Greenville Tuesday to put in an order for the windows in the Free Will Baptist church which is nearing completion. It will be one of the prettiest churches in town when fully completed.

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

We have just returned from the northern markets where we have purchased a large line of ladies' dress goods, gents' furnishings, shoes, hats and caps, also a large line of notions. We cordially invite all to come and examine our immense stock before buying elsewhere. A. W. Ange and Co.

A nice line of fancy groceries always on hand at J. B. Carroll & Co.

Harrington Barber & Co., ask their friends to wait a few days and examine their stock of goods before buying. They are in northern cities buying them.

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. are still making this Pitt Co School Desk and are in position to fill your orders promptly.

Have you Hunsucker's new edvice for fastening sun tops to any seat? Something original and right. It will be to your interest to see him before purchasing your buggy.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ross died Sunday and was buried Monday. They have our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement.

J. E. Green, Joshua Mumford and M. G. Byrum went to Bethery Swamp to the yearly meeting Sunday.

$3.50 Pants for $2.50.
$3.00 Pants for $2.20
$2.50 Pants for $1.75.
$2.00 Pants for $1.65.
$1.50 Pants for $1.10.
Harrington, Barber & Co.

D. S. Chapman, one of our most excellent young men, left Monday morning for Chapel Hill where he will complete his course in pharmacy next June.

1000 yards Laces and Hamburgs at cost Come early and get the bargains.
Harrington. Barber & Co.

We are glad to announce that Rev. B. W. Spilman, the noted Sunday school worker of the Southern Baptist convention, will lecture in the Baptist church here Wednesday night, Sept. 12. All are cordially invited to hear him.

School, tablets, pencils, pens and ink, at a bargain at J. B. Carroll & Co's.

Theodore Cox returned Monday night after having spent several days in Wilson and Seven Springs.

Do you want to aspire your girls to the modern ideas of housekeeping? If you do, the homp must be carefully nursed and supplied with up-to-date furniture. Drive you wagon this way. We can supply you with both staples and novelties. Bear in mind, we make a specialty of of crown Evans.
Eastern Carolina Supply Co.

Mrs. B. T. Cox gave an informal but delightful entertainment at her home Monday evening in honor of Misses Martha Tripp and Estelle Cutler, of Washington and Miss Mattie Hill, of Chocowinity Light refreshments were served and all report an enjoyable evening.

J. F. Harrington of the firm of Harrington Barber & Co., left Sunday morning for the northern markets to purchase their fall stock. They respectfully ask their friends not to buy their fall goods. They will be prepared to give bargains.

We were glad to see Rev. T. H. King, of LeGrange, here Monday. He came over to see the school.

For Cash.
We are now offering our entire line of men's Summer Pants at cost. We must have room for our fall stock, and are forced to make this sacrifice.

Josephus Cox left this morning for St. Vincent's Hospital in Norfolk to accompany his little son, John David, who will have an operation performed for appendicitis.

A full line of summer silks all at cost. Harrington Barber & Co.

Miss Mimie Cox and brother, Roy, attended services at Ayden Sunday.

Miss Emma Kittrell is visiting relatives in town this week.

Nice corned mullets at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Fancy and white waistings, all washable, at cost.
Harrington, Barber & Co.

Mrs. L. B. Highsmith returned from a visit at Grindool Tuesday.

Nice corned herrings at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Joseph Early, of Palmyra, came down Monday evening to enter his daughter in Winterville High school.

800 yards nice summer lawns voiles, lusters, &c. at cost.
Harrington, Barber & Co.

The enrollment of Winterville High school will reach near the 150 mark by the close of the week The work has begun nicely.

In spite of poor crops, the A. G. Cox Mfg Co, are still getting orders for their handsome buggies and wagons.

A nice of drugs always on hand at Harrington, Barber & Co's.

Nice line of fresh groceries always on hand Harrington Barber Co

The new max beers are open and will be at the store of B. F. Manning & Co.

"Acid Iron Mineral" natures great household remedy. A concentrated Mineral Water. Stops blood from your Cures indigestion. Kidney trouble, Liver complaint, Female weakness, cuts sores etc. For sale at the drug store of B. T. Cox, and Bro.

Miss Lala Chapman, who had been visiting her brother, Claude, near Shelmerdine, returned home Sunday evening.

STRAY TAKEN UP.

I have taken up one sow, weighing about 200 pounds if fat, red and black spotted, split in left ear. Owner can get same by proving property and paying cost.

J F. May, Greenville, N C.

DELIGHTFUL DANCE IN OPERA HOUSE

Complimentary to Misses Pattie B Barden, of Edenton, Eva Hassell, of Washington and Olive Morrill, of Snow Hill:

Reported for Reflector

One of the most delightful dances of the season was given Friday evening in Perkins Opera House complimentary to Misses Pattie B. Barden, of Edenton, Eva Hassell, of Washington and Olive Morrill, of Snow Hill, N. C., It being a card dance the couples were early and the German began at nine thirty led by Walter Wilson Jr., with Miss Morrill. Many new figures were introduced which were very beautiful. The young ladies were in full evening dress and the gentlemen in black suits. and it being the last dance before the big Christmas Hop was immensely enjoyed by all.

The following couples were present.

Miss Eva Hassell, of Washington, with Frank Wilson Jr.
Miss Pattie B. Barden, of Edenton, with Mr. Robert Howard
Miss Mary Bragg, of Baltimore, with Mr. Mark Williams.
Miss Olive Morrill, with Walter Wilson Jr.
Miss Nina James, with Mr. J. Benj. Higgs.
Miss Janie Brown, with Mr. E. H. Thompson, of Durham, N. C.
Miss Alice Lang, with W. E. Goolsby.
Miss Margaret Skinner, with Waler G. Ward.
Miss Ethel Skinner, with Dock Horne.
Miss Bertha Patrick, with Will Parker.
Miss May Whitfield, with Mr. Pe[illegible] of Wilson, N. C.
M[illegible]nie Tyson, with Hal Parsons, of Philadelphia, Penn.
Miss Mary James, with Fred Forbes.
Miss Mary Higgs, with Tom Moore
Miss Lee Brown, with Ames Brown.
Miss Irma Cobb, with Jack White.
Miss Maud Nixon, with Ajack Moore.
Miss Bessye Patrick, with Cary Mayo.

Stags: Burt James, Harry Skinner, Frank Skinner, Scoggins, Cary Warren, Alex Blow, Ray Tyson, Mr Boyandin, of Kansas City, Ned Laughinhouse.

Chaperones: Mesdames J. W. Aycock, W. B. Wilson, C. S. Carr.

Music furnished by the Greenville String Orchestra.

LIVE MAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM MORGUE

Washington, D C. Sep. 9 — After being placed in the dead wagon and started on a journey to the District resting place of unknown and unclaimed dead, John Forsythe, 40 years old, who was apparently lifeless when fished from the water at the north end of the highway bridge Thursday afternoon, showed signs of life while on the way to the morgue.

By the merest chance Forsythe was saved from drowning, but when believed to be dead, another pecular action of fate saved him from being placed alive among the corpse in the morgue. Instead he now lies unconscious on a cot in the Emergency Hospital, but has a fair chance of recovery.

Forsythe, who has not yet recovered sufficiently to allow him giving any explanation whatsoever was discovered in the river about 2:30 yesterday afternoon by John Striker, who was walking across the bridge. He saw what looked to be a corpse floating on the surface of the water, a few feet from the shore. He hurriedly obtained a rope and fished the man out of the water. The man had evidently jumped or fallen into the river a moment before.

An examination failed to disclose any signs of life, and Striker accordingly sent a call to the morgue. A few minutes later he decided that the unique man be entirely extinct and sent another call for the ambulance of the Emergency Hospital.

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S. M. SCHULTZ

I announce myself a Democratic candidate for magistrate in Swift Creek township.
BRYAN BUCK.

Proclamation by the Governor $100.00 REWARD

State of North Carolina
Executive Department

Whereas official information has been received at this department that W. H. Harrington Jr. late of the County of Pitt stands charged with conspiracy and assault upon W. J. Tell, and whereas, it appears that the said W. H. Harrington Jr. has fled the State, or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

Now, therefore, I, R. B. Glenn, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of One hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said W. H. Harrington Jr. to the Sheriff of Pitt County at the Court house in Greenville N. C. and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our City of Raleigh the 10th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six and in the one hundred and thirty-first year of our American Independence

R. B. GLENN,
By the Governor.
A. H. ARRINGTON,
Private Secretary

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Our Men's Fall Shoes are rich in those distinctive features of style and workmanship so pleasing to Men who are particular about their Shoes.

Graceful, dignified shapes, with an artistic touch in every line. Fashioned from the very best leathers by the leading Shoe Manufactures of the Country, they are sure to please the most discriminating Shoe buyer. We've a fine showing of the latest Fall and Winter styles from which to make a selection.

Vici Kid, Patent Kid, Patent Calt, Gun Metal Calt, are the Leathers. Bluchers, Button and Lace Styles. Extreme or Conservative Lasts.

We can do you a power of good, Sir, when you are ready to buy your Fall Shoes.

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C T MUNFORD

CATS AND DOGS.

Moods, Tempers and Natures of the Canines and Felines.

Cats do not like punishment as dogs do. They temper [illegible], and if struck they are apt to strike back, but beyond a gentle cuff to a kitten now and then I find a scolding or an exclamation of rebuke enough. They are also less intelligent and forgiving than a dog if unintentionally kicked or trodden on. There is no more beautiful expression in a dog's face than the look he turns to the friend who has involuntarily hurt him before there is time to explain. His whole demeanor expresses the highest magnanimity, not only the foregone pardon, but the eager desire that the offender shall think no more of the matter.

In many respects cats are more like men and women than dogs are. They have moods, and their nature is complex. A dog is very much of a piece. He is a good dog or a bad dog, brave or cowardly, honest or a sneak. The canine intelligence is much higher than the feline, but the disposition is simpler.

Cats are exceedingly irritable by temperament, sensitive to changes of the weather, to frost, to thunder. They are excitable and naturally disposed to bite and scratch when at play. There is a curious tendency in them, as in ill balanced or overstrung human beings, to lose their heads when in high spirits, and the self command most of them show when full grown in resisting these impulses is a striking proof of conscious responsibility. A full grown pet cat scarcely ever scratches a young child, no matter how much mauled by it. [illegible] being irritable cats are moody and subject to depression, probably a physical reaction from the former condition.

With one exception all the cats I have known are cautious. Their instinct when ill or sad is to be alone, but this is entirely neutralized by petting. They become as dependent on caresses and sympathy as children and [illegible] than children when [illegible] or injured, as they apply for relief with the most unmistakable [illegible], sometimes indicating plainly where they are in pain and presenting the suffering member for treatment. They are no [illegible] patient as dogs in taking medicine or submitting to surgical care, but show their recognition of its benefit by coming back for it under similar circumstances.—Temple Bar.

Ben Harrison's Advantage.

John [illegible] in Farwell hall in [illegible] Trumbull's painting [illegible] of Independence [illegible] when engaged [illegible] conversation [illegible] Benjamin Harrison, [illegible] patent, [illegible] "he was remarkable [illegible] ex," said Harrison. "[illegible] advantage over [illegible]." "How so?" inquired [illegible]. "Why," replied Harrison [illegible] come to be hung for [illegible] so heavy I shall place [illegible] the rope and be dead in an instant, but you are so light that you will be dangling and kicking about for an hour in the air."

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You [illegible] Harness, Horse [illegible], &c.,

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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 had a symptom of it for six years. Respectfully,

J. W. COBB.

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BETHEL BANKING AND TRUST CO.

AT BETHEL, N. C.

At the close of business June 18th, 1906.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$24,326 82	Capital stock	$ 5,300.00
Overdrafts	631.12	Surplus fund	700 00
Furniture & Fixtures	989.63	Undivided profits	1,174.30
Due from Banks and Bankors	10,317.63	Bills Payable	6,000,00
Cash items	9,114 15	Time certificates of deposit	2,309.50
Gold coin.	885.00	Deposits subj. to check	32,799.21
Silver coin National bank and other U. S. notes	2,119.43	Cahier's checks outstanding	72.57
		Certified Checks	28 20
Total	$48,383,78	Total	$48,383.78

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 22nd day of April 1906 Sam A. Gardner Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
ROB'T. STATON,
J. R. BUNTING,
M. O. BLOUNT
Directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
THE BANK OF FARMVILLE, FARMVILLE, N. C.
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 18th, 1906

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans & Discounts	$27.588 34	Capital stock pd in	$10,000.00
Furniture & Fixtr's	1.630.50	Undivided profits	1.986.54
Due from Banks	18,885 52	Depos. sub to check	40,233 37
Cash items	9.39		
Gold coin	495 00		$52,219.91
Silver coin	1,179.11		
Nat, bk & U.S. notes	1,432.00		
	$52,219.91		

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, Cathier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of June 1906.

J. V. JOHNSTON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. J. TURNAGE,
T. L. TURNAGE,
R. L. DAVIS,
Directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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THE REFUGEES.

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by side, she quiet and composed, with gentle bearing and downcast eyes, he with a flush on his dark cheeks and a nervous, furtive look in his eyes, like a man who knows that he is in the midst of one of the great crises of his life. Behind them in solemn silence followed a little group of chosen witnesses, the long, silent Pere la Chaise, Louvois scowling heavily at the bride, the Marquis de Charmarante, Bontems and Mme Cateau.

The torches shed a strong yellow light upon this small band as they advanced slowly through the corridors and salons which led to the chapel. A minute later they were before the altar, and the words were being read which should bind them forever together. As they turned away again, her new ring blazing upon her finger, there was a burst of congratulation around her. The king only said nothing, but he looked at her, and she had no wish that he should say more. She was still calm and pale, but the blood throbbed in her temples.

But a sudden shadow had fallen across her, and a low voice was in her ear. "Remember your promise to the church," it whispered. She started and turned to see the pale, eager face of the Abbe beside her.

"Your hand has turned cold, Francoise," said Louis. "Let us go, dearest. We have been too long in this dismal church."

Mme de Montespan had retired to [illegible] from her brother. She knew Louis so [illegible] and she was well aware of [illegible] in trifles which was one of his characteristics. If he had said that he would be married by the archbishop, then the archbishop it must be. Could at least there should be no marriage.

She dressed herself with care in the morning. No news had come to her of the great event of the previous night, although the court already rang with it, for her brother and her bitter tongue had left her without a friend or intimate. She rose, therefore, in the best of spirits.

She was still in her boudoir putting the last touches to her toilet when her page announced to her that the king was waiting in her salon. Mme. de Montespan could hardly believe in such good fortune. She had racked her brain all morning as to how she should win her way to him, and here he was waiting for her.

He had come with every intention of beginning the interview by telling her bluntly of his marriage, but now, as he looked upon her beauty and her love, he felt that it would have been less brutal to strike her down at his feet. Let some one else tell her, then. She would know soon enough. All this ran swiftly through his mind, and she as swiftly read it off in his eyes.

"You have something you want to say, and now you have no [illegible] heart to say it. God bless the kindly heart which checks the cruel words."

"No, no, madame," said Louis. "I would not be cruel. I cannot forget that my life has been brightened and my court made brilliant during all these years by your wit and [illegible]. But times change, [illegible] for every person I think the [illegible] best that we should arrange [illegible] which we discussed the other day and that you should withdraw yourself from the court."

"Withdraw, sire! For how long?"

"It must be a permanent [illegible], madame. I need not say that I shall make your retirement a happy one as far as in me lies. Your allowance shall be fixed by yourself. A palace shall be erected for you in whatever part of France you may prefer, provided that it is twenty miles from Paris. An estate also—"

"Oh, sire, how can you think that such things as these would compensate me for the loss of your love?" Her heart had turned to lead within her breast. Had he spoken hotly and angrily she might have hoped to turn him as she had done before, but this gentle and yet firm bearing was new to him, and she felt that all her arts were rain against it.

"Madame," said he, "I have thought well over this matter, and it must be as I say. There is no other way at all. I have ordered your brother to have his carriage at the postern at 9 o'clock, for I thought that perhaps you would wish to retire after nightfall."

"To hide my shame from a laughing court! It was thoughtful of you, sire. And yet perhaps this, too, was a duty, since we hear so much of duties nowadays, for who was it but you"—

"I know, madame. I know. I confess it. I have wronged you deeply. Believe me that every atonement which is in my power shall be made. Nay, do not look so angrily at me, I beg. Let our last sight of each other be one which may leave a pleasant memory behind it."

"A pleasant memory!" All the gentleness and humility had fallen from her now, and her voice had the hard ring of contempt and of anger. "A pleasant memory! It may well be pleasant to you, who are released from the woman whom you ruined, who can turn now to another without any pale face to be seen within the salons of your court to remind you of your perfidy. But to me, pining in some lonely country house, spurned by my husband, despised by my family, the scorn and jest of France, far from all which gave a charm to life, far from the man for whose love I have sacrificed everything—this will be a very pleasant memory to me, you may be sure."

The king's eyes had caught the angry gleam which shot from hers, and yet he strove hard to set a curb upon his temper. He felt that it was for him to do so, and yet it did not come kindly to his imperious nature.

"There is nothing to be gained, madame," said he, "by using words which are neither seemly for your tongue nor for my ears. You will do me the justice to confess that where I might command I am now entreating."

"Oh, you show too much consideration, sire! Our relations of twenty years or so can scarce suffice to explain such forbearance from you."

"Your words are bitter, madame. I renounce be reasonable, I implore you. We have both left our youth behind."

"The allusion to my years comes generously from your lips."

"Ah, you [illegible] my words. Then I shall say no more. You may not see me again, madame. Is there no question which you would wish to ask me before I go?"

"Good God," she cried, "is this a man? Has it a heart? Are those the lips which have told me so often that he loved me? Are those the eyes which have looked so fondly into mine? Can you then thrust away a woman whose life has been yours as you yet sweep the St. Germain palace when a more showy one was ready for you? And this is the end of all those vows, those sweet whispers, those persuasions, those promises—this?"

"Nay, madame, this is painful to both of us."

"Pain! Where is the pain in your face? I see anger in it because I have dared to speak truth. I see joy in it because you feel that your vile task is done."

"My patience can bear no more!" cried the king furiously. "I leave you, madame, and forever!"

But her fury had swept all fear and discretion from her mind. She stepped between the door and him, her face flushed, her eyes blazing, her face thrust a little forward, one small white satin slipper tapping upon the carpet.

"You are in haste, sire? She is waiting for you doubtless. But it was a disappointment last night, was it not, my poor sire? Ah, and for the governess—what a blow! Great heaven, what a [illegible]! No archbishop, no marriage, all [illegible] wrong! Was [illegible]

[illegible] said it flashed [illegible] her [illegible] good? [illegible] "Be [illegible]," said he. [illegible] you [illegible] final [illegible]."

[illegible] and his face [illegible] calm [illegible] [illegible] are [illegible] business [illegible] done. [illegible] is [illegible] down at his feet. They [illegible] rattled, the little pelets of red and yellow and green, rolling, [illegible] the floor and rapping up against the oak panels at the base of the walls.

"They will go for the governess if the archbishop comes at last!" she cried.

He was more convinced than ever that she had lost her wits. A thought struck him by which he might appeal to all that was softer and more gentle in her nature. He stepped swiftly to the door, pushed it half open and gave a whispered order. A youth with long golden hair waving down over his black velvet doublet entered the room. It was her youngest son, the Count of Toulouse.

"I thought that you would wish to bid him farewell," said Louis.

She stood silent as though unable to realize the significance of his words. Then it was borne suddenly in upon her that her children as well as her [illegible] were to be taken from her, that this other woman should see them and speak with them and win their love while she was far away. All that was evil and bitter in the woman flashed suddenly up in her mind for the instant she was what the king had thought her. If her son was not for her then he should be for none. A jeweled knife lay among her treasures ready to her hand. She caught it up and rushed at the cowering lad.

Louis screamed and ran forward to stop her, but another had been swifter than he. A woman had darted through the open door and had caught the uplifted wrist. There was a moment's struggle, two queenly figures swayed and strained, and the knife dropped between their feet. The frightened Louis caught it up, and, seizing his little son by the wrist, he rushed from the apartment. Francoise de Montespan staggered back against the ottoman to find herself confronted by the steady eyes and set face of that other Francoise, the woman whose presence fell like a shadow at every turn of her life.

"I have saved you, madame, from being that which you would have been the first to bewail."

"Saved me! It is you who have driven me to this—you, whom I picked up when you were hard pressed for a crust of bread or a cup of sour wine. What had you? You had nothing—nothing except a name which was a laughingstock. And what did I give you? I gave you everything. You know that I gave you everything—money, position, the entrance to the court. You had them all from me. And now you mock me!"

"Madame, I do not mock you. I pity you from the bottom of my heart."

"Pity? Ha, ha! A Mortemart is pitied by the widow Scarron! Your pity may go where your gratitude is, and where your character is. We shall be troubled with it no longer then."

"Your words do not pain me. I have never had an evil thought toward you."

"None toward me? Oh, woman,

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Some People Expect New Shoes HURT

And theyare seldom disappointed. They buy that kind. The fact that a shoe should feel comfortable from the start is unknown to them because they have never felt the luxury of putting on a rightly made shoe.

The Hanan Shoe

offers more real comfort when new than their kind of shoes offer after months of wear—It starts out a smart, stylish shoe and ends just as smart and stylish.

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My goods and prices will convince you that this is the place to buy in any quantity.

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CONDENSED STORIES.

How a Celebrated Statesman Was Treated to a Surprise.

Famous men are sometimes just like other men in the eves of children. One day the celebrated Edward Everett was riding along a road in Massachusetts. At Lynn a bright and pretty girl got into the car and took the vacant seat by his side. He entered into conversation

THE STATESMAN SMILED.

with her and was much entertained by her fresh and vivacious comments.

When the train was entering Boston he determined to give her a pleasant surprise and so said blandly:

"Now, could you like to know who it is with whom you have been talking?"

"Oh, yes," answered the girl, upturning her beaming face.

The statesman smiled benignantly.

"I am Mr. Everett—Mr. Edward Everett."

The girl stared at him vacantly.

He smiled again, for the mortifying thought that his name could be unknown to her had not yet taken form in his serene mind.

The pause became oppressive. Finally the girl bethought herself.

"Do you," she said desperately—"do you live in Lynn?"

Glass That Keeps Out Heat.

An Austrian inventor, Richard Szigmondy, is reported to have made a new kind of window glass whose chief peculiarity is that it prevents the passage of nine-tenths of the heat of the sun's rays. It is well known that ordinary window glass allows nearly all of the heat derived from the sun to pass through, but, on the other hand, intercepts all heat coming from nonluminous sources, such as a stove or the heated ground. This is the reason why heat accumulates under the glass roof of a hothouse. If covered with Szigmondy's glass a hothouse would, it is claimed, become a cold house, since the heat could not get into it. One advantage set forth in favor of the new glass is that a house whose windows were furnished with it would remain delightfully cool in summer. But in winter perhaps the situation would not be so agreeable. — St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

STRONG Again

is what Mrs. Lucy Stovall, of Tilton, Ga., said after taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hundreds of other weak women are being restored to perfect health by this remedy. YOU may be well if you will take it.

Indigestion causes nearly all the sickness that women have. It deprives the system of nourishment and the delicate organs peculiar to women suffer—weaken, and become diseased.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten. It nourishes the body, and rebuilds the weak organs, restoring health and strength. Kodol relieves indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, sour risings, belching, heartburn and all stomach disorders.

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Dollar bottle holds 2½ times as much as the trial, or 50 cent size.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Little Bits Caught up Here and There That Are Interesting.

New mullets at Sam'l M Schultz.

Cotton baskets for sale by J. O. Proctor & Bro 21 tfd sw

Prof. W. W. Ragsdale returned Tuesday evening from Bethel.

J. F Davenport returned Tuesday evening from a trip North.

This is going to be another big week on the tobacco market judging from the size of the breaks so far.

Two hundred and fifty girls and boys to work in a new knitting mill in Tarboro, N. C. Good wages. Apply to C. W. Jeffreys, Tarboro, N. C. 13 3m sw

For Sale—One 25 H. P. gasoline engine, in first class condition, only reason for selling, we have to increase our power.

Commercial Knitting Mills
11 6td sw tf

Those having real estate in town or in the country to sell, or those wishing to purchase real estate, town lots or farm lands, will do well to call on me at my office in Greenville, N. C.

ISAAC A. SUGG.
8 1wkd swtf.

STRAY TAKEN UP.

I have taken up one gild hog, black streak across back weight about 50 pounds, marked under bit in right ear and swallow fork in left. Owner can get same by proving property and paying charges.

HARRISON SUMMERELL
Near Race Track,
Greenville N. C.
10-1d and 3wks sw.

The whole state will rejoice if the indictment of the man Harrison in Currituck will lead to the discovery of Mr. Beasley's little son who so mysteriously disappeared about a year and a half ago. It it can be proven that the child was kidnapped by Harrison there is no punishment too severe for the man. There are many people who have maintained all along that the child was still alive; that it had been kidnapped. Those who doubted this wanted to know what motive there could be for such a deed It is now shown that Harrison harbored revenge against Mr Beasley because of the latter's activity in putting down lawlessness in his county. Here you have the motive, and we hope there is sufficient evidence to saddle the crime upon the guilty parties. —Wilmington Messenger.

A Political Forecast.

There are strong indications that there will be a political revolution in 1908, the like of which has never been known, or even dreamed of, in this country. Already there are "Roosevelt Democrats" and "Bryan Republicans;" and two years hence there will probably be more political changes than in any campaign during the past quarter of a century. In many of the Northern States both parties are disorganized and demoralized; and no one is wise enough to forecast the alignment of parties in 1908.—Morning Star.

$10.00 REDWARD $10.00

Will be paid by the town of Grimesland Pitt county, North Carolina, for the arrest and delivery of Thomas Grimes escaped to the Chief of Police of said town, who died on the 8th day of June, 1906. Thomas the Town Constable and Jailer, before in the act of the murder, said at the office with a knife and was fired at the State, or so convicted himself that the ordinary process of law could not be served on him. The said Thomas Grimes is a large, portly negro, medium height, weighs about 195 or 200 pounds, wears a mustache, one side longer than the other, has a habit of rolling his head when talking and is about 35 years old, is married and his home was Tarboro, Edgecombe county, the seat of office of the town of Grimesland.

This 1st Feb. 1906.

W. H. BURKS, N. Mayor
By W. S. ELKS, Sec.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed and delivered by Nash Perkins and husband Charlie Perkins to John Pylkhouse the undersigned January 2nd, 1906, and duly recorded in the register of Deeds office of Pitt county, North Carolina, in Book 54 page 70. I, the undersigned will expose to public sale at the Court House door in Greenville, N. C. the highest bidder on Thursday, October 25, 1906, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina and described as follows to wit: Situate in west Greenville, Lucern Place, on Sackrider avenue two lots 120 feet thence north, 41 feet to Jim Whitley's line, thence east to set to the beginning to satisfy said Mortgage Deed, terms of sale cash.

This 18th day of Sept 1906.

HELEN S. PERKINS Mortgagee
Skinner & Wheless Attorneys.

Department Store News.

Our Buyers have returned from the Northern Markets and in a few days our store will be crowded with

New Fall and Winter Coods

which you are invited to see.

Our stock will be complete in every department, our buyers have been careful to provide the best and newest in each line represented in our large collection of Merchandise, as usual a high standard of quality has been maintained and the lowest prices consistent therewith will prevail.

We Have Just Opened a small shipment of Long Black Silk Gloves.

You should call early before sizes are broken up.

Watch this space for announcements of new arrivals each few days. Visit this store often and keep an eye on our new showings.

J R & J G MOYE.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR.

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WALKS UNDER WATER.

Wearing Odd Device, Judge Lawton, of Geneseo, Takes Fifteen Minute Stroll on Lake Bottom.

Geneseo, N. Y., Sept. 10—At the annual Livingston county picnic at Long Point Cesonus Lake, fully 20,000 persons witnessed Judge Reuben P. Lawton, of Geneseo, walk under water with with a new contrivance with which he has recently experimented.

Although the demonstration was a success, the inventor still refuses to allow anyone to inspect the device, saying he has not yet perfected it.

After the judge adjusted the device, which covered only the face and left the top and back of the head exposed, he waded into deep water until completely submerged. A flag that he carried at the end of a pole gradually came closer and closer to the water and then moved along on a line parallel with the shore. After fifteen minutes the judge emerged from the water and took the device off of his face.

GREENVILLE BOYS

Two Doing Well in Rocky Mount.

The Reflector would rather see Greenville boys remain at home and help to build up home, but at the same time it always gives us pleasure to note that they meet with success when they go elsewhere and engage in business.

In Rocky Mount the other day we found two of our boys who are making reputations. L. T. Bland is proprietor of the Cuthrell hotel there and his success is almost phenominal.

He has only had the hotel a few months, yet in this short time he has built up such a reputation with the traveling public that his house is full every day. Lee keeps an ideal hotel in a convenient place, sets an excellent table, his rooms are models of cleanliness and he gives guests every attention, things that go a long way in winning the esteem of travelers

Another Greenville boy in Rocky Mount is Hill Horne. He has a position in the leading drug store there and his efficiency and courtesy make him exceedingly popular. He is a self-made young man, honorably forcing his way to the front, and deserves success.

Bethel has also furnished Rocky Mount with a successful business man in the person of John D. Blount. He has been there several years and is among the leading dry goods merchants of the town. He is now having a large brick store erected in which to carry on his business.

EX-VICE PRESIDENT'S BOOK.

It is stated that ex-Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson in writing a book of sketches of public men with whom he has come in contact. He has been in contact with all of them for quite a quarter of a century and his pen pictures of them will be worthy of inspection. Mr. Stevenson is one of the keenest of observers and most acute of analysis, and his book is certain to enjoy great popularity And if he can write a story as well as he can tell one, it will be a treasure-house of humor, for as a story-teller he was never surpassed.—Charlotte Observer.

What Greenville cannot do in the way of selling tobacco no other town need try to do.

HOMICIDE AT HIGH POINT.

George Meeks Slays Pleas Oaks and is Held Under a $2,500 Bond.

High Point, Sept. 12.—At an inquest here this afternoon over the body of Pleas Oaks, who was killed this morning by George Meeks, there was sufficient evidence to bind the slayer over to court in the sum of $2,500, which he was unable to give.

The homicide was committed early this morning in the southern part of the city Meeks came up town and gave himself up and is now in jail.

The story of the crime, as learned from witnesses, is as follows: Pleas Oaks came to the house of Meeks drunk and engaged in an altercation with him. Oaks attempted to jerk Meeks off his porch when he was ordered off by the latter. Oaks struck at meeks with a black-jack, which he had up his sleeve and fastened to his wrist. This is now on the dead man's person. He shoved Meeks inside his (meeks) own door. Once inside Meeks reached for his pistol on the mantel and after ordering Oaks off the premises three times, shot him dead as Oaks was trying to brain him with a black-jack. Weeks' wife and Mr. Mike Morris were eye witnesses.

It is also learned that Oaks was trying to be intimate with Weeks' wife, this being the real cause of Oaks' presence there which led to the difficulty.—Charlotte Observer.

This is Sent Out From Raleigh.

From time to time the State papers have had something to say about that class of lawyers known variously as shysters and buzzards, who as soon as a person is killed or dangerously injured by a railway, rush to the house and get the case, oftentimes taking chances, charging no fee but agreeing to take half of the damages which may be received. Old lawyers, reputable men, are often heard to express surprise that these things go on and yet are loath to take the proceeding necessary to disbar people who do these things, but at last there is to be a test case, brought before the Supreme Court and pushed by an eminent lawyer, which will jar not a few of the shysters in North Carolina. The case is now being prepared and a lawyer who is behind it says something will drop and fall very hard.

Something may be done about this class of lawyers, but we doubt it, and it might be said in passing that if all the lawyers who solicit damage suit cases and bring them on contingent fees were disbarred there would be an astonishing decrease in the legal fraternity in North Carolina. The class is much larger than the general public suspects.—Statesville Landmark.

Republicans Announce a Candidate in the Third District.

Kinston, N. C. Sept. 11.—The Republican executive committee of the Third Judicial district met here today and named Julian F. Dawson, of Carteret county, to oppose Hon. O. H. Guion, the Democratic nominee for judge in this district. No one was nominated for solicitor, but Col. Isaac A. Sugg, of Greenville, was endorsed by the committee to make the race against Solicitor Moore, who was the nominee and who also lives in Greenville. Colonel Sugg is on Democrat.

No Sales Thursday.

There will be no sales on the Greenville tobacco market on Thursday, 20th, the day Cole Brothers circus exhibits here. Everybody will want to take in the show.

BLACK JACK ITEMS.

Black Jack, N. C. Sept. 12, 1096

G. S. Porter and Raymond Tucker left Monpay for Baltimore Washington City, Philadelphia and other points of interest.

S. C. Mills, Miss Rebecca Mills, J. O. Johnson and Miss Julia Cox attended yearly meeting at Parker's chapel last Sunday.

Miss Fannie House and Mrs. Olivia Whichard, of House, are visiting relatives in our town.

Miss Cannie Hardee, of Haddock's X Rads, is visiting here this week.

H. H. Mills is the glad father of a baby girl.

Little Miss Sophronia Dixon is on the sick list this week.

Misses Maggie Smith and Maud Manker returned Saturday from a visit near Chocowinity.

Miss Bertha Coward, of Shelmerdine, is here for a few days.

Samuel Lupton, of Belhaven, is in our midst.

E. L. Clark went to Greenville Friday.

Dr. W. H. Dixon, of Edward, was here a few days ago on business.

G. S. Porter and others attended church at Red Banks Sunday.

G. W. Cox and wife returned Monday from New Bern and other points.

J. D. Haddock, of Ayden, spent last week here.

A. O. Clark, R. M. Elks and Harry Dunn, of Grimesland, were here Sunday.

Misses Stella Mills, Maggie Hudson and Sudie Edwards left Sunday for Winterville High school.

Elder Lupton came in Sunday

Protracted meeting began Sunday night and will last about two weeks. The attendance has been most excellent so far.

W. L. Hurst and wife, of Winterville, are here for a few days.

A Needle in His Leg.

For some time A. Y. Hicks has suffered severe pains at intervals in the fleshy portion of his leg below the knee. He says he appealed to his physician for an operation but was told he only had rheumatism. One day recently he made an examination himself and as a result removed a needle from the afflicted limb. The pain ceased and he says he is all right now. The needle was bright and medium size, with the eye broken. —Marion Democrat.

Twelve Months on Roads for Snapping Unloaded Gun.

In Lincolnton Superior court Tuesday a young man named Jones Kiser was tried for shooting a young girl in the western part of the county. He thought the gun was not loaded and asked the girl to put her ear to the muzzle and hear the sound made when he snapped the gun. He assured her that the gun was not loaded, but when he snapped it the gun fired and blew the top of the girl's head off. The young man thought the gun was unloaded, but he was found guilty of manslaughter for criminal careless and sentenced to 12 months on the chain gang.—Newton Enterprise.

Union and Protracted Meetings.

The Roanoke union meeting of the Tar river association will begin in the Memorial Baptist church here on Friday evening before the fifth Sunday in this month and continue through Sunday. A protracted meeting will follow the union.

MUST ACTUALLY SEE VALUE OF ADVERTISING.

It seems strange that there are merchants doing a retail business in this age, who are skeptical on the subject of newspaper advertising. If they give the newspaper an ad it is because some other merchant does, or else on the ground of "helping out" the local paper. Either of these classes will also actively refuse to acknowledge that they made a single sale through their advertising. And the reason is plain. They do not go at it with purpose of making it pay. If they approached a customer in their store in the same manner, they would average one sale for every tenth customer. And it would only be necessity that forced any one to return to the store.

It is these classes who advertise without method or preparation, who, if solicited, demand that actual proof of the value of the advertising be given them before they will give an ad to a newspaper. And it is very largely due to the local merchant who refuses to learn and see the value of home advertising, that the mail order houses in the large cities read such bountiful trade results from the smaller cities. These mail order houses use the mails, and the people in the smaller towns see the attractive bargins offered, and not seeing anything that the local merchant advertises, the out of town dealer gets the business.

If the local merchant will try and note the arrival of out of town packages it will be an object lesson, and one which he should heed. It means that money which should pass through his hands goes to another place, and largely because his own home people do not know of his goods.—Newbern Journal.

A CARD.

To the voters of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina.

The office of Solicitor has always been declared to be a non-political one.

The present incumbent, Hon. L. I Moore, has held the office two terms, 8 years, and now seeks to have the people elect him for another term of four years more.

To my mind, and the mind of a great mass of the people, he has by his own act, disqualified himself from holding this office longer and should resign. He has accepted the attorneyship of a Railroad corporation at a salary of three thousand dollars per year, to wit: the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Rail Road. It is well known, that the interest of the state is often brought in conflict with the interests of railroads, and other corporations and no man can serve both as attorney, when these conflicts arise, with zeal and fidelity.

"No man can serve two masters for either he will hate the one and love the other or else he will hold to the one and despise the other." "Ye cannot serve God and Mammon."

For these reasons, and others I do hereby declare myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina, and I ask all the right thinking voters, to vote for, and elect me to that position with the assurance on my part, that I will faithfully perform the duties of the office to the utmost of my abiliby.

ISAAC A. SUGG,
Greenville, N. C.
Sept. 10th, 1906.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Relative to Averages Made by the Consolidated.

The following statement ought to convince every tobacco farmer that it is to his interest to sell his tobacco with the Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Company.

The market sold in the month of August 1,508,589 pounds at an average of 8.91 with our average included. The Consolidated Tobacco Company sold 442,836 pounds of this amount at an average of 9.06, making a difference of 15 cents per hundred above the market.

Deduct our 15 cents from the average of the market which is 8.91 and it will give you the average made by the other warehouses for the same amount sold, which is 8.76. Take this from 9.06, which is the average made by the Consolidated Tobacco Company, and it will give you the difference of 30 cents per hundred pounds higher than the other warehouses obtained. This means $1,328.59 more money in the pockets of the farmers in one month than if they had sold at other houses.

Now, if we can sell your tobacco for the most money why don't you let us sell it? We are prepared to prove to you under the sworn statement of the secretary of the board of trade that this is a true statement of facts. You have worked hard to raise and prepare your crop of tobacco for market and it is a duty that you owe to yourself and family to sell your tobacco wherever you can get the most money. You don't only get more money for the tobacco that you sell with the company but at the end of the season get every dollar of the commission taken from the sale of your tobacco back less the actual running expenses of the business.

There is not another warehouse in the state that has made as high averages as the Consolidated Tobacco Company has made in the past three years and why it is that the farmers can't see that it is to their interest to patronize and work for the upbuilding of this Company I am unable to see. Other warehouse men and their employees have made statements to the effect that they are in position to give and will give you more money than any other house on the market. Our monthly statement which is sworn to, shows that these representations are not true and it does seem to me that it is time that the farmers were waking up to the fact that they are making a great mistake in not selling their tobacco with the Consolidated.

Throw away your prejudices and patronize the house that pays you the most money.

On September 26th, 27th and 28th the Star warehouse is going to have three days special sales and you will make no mistake in bringing me a load on the above named dates, as I will guarantee to you one of the best sales that you have ever made. Remember the dates.

Yours for high prices,
The Star Warehouse,
Oliver Forbes, Negro Salesman.

Persimmons on Pine Bush.

Mr. T. R. Moore was so nicely taken in this morning that he brought the curiosity to the Reflector. It is the top of a pine bush on which are several fine looking persimmons and they appear to be perfectly natural. The deception is so complete that a number of people who have seen it thought the persimmons actually grew on the pine bush.

NORTH CAROLINA MANNS HIM.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Representative Small, of the first district, is in Washington today on his way home from the Bryan meeting in New York. When seen at the Raleigh Hotel by The Observer's correspondent and asked for his opinion of the Nebraskan's speech, Mr. Small said. "There is no doubt that it was a great speech and that it was entirely satisfactory to 99 per cent. of the people who heard it. We had a good turn out of first-class North Carolina Democrats there, including our Governor and Senators, and we helped to whoop things up a little.

"As I said it was a first-class Democratic speech, and I like it, but in two particulars I feel that possibly a mistake was made. One of these was his statement concerning State and government ownership of railroads and the other was that he did not go into the socialistic question as deep as he might have done. In this matter his handling of it was shallow and superficial, I believe it would have been better had he spoken on this point in a deeper and more dignified way. However, as far as his allusion to State and government ownership of corporation is concerned, I think I express the sentiment of many of the Democrats in my State when I say that, while it was possibly a mistake to bring that matter into the speech, it was simply the speech of an individual man and not the speech of a candidate, for the presidency though I have not the least doubt that Mr. Bryan will receive the nomination at the next Democratic convention to be the successor of Mr. Roosevelt on the Democratic platform.

"I think," continued Mr. Small, "that many people have been influenced by newspapers that are unfriendly to Mr. Bryan to the extent that, instead of taking the speech as a whole or picking out the good points and leaving the bad ones out, we have gone at it the other way and are trying to see how much fault can be found with it. The metropolitan journals of the country are responsible for this.

"Taking the speech all in all it was a good one and I have not the least doubt, as I said, that Mr. Bryan will be the nominee of the Democratic party, at the next convention, for the presidency. We certainly want him in North Carolina."

Will Be a Reception Such as Befits the Greatest American.

The Northern press is already speculating upon the manner of reception that will be given Mr. Bryan while on his tour through a portion of the South. But the South is not near so worked up over Mr. Bryan's advocacy of government ownership of railroads as these northern dispatches imagine. The South recognizes that, as Mr. Bryan himself plainly said, it is his personal opinion, and moreover that it is not an immediate issue There are other fights to be fought before the consideration of the question of government owned railroads and the South believes that Mr. Bryan is the one man that can lead these fights successfully. It may be put down right now that Mr. Bryan's reception in the South will spell "ovation," and without any simplified spelling.—Columbia State;

When you come to court remember where The Reflector office is and call in for a receipt.