

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

To the officers and members of Eureka Lodge, No. 167, K. of E., Ayden, N. C.:

We, your committee appointed to draft a series of resolutions expressing the sympathy of the membership of this lodge for our sister, Tar River Lodge, No. 96, in the recent loss she has sustained by the death of one of her most honored and dearly beloved members, Brother Robert M. Moye, beg leave to submit the following:

We deeply sympathize with our sister lodge in her sad bereavement and tenderly extend to her our sincere sympathy in her incalculable loss.

We would assure them that we the members of Eureka Lodge feel as keenly as they, the seemingly untimely death of Brother Moye, whom we each personally knew and for whom every one of us felt a tender and loving regard. We would assure them we feel in the death of Brother Moye their loss is irreparable and the places he once so honorably occupied will be hard to fill.

We would further assure them as a gentleman we esteemed him highly, as a friend he occupied a warm and tender place in our hearts, as a chivalrous and brave Pythian his place was second to none. Honest, conscientious, sincere and cheerful he readily found a place in the deepest recesses of the hearts of those with whom we come in contact. What we have written we would beg to assure them is not superfluous, but real, and we can but hope our lives may be as exemplary as his.

Unanimously adopted in open session of lodge and copy ordered sent to the family of deceased, and to The Reflector for publication.

J. R. Turnage, }
N. J. Boyd, } Com.
J. M. Blow. }

Weather Bureau Propounds Problem.

Our compliments to the esteemed Weather Bureau at Washington. We sometimes find fault with its prognostications, but its statements of meteorological conditions are accepted unquestioned as the correct thing. Consequently we must believe when we read that "Two great storms are moving towards the East from opposite directions." The only trouble with this simple story of the impossible is that it fails to throw in a diagram. An inquiring public will naturally want to see just how two forces moving in opposite directions can each be moving toward the east. The ordinary mind would suppose that one of them would be moving toward the west. We await with interest a further statement as to which of these storms moving toward the east from opposite directions is going westward and which way the other is going. Things seem to be mixed.—Hartford Courant.

A Working Colored Man.

If all the colored people were as industrious as John Hall, a tenant on Mr. Wm. McArthur's farm in Beaver Dam township, they would have money and get along much better. The other day John sold a load of tobacco at the Star warehouse for \$276.29, the average being 19 cents a pound. John is a regular subscriber to The Reflector, too.

Go in Time.

Do not forget to call at the office of the secretary and treasurer to get shares in the new series of stock in the Home Building and Loan Association that will begin the first Saturday in November.

DEATH OF MRS. J. W. PERKINS.

A Christian Woman Called to the Better World.

After an illness of only a few days Mrs. Helen Perkins, wife of Dr. J. W. Perkins, departed this life Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock. Her death was a shock to a host of friends, not many even knowing she was sick until her condition was critical.

Mrs. Perkins was the youngest daughter of the late Mr. Marcus Moore, and lacked only a few days of being 37 years old. She was married to Dr. Perkins in 1888 and is survived by the husband and three sons, the youngest only about 7 months old. She also leaves one sister and one brother, Mrs. J. D. Murphy and Mr. W. W. Moore, of Asheville.

The sudden death of this excellent woman is sad beyond expression, and every heart throbs with sympathy for the husband and three little boys who are deprived of a devoted wife and loving mother. May they have the love of the Heavenly Father to comfort and sustain them in their loss.

Mrs. Perkins was held in warm esteem by kindred, friends and neighbors, for she possessed such traits of character and sympathetic kindness as won all hearts. She was a member of the Baptist church and her life was that of a faithful Christian. By the family, kindred, friends and the church she will be sadly missed.

The funeral of Mrs. J. W. Perkins, who died Wednesday evening, was held Friday morning at 11 o'clock, the service conducted by Rev. J. E. Ayscue. The interment was in Cherry Hill cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. J. L. Wooten, C. S. Carr, W. H. Ragsdale, S. T. Hooker, W. B. Greene, E. E. Griffin, H. W. Whedbee, C. D. Rountree, J. White, H. A. White, D. L. James, Charlie James.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

Hall of Covenant Lodge No. 17,
I. O. O. F.
October, 9, 1906.

DEAR BRETHREN:

We have again had to face the great truth that "All that is born must die." This time "death loves a shining mark" has been very true, for in the death of Brother Robert M. Moye we have lost one of the best men that ever took upon himself the obligations of an Odd Fellow. While it is true Brother Moye was young in our order he had within himself the great principles of Odd Fellowship, Friendship, Love and Truth, for he had lived these all his life, and if he could have been spared he would have risen in the order and made one of our leading members, for he learned to remember his Creator in the days of his youth. As Odd Fellows we will tenderly cherish his memory, and we hope that we all may live as he lived, if so, we will truly meet him on the "eternal shore."

Therefore, be it resolved:

1st. That we tender to his afflicted wife our heartfelt sympathy and if it should be necessary our willingness to render any aid she may require. We can only recommend her to the Christ whom he served so faithfully, and hope that they will meet in that home where parting, sickness and tears will be forever banished.

Resolved 2nd. That to the father, sister and brother we tender united condolence in this dark hour and to them we say that they should not sorrow

COMMERCIAL KNITTING CO.

One of Greenville's Thriving Industries.

Since the re-organization of the Commercial Knitting Company last spring, the enterprise has made wonderful progress. The work has so increased that the first of this month \$10,000 additional stock was issued, making the total \$36,000. This increase of the stock was for the purpose of further enlarging and increasing the capacity of the plant.

A large annex is being built for a bleachery, considerable new machinery has been added, and the power is being increased.

The mill is now working on goods for next season, and has orders ahead for the entire season's output. An excellent quality of goods is turned out.

The next step ought to be to establish a yarn mill in connection with the knitting mill.

FACING TROUBLES.

"A large part of the troubles of life are unnecessary; they are created by ourselves, or donated to us by others. If we are making our own sorrows, let us shut down the factory; if others are making them for us, let us reduce the friction of pain to a minimum. If others are cruel, inconsiderate or unjust to us, let us, so far as possible, accept it all for what it is worth, and feel that no one can really hurt us except ourselves; but let us ever be made keen by this lesson, that we never make others suffer in the way in which we have been given pain.

There are times when the hope that was dearest to us turns to ashes as our outstretched hand almost touches it, when the labor of years is swept away in a moment; when the friend upon whom we would have counted as on our own right arm, proves disloyal; when our most honest efforts, our supreme struggles, meet defeat and, buffeted and worn by the waves of failure, we are ready to give up in despair. Here is our opportunity for coolness, courage, calmness. We can then rise in the dignity of self-possession and the fullness of our strength and meet it all bravely. One sunset does not make life, every sunset means a new sunrise; let the sunset of failure be to us but the dawn of new purposes. Feel that there is a divine spirit within you that trial and failure can never reach, can never subdue. Treat them as if they were mere mosquitoes of fate, vainly trying to bite the Sphinx. Learn to look these troubles squarely in the eye, smile bravely, be calm, and say to them, "You never touched me."

When trial, failure, and disappointment come, get what salvage you can from the wreck and begin again. If it has not been your fault, fight harder next time; if it has been your fault charge it to experience, and begin again. In every failure is wrapped up the secret of a possible success"—William George Jordan in the November Delineator.

for he so lived that when he came to the dark river he was not afraid, for the God whom he had served was there to take him lovingly over to the home of the blest.

Resolved 3rd. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and that a copy be sent to his wife, to Bro. E. A. Moye and family and to the papers of the town for publication.

Jonathan White,
L. H. Pender,
S. C. Wooten.

CORN EXHIBIT.

Some Fine Specimens Shown.

The meeting of the County Corn Association today had a very small attendance and only a few farmers brought specimens of their crop to exhibit. That brought in was certainly fine and would make a creditable exhibit any where.

Messrs. A. J. Moye and C. E. Fleming each had an ear that yielded 1 pound and 2 ounces. Mr. M. L. Moye from one stalk obtained 1 pound and 12 ounces, and Mr. O. H. Jackson from one hill had 3 pounds and 5 ounces. Mr. Jackson made 9 barrels to the acre.

Three best ears selected from each lot weighed as follows: A. J. Moye's 3 pounds and 13 ounces. C. E. Fleming's 3 pounds and 10½ ounces.

Farmers all over the county should be interested in these corn exhibits and bring in specimens of their crop.

Alarm But No Fire.

About 7 o'clock Wednesday evening some excitement was caused by the alarm of fire. It came from the home of Mr. J. C. Tripp, west of the railroad. It seems that a fire had been built in one room of the residence, and one of the ladies of the household going into the adjoining room found considerable smoke, and thinking the house was on fire gave the alarm. The smoke came from the fire in the other room and blown down the opposite flue of the chimney.

Licks Mucilage and Dies.

Licking the gum on hat bands caused the death of Lizzie Cassidy, twenty-years old, of No. 465 Second avenue, who died of cerebral spinal meningitis in Bellevue on Wednesday, according to the belief of her family. A year ago, members of her family say, her tongue was cut when she was licking a hot label in a hat factory, where she was employed, and blood poisoning resulted.

She partly recovered, but had been unable to work much since then and a few days ago was taken to the hospital. Dr. Burke, who attended her, says it is possible that the former blood poisoning might have contributed to her death.—New York Herald.

No Tax on Foreign Notes.

Commissioner Yerkes, of the Internal Revenue Bureau has decided that the tax of 10 per cent, under section 20 of the act of February 8, 1875, is not payable on notes of foreign banks and corporations, whether bought in foreign countries or the United States, which are sold to tourists or others leaving the United States for foreign countries.

This exemption is provisional upon the condition that the notes are not to be used in this country for circulation in lieu of lawful money or currency of the United States.

Only a Committee Meeting.

Though a misunderstanding on the part of the secretary a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was called for Friday night, when only a meeting of the committee on rules and by-laws was intended. This committee met and prepared its report to be presented to the chamber at a meeting to be held one night next week. Due notice of the meeting will be given and every business man of the town should be present.

Wanted—Two printers and two boys at the Reflector office.

TOO MUCH BIG HEAD.

A Negro Teacher Tells What He Thinks is the Trouble With his Race.

To My Race, the Colored People of the South.

I have read of the heinous crimes committed by our people till I am sore and sick at heart, because no punishment can equal the crimes of such brutes.

We, as teachers and representatives of our people, are in tears, and feel ashamed of our history as a race, at least for the last ten or more years, for no honest person can truthfully say we have done our best along this line.

I therefore suggest that every decent person, male or female, do all in his or her power to ferret out and to make known to the officers of every commonwealth where crimes of such character are committed, the person or persons, and to hold and condemn those who fail to do likewise as accomplices, and if proven as such to be treated as the perpetrator. We as a race may expect to see riots more prolonged and bloody if this is not done, and justly so.

To remedy these evils, I would suggest:

First. Compulsory education for my people, for four months in the year, from 6 to 14 years; an enforcement of the vagrant law, and that teachers for the most part should be white people because they are more able to help in the civilization of our people, and a few colored teachers who have been brought up and trained under and by the Southern white people, because they are the only ones who properly understand our situation.

Second, I will add that Northern people, who are furnishing means and clothing for the educational advancement, along with Northern newspaper rot about things of which it is impossible for them to understand, are largely responsible for the bad conditions prevailing. Too much help has given big head and self-importance, which is the real cause of our condition.

B. F. Pearson,

Franklinton, N. C. Oct 10.
—Raleigh News and Observer.

Those Who Have to Register.

The registration books for the November election are now open and voters who are required to register will have until the 27th instant in which to do so. All voters who were registered and voted in the last general election, two years ago, and who have not changed their place of residence since that time will not need to register again. All persons who have come of age since the last election and those voters who have moved into another precinct, before July 6th, 1906, will be required to register before voting in the November election.

McIver Day.

The memorial service to the late Dr. C. D. McIver, previously announced to be held on the 11th, was postponed because of an announcement by State Superintendent Joyner that the usual North Carolina day observed once a year by the public schools will be changed this year to McIver day, and all the public schools throughout the State will observe it on the same date, in Dr. McIver's memory.

Most girls had rather marry a title than be happy.

THE BANKS OF THE STATE.

The North Carolina Corporation Commission Gives Out Statement on Reports on September 4th.

The 265 State, private and savings banks in North Carolina have \$45,802,416.13 assets and \$33,312,302.83 deposits, according to a summary of statements made to the North Carolina corporation commission. Some notable items mentioned in the statement are capital stock paid in \$6,269,451.89, surplus fund \$1,264,963.52, undivided profits \$1,389,899. The summary is based on statements made of condition of banks at the close of business September 4.

The summary of the commission last year about this time showed \$141,095,359 assets as compared with the \$45,802,461 shown in the summary just issued.

It was in 1899 that the State private and savings banks were placed under the supervision of the corporation commission. At that time there were only 67 of these banks in the State, the aggregate of assets being \$11,275,490.—Raleigh Times.

"The Clansman" Has been Cancelled.

"The Clansman" has cancelled its time for this theatrical season in North Carolina and the recent race riots in the South are responsible for it. It is said that the management of "The Clansman" writes that it has no desire to appear as contributing in any way to what might be deemed fanning the flame and hence will not present "The Clansman" until absolute peace once more reigns. It is further stated that while there was no fear about North Carolina yet the company could not limit its tour through the South to a few states.

"The Clansman" was booked to appear in Wilmington and in other North Carolina cities during December, but the company's management writes the local management of the Academy here cancelling the date. "The Clansman," however, will be presented elsewhere than in the South and will make a tour of the South either some months after Christmas, about April or May, or next season.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Which Are You?

"Two boys went to gather grapes. One was happy because they found grapes; the other was unhappy because the grapes had seeds in them.

"Two men, being convalescent, were asked how they were. One said: 'I am better today.' The other said: 'I was worse yesterday.'

"When it rains one man says: 'This will make mud.' Another: 'This will lay the dust.'

"Two boys examined a bush. One observed that it had a thorn; the other that it had a rose.

"Two children, were looking through a colored glass, one said: 'The world is blue.' The other said: 'It is bright.'

"Two boys having a bee, one got honey, the other got stung. The first called it a honey bee, the other a stinging bee.

"I am glad I live," says one man. "I am sorry I must die," says another.

"I am glad," says one, "that it is no worse." "I am sorry," says another, "that it is no better."

"One says: 'Our good is mixed with evil.' Another says: 'Our evil is mixed with good.'"

Death in Reference to Fiction
 GREENVILLE, N. C., TUESDAY, OCT. 16, 1906

BEWARE OF CANDIDATES WHO SEEK THE SYMPATHY OF THE LAWLESS ELEMENT.

The Statesville Landmark in commenting on an article in The Reflector in which was asked the question "Is the Republican party a refuge for the lawless?" says:

There is something in this suggestion. The Landmark does not charge that the Republican party encourages lawlessness, or that as a rule its candidates promise immunity to the lawless. But it is true that some of the Republican candidates, directly and indirectly, appeal to the prejudices of those who oppose the liquor laws, and the violators of those laws, and those in sympathy with them, are led to believe that if the Republicans win they will be given greater liberty in these matters than under a Democratic administration. It is just as well to keep an eye on the candidate who in any way appeals to the sympathy of the lawless. All good citizens should stand, and all right-thinking citizens will stand, for the enforcement of the law and the punishment of the violators of the law. No matter if they think the law is an improper one, so long as it is on the statute book it should be enforced, and he who in any manner whatever encourages violators of any law is not a proper man to hold office—is not a proper man to make or execute laws.

It is a sad day for any country or section when the lawless element is strong enough to exercise influence on public officers; when to get votes for office candidates appeal to those who are not in sympathy with law and order; and every good citizen, every man who believes in law and order and civilization—and every good citizen does—should, regardless of party affiliation, set the seal of disapproval on any such tendency.

The president has begun work on his next message to congress. Wonder if he will use his his new fangled ideas of spelling in it.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

(By an occasional contributor.)

In view of the world happenings that have been taking up newspaper space, it probably is just as well that Mr. Wellman decided to postpone his trip to the pole till next season.

The bank depositors do not agree with that doctor's statement, that President Stensland ought to have taken a long vacation a year ago. They think they would have been better off if he had taken it ten years ago.

On being interviewed on his views about the political situation in New York, ex-president Cleveland replied that he understood the trout were biting fine on the upper lakes.

Greene County Jail Fired.
 Prisoners confined in Greene county jail at Snow Hill, set fire to the building a few nights ago. The fire was put out with only about \$50 damaged to the building. None of the prisoners escaped.

Wilkes county bids up with the first snow of the season in North Carolina. You can't lose Wilkes.

Republican speakers are making a desperate effort to win votes on their side, and seem to care not how endlessly they handle the how.

Ice-President Fairbanks could not freeze his son out of the position, and the young man ran away with his sweetheart and got married.

The bumper cotton crop predicted by Wall street is not coming in evidence. The crop was already very short, and the early frosts throughout the South will cut it off more.

STYLE and QUALITY.

STYLE is a good thing—you want it; you'll get it if you come here. But MORE style isn't enough—you want Quality and Style that Stays.

That's why it pays you to buy our SUITS.

Some of the finest Tailors in the country make our clothes.
 Every man is an expert in his particular branch. Every detail is done perfectly. Handwork is used where hand work is best, otherwise costly machines do the work of many men, and do it better. High priced Designers originate our styles, high priced tailors do the work. The result is a garment at once fashionable well-made and of splendid quality. Full of the best style.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS.
 Beginning at \$12, our prices range upward to \$35. Pay what you like, you will get the greatest value your money can command. Personally, however we advise you to invest a fair amount, less the maker have a chance to give you his best work. From 15 up the better qualities appear. It pays to spend rather more than less. Single and double breasted Suits, cut in the latest styles, in all the popular fabrics and colorings, tailored in a way seldom seen in a popular priced suit.

Frank Wilson.
 The King Clothier.

In Texas a mob of negroes lynched a negro for assaulting a sixteen year old girl of their race. They mean to do what they can to stop such crimes.

Greenville is losing an opportunity in not selecting a site for a park while one can be had. One is going to be needed some of these days, and already nearly every suitable site has passed beyond reach. This is one of the things the Chamber of Commerce should put on the list for early attention.

President Harvie Jordan of the Southern Cotton Association, together with President Smith, of the South Carolina Division and President Witherspoon, of Mississippi, will speak in Raleigh on Friday, Oct 19th. The executive committee of the association will meet in Raleigh the same date.

Small Fire.
 The kitchen to the residence of Policeman W. H. McGowan, in South Greenville, caught fire Saturday and burned a hole in the roof. The fire was put out without any alarm being given.

Old Papers Cheap.
 If you want old newspapers for putting under carpets you can get them for a few days at 10 cents per hundred at Reflector office. Do not wait if you want them at this price.

Paramore & Ricks will continue the Big Sale at their store until Saturday evening. Their store is again filled with the choicest of the northern markets. "Come one! Come all!"

Paramore & Ricks.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.
 Adopted by Societies of Baptist Church
 Our loving Heavenly Father in His unerring wisdom having seen fit to remove one of our members, Mrs. J. W. Perkins, from a life of service to Him in this world to be in the realm of joy in His presence forever and there receive the reward of the faithful, the Womans Missionary Society and the Ladies Aid Society of the Memorial Baptist church desire to bear testimony of love and esteem to her memory. Therefore be it resolved.
 1st. That while we are deeply grieved at her departure from us and keenly feel our loss in her death, our sorrow as not without hope, for we know that she is with her Savior and we shall ere long be reunited with her there.
 2nd. That we tender to the bereaved husband and little sons our heartfelt sympathy and commend them to God who alone can comfort and sustain them in such great sorrow.
 3rd. That these resolutions be spread upon the records of our societies, a copy be sent the family, and a copy published in The Reflector.
 Mrs. C. D. Rountree,
 Mrs. Florence Dancy, Com.
 Mrs. W. F. Burch.

Cotton Seed. 20 cents bushel, cash, at S. M. Schultz.

LAND SALE.
 By virtue of a deed executed by E. M. Wheeler & wife, to the late G. W. Giddens who died on January 19, 1906, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Book 87 page 172, the undersigned will sell for cash before the Court House door in Greenville on Monday the 16th day of October, 1906, the following described tract of land: The tract of land in the north-west corner of the south-west 1/4 of section 16, township 33 N., range 10 W., containing 20 acres, more or less, and being the land conveyed to E. M. Wheeler by J. J. Jarvis, Trustee, February 21st, 1904. Said land is subject to a mortgage which said deed recites and to a mortgage which said deed recites, both of which mortgages were made on the 10th day of October, 1905. G. JAMES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

This department is in charge of F. C. NYE, who is authorized to represent the Eastern Reflector in Winterville and territory

As the fall of the year has come and money is in greater circulation, those in Winterville and on the rural routes leading out from here, who are in arrears on subscription to the Daily and Eastern Reflector will confer a great favor upon us by handing the amount to me at your earliest convenience. Receipts will be promptly. Subscriptions also solicited.

F. C. NYE, Man.

Bring your cotton to Winterville where you can get the highest market price. Then go to the Bank of Winterville and deposit your check. We will cash it for you if you wish, but it is far better to leave your money there where it is safe from thieves and fire. We will pay you interest if you let us keep it long enough. Call and see the large line of shoes daily arriving at B. F. Manning & Co. They will give you bargains.

One of the strongest lines of shoes ever exhibited can be found at B. F. Manning & Co.

Miss Sadie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Little, were in town Friday evening shopping.

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

Miss Mayne Ives, of Bayboro, is visiting Misses Kate and Lala Chapman this week.

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.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cox and Miss Mollie Maynard spent Thursday in Greenville.

Nice sun dried apples fresh and bright at J. B. Carroll & Co.
 E. S. Edwards, of Ayden, was in town Friday.

FOR SALE.—One-half acre corner lot with three room dwelling conveniently located to school and business part of town. For particulars see
 J. A. Manning,
 Winterville, N. C.

Go to the drug store of B. T. Cox & Bro for T. W. Wood & Son's high grade turp and rutaga seed.

A. G. Cox has had a large awning erected in front of his concrete stores, adding much to their comfort.

A full line of highest grade union made overalls at special bargain at J. B. Carroll & Co.

Miss Lila Roach is spending some time with Miss Lala Chapman.

All kinds of fancy candies, just arrived at J. B. Carroll & Co.

A full line of winter underwear, socks, hose, men's work gloves and negligee shirts at a bargain at J. B. Carroll and Co.

J. B. Carroll & Co. are enlarging their store thus showing the progress of this firm.

The young men will do well to see J. B. Manning & Co., before buying their fall hats. They are offering special bargains on their entire line.

Messrs. A. P. McKeel and B. W. Gay, of Greene county, were town today visiting their children who are attending W. H. S.

We now have pants for the same money as the same pants for less money at Harrington Barber & Co.

An excellent line of cravats, ties, and handkerchiefs at Harrington Barber and Co.

Miss Nellie Nichols will have charge of the dry good department in the large store of B. F. Manning and Co. She will be glad to have her host of lady friends give her a call.

Nicest and strongest line of shoes ever offered in Winterville at Harrington Barber and Co.

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

The A. G. Cox Mfg Co., are now receiving orders for their famous Economic Back Band to be shipped direct to Baltimore.

Hassell House accompanied by Joel Rouse, students of W. H. S., left this evening for House where they will spend Sunday.

The A. G. Cox Mfg Co., have just come out a new line of Virginia sport and we think we can please those of Carolina also.

Miss Nellie Ward left this morning to spend Sunday with her parents near Grindool.

We bought last remnants in Oatling flannels that surpasses any thing we ever saw for the money.
 Harrington Barber and Co.

Misses Bessie Sams, Effie Barker, Elizabeth Boushall, Eula Hodges, Ward Moore, Kate Chapman, Mayne Ives, Mamie Worthington, Mollie Bryan, Louise Satterthwaite, Studie Jackson, Messrs F. C. Nye, G. E. Lineberry left this morning for Greenville to attend the Teachers Association.

The school desk interest seems to be increasing very rapidly. Last year's order to A. G. Cox Mfg Co.

Misses Lola Chapman and Lela Roach spent Thursday in Greenville.

Ladies in need of the "Delinor" and patterns can find them at B. F. Manning & Co.

"Acid Iron Mineral" nature's great household remedy. A concentrated Mineral Water. Stops blood from entering. Cures indigestion. Kidney trouble, Liver complaint, Female weakness, cuts sores etc. For sale at the drug store of B. T. Cox, and Bro.

MRS. J. L. DANIEL DEAD.
 An Aged Lady Passes Away.
 Mrs. Lizzie Ann Daniel, wife of Mr. John L. Daniel, died Friday night a little past 9 o'clock, after a long illness.

Mrs. Daniel was born Aug. 8th, 1838, making her a little past 68 years of age at the time of her death. She was married 46 years ago and is survived by her husband and three daughters—Mrs. Maggie Hammond, Mrs. J. L. Barnhill and Miss Louie Daniel.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. A. Hornaday at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Methodist church, of which Mrs. Daniel was a faithful member. The interment was in Cherry Hill cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. Wiley Brown, A. B. Ellington, F. M. Hornaday, Charles Cobb, G. E. Harris, O. E. Warren, L. H. Pender and James Brown.

An Entering Wedge.
 The people of Asheville are soon to vote on the proposition to adopt compulsory education for that city. The election on this question will be held at the same time of the general election in next month. So far as our memory now serves us, this is the first election on this important question to be held in North Carolina, and the result will therefore be watched with interest throughout the State. The indication at present is that compulsory education will carry in the mountain city. While North Carolina is not yet ready to adopt the system, if the proposition should carry at Asheville it will probably serve as an entering wedge in the direction of compulsory education for the entire State later on.—Waxhaw Enterprise.

The House Farm for Rent.
 The entire farm (300 acres) on which Ed. David House lived situated at House Station, will be for rent the year 1907. For particulars address D. E. House, or James L. Little, Greenville, N. C. 10 1td if sw.

Teachers' Association.
 Fine Attendance and Interesting Session.
 The Teachers' Association of Pitt county assembled in the graded school building, Saturday morning at 10:30, and was one of the best attended sessions in the history of the association.

After devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. A. Hornaday, the association was called to order by President J. H. McIver and the organization for the coming year was taken up.

A committee of three consisting of G. E. Lineberry, G. W. Prescott and Miss Wright were appointed to nominate officers for the coming year, which were as follows: J. A. McArthur, President, F. C. Nye, Vice President, and Miss Florence Felton Secretary.

The program for the day was taken up, and Superintendent H. B. Smith made an excellent talk on the construction of gables and maps.

Then Miss Wright, of Centerville school, read one of the best papers we ever heard on the decoration of the school room.

It was regretted very much that Gov. Jarvis was prevented from being present to deliver his address.

The association has made an excellent beginning for this term and we predict some fine work this year.

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.

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, F. C. 13 3m sw

Our complete line of Fall and Winter millinery goods will be ready for inspection at nine o'clock Wednesday morning Oct. 10th 1906 continuing through Thursday. All are invited to call at our new quarters with the J. R. Smith and Company.
 The Misses Morrison.
 Ayden N. C.

NOTICE.
 I will be at the following places for the purpose of collecting taxes for the year 1906. All persons owing taxes are requested to meet me on pay same.
 Wednesday, Oct. 17, Falkland Falkland Township
 Friday, 19, Stokes, Carolina Township.
 Saturday, 20, Bethel, Bethel Township.
 Saturday, 20, Ayden, Contentment Township.
 Wednesday, 24, Johnsons Mills Swift Creek Township.
 Thursday, 25, Bells Cross Roads, Belvoir Township.
 Friday, 6, Pactolus, Pactolus Township.
 Saturday, 26, Farmville, Farmville township.
 Saturday, Nov. 3, Black Jack, Chicod township.
 L. W. TUCKER, Sheriff
 of Pitt County.

Save the Worry
 The hot weather brings you enough discomfort without adding to it by worrying over your supper. With such a stock 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.
J. B. Johnston

Jas F Davenport,

New, latest, and up-to-date Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Shoes, Silks, Woolens, Dress trimmings and Cloaks, we only have space to give you a few prices but have lots of goods and will take pleasure in showing you

Make our store your headquarters

Dress goods in solid colors, Plaids and mixed, the newest things at : : : : 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c 1.00, 1.25, 1.50 per yard.

SHOES AT ANY PRICE.
 Regino and Auto-Hay Shoes for Ladies the Nobiest things out and the most comfortable made at 3.00 3.50 and 4.00

Percales and Gingham's for school dresses in figures and plaids.
 10c 12 1-2 and 15 cent
our underwear is complete.

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

Neat Job Printing
Our specialty.
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ADVERTISE

THE FIRST LIGHTHOUSES.

They Were an Outgrowth of Beacon Fires on Headlands.

BACKWARD BOYS.

Brilliant Men Who Did Not Shine in Their Younger Days.

I think most men who have been educated at any large public school will readily call to mind numerous instances of boys who were always winning prizes, yet have not done anything worth mentioning in after life.

We find plenty of evidence that people who in the first stages of their career make prolonged and exacting demands on their stores of nerve for a merely attain length of days.

Jupiter's Double Moon.

The most wonderful of all the remarkable things which nightly come within the range of the powerful modern telescopes is the double moon which continually circles around and around Jupiter.

Shelley and Sutter Cakes.

Shelley called on Southey one afternoon and found the latter and his wife at tea.

The Great Problem of Tomorrow.

Does it pay to have good sense? In an Athenian family there are two girls. One of the girls insists upon taking music lessons.

THE ENEMY BEHIND.

How a Hunter in Africa Was Saved by His Eyeglasses.

In writing of his hunting adventures in Nubia in Harper's, Captain T. C. S. Speedy tells how he was saved from the attack of a native by the reflection in his glasses.

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The Lucky Rich.

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JOHN A. RICKS

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Big Sale Now Going On.



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GREENVILLE, N. C.

The Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Company

Is humping things this year. Every farmer SHOULD SELL TOBACCO WITH THIS COMPANY

WHY? BECAUSE they sell Tobacco higher and it is a Farmers movement working to organize the TOBACCO GROWERS OF THE STATE.

Greenville Livery and Transfer

Come in and examine my CORN PLANTERS, GUANO SOWERS, DISC HARROWS, SMOOTHING HARROWS, ONE AND TWO HORSE STEEL PLOWS, WIRE FENCE FOR FARM OR GARDEN AND WASHING MACHINES.

Yours to serve, H. L. CARR The Hardware Man.

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OUR AYDEN DEPARTMENT.

J. M. BLOW, Manager and Authorized Agent AYDEN, N. C.

As authorized agent for DAILY and EASTERN REFLECTOR we take that pleasure in receiving by subscription and writing receipts for those in arrears.

Sergeant E. C. Flynn, stationed at Fortress Monroe, is here to see his father-in-law, B. F. Early, who is critically ill.

Mrs. Mason, who has been spending several days with the family of her father, J. T. Smith, Sr., has returned to her home near Whitchard.

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

Tuesday evening after usual business of the meeting had been completed the Pythians repaired to Hotel Tripp where they partook of a fine oyster supper prepared for the occasion.

Wanted: You will later and Wilson and Super sewing machine. Prices way down at J. H. Tripp & Co. next to Early Hotel, Ayden, N. C.

Mack Taylor went to Scotland Neck yesterday.

If in need of a disc plow or cultivator, get our prices before buying. J. R. Turnage & Co.

Constable W. J. Hemby carried a crazy colored man to Greenville Monday and placed him in jail for safety.

Miss Pauline Burnette has returned to her home in Oak City, N. C. to see her mother.

How attractive to some of our folks Kingston seems to be. They call it kindfolly, but somehow or other we have never felt the necessity of going to see our folks often there they seemed glad to see us.

No Reward Offered.

"Have you lost anything, madam?" asked the polite floor-walker of the square-jawed, austere-looking shopper who stood before the "lost and found" window of the large department store.

"Yes, sir," she replied. "I've lost one hundred and fourteen pounds of husband, in light brown suit, with black derby hat, small tuft of hair on his chin and a frightened look. I lost it in a crush at the fancy goods counter. It's probably wandering through the building in search of me, and I thought perhaps you could find it easier than I can. I want it on account of a bundle it is carrying under its arm."—Ex.

NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel Sanford will please present them to the undersigned for payment and all those indebted to said estate will come forward and settle same by Jan 1st 1907.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF PITT,

RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts, \$40,827.34 Overdrafts Secured, 563.21 Furniture and Fixtures, 610.59 Due from Banks, 10,104.27 Cash Items, 89.50 Gold Coin, 200.00 Silver Coin, 1,232.50 National Bank notes and other U. S. notes, 5,045.00

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Total, \$58,072.21 Total, \$58,072.21

Accurate Small Brother. Gus (fearful of a rival)—Bobby, does a young man call here in the evening to see your sister?

An Improvement. Lady (to a friend)—Then your husband has given up hunting and is now an automobilist?

Friend—Yes, but now he brings home more things for the table than when he was a hunter.—Wiener Salonowitz.

Convincing Testimony. Eva—And do you really think candy affects the light?

Edna—I know it does. Why, every box that Jack brings me moves my heart a little nearer to him.—Chicago News.

High Handed. "I don't like a friend to dominate over me," said the young man with the patient disposition to Jeter and his wife.

STRAYTAKEN UP. I have taken up one black bar shoat, weight about 60 pounds no ear marks. Owner can get same by paying charges.

LAND SALE. My virtue of a decree in the Superior Court of Pitt County made in a special proceeding under the authority of the Court in the case of J. M. Blow vs. J. M. Blow, do hereby sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Court House in Greenville on Friday, October 11th, 1906, the following described land.

SCHOOL STATIONERY. Now is your time to save money by coming to us for children's school requisites: tablets, pens, pencils, erasers.

FREE. To sufferers of Bladder troubles, who are tired of medicine, try a bottle of UVA SOL.

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF AYDEN, N. C.

At the close of business Sep. 30, 1906.

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FALL 1906



We are receiving daily our fall line of DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, SHOES HATS AND CLOTHING.

Money possible and with the celebrated "GRIFTON BRAND" clothing in stock we think we can serve you. Our line of dress goods is more complete this fall than ever, and we think we can save you money.

J. R. TURNAGE & CO.

THE LEADERS IN L W PRICES

Dr. Joseph Dixon PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Now offers another series of its stock to the public bearing date of Nov. 3rd \$8,000.00

SERIES LIMITED TO 1000 SHARES

The books are now open and you can secure this stock by applying to the Secretary who will be glad to give you information. A copy of our Constitution and by-laws will be furnished on request.

OFFICERS. H. A. WHITE, Pres. G. S. FRICHARD, Vice Pres. NORRIS G. WHITE, Secy and Treas.

DIRECTORS. H. W. Gooden, C. G. Gooden, C. G. Gooden, G. S. Frichard, J. R. Smith, J. R. Smith, J. R. Smith.

SAVE YOUR DOLLARS.

And they will come in handy for a "Rainy Day." There's no better way of saving than to buy goods when you can get them cheapest. I have

GOTT N SEED, MEAL AND HULLS

Hay, Corn, Oats Bran, Ship Stuff, etc can sell at very lowest prices. I also carry a full

FOCERIES

and can save you money on these. See me before buying. F. V. JOHNSTON Leader in L. A. groceries for Cash

AN EMERGENCY SPEECH.
 People often say very funny things in times of emergency. It was fortunate for the general whose conciliatory efforts are described in Mrs. Jefferson Davis' life of her husband, that the Indians, with whom the men were dealing had no great sense of humor. Lieutenant Davis, then on the staff of General Gaines, had accompanied his superior officer to a conference with the chiefs of the Sac nation. The council met in a tent. The warriors, decked with war paint and feathers, sat scowling and silent, their arms stacked near by. Seated with them was a dark old woman, shrunken to a mere skeleton, clothed in white woolen. She held her hands with great majesty of mien. The general began the council in a hesitating manner. He explained that it was necessary for the Indians to move on, for the white man must have the territory. At this the old squaw became greatly excited and began speaking with vehemence. She declared that the Saes must die on their own hunting ground. The general showed considerable irritation at her tirade and spoke to the interpreter.

"Tell her—that—a woman is not expected to interfere between the white and Indian braves. She must be silent."
 The squaw rose from her seat with great impressiveness and stretched her skinny arms above her head with a wild gesture.
 "How do you say I am to be silent in the presence of my people? In these years runs the blood of the last of the Sac kings. It is my right to speak."
 The chiefs rose about her, stirred by her words, gesticulating angrily. It was plain that trouble was at hand, and the Indians far outnumbered the whites.
 The general calmly listened until the speech was interpreted. Then he rose, with a sweep of the hand, to command silence.
 "Mr. Interpreter," he said, "tell her—that—that—my mother was a woman."
 This revelation brought grunts of satisfaction from the Indians, and the frankness of the statement pleased the old princess. Order was restored, and the council proceeded with the business in hand.

A Costly Joke.
 A woman of Bochum, says a Vienna dispatch, wishing to give her young nephew, living in a neighboring town, a pleasant surprise, bought a little tablet of chocolate and posted it to him in an envelope marked "Value \$25,000." The package, on account of its high declared value, attracted the notice of the postal authorities, who demanded \$1 extra for delivery. The nephew, suspecting a hoax, refused the letter, which was duly returned to Bochum and the sender advised. The woman, half ashamed, declared that the envelope contained nothing of real value, but it was pointed out to her that the contents, whatever they might be, were declared to be worth \$25,000 and she must not. The poor woman signed the letter, but then was told, to her dismay, that a double fee had been charged on account of the return of the letter. She paid \$8 without further complaint.

Chemistry, Practical and Theoretical.
 "Young gentlemen," said the lecturer in chemistry, "we exposed to the elements a piece of iron of the weight and leaving power. This is due to the action of the alkali constituents of—"
 "But what if there is a dog sleeping near the coal, professor?"
 "None of your levity, young man. This is a serious matter."
 "That's what father thought when 77 per cent of his coal pile disappeared during three nights of exposure. Then he asked my advice as a student of chemistry, and I told him to buy a dog. He bought a dog with his own money and the string tied in his upper lip, and now we don't lose 1 per cent of our coal a month. That's the kind of a practical chemist I am. Now go on with your theory."

To Make a White Flower Red.
 Changing a white flower into a red one is a performance suitable for the garden or the drawing room. The dry petals of a white rose or any other flower must be first delicately and as far as possible uniformly sprinkled with aniline crystals. The rose should be shaken so as to leave as little as possible visible. What there is will only frizzle specks. By bringing to play on it a spray of eau de cologne or other spirit from a vaporizer—those connected with a finger ring enable the performance to be most mysteriously accomplished—the delicate white petals can be promptly suffused with a rich crimson blush.

Hearst Accepts.
 Elmira, N. Y., Oct. 12.—William Randolph Hearst today formally accepted the Democratic nomination for governor of New York State in a letter addressed to W. J. Conners, chairman of the Democratic State committee.

A Sweet Potato Yield.
 J. W. Mobley gathered from his potato patch, about one and one-half acres, 52 bushels of eating potatoes, exclusive of slips. This is a yield at the rate of more than 400 bushels to the acre. Who can beat it?—Taboro Southerner.

Electric Motor Installed.
 The 35-horse power electric motor for Mr. O. Hooker's graining plant has arrived and been installed. The motor runs the plant freely.

Large Pear.
 Alex Selby, a colored subscriber to The Reflector, brought in a very large pear. It measured 12 inches in circumference and weighed 15½ ounces.

Disciples Convention.
 LaGrange, N. C. Oct. 12.—The State convention of the Disciples of Christ of North Carolina will be held in the Christian church in Dunn during the last week in October. E. A. Moye, of Greenville, is the president. Addresses will be made by eminent national workers of the churches of Christ.

Col. Sugg Withdraws.
 Col. I. A. Sugg, who some time ago announced himself an independent candidate for solicitor, has withdrawn. He authorized that his withdrawal be made public at the speaking in Ayden Saturday.

No wonder there was a political upheaval in Cuba. The patriots found out that there were thirteen million dollars in the treasury. The "outs" thought it was time for their inming if they were ever to get any of the benefits of freedom which in their estimation is holding office and looting the treasury.—Wilmington Messenger.

The negro may be taxed in the South without being allowed representation, but there is not a state in the South in which he does not cost the state twice as much as it gets out of him.—Durham Herald.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING.
 The candidates of the Democratic party in Pitt county will speak at the following times and places:
 May's Chapel, Tuesday, Oct. 16.
 Falkland, Wednesday, Oct. 17.
 Stokes, Friday, Oct. 19.
 Bethel, Saturday, Oct. 20.
 John Cox's store, (Chico) Tuesday, Oct. 23.
 Shelmerville, (at night) Oct. 23.
 Johnson's Mills, (Wednesday) Oct. 24.
 Winterville, (at night) Oct. 24.
 Pactolus, Friday, Oct. 26.
 Farmville, Saturday, Oct. 27.
 Black Jack, Saturday, Nov. 3.
 Hon. J. H. Pou will speak with the candidates at Stokes, Oct. 19.
 Hon. John H. Small will speak with the candidates at Bethel, Oct. 20, at Farmville, Oct. 27, and at Black Jack, Nov. 3.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.
 The Republican candidates for the county offices will address the people at the following times and places:
 Farmville, Oct. 18th.
 May's Chapel, Oct. 19th.
 Ayden, Oct. 20th.
 Fountain, Oct. 23rd.
 Falkland, Oct. 24th.
 Bell's X Road, Oct. 25th.
 Stokes, Oct. 26th.
 Bethel, Oct. 27.
 Pactolus, Oct. 31st.
 Grifton, Nov. 3rd.
 Hon. Claudius Dockery and Hon. Harry Skinner will be with the candidates and speak at their appointments at Ayden and Bethel.
 R. C. Flanagan, Chr. Rep. Ex. Com.
 W. E. Murphy, Sec.

BE FAIR TO YOURSELF.

And look through our namoth stock before buying. Each article of merchandise has been selected with great care as to quality, style, price and durability, and the usual high standard of excellence has been maintained.

The New Cloaks and Rain Coats
 are coming in every few days, the variety is great and we are offering some splendid values. Ladies Full length Rain Coats, well made in the latest styles, double breasted, belted, and trimmed with soutache braid for \$5.50, the better grades run up to \$18.00 and includes the new "Prince Chap" style.

The New Dress Goods.
 are ready for your inspection, the showing includes the season newest offerings, such as Broadcloth, Henriettas, Batiste, Voile, Serge, Panama, Poplinette, Mohairs, Flannels, Wool Mixtures and Plaids, ask to see our special Chiffon Broadcloth at \$1.00 yard.

The Silk Department.
 is "up-to-date" and sparkling with good values, 36-in Crepe de Chene, the real double width "One Seamo" in lovely shades for \$1.00 yard, 22-inch Crepe de Chene in perfect shades for 60 cts yard. Our 36-in Taffeta Silk in black and colors is worthy of your attention, price \$1.00 yard. New Plaid Silks in all shades and combinations.

The Notion Department.
 Contains the newest of the seasons novelties in Fancy Back Combs, Belts, Neckwear, Shopping Bags, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Ribbons and Underwear, Ladies 16-Button length Black Glace Kid Gloves \$3.00 pair. Mennens and Colgate Talcum Powder 15c. box. Colgate Dental Powder 15c. box. Cashmere Bouquet Soap 25c cake.

The Ladies Home Journal patterns for fall and winter are here, price 10c and 15c. The Fall Fashion Book 10c and 15c. Fashion Sheets free.

You will not regret paying this store a visit, for we have many interesting things to show you.

J. R. & J. G. MOYE

TEACHERS' MEETING.
 Last Saturday's Gathering a Grand Success.
 Reported for Reflector:
 All the forces of nature seemed to combine for the success of the Teachers' Association last Saturday. A clear, cool morning, good roads, and bright sunshine made it possible for nearly every teacher of this county, besides many ex-teachers and visitors, to be present at one of the best, most inspiring meetings the association has ever held. The influence of this good meeting can not but be felt throughout the whole year. One hundred and forty persons were present, and all felt that it was good to be there.
 At half past ten o'clock the meeting was called to order by the president, Prof. J. A. McArthur. Rev. J. A. Hornaday conducted the devotional exercises, reading the nineteenth Psalm and leading in prayer.
 The program that followed was varied and very interesting. Prof. Ragsdale, in his kindly, helpful way, addressed the audience, offering congratulations on the large attendance, and speaking hopefully of the future.
 A committee was appointed to retire to select nominations for the various offices.
 Prof. H. B. Smith discussed methods of teaching geography, and gave many useful suggestions. He exhibited a large globe that he had made, and gave instructions as to how a similar one may be constructed.
 The committee then returned and nominated the following, who were unanimously elected: President, Prof. J. A. McArthur; Vice-president, Prof. F. C. Nye; secretary, Miss Florence Felton. Better judgment could not have been shown in the selection of officers. Under their wise supervision, and that of the energetic, faithful county superintendent, the association hopes to achieve greater success than ever before.
 The illness of Gov. T. J. Jarvis prevented his taking part on the program, much to the regret of every one present. His address in their subject, "The Teachers' Opportunities This Year," was postponed until the November meeting. An address on the subject of such vital importance from a man can not fail to benefit all who hear it.
 Miss Betty Wright completely won the enthusiastic admiration of the audience by her excellent paper on "How We May Make Our Schools Attractive." The spirit of a noble character, intensely interested in her work, and earnestly striving to assist others in promoting education, was breathed in every line of that beautiful production. Its results cannot be measured now.
 After the adjournment of the teachers' association, a Woman's association for the betterment of school houses and school grounds was organized. Miss Betty Wright was elected vice president, Miss Dora Hornaday, president and Miss Annie Perkins secretary. Prof. Ragsdale spoke eloquently of the originator of this work, Dr. C. D. McIver. This association decided to meet the second Saturday in each month, immediately after the adjournment of the Teachers' Association. The prospects for this really needed organization are very bright.
 If "coming events cast their shadows before them," those engaged in educational work in Pitt county may feel assured of unprecedented success during

DELIGHTFUL DANCE AT FALKLAND
 Reported for Reflector:
 Wednesday evening a very enjoyable dance was given at Falkland, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith.
 The couples at the dance were as follows:
 Miss Rachel Pitt, of Old Sparta, with Phed Shelton, of Old Sparta.
 Miss Lillian Pitt, of Old Sparta, with Herbert Shelton, of Old Sparta.
 Miss Ada Smith with Joe Rabberry, of Farmville.
 Miss Alice Newton with Jasper Shackleford, of Fountain.
 Miss Mary Bland Pitt, of Old Sparta, with Leslie Smith.
 Miss Lillian Fountain with Charlie Newton.
 Miss Mary Pierce, with Tom McGee, of Farmville.
 Miss Moore, of Old Sparta, with J. V. Moore, of Fountain.
 Miss Brown with Charlie Bryan.
 Miss Aldine Shelton, of Old Sparta, with Otto Turnage, of Farmville.
 Miss Little with Willie Bryan, of Fountain.
 Miss Selma Knight with John Harris, of Farmville.
 Miss Elma Warren with Larnie Pierce.
 Miss Mabel Nichols with Clifton Newton.
 Miss Bessie Fountain with Clarence Pierce.
 Chaperones, Mesdames J. H. Smith, W. H. Moore, E. C. King, J. Morrill, Luther Warren. A more enjoyable evening has never been spent by the writer.

CHANGE OF AGENTS.
 Mr. J. R. Moore Succeeded by Mr. W. H. Ward.
 Mr. J. R. Moore, who ever since the Atlantic Coast Line was completed to Greenville in 1889 has been agent of the company here and a familiar figure around the depot, has been succeeded in the agency by Mr. W. H. Ward. Mr. Moore's impaired health was the cause of the change, and we understand that the company will place him in a position with easier work.
 If there is man in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line who deserves to be retired on a pension that man is Mr. J. R. Moore. He has given 25 years, practically the best part of his life, to the service of the company, having been with them sometime before coming to Greenville. These years of arduous labor are the cause of his broken health now, and the company would do the graceful thing in providing for him. He has been a faithful agent and looked well to their interests at all times.

Theodore Price is advising the farmers to hold their cotton for 12 cents. We hope they will get it, but there is danger in taking too much chance.
 October is cutting many wheat capers.
 The scholastic year 1906-1907, for if last Saturday's work is a "shadow" marvelous indeed must be the reality. Let us take fresh courage and inspiration from that grand meeting and press nobly and bravely on in the work, for
 "Since right is right, and God is God,
 Then right the day must win;
 To doubt would be disloyalty,
 To falter would be sin."
 Dora A. Hornaday.

COMPARISON OF SCHOOLS.
 MARION BUTLER'S FALSEHOOD EXPOSED.
 The Figures Show the Great Advancement of Our Schools Under Democratic Administration in the Last Few Years.
 Some days ago when Marion Butler was here and spoke, he made false statements about the expenditures for education in the State and charged the administration with extravagance. Superintendent Joyner has sufficiently answered his charge and shown there was no truth in what he said. We had some desire to know what was the true state of facts in Pitt county as bearing upon Butler's statements. We were sure the people in the county would appreciate the facts being gotten and given to them, therefore we have compiled from the records in the superintendent's office, and from the treasurer's books the following statement, comparing the years 1898 and 1905, the two years that Butler took when here, and we give it with pleasure and pride to our people and ask and invite them to investigate for themselves the truthfulness of the figures.

Mileage and per diem of Board of Education	\$ 96.50	\$ 47.84
No. of children on census report	10,324	10,920
Total enrollment in schools	5,235	8,570
Average attendance	1,928	5,345
Length of term, weeks	14	20
Cost of each child per week (based on av. at/n'ce)	43	25
Expense of Board of Education	249.42	253.00
Value of white school property	7,540	46,600
Cost of superintendency per week for child	1.4	1.4
Days served by Superintendent	126½	313
Days spent in examination of teachers	74½	15
Days spent as clerk of board, etc.	35½	18
Days left for other school work	16½	280
Tax rate on \$100 for schools	.18	.18

We desire to call attention to some of the above facts. It will be seen that the mileage and per diem of the board then was more than double what it is now. You will observe that the average attendance of children in the schools now is nearly three times as large as then. You will see that then it was costing 43 cents a week to school the children, now it has been reduced to 25 cents per week. The term then was only 14 weeks, now it is 20 weeks. The expenses of the board of education in 1898 was \$249.42. Last year the expenses were \$253.00, a difference of only \$3.58. What are the facts about the work of the board for these years? In 1898 not a single house was built, not one was painted and there were hardly any signs of improvement. There was only one school in the county (Greenville) in which there was more than one teacher, there was no organization of the teachers. Last year a number of houses were built, 15 are now being built. More than one fourth of the houses in the county have been painted and improved. Now there is a school here with 9 teachers, one at Bethel with 5, one at Farmville with five, one at Ayden with 6, one at Grifton with 4, one at Centerville with 3, one at Standard with 2, one at Smithtown with 2, one being built at Shelmerville for 2, one at Bruce for 2. There is also the finest teachers' association in the State and probably not a better one in the United States. Then there was not a library in the county. Now there are 24 and 4 others ready to be taken. All of this change in the past three years and yet to plan and bring to completion this work only \$3.38 additional expense was incurred. Then not one cent was contributed by individuals to lengthen school terms etc. Last year \$1,100 was given by individuals for this purpose.
 Glance for a moment at your school property in 1898, the value was \$7,540, while now it is \$46,600, which is nearly \$40,000 increase in valuation within the short period really of three years, because most of this has come about within this time;

MRS. DAVIS DEAD.
 Passed Away in New York Tuesday Night.
 New York, Oct. 16.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the Confederacy, who had been ill for a week at the Hotel Majestic in this city, died at 10:20 o'clock tonight. Death was due to pneumonia induced by a severe cold which Mrs. Davis contracted upon her return from the Adirondacks, where she had spent the summer months.
 At the bedside when death came Mrs. J. A. Addison Hayes, of Newark, N. J., only surviving daughter of Mrs. Davis, who is a student at Princeton University; Mrs. Charles E. Batson, a niece, and Dr. and Mrs. Gustav Webb, the latter a granddaughter, and Dr. Robert W. Wille, who with Dr. Webb had cared for Mrs. Davis throughout her illness. J. Addison Hayes, husband of Mrs. Davis' only living child, had been summoned from Colorado Springs, and was hurrying across the continent, when a message announcing the death of Mrs. Davis interrupted him.

SAM P. JONES DEAD.
 The Georgia Evangelist Expires Suddenly on a Railroad Train.
 Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 15.—Rev. Sam P. Jones, the well known evangelist of Cartersville, Ga., died early today of heart failure in a sleeping car on the Rock Island railroad near Perry, Ark. Mr. Jones had been conducting a revival at Oklahoma City, and left there last night for his home in Georgia. He desired to attend a family reunion tomorrow, it being the fifty-ninth anniversary of his birth.
 Mrs. Jones and his daughters, Mrs. Annie Pyror and Miss Julia Jones, were with him when he passed away.
 Mr. Jones arose from his berth in the sleeper about five o'clock this morning and complained of nausea. He drank a glass of hot water and immediately afterward collapsed. Rev. Walt Holcomb, who had been associated with Mr. Jones for a number of years, took the dying man in his arms and in a few minutes the evangelist breathed his last. The body was embalmed and was sent to Cartersville this afternoon.

ROBBERY IN DAY TIME.
 Home of Mr. W. J. Turnage Pilfered.
 This morning Mrs. W. J. Turnage and her guest, Mrs. M. F. Turnage, of Colorado, left the former's home in West Greenville and came down town to do some shopping. Returning about 11 o'clock they found a small negro girl in the yard. As Mrs. W. J. Turnage went in the gate the girl was scratching in the dirt, and upon inspection Mrs. Turnage found she had wanted to hire her. Mrs. Turnage sold her and went on in the house getting inside she found wearing apparel scattered about and the rooms and several articles missing.
 Mr. Turnage was phoned for and he hurried home with Policeman Clark. It was found that the girl caught in the yard and an older accomplice had been in the house through a window on the back porch and had carried a lot of things over to where they live on King Row. Most of the articles that the girls stole were recovered and both of them were arrested. The older girl seemed to be a hard case and said she did not care what was done with her for breaking in the house.

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What a Republican Newspaper Says.
 The editor of the Concordia Empire, a Republican newspaper in Kansas, was asked to contribute to Republican campaign fund, and here is his reply:
 "We have been invited to send a dollar contribution to the Republican campaign fund. We recently have completed building a house at a cost of something over \$4,000, and for every foot of lumber, every pane of glass, every sack of cement, every pound of nails, and, in fact, for nearly every bit of material that went into it, we made a good, liberal contribution through the trusts that control them and we guess we have done our share. It may be treason for a Republican newspaper to talk this way, but facts are facts, and it sort of relieves our conscience to tell the truth about the trusts once in a while. We'll just let the trusts, to which we have had to pay unwilling tribute in the past year, pay our dollar for us. We need it and they don't."

PLEASED WITH SCHOOL PROGRESS.
 Winterville, N. C., Oct. 17th.
 Editor Reflector:
 I wish to thank the person who prepared the educational statistics of Pitt county for the past eight years and had them published in The Reflector.
 Although familiar with what had been done I am glad to see it reduced to figures.
 In my opinion the employment of our county superintendent for all of his time was the best day's work the board of education has done in all of these eight years. We can't overestimate the worth of the teachers' association to our county. It not only trains the teachers for their work, but gives them enthusiasm to interest the parents in the better welfare of their children, and thus the children are sent to school. The worth of the enthusiastic, well prepared school teacher is great and we hope the public sentiment will soon see fit to reward them more liberally.
 I rejoice to know that Pitt county is to have a woman's society to promote its interest in the betterment of school houses and yards and wish them great success in their undertaking.
 The school houses are our training homes for our boys and girls, and our boys and girls are the wealth of our country. Then why spare the same care for our school houses that we have for our individual homes.
 A. G. Cox.

Rev. W. E. Cox returned from Winterville Tuesday evening.