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Local Trains and Boat Schedule.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:37 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:45 A. M., leaves 10:15 A. M.

South Bound Freight, arrives 1:51 P. M., leaves 2:11 P. M.

Steamer Myers arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

POSITION WANTED.—As Book keeper or Salesman in General Merchandise store. Will give satisfactory testimonials. Apply for name at REFLECTOR office.

A Good Contribution.

To-day the Chick Medicine and Concert Company turned over about fifty dollars to the Public School Committee, to be used in furnishing the new school building. This was one-fourth of the receipts of their entertainments last week. They will give the same proportion of this week's receipts, so by patronizing them you not only witness a good entertainment but also help a public enterprise.

Superior Court.

The following criminal cases were disposed of from our last report up to the noon recess to-day:

Silas Knight, Walter Knight, Maggie Knight and Mary Moore, removing crop, nol pros as to Moore, others not guilty.

Willie Mobley, assault, guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Henry Vines, cruelty to animals guilty, 30 days in jail, \$50 fine and costs.

Fernando Ward and G. A. McGowan, affray, Ward submits, McGowan guilty, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Dennis Barnes, carrying concealed weapons, guilty, \$5 and costs.

Henry Vines, assault, guilty.

THE LEGISLATURE.

FRIDAY.

In the Senate to-day the principal bills introduced were to make the legal rate of interest, 5 per cent, to allow Bertie county to work convicts on farm, to repeal the act of last legislature ordering the public printing to be let to lowest bidder.

This last bill was introduced by Mewborne and was railroaded through Senate, not being referred to any committee, although two Democratic Senators protested against its passage on the third reading.

Another quick piece of business was the adoption of an amendment to Senate rules by a resolution placing in the hands of a committee the appointment of all committees, thus taking away from the president of the Senate his prerogative to name all the committees.

The Fusionists had made all their plans and resolution naming a Populist and Republican as members of this committee and allowed the President to name the third member. The President appointed Senator Adams, Democrat. Adams made a protest against the resolution and offered an amendment to it, giving the President the power to appoint all committees. He declared the change proposed by the fusionists to be the most radical on record.

The Republican member of the committee said he did not know anything about constitutional questions but the Fusionists were determined to make this change in the rules.

The resolution was adopted forty to five.

The Fusionists showed their hands boldly in the House also.

The chief bills introduced were to increase the public school tax from sixteen to 22 cents, by Duncan to protect Carteret county fishermen against monopolies, to

allow the Murfreesboro railway to be extended to Chowan river or Albemarle sound, to allow Greene county to levy a special tax, to extend the corporate limits of Snow Hill, by Williams of Craven to change the time for holding of Craven and Bertie courts.

The act of the last legislature amending the charter of the Farmers Alliance in regard to the withdrawal of the business fund subscription was repealed by unanimous vote.

C. E. Whitlock, a wealthy business man of Richmond, committed suicide in Philadelphia.

A large sugar house near New Orleans was set on fire and destroyed by Italian laborers, loss \$40,000.

The Republican caucus of the Montana legislature nominated J. H. Carter for U. S. Senator.

Remarkable

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Spring Goods.

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Dry Goods,

□ Notions, □
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After having the matter under consideration for five years the Pope has issued an order forbidding Catholics belonging to secret societies.

Speaker Walser seems to be a mere figure head and moves as the Boss pulls the string. He is probably the first speaker of a North Carolina House of Representatives who was not allowed to appoint his own committees, but Mr. Walser had to submit to having a committee to name them for him, and then he has the pleasure of reading or announcing their names to the House. He pretends to like this way of doing things. The fact is this was the terms upon which the Boss consented that he should be elected Speaker. What a humiliation this would be to any man except the Speaker of the present House of Representatives.

Mr. B. E. Sherrill, of Catawba, exhibited in the Landmark office a piece of bone found imbedded in a black-oak tree 30 or 40 feet from the ground. There was no cavity about the tree but the bone was in the solid wood. How it came there is a mystery.—Statesville Landmark.

Many Marriages.—Eetter Times.

An observant citizen says the incoming year is to be one of great prosperity, and gives as his reason that Providence would never have permitted so many marriages if such had not been the case. Besides, he says that he has noticed that an excess of marriages about Christmas times is always followed by a plentiful harvest of everything. Let's watch and see.—Durham Sun.

About County Government.

A prominent Eastern Republican remarked in the *Yarboro*, says the *News and Observer*, that he looked for some wild legislation here within the next sixty days. He said that the Western Republicans are in the saddle and that they do not fully understand conditions in the East. For this reason he looks for legislation which will be unsatisfactory and injurious to the East. Among the changes which he expects is the substitution of a new system of county government which will put many counties under negro domination. This, he feels sure will create such dissatisfaction as to cause a reversion of sentiment in the East favorable to Democracy. Like Judge Russell, this Republican does not favor negro rule over white people, but unlike the Judge, he thinks that a uniform system of county government must obtain throughout the State.

An Oriental Sofa.

An unused single white iron bed has been put to use and disguised in a very clever way by a friend of mine living in a very small flat, said a writer in an English magazine. In one corner, against the old blue of the wall, has been hung a width of dull red cotton, and into this corner has been thrust the bed. Across the mattress is thrown a curtain of dull embroidery. Against the wall, about a third of the way from the head of the bed, has been fastened an iron crane of curious pattern, from the end of which hangs a quaint eastern lamp. Over the crane is thrown a long piece of richly embroidered silken drapery falling over and concealing either end of the bed. Innumerable pillows of bright hues bestrew this originally planned sofa, and no more desirable suggestion of the orient is to be found anywhere.

As He Saw Himself.

"Gracious," said the artist to the sculptor, "you've made that bust of Swelby outrageously large."

"Yes," was the reply; "I had to do it. He told me to make it life-size, and I couldn't risk insulting him."—Washington Star.

A DUMB ROOSTER.

Some of His Original Ways About the Chicken Park.

Asa Judkins, of Palermo, says that his deaf and dumb rooster just beats creation, and that's right, too, comments the *Lewiston Journal*; he wasn't created that way. Up to the time he was eight months old he could reel off a "cock-a-doodle" as flippantly as any rooster in the neighborhood, and then one unlucky day he got his head caught in a barbed wire fence in such a way as to mangle his neck and probably tear out his vocal cords.

Just what made him deaf, though, is uncertain, but it is likely that when he lost his power to make sounds he evidently forgot how to hear them. At least, now at the age of three years, he gives no evidence of hearing. So this brown Leghorn goes through life crowless and cluckless. He doesn't wake up the neighborhood at four in the morning with an everlasting cock-a-doodle-do.

Every time a cloud passes over the sun he does not scream "kraw-w-w," and send the hens scaling for the barn in fear of hawks. No, but he is just as much lord of the chicken park as ever. There is nothing that he fails to see. He makes eyes answer for ears and voice, too.

When the first glow of sunrise appears he begins the duties of the day by raising the rest of the fowls in the hennery in his own original way. He walks around to each one and kicks it off the perch. There's no resisting such an invitation to get up. It's ever so much more effective than crowing. When he gets a challenge to fight he does not stop to announce what he can do. He goes and does it.

What is most remarkable, however, about this deaf and dumb bird is that he can readily distinguish between an admonition to "shoo" and an invitation to come in and have something to eat. His owner thinks he does it by watching the motions of the lips and the general attitude of the person. At least he knows what it means when a stone is thrown at him.

An exchange observes that "the country is smiling all around." This proves that it didn't swear off New Year's.

ANCIENT WIND INSTRUMENTS.

Bronze Horns Three Thousand Years Old in Denmark and Norway.

Late excavations in Norway and Denmark have brought to light four ancient bronze horns. Of these antique musical instruments, which are two thousand to three thousand years old, the ancient northern museum in Copenhagen possesses a collection of nineteen pieces. The pair of horns lately discovered in Denmark was found in a marshy swamp near Nykjoebing, on the island of Falster. Although broken, they will be easily repaired.

The horns are of conical shape, six feet long, and show the same type of other specimens found before. They date from the sixth century, B. C., and according to Dr. Muller, director of the royal museum, the finding place must have been in ancient times a sacred grove, where the horns had been deposited as sacrificial offerings. The second pair of horns was found several weeks ago in the vicinity of Stavanger, Norway. They are in excellent preservation and are keyed in the same tone.

Some of these horns in the Copenhagen collection are in such condition that they may yet be judged as to quality, tone, etc. According to Dr. Hammerich, some are tuned to C, some smaller ones in E and others in D, E or G. They show in their elegant curves and embellishments a highly developed taste and technical perfection.

Large animal horns have probably served as models. The horns are cast in several parts and have then been put together. Some time ago the public in Copenhagen had occasion to convince itself of the powerful yet melodious tones of these instruments, as the museum officials had arranged a musical performance on the horns, which proved quite successful. In ancient times these bronze horns evidently served for religious purposes in the sacred groves and temples of a people which has long since vanished from the earth.—Chicago Tribune.

Didn't Cost Very Much.

It was not as colossal a sum as one would think, especially in comparison with money values to-day, that is, if we are to judge at all from the items of Columbus' expedition.

It cost only 14,000 Spanish maravedis, which is about \$7,500, according to our present standard.

In the archives preserved in Madrid it is stated that \$350 was given to Christopher Columbus for his services. He had two captains under him who received \$195 each, and the sailors got \$2.50 a month, besides their rations. The rest of the \$7,500 covers the cost of ships and fittings.—St. Louis Republic.

Cotton and Peanuts.

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Co., Commission Merchants of Norfolk:

COTTON.	
Good Middling	5 9-16
Middling	5 1/2
Low Middling	4 13-16
Good Ordinary	4 1/2
Tone—steady.	
PEANUTS.	
Prime	1 1/2
Extra Prime	2 1/4
Fancy	2 1/2
Spanish	2 1/2
Tone—Dull	
Eggs—steady at 18 to 19 cts.	
B. E. Peas—best, 1.75 to 2.00 per bag.	
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Faces Caught as They Passed Before the Reflector.

Mr. M. R. Lang spent to-day in Tarboro.

Mr. J. A. Dupree left this morning on a business trip.

Mr. G. A. Griswold, of Mt. Olive, is spending a few days with Mr. W. P. Hall.

Mr. C. M. Bernard has gone to Raleigh to help steer the Senatorial matter in the caucus to-night.

Mr. William Murray has moved his family into a portion of the building occupied by Miss Lela Cherry.

Mrs. J. H. Weinberg, who has been visiting Mrs. M. R. Lang, left for her home in Pittsburg this morning.

Mr. H. W. Whedbee returned Saturday from Hertford where he has been spending a few weeks. His health has considerably improved.

Master Milton White, son of Mr. J. White, has been appointed one of the pages in the legislature. He will leave for Raleigh to-morrow.

A daughter of Mr. E. S. Phelps, about two miles below Greenville, died Saturday of hemorrhagic fever. She was about eighteen years old.

Captured.

The negro who shot at Mr. W. B. Ricks last week, was arrested in Washington Sunday and brought here on the boat to-day. He has a bad wound in one of his legs, which he says was caused by accidentally shooting himself, but he tells two or three different tales as to how it occurred.

Pit Jury.

The jury for this week is composed of A. A. Joyner, W. R. Johnson, M. R. Turnage, R. L. Smith, A. J. Simonson, Walter Sims, L. G. Whichard, R. W. Wilson, Jesse Harrold, W. S. Pollard, Herbert McGowan, G. M. Tucker, Zeno Moore, Macon Haddock, W. B. Ricks, Lemon Johnson.

LITTLE BITS

Cream of Local News Boiled Down for Busy Folks.

The cold wave struck us full handed this time.

Buy Cotton Seed Meal at the Old Brick Store.

Heavy vehicles moving on the frozen ground rumble like a train.

Quite a number of people came up on this morning's train to be at Court to-day.

Auction sales of horses seem to be popular. We notice that several towns are having them.

The DAILY REFLECTOR, by Bro. Whichard, at Greenville, is a sprightly sheet. -Louisburg Times.

The Chick Medicine and Concert Company begin their second week's series of entertainments in the Opera House to-night.

There is talk again of having the portion of the streets leading from the wharf to the depot shelled. It would be a good improvement.

Friday's Raleigh News and Observer reached Greenville to-day. Monday. That's hustling the news.

Sunday's cold wave and the biting wind that came along with it, made the day one upon which people hated to get away from the fire.

The northern sportsman who have been hunting on the lands of Mr. Whitehead left to-day. They killed a large number of birds and had fine sport.

The Republicans held a caucus in Raleigh Saturday night to name their man for one of the United States Senatorships. There was so much filibustering that no vote could be had and they adjourned to hold another caucus to-night.

"If every tree is known by its fruit, what kind of fruit does the axletree bear?" asks the Boston Transcript.—Wheel tell you later. Glad you spoke about it. Hope this hub-bub will not tire you.—Orange Observer.

These fellows are inclined to be punny.

The REFLECTOR, at Greenville, is issuing a daily. The weekly has been unusually prosperous.—Publisher's Auxiliary.

A Georgia editor thus figures out the profit on a bushel of corn under certain conditions: "A bushel of corn makes four gallons of whiskey, which retails for \$19. Out of this the government gets \$3, the railroads \$1, the manufacturers \$4, the vender \$7, the farmer 40 cents and the drinker the delirium tremens."

You Can Help Us This Much.

When you go away from home, or have friends visiting you, or you are going to give a party or reception, or when your church or society contemplate any proceedings, or when you sell, buy or change your residence or business, or your son or daughter is married, or in a word, if you know or hear of any item of interest to the public, bring or send it in.

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