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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 6:45 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.

## Weather Bulletin.

Saturday: showers near coast, fair in the interior, warmer.

## THE CHILD'S PRAYER.

The following beautiful verses, written over forty years ago by the late Hodges Reed, are reprinted from the Boston Transcript:

Into her chamber went  
A little maid one day,  
And by a chair she knelt  
And thus began to pray:  
"Jesus, my eyes I close—  
Thy form I cannot see;  
If thou art near hear me, Lord,  
I pray thee speak to me."  
A still small voice she heard within her  
soul,  
"What is it, child? I hear thee—tell  
Me all."

"I pray Thee, Lord," she said,  
"That Thou wilt condescend  
To tarry in my heart  
And ever be my friend.  
The path of life is dark—  
I would not go astray;  
Oh, let me have Thy hand  
To lead me in the way."  
"Fear not—I will not leave thee, child,  
alone."  
She thought she felt a soft hand press  
her own.

"They tell me, Lord, that all  
The living pass away—  
The aged soon must die,  
And ven children may,  
Oh, let my parents live  
Till I a woman grow;  
For if they die, what can  
A little orphan do?  
"Fear not, my child—whatever ills may  
come,  
I'll not forsake thee till I bring thee  
home."

Her little prayer was said  
And from her chamber, now,  
She passed forth, with the light  
Of heaven upon her brow.  
"Mother, I've seen the Lord—  
His hand in mine I felt,  
And, oh, I heard him say,  
As on my chair I knelt,  
"Fear not, my child, whatever ills may  
come,  
I'll not forsake thee till I bring thee  
home."

Rev. G. F. Smith calls our attention to an error in the date of the District Conference at Tarboro, as published yesterday. It should have been June 20th to 23rd instead of 13th.

## LET US HAVE WATER.

The Engine a Success, But The Water Supply Insufficient.

Editor Reflector.

Now that the Town has a fire engine, and the first step is taken towards the care and safety of the town from fire, the second and most important step should at once be taken by making the water supply sufficient to meet the most stubborn emergency. This in my opinion should be done in the best way, and that way is to make a large reservoir at the west side of the walk bridge going to Forbestown, and one at the bridge going to Skinnerville on 4th street, and one in the ravine at the east end of 4th street, below Dr. Wm. B. Brown's. These locations are almost within reach of the length of hose, and for the protection of the north part of the town the river will furnish and inexhaustible quantity, and for the protection of the Tobacco Warehouses and other property in that section of the town a reservoir could be made back of the foundry and near the street going by the warehouses. This is the most inexpensive way to get plenty of water and without water the town has no use for an engine. When this is done and the property owners and citizen generally have solemnly and earnestly made up their minds to work harmoniously and in full concert of action, being willing to be commanded when a fire is on us and will work for the best good of the town, the fire bugs will not be able to do much toward destroying the town and property therein. The fact is very clearly evident that the cost of an engine is a useless waste of money if there is no water, and in order that this end shall be met the above proposition is in my judgment the best and most economical expenditure that can possibly be made to get all the water necessary. B. F. SUGG.

## Democratic Ward Meetings.

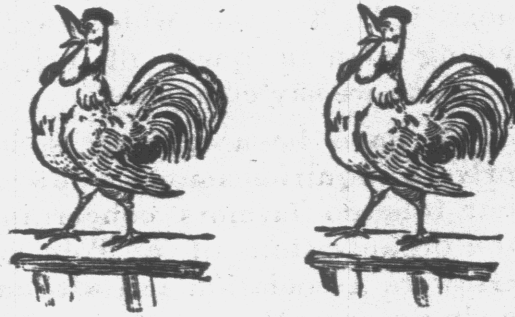
The Democratic voters of the Second and Fourth Wards of the town of Greenville are requested to meet at the following places on Friday night at 8 o'clock to-wit:

Second Ward at the Mayor's office.

Fourth Ward at the Court House.

For the purpose of nominating candidates for Councilmen to be voted for on Monday the 6th inst.

## Well Dressers.



well dressing---fact is, frequently the best dressers are the most economical. They know "clothes" styles and where to find them. They are not astray by superfluous gab from other houses but come steadily on to me, where they can do the same. I invite you to do so.

# FRANK WILSON

The King Clothier.

## IN NORTH CAROLINA.

What is Happening Over the State.

Four Mormon elders are in Raleigh.

There are still 1,200 Indians in North Carolina.

Newbern commenced shipping peas and cabbage on the 1st.

The Rutherfordton Democrat says: "The bones of the poor woman and child murdered by Hoke Secrest, with the fragments of their clothing and other evidence of the awful crime, which have been in the possession of the clerk of the court of McDowell county for nearly twenty years, have been brought here to the clerk of our Superior Court for use in the trial of Secrest."

## All Needed is Water.

The fire engine is unquestionably a great success so far as the water test is concerned, and if the fire test proves as successful as did the water test Thursday evening there should be no hesitancy on the part of the Councilmen to close the contract. Then they should proceed at once to secure a good and plentiful supply of water which is very greatly needed for the protection of the property of the town.

Makes money by the barrel—the cooper.

## 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  
Middling  
Low Middling  
Good Ordinary  
Tone—lower and quiet.

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Common  
Prime  
Extra Prime  
Fancy  
Spanish  
Tone—steady.  
Eggs—11 cts—Firm.  
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Black and Clay, 90 to 1.00 per bu

## Greenville Market.

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Potatoes Sweet, per bu  
Sugar  
Coffee  
Salt per Sack  
Chickens  
Eggs per doz  
Beeswax, per lb  
Kerosene,  
Pease, per bu  
Hulls, per ton  
Cotton Seed Meal  
Hides  
Minks



# DAILY REFLECTOR

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EVERY AFTERNOON (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

The Jury in the case against Oscar Wilde failed to agree and he is again in prison to await another trial. Bail was asked for him but was refused.

If the movement to make gold alone money is successful it will double the burden of every debtor and multiply the gains and income of every creditor wherever the sun shines.

Governor Carr has received the report of the commission of Physicians he appointed to examine and report on the sanity of George George Mills. They say that he is sane and the Governor declines to grant the reprieve. In consequence George Mills was to have been hung yesterday. He simply said when so informed "Well, the Lord's will be done."

The case of Stradford vs. Ellington for State Librarian was concluded yesterday and it now goes to the Jury for decision. It matters not what the decision is the case will go to the Supreme Court. During the argument Mr Day made an attack upon Governor Carr but it was duly resented by Judge Starbuck and Shepherd, Busbee and Pou, and was retracted.

Mr. Voorhees says no better time will ever come than this for a decisive fight on silver. He says: It must be definitely settled whether the laboring, producing people of this country can be bullied out of one-half of their debt-paying money or whether they will stand up like freeman and demand the money named and provided in the Constitution—gold and silver both—on terms and conditions of absolute equality.

## LOCAL NOTES AND TOBACCO JOTTINGS.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

Messrs. G. W. and Walter Boyd, tobacco warehousemen of Warrenson, have been spending some days in town.

Letters that we have received lately indicate that there will be several new buyers on this market next fall. To the wide awake young man in quest of bright tobacco we say come east.

We have been making some private inquiries among a few of our tobacco farmers concerning the organization of a Tobacco Growers Association and without a single exception everyone has signified a willingness and desire to aid in such a cause, hence we feel safe in saying that in a short while a meeting of this kind will be called.

Thanks to Mr. Grimes for his kind and quick response and encouraging words in support of a Tobacco Growers Association. In our conception there is nothing that would bring about a more advanced unification of thought than an organization of representative tobacco farmers to meet together once a month and exchange ideas by discussing the manifold subjects under the head of tobacco culture. We believe that an organization of this kind can be made, under the proper management, not only beneficial and instructive to the whole profession but entertaining and elevating to a very high degree. We can, must and will have it.

### A Cabarrus Hermit.

Mr. J. W. Mehaffey, of Concord, while on a surveying expedition in the Rocky River section of Cabarrus, last week discovered a bona fide hermit, says the Charlotte News. His name is J. P. Langley, and he lives by Coddle creek, on land owned by Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, of Concord, and near the home of Mr. Frank Irwin. Langley's habitation is a curiosity. It is a hut, made of poles and covered with turf and leaves. A small aperture in one side of it lets in light, and serves as a door. Langley came from Yackin county, and for years past has lived alone in this mud hut.

He is what is commonly known as a root and herb doctor, and the ignorant and superstitious of that section of the country patronize him. He never huys meat his gun and rod keeping him supplied in that line. He is quite an angler and knows all the best fishing "holes" in Rocky river and Coddle Creek. Langley is 75 years old.

### The Foundation Stone of Success.

The one great rule of business is that of honesty, absolute and unqualified honesty, writes Edward W. Bok in the *May Ladies' Home Journal*. All the rules of business are worthless if they are not founded on that one and only foundation stone to true commercial success. Honesty is not alone the best policy in business; it is the one and only policy. Upon it, and upon it alone can a good reputation be built, and a man in business without a reputation for honesty might just as well stop. Any deviation from the rule of honesty in business may bring temporary gain, but it invariably means permanent loss. On the other hand, a strict adherence to an honest policy may mean a temporary loss, but it is sure to result in a permanent gain.

### Driving a Bargain.

The mean man occasionally overreaches himself in a way that is delightful to those who have no use for stingy people. A journal tells a story of one of this class of person, which is most amusing. The man went into a butcher's shop, and inquired the price of a soupbone.

"Oh I'll let you have that for nothing," replied the butcher, a more or less generous person.

The customer was slightly deaf, and missed the answer.

"Can't you take something off that?" he asked, never supposing that the butcher had offered to give him what he wanted.

"Oh, yes," replied the butcher, with a smile. "Call it twopence."

And the mean man paid the twopence for the gift, and departed, thinking how clever he was.

Some women, when they have nothing else to sit down on, use their husbands.

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## LOCAL DIRECTORY.

### COUNTY OFFICERS.

Superior Court Clerk, E. A. Moyer.  
 Sheriff, R. W. King.  
 Register of Deeds, W. M. King.  
 Treasurer, J. L. Little.  
 Coroner, Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse.  
 Surveyor,  
 Commissioners—C. Dawson, chm'n.  
 Leonidas Fleming, T. E. Keel, Jesse L. Smith and S. M. Jones.  
 Sup't. Health, Dr. W. H. Bagwell.  
 Sup't. County Home, J. W. Smith.  
 Board Education—J. R. Congleton, chm'n, F. Ward and R. C. Cannon.  
 Sup't. Pub. Ins., W. H. Ragsdale.

### TOWN OFFICERS.

Mayor, J. L. Fleming.  
 Clerk, G. E. Harris.  
 Treasurer, J. S. Smith.  
 Police—W. B. James, chief. T. R. Moore, asst; J. L. Duiehl, night.  
 Councilmen—J. S. Smith, B. C. Pearce, L. H. Pender, W. J. Cowell, T. A. Wilks, Dempsey Ruffin.

### CHURCHES.

Baptist. Services every Sunday (except fourth) morning and night. Prayer meeting Thursday night. Rev. C. M. Billings, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Sup't.

Catholic. No regular services.  
 Episcopal. Services every fourth Sunday morning and night. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Sup't.

Methodist. Services every Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. G. F. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Supt.

Presbyterian. Services every third Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Tuesday night. Rev. R. W. Hines, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. B. D. Evans, Sup't.

### LODGES.

Covenant Lodge No. 17. I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. Dr. W. H. Bagwell, N. G.

Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M., meets first and third Monday nights. W. M. King, W. M.

### CASHIERS GONE WRONG.

Raleigh, Wilmington and Charlotte. These Three, but the Greatest of These is Charlotte—Foust, of Salisbury, and Jones, of Roxboro—Only One Escaped.

North Carolina is getting up a reputation on its bank cashiers. Cross and White, the Raleigh bankers, whose drunken flight towards Canada, and the fright of the negro porter whom they carried with them, vested their escapade, serious as it was, with a tingle of humor, stand at the head of the list. At the head, in so far that they opened the ball in this State. They duly served time in the chain gang. Their flight, arrest, trial and conviction created a great sensation in the State. They donned striped suits and were soon forgotten.

Then came the smash of the First National bank of Wilmington and the flight of Cashier Bowdon. He didn't wait for the storm to break, but put out before the people fully realized what was the matter. It is said that the money he handles now is worth only 55 cents on dollar, for he is living in Mexico.

The next thing to shake up the State was the failure of the Bank of New Hanover and its branch banks, but the officers of this institution made the best of a bad situation. The State had \$15,000 on deposit in this bank at the time of the smash, put there by Col. Tate, then State treasurer. Action is now pending against the directors of the bank to hold them individually responsible for the loss of the money. The complaint charges that the directors, through carelessness and indiscretion brought on the failure of the bank and are therefore responsible, and that they had secured the deposit by misrepresentation. Treasurer Worth, succeeding Col. Tate, is now the plaintiff in the action.

Closely following this came the defalcation of Cashier Foust, of Salisbury. He embezzled \$20,000 of the bank's funds. Rev. J. F. Murdock uncovered him one morning quite unexpectedly. When Foust saw that Mr. Murdock meant business, he made a grab at a package of bills amounting to \$1,000 and tried to bolt, but he was detained in the bank

and in ten minutes the exposure came. He is still serving his term in the State penitentiary, in the capacity of bookkeeper of the penitentiary farm near Weldon.

Since the arrest of Foust nothing out of the way in banking circles had occurred in the State until the Holland exposure, and Charlotte added to the list the king of all cashiers. And now comes Roxboro, with its little \$18,000 capital stock bank, and its enterprising cashier in jail. His name is Jones and they say he got away with \$5,000. "It is believed," say the published reports "that the depositors are not in danger, but the stockholders will lose heavily."—Charlotte News.

### Finest Cruiser Afloat,

The official report of the final trial of the cruiser Minneapolis has reached the Navy Department and shows that the vessel is practically faultless, even under extreme conditions of service. Her run in the tropics for forty eighty hours, part of it with natural draught, proved her the most efficient ship yet built for the navy and as a result of her performance her contractors will be promptly paid the reserve sum held by the Government pending her complete acceptance.

Without effort the Minneapolis made a speed within a small fraction of twenty knots without using her blowers for assisting her fires which in the tropics is unprecedented.

According to an eminent writer if there is anything in historical precedents it is about time for the United States to have another war. The average period between wars heretofore has been between twenty-five and thirty years, and that length of time has now elapsed since the last war. When we look about us and note the signs of peace on every hand there is no reason to fear that history will repeat itself at any time in the near future, for which let us be duly thankful.—Durham Sun.

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### MAY MOONSHINE.

A Few of the Rays Caught Before They Faded.

To-morrow is the last day for registration.

Not so many glad now, the season is almost over.

Lookout for the story, "Jolly Old Uncle Josh," to-morrow.

The streams all over the county are full and many bridges have been washed up.

50,000 N. C. Fresh Corned Herrings just received. J. J. CHERRY.

My! the Salisbury Herald has moved the country up to May, 2985, just one thousand years ahead.

Gov. Elias Carr's delicious Butter, 25 cents per pound. Come quick to the Old Brick Store.

Remember the ward meetings to-night. If you stay away don't kick if what is done does not suit you.

Needles and Attachments for all makes of Sewing Machines kept by James Brown at H. C. Hooker's store.

"Coot" Whichard has received a supply of the "develine" whistles. They make the most hideous noise you ever heard.

A call appears elsewhere for ward primaries to be held Friday night. Be sure that you attend.

At the rapid rate vegetation has advanced the last few days, the leaves will be grown on schedule time, by the 10th.

Bananas 20 cents per dozen or two dozen for 35 cents, Lemons 20 cents per dozen, Apples, Oranges and fresh Candy at Morris Meyer's.

Fishing is prohibited on the ponds on Main street for any game smaller than folks. Policeman Moore will see this enforced.

I have taken the agency for the New Home Sewing Machine and will keep a supply of machines, needles and attachments at H. C. Hooker's store. JAMES BROWN.

The District Conference of the M. E. Church for this district will convene at Tarboro on June 13th. Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore will preside.

Glue should be sold by the stick.

The fellow who robs a hen roost is naturally fond of poached eggs.

It is a mistake to suppose you can cure the blues by painting the town red.

### THESE FOUR AND NO MORE.

Were All the Personal Items Caught To-day.

Prof. B. E. Goode returned last night from Virginia.

Mr. C. T. Munford came home last night from Suffolk.

Ex-Register of Deeds D. H. James, of Pactolus, was in town to-day.

Mr. Walter Taylor returned from Grangers this morning where he had been on a brief visit

### THE FIRE ENGINE.

It is Given a Water Test and Proves a Success.

The new fire engine which the Board of Councilmen contracted for and were to accept in case it came up to what was guaranteed for it, was brought down from the depot Thursday evening and given a thorough water test. The first test was made in front of the Market House, the suction hose being lowered into the well there and a stream of water was thrown over the Court House steeple, 90 feet high. The engine was then placed at the well near Pender's store and the hose was run out to C. T. Munford's residence two blocks away, but the well did not afford sufficient water to make this test. Then the fire company took the engine to the river bridge, placed it near the draw, lowered the suction to the river, ran the hose up the hill and on nearly to second street, and from the street threw a stream of water over the Masonic Lodge. This was as severe a test as the engine could well be subjected to, and it did all that could be expected of it. We believe the engine is a thoroughly good one and if an adequate water supply is now provided the town will be well protected against fire.

The engine will be put to a fire test this evening in the old field near the College. For this purpose a rough structure 15 x 20 feet and 15 feet high has been put up. This house will be filled with combustible material, the whole saturated with oil and fire set to it. If the engine puts this out there will be no room to doubt that it will do everything guaranteed for it.

A cyclone in Kansas killed ten people, wounded twenty others, and destroyed a number of houses.

A good thing to clear away the breath of suspicion is a clove.

Nobody kicks about the dust he finds on the highway of life.

# Don't Let



Every merchant who beats a tattoo through the columns of the news papers make you dance to his music. If you do you'll soon be taking steps that would set Carmencita to shame. Everything in my Spring Clothes, Hat and Furnishing Goods, Dry Goods, Shoes, Notions, and Dress Goods stock is good. We shun the dangerous association with the very cheap and court the favor of honest quality and the lovers of it. The fineness of the fabrics, the selectness of the patterns and the honesty of the qualities are far more eloquent than the loftiest words.

## C. T. MUNFORD,

Next Door to bank.