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Winter.

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at

MUNFORD'S

W. W. W.

Attractions

for this week

New Dress

Goods,

Storm

Overcoats

Fine Clothing

Shoes, Hats,

WHERE?

WHERE?

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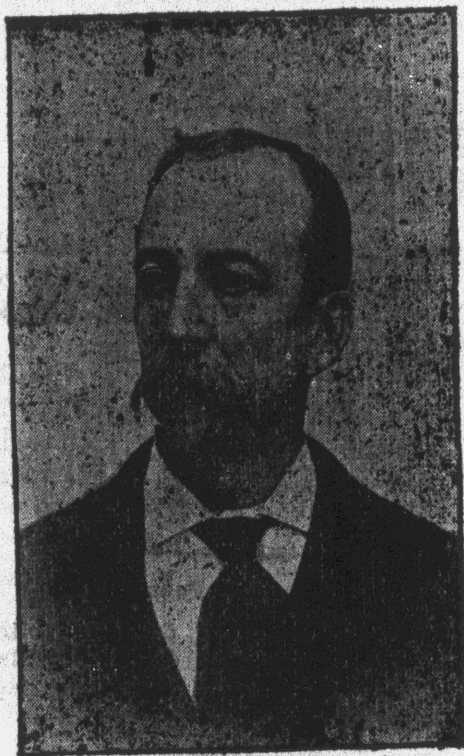
## GREENVILLE.

A Series of Articles on the History of Tobacco Culture in the Eastern Counties.

### THE STAR WAREHOUSE.

The rapid growth of the Greenville tobacco market demanded more floor surface to handle the increased trade of the market, and to supply this Rountree, Brown & Co., early in the spring of this year, commenced the erection of the Star Warehouse, which was completed and opened Aug. 1st.

This house took rank among the older ones just as though it had been in operation ever since the market was established. It is 80x160 feet in size, the offices being on the side of the building so as to take up none of its floor space. It has ample skylights which diffuse a soft, mellow light over the entire sales floor, and is admirably quipped in every way for handling and selling tobacco.



C. D. ROUNTREE.

This gentleman is the senior member of the firm, and is well known to the people of Pitt and surrounding counties. Mr. Rountree was raised on a farm near Greenville. He was but 19 years old when the war broke out and was the first man from Pitt county to enlist in the army. So enthused with patriotism was he, that he ran away from home and started to Fort Sumter to tender his services to the Confederacy. Arriving at the town of Wilson and learning that a company was being organized there, he enlisted in that on the 18th of April, 1861. This company was sent to Fort Macon, and after service a short while young Rountree and Mr. W. I. Lucas, both of whom had been trained in a military school, were detailed to go to Hyde county and organize a company. Soon after this he returned home, and finding that Col. E. C. Yellowley was organizing a company here he joined that and was commissioned as one of its Lieutenants. He went through the war in this company and though in many hot battles was only once wounded and then but slightly. He was a prisoner at Fort Delaware when the war ended and was not released until the 17th of June, 1865.

After the war Mr. Rountree returned to Pitt county and engaged in farming. In 1887 he moved to Greenville and began merchandising but did not abandon his farming interests. He was among those who became interested in tobacco growing here and cultivated crops of the weed for four years. In 1894 he closed out his mercantile business and went on the tobacco market to acquaint himself with the warehouse business, and this year associated

with the other members of the firm to build and operate the Star Warehouse.

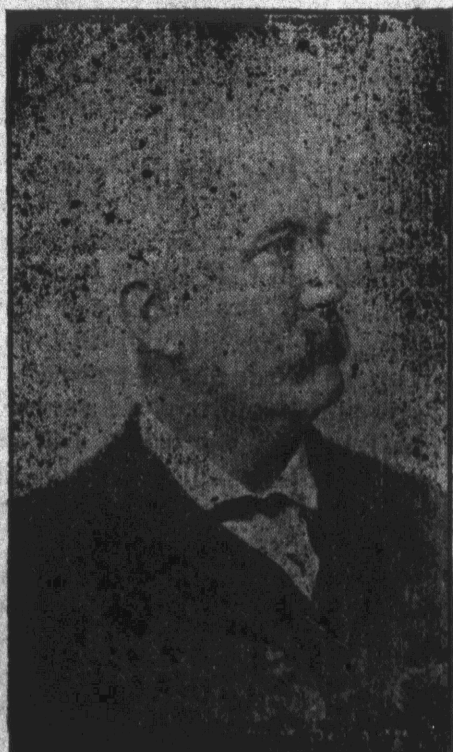


WILEY BROWN.

The junior member of the firm is Wiley Brown, and as the senior jocularly says, a red headed man is a necessary adjunct to a well regulated business. Mr. Brown's early business career was in mercantile lines. For a number of years he carried on a successful dry goods business, first in co-partnership with a brother and then alone, and enjoyed a large trade. Seeing the tobacco industry was an inviting field for investment, early this year he closed out his mercantile business and joined the firm to build the Star. Wiley Brown is an energetic young man, full of enterprise, and possesses fine business qualities. While he knew nothing of handling tobacco before this year he is picking up the knowledge rapidly and is making a good warehouseman.

MCG. ERNUL.

There is not a more popular man in the county than this gentleman. While he is a member of this firm, he is so in a silent way, his individual business occupying his entire time. Mr. Ernul was also a gallant Confederate soldier, going in the army when very young. After the war he entered the drug business here and has followed it since. There is no more obliging or courteous gentleman anywhere than "Doc," and Greenville has no more successful business man than he. He is a substantial man to have at the back of an enterprise.



CAPT. E. PACE.

Rountree, Brown & Co., were fortunate in securing the services of that veteran warehouseman, Capt. Ed M. Pace, as manager and salesman of the Star. This coming spring Capt. Pace will have been in the warehouse business twenty seven years and he is a young man yet (so he says.) He has probably handled more tobacco than any warehouseman living on a loose leaf market. He commenced the business in Danville, Va., in 1869, and with his brother was the founder of the present method of handling tobacco

## There's a Foretaste



Of Winter in the air these days that makes brisk trading. Never before were we so well prepared for the fall and winter trade as now. See us for anything in CLOTHING

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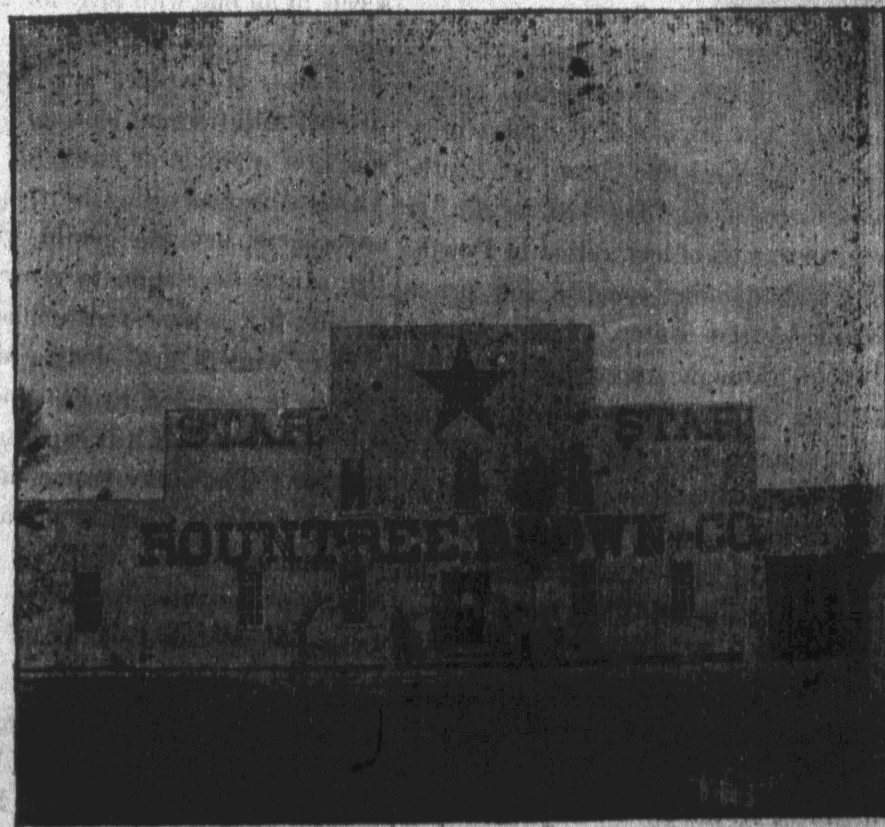
and everything else we have in stock.

LANG'S.

from the wagon to the sales floor. Millions and millions pounds of the weed have passed through his hands, and he knows tobacco from the plant bed to the factory where it is manipulated for the consumers use. Capt. Pace was closely identified with North Carolina during the Kirk troubles in Caswell

and was selected with the late Col. Williamson to serve the writ of habeas corpus upon the cut-throat Kirk at Yanceyville. He served in the war with a company from Pitt county. Capt. Pace pictures a bright future for Greenville and the surrounding counties tributary to this market.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 2ND, 1895.

The life saving service last year rescued 5,382 persons from shipwrecked vessels, and yet there is no branch of the Government service less appreciated than this.

That fellow who bought a \$150 pair of horses in Chicago, took them to the horse show in New York and sold them for \$6,000 to General Torrence, a Chicago man, struck a soft snap.

A genius has devised for sleeping carriages a system of beds made of rubber bags, which are to be stretched over steel frames and inflated with hot air from the locomotive. In fifteen minutes an entire car can be made ready for the night. In the morning, when the hot air is turned off, the mattress and pillows will immediately collapse.

They are Moving South.

The Nashville (Tenn.) Banner gives some interesting figures showing a decided movement of farmers from the Northwest to the South. Within the past six months over two hundred and fifty have settled in Tennessee on the line of the Northwestern Division of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway. The prominent citizens of Nebraska, who have recently purchased farms in Tennessee, declare that the movement from the Northwest to the South will swell in volume without a parallel in the history of the country as soon as the people can dispose of their present holdings in that region. Fifty persons in one batch settled in Lewis county last week. On the Sparta Division eighty families have located within the past six months, and many others are expected in a short time. Madison county, Ala., of which Huntsville is the county seat, has received an accession of seven hundred Northwestern farmers to its population within the past two years. Huntsville has increased its population from about 8,000 in 1890 to 13,500 at present.

Hay in Georgia.

There was an interesting and unique event at Albany, one of the most prosperous and attractive cities in Southwest Georgia, one day last week. It was an exhibit of hay, raised in Dougherty and adjoining counties for prizes offered by the editor of the Albany Herald, through whose influence the farmers of Southwest Georgia have been induced to engage in hay-raising on an extensive scale. There was an immense turnout of people, and the exhibit, both in size and quality of product far exceeded all expectations. Broad and Washington streets, the principal streets of the city, were given up to the hay display. For seven hundred feet on one street and five hundred feet on the other was piled a yellow, sweet-smelling barricade of home-raised hay. The ten samples of the many contestants for the premiums were neatly placed at regular intervals, some large planters having as many as several hundred bales displayed. One feature of the occasion was a huge wagon, drawn by four strapping horses, and on which was piled an even hundred bales of as fine hay as Georgia ever saw. After the awards had been made there were a number of jolification addresses. Thus the Georgia farmers are adding to the alliteration "hog and hominy" that of hay, all of which are destined to add to their comfort and prosperity.

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Words of Wisdom.

To live an aimless life is to lose life.

The inventor of soap was a friend of the Gospel.

Wisdom can live on what fools trample under foot.

A wrong desire overcome is a temptation resisted.

No matter how safe sin may look, its death.

It doesn't take much money to make a good man rich.

A bad man most hates the things that would do him most good.

Wrong principles are as wrong in politics as they are in religion.

The best views are sometimes right at the end of the longest tunnels.

If we do not learn from little trials, the lesson may have to be taught in great ones.

The man is traveling in the wrong direction who thinks money can make him happy.

Love sees danger afar off, but the loved one too often turns a deaf ear to the warning.

When we come close to a giant, he often turns out to be only a common man on stilts.

Parents and children drift apart right where they begin to think there are some things too small to talk about.

Shouting in church during a revival is one thing, and paying the preacher in chips and whetstones is another. Ram's Horn.

North Carolina As a Place To Live.

To live men must work. The thinking man, however, to discover the place where the least labor will produce the best returns and then other conditions are favorable, will go to that location and there pass his allotted time in peace and contentment. Where nature combines a prolific soil with a genial, healthful climate, is the spot for those who desire to live as long as possible and with as little trouble and worry as mortals can have.

Those whose tastes incline them towards a pastoral life, will find in North Carolina more advantages and fewer drawbacks to a pleasant, even existence than any civilized place upon earth. The climate is all that could be expected—mild and healthy. From April to November it is gentle summer; not the fierce, hot, blistering summer of the North, but summer with beautiful flowers, soft breezes, showers like angels' tears and a mild warmth that seems to fill one with love for all mankind. Everywhere are flowers, gardens are a mass of verdure, huge trees are covered with fragrant blossoms and the songs of myriads of birds fill the air. There is no enervating heat, no sultry atmosphere, but the gentle warm air that causes vegetation to grow with a rapidity that is almost incredible.

Our winters are delightful. The climate is conceded to be superb, but it is questionable if it is superior to our summer. The entire year is delightful, and we doubt if there is a place upon this mundane sphere that has a better climate or one more conducive to longevity.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

There is not a dishonest Christian in the world and never was. A dishonest man is not a Christian. He may blow his head, cross himself; or weep at the name of Jesus, soar on wings of ecstasy when he hears descriptions of heaven, and recount with unctious date, the hour and the minute of the conversation; but if he is dishonest he is not a Christian.—Louisburg Times.

THE FIRST PSALM IN SCOTCH.

Blest is the man that ta's his stock
In what the godless say;
Wha wadna trock wi' sinfu' folk
Nor walk within their way;
Wha sits na in the big, bow chair
The scornfu' like to fill,
But mak's his care aye mair and mair
To work the Maister's will;
Wha never times it frae his sight
At home or far awa,
But in daylight an in midnight
Keeps thinkin on God's law.

That man shall flourish like the tree
That grows beside a burn;
Whaur fruit we see aye hingin free
As simmer days return;
Whase sma'est leaf shall ne'er be lost
Tho' ither trees hae na;
An blithe may boast thro' sun an frost
A glossy robe o' green.
That man may gang to sell or buy
An still good luck command;
Ye may rely whate'er he try
Shall prosper in his han.

But wae the men that hellwards lean,
Wi' satan's rule conform;
They'll stouter run till they gang doon
Like stooks afore the storm;
Nor will ae rascal be alio'd
In paradise to dwell;
For God hath yoo'd name but the good
Shall sit beside himsel'. —Toronto Globe.

MILES AND SITTING BULL.

The General's Interviews in 1876 With the Treacherous Indian Chief.

Made insolent by recent successes, Sitting Bull in 1876 sent word to Colonel E. S. Otis, who was escorting one of Miles' supply trains, to get out of the way, as he was scaring off the buffalo. "If you don't," said the note, "I will fight you again. I want you to leave what you have got here and turn back. I mean all the rations you have got and some powder." Colonel Otis, however, kept on, the Indians from time to time firing upon him.

When General Miles heard of this affair, he moved after Sitting Bull and on the 21st of October found him near the head of Cedar creek. The famous medicine man sent in a flag of truce, and an interview was held between the lines under an agreement that General Miles should take six persons with him and Sitting Bull also six.

"Sitting Bull," said the general in telling the story to the writer, "spread out a blanket and wanted me to sit down upon it, but I stood up while he sat down. As we talked one and another young Indian sauntered up until there were perhaps 10 or 15 in a half circle. One of my men called my attention to this. I said to Sitting Bull, 'These men are not old enough for council, and unless you send them back we will stop talking.' Soon afterward the interview came to an end with nothing settled. I found out later from a scout and interpreter named John Brughier that one Indian muttered, 'Why don't you talk strong to him?' and that Sitting Bull replied, 'When I do that I am going to kill him.' Brughier also told me that one of the young warriors slipped a carbine up under Sitting Bull's buffalo robe. But I had in mind the fate of Canby and had instructed the troops on the ridge back of us to keep the spot in range."

The next day came a second interview. The general tried hard to induce the Indians to obey the government and to go to their reservations. Sitting Bull's answer was emphatic: "The Great Spirit made me an Indian. He did not make me an agency Indian, and I do not intend to be one."

Seeing that further parley was useless, General Miles gave an ultimatum through the interpreter: "Tell him that either I will drive him out of the country or he will drive me out. I will take no advantage of the flag of truce and will give him 15 minutes to get back to his lines. If my terms are not accepted by that time, I will open fire."

Sitting Bull started up with a grunt and rushed out in a fury, followed by his chiefs, not stopping to shake hands. In a very short time the Indian lines were all astir with yelling warriors and with ponies scurrying about, and presently the grass was burning here and there to stop any advance of the troops. Miles had with him only 398 rifles, while the Indians swarmed in far greater numbers in front and on the flanks, but his men went forward with a rush, and the hostiles were driven twoscore miles to the Yellowstone, leaving some of their dead in their flight.—George E. Pond in McClure's Magazine.

Of what consequence is it that anything should be concealed from man? Nothing is hidden from God; he is present in our minds and comes into the midst of our thoughts. Comes, do I say? As if he were ever absent!—Seneca.

Yard was once any stick, rod or pole. The expression is still used with this meaning when applied to various parts of a ship's equipment, as yardarm, sailyard and the like.

Appointments by the Bishop of East Carolina.

- 1895.
Dec. 1st—1st Sunday in Advent, Le-noir county, Holy Innocents.
Dec. 6th—Friday, E. P., Dawson's School House
Dec. 8th—2nd Sunday in Advent, M. P. Pitt county, S. John's.
Dec. 8th—2nd Sunday in Advent, E. P., Pitt county, S. Michael's.
Dec. 10th—Tuesday, E. P., Greenville, S. Paul's.
Dec. 13th—Friday, Vanceboro, S. Paul's.
Dec. 15th—3rd Sunday in Advent, M. P., Beaufort county, Zion church.
Dec. 15th—3rd Sunday in Advent, E. P., Washington, S. Peters.
Dec. 17th—Tuesday, Chocowinity, Beaufort county, Trinity Chapel.
Dec. 19th—Thursday, E. P., Hamilton, S. Martin's.
Dec. 22nd—4th Sunday in Advent, Gatesville, S. Mary's.
Dec. 25th—Christmas Day, Gates county, S. Peter's.
Dec. 26th—Thursday, Fest. S. Stephen, E. P., Murfreesboro, S. Barnabas.
Dec. 29th—Sunday after Christmas, M. P., Roxobel, S. Mark's.
Dec. 29th—Sunday after Christmas, E. P., Woodville, Bertie county, Grace Church.
Dec. 31st—Tuesday, Windsor, S. Thomas.
1896.
Jan. 1st—Wednesday, Fest. of the Circulation, E. P., Plymouth, Grace Church.
Jan. 3rd—Friday, Williamston, church of the advent.
M. P.—Morning Prayer, E. P.—Evening Prayer, Holy Communion at all Morning Services. The Children catechized when practicable. The Vestries will please be prepared to meet the Bi-hop. Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET REPORT.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

Table with tobacco prices: TOPS—Green, Bright, Red; LUGS—Common, Good, Fine; CUTTERS—Common, Good, Fine.

Cotton and Peanut.

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

Table with cotton and peanut prices: COTTON (Good Middling, Middling, Low Middling, Good Ordinary, Tone—firm); PEANUTS (Prime, Extra Prime, Fancy, Spanish, Tone—easy).

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table with market prices: Butter, per lb; Western Sides; Sugar cured Hams; Corn; Corn Meal; Flour, Family; Lard; Oats; Sugar; Coffee; Salt per Sack; Chickens; Eggs per doz; Beeswax, per.

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Table with 4 columns: Dated, No. 23, No. 35, No. 41. Rows include Lv Tarboro, Lv Rocky Mt, Lv Wilson, Lv Selma, Lv Fayetteville, Ar. Florence, Lv Wilson, Lv Goldsboro, Lv Magnolia, Ar. Wilmington.

Table with 4 columns: Dated, No. 78, No. 82, No. 40. Rows include Lv Florence, Lv Fayetteville, Lv Selma, Ar. Wilson, Lv Wilmington, Lv Magnolia, Lv Goldsboro, Ar. Wilson, Lv Tarboro, Lv Wilson, Ar. Rocky Mt, Ar. Tarboro, Lv Tarboro, Lv Rocky Mt, Ar. Weldon.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.13 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.47 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 am daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrives Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 10.00; returning leaves Tarboro 4.30 p. m., Parmele 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 7.45 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.45

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m., arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains in Nashville branch leave Rocky Mount at 4.30 p. m., arrives Nashville 5.05 p. m., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 8.40 a. m., Nashville 8.33 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 9.05 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clifton 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clifton 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11.10 a. m. and 8.50 p. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmond, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

JOHN F. DIVINE, General Supt. T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. J. B. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

ATLANTIC & NORTH CAROLINA R. R. TIME TABLE. In Effect December 4th, 1893.

Table with 4 columns: Pas. Daily, Ex Sun., STATIONS, Pas. Daily, Ex Sun. Rows include Ar. Lv., P. M., P. M., Goldsboro, Kinston, Newbern, Morehead City.

Train 4 connects with Wilmington & Weldon train bound North, leaving Goldsboro 11:55 a. m., and with R. & R. train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.35 p. m.

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TOLD BY AN OLD SHOWMAN.

Three Brief but Interesting Stories About the Ways of the Monkey.

"Speaking of monkeys," said the old showman, "we had about 30 of them once in a big cage with a shelf along each side, up high, for them to lie on and a little dead tree with the ends of the branches sawed off standing in the middle for them to climb up to the shelves by and to hang on to by their tails if they wanted to. One day we set in on the bottom of the cage a champagne bottle filled with very highly fermented root beer and with the cork held in with a cord tied with a bow-knot. The monkeys got up on the shelves and up in the tree and looked down on this bottle very suspiciously. Finally their curiosity got the better of them, and they came down and moved around the bottle to inspect it. At last they got near enough to touch it and handle it, and finally they upset it over on its side. Then one of the monkeys began pulling at the string, with the rest all clustered around. At last he pulled the knot loose, and bang went the cork and away went the beer. The first rush of it knocked over three or four of the monkeys nearest the muzzle of the bottle, and it drenched half a dozen of them and wet all of them more or less, for it went through the bunch of monkeys like a puff of smoke, spattering and flying in all directions. An instant later the monkeys were up the tree and lying along the shelves. There was nothing left on the floor of the cage but the empty bottle.

"A number of times after that we set bottles of beer out in the sun to ferment and then set them in the cage, but the monkeys never would touch them. We could set the bottles in, but we couldn't make the monkeys pull the string.

"There was a lady standing in front of the cage one day who had on a hat with a big bunch of red cherries and a lot of flowers on the top of it. A monkey reached through the bars and grabbed the cherries. The lady pulled back, but the monkey held on and pulled the hat off and tried to drag it through the bars into the cage. Three or four other visitors standing near rushed up and grabbed the hat, and they pulled one way while the monkey pulled the other. They finally got the hat away from the monkey and returned it to the lady. The cherries were about all gone, and what there was left of the rest of the hat really wasn't of much account. The lady said she would have to be paid for the hat, and she made for the box office.

"Why, certainly," said the man in the box office. "How much do you value the hat?"

"Five dollars," the lady said, and the box office man handed out the money.

"The lady smiled. She was evidently pleased. 'I didn't really expect you would pay for it,' she said, and she turned to go away.

"Madam," said the man in the box office, and the lady turned around. 'We'll take the hat now, if you please.

"What?" said the lady.

"The hat, if you please," said the box office man. 'We've paid for it, and would like to have it.'

"Of course the lady couldn't go away without a hat, and the upshot of it was that she returned the \$5 and went away with the hat.

"Standing in front of the cage one day was a man who had on a pair of gold spectacles. A monkey reached through and took the spectacles off the man's nose. The man was greatly surprised at this, but he was a great deal more surprised when he saw the monkey, still standing close by him, push the glasses out of the frame and put them in his mouth and stow them away, one in each cheek, and then proceed to twist the frames up like so much wire into a small bunch. One of our men went into the cage and choked the monkey until he got the glasses out of his mouth, and then he got the frame away from him, and we returned them to the owner. Of course they were not of much use to him in that shape, but it was the best we could do."—New York Sun.

In Either Case Missed.

He was a well to do looking stranger, and when he had retired for the night the landlord said to his wife, "If we don't get a good speck out of him, I'll miss my guess."

After he had been there a week he "cleared," leaving his bill unsettled. "Well," said the landlord's wife after they had talked the matter over, "you have missed your guess."

"Yes," said the landlord humorously, "I have missed my guest."—Boston Courier.

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## TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:17 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M. leaves 10:10 A. M.

South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M. leaves 2:15 P. M.

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

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Cold wave, temperature will fall twenty-five degrees by Tuesday afternoon.

## DECEMBER DRIPS.

### Doings of the Day Dotted Down.

December.  
Court week.  
Twelfth month.  
Showery this afternoon.  
The last month of the year is with us.

Greenville Lodge 284, A. F. & A. M. meets to-night.

Don't forget D. S. Smith for nice fresh Groceries.

The County Commissioners had a busy session to-day.

Of course we will have some weather now—it is court week.

Full line fresh Groceries and choice Fruits at D. S. Smith's.

December gives us five Sundays, five Mondays, five Tuesdays and Christmas.

If you want nice holiday goods wait and see the stock now being selected by Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

Just received a car load of the best Flour at the lowest prices. Guarantee satisfaction. D. W. HARDEE.

A fence has been put up to keep vehicles from driving across the point where Dickerson avenue makes into Evans street at Five Points.

I am now North making selections of holiday goods and will have the prettiest line ever shown in Greenville. Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

It was the prize house of J. W. Wiggins that caught fire Saturday morning, instead of J. S. Jenkins & Co. as stated in the REFLECTOR.

NEWS.—The best Flour is Proctor Knott sold by S. M. Schultz. Try a 24 lb bag.

Don't forget that R. L. Smith will be back this week with 100 head of fine horses and mules. Wait for him. R. L. SMITH & Co.

Don't you like THE DAILY REFLECTOR well enough now to become a subscriber? Some families in town do not take it but every one should do so.

Just received Cheese, Macaroni, Buckwheat, Oatmeal, Crackers and Cakes at lowest prices. D. W. HARDEE.

Fresh arrivals: Grits, Hominy, Beans, Mince Meat, Dates, Citron, Seeded Raisins, Currants, Canned Cranberry Sauce. Aunt Sarah's Catsup at S. M. Schultz.

THE DAILY REFLECTOR is flooded with compliments since appearing in large form. These are encouraging to us, but now we want your help in making it a creditable paper to Greenville.

## IN REVIEW.

### Faces Passing Before Reflector Readers.

Mrs. W. G. Lang, of Farmville spent to-day here.

J. R. Moore returned from Burgaw Saturday.

Hon. J. E. Moore, of Williamston, is attending court.

Rev. R. W. Hines returned to Paramele this morning.

G. W. Williams took his family to Rocky Mount to-day.

Mrs. L. C. Ricks has gone to Elm City to visit relatives.

J. B. Latham has taken a position as clerk with H. B. Clark.

Judge J. D. McIver arrived Saturday night and is holding court.

Miss Ione May, of Farmville, is visiting Miss Hortense Forbes.

Mrs. G. H. Coleman, of Petersburg, is visiting Mrs. A. B. Ellington.

Misses Novella Higgs and Lillie Nobles returned from Atlanta Saturday.

W. M. Lang and R. L. Davis, of Farmville, were here to-day on business.

Mrs. M. D. Higgs left this morning for Baltimore to select her holiday stock.

Miss Jesse M. Snapp, of Greenville, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Morgan.

R. B. Smith, of Ayden, was here to-day on business for the Beaufort County Lumber Co.

C. C. Clark and J. H. Matthews, of New Bern, are spending the week here. Mr. Clark is selling a medicine of his own manufacture.

J. H. Kinion, H. A. Paramore, R. M. Williams and J. R. Jolly left this morning for Raleigh to attend the Federal Court as witnesses.

## Superior Court.

The December term of Pitt Superior Court convened this morning with his Honor, Judge J. D. McIver presiding. Being a term for the trial of civil cases only, the calendar as published was taken up.

The jury for the first week is composed of H. A. Kittrell, A. A. Forbes, G. E. Harriss, Wiley Brown, Wm. House, J. A. Stokes, H. N. Gray, W. J. Little, W. W. Thomas, John S. W. H. McGowan, John R. Hart, R. S. James, W. E. Proctor, W. W. Owens.

## Couldn't Find the Verdict.

The following story is credited to a Texas paper. In one of the earliest trials before a colored jury in that State, the twelve gentlemen were told by the judge to "retire and find the verdict." They went into the jury room, whence the opening and shutting of doors and other sounds of unusual commotion were presently heard. At last the jury came back into court, when the foreman announced: We had looked everywhere, judge, for dat verdict—in de drawers and behind de doahs, but it ain't no-whar in dat blessed room.

## Gold and Silver Found in a Nail Keg.

Mr. William Alderman, who had a small store at Harrison's Creek, Pender county, died a year or two ago, leaving some money that was found only a few days ago. Besides his stock of goods he gave in for taxation \$750 cash on hand, but at the time of his death only \$250 in cash could be found. Where the other \$500 were could not be imagined. Last week, while the store was being cleaned up, a keg, into which old nails from boxes and box tops were thrown by Alderman, was emptied, and at the bottom was found \$490 in gold and \$10 in silver, making up the missing \$500.—Wilmington Messenger.

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## AN UNPREJUDICED VIEW.

### And one the Reflector Appreciates.

The following letter was handed us this morning:

EDITOR REFLECTOR:—The progressive class of Greenville's citizens must surely be proud of the move you have made in the enlargement of your Daily. There is not a shadow of doubt in the minds of business people that advertisement, not competition, is the life of trade. Every business enterprise must be advertised. So must a town, because business makes a town and a town makes business. Some time ago this writer had occasion to stop in Danville, Va. and while there received a copy of THE DAILY REFLECTOR. Some one standing near saw it and asked, "Is that the best you can do in Greenville for a daily? I thought you had a powerful town there from what I have heard." The writer explained that it was a new enterprise, that it had doubled its size in three months time, and that before it was one year old it would be doubled in size again. That prophecy has come true and Greenville's business men should rally to your support in your work as never before, seeing that the town is not judged by what is said about it as it is by its paper. The outside world does not believe all it hears, but does rely upon what it sees. One copy of the REFLECTOR will do more in turning the eyes of business toward Greenville than what a dozen men may say.

I write this of my own free will and not because I have any special interest in the business enterprises of Greenville, but because, as an unprejudiced observer, I see the great necessity of your enterprise being heartily supported by the citizens of Greenville.

M.

## Does Wealth Dispel Love.

"Did nobody ever tell you that in some far prehistoric time I was in love with my husband?" said Mrs. Romaine carelessly. "Well, I was. I used to go to afternoon services in Lent and pray for that love to last, because the sensation was so much to my taste. I used to have ecstatic feelings when his foot was on the stair, and I sat sewing little baby clothes. We lived in a plainish way then; \$3 spent in two theatre tickets was a tremendous outlay, and we walked out to dinners, I tucking up the train of my best gown under a long cloak, and laughing if the wind snatched it away from me at the corners and whipped it around my feet. Then he grew richer, and we broadened the borders of our phylactery, and then—how—when—dear knows if I can remember, we grew further and further away from each other. Now, when he is at home I am aware of it, because he is there behind a newspaper, but that is all! When our lips meet it is like two pieces of dry pith coming together. I know nothing of his affairs, nor he of mine. I have money in abundance. Money—money—who cares for money when a man's heart and soul and brain have gone into it?"

## Some Bird Laws.

A license fee of \$25 is imposed upon non-resident gunners in Minnesota. A similar law does not go into effect in North Dakota until 1896, although the intention was to make it applicable to 1895. Non-residents are not allowed to kill game of any kind in Missouri. A license costing \$25 is exacted in Michigan from non-residents for the privilege of killing deer. In Florida there will be a close season of eight consecutive months on deer. The close season is to be fixed by the Commissioners of each county. Arkansas exacts a license fee of \$100 from every non-resident gunner or fisherman. In Canada, a duty of 30 per cent. is levied on guns, rods, and equipments brought into the provinces by visiting gunners or anglers. The duty will be refunded, provided the visitors do not make a longer stay than two months. This is in addition to a license fee exacted from non-residents for shooting privileges.—New York Sun.

## Calendar for December Court.

### FIRST WEEK—MONDAY.

- 32. Wooten vs. McGowan.
- 34. Cox vs. Joyner.
- 38. Langston vs. Greenville L. & I. Co.
- 54. Stancill vs. James.
- 55. Hooker vs. Cherry.
- 152. Chen vs. Blount.

### TUESDAY.

- 53. Dewey Bros. vs. Moye.
- 63. Smith vs. Johnson.
- 78. Keel vs. Cherry.
- 82. Garris vs. Heath.
- Hathoway vs. Stancill.
- 92. Williams vs. Williams.
- 93. Green vs. Murphy.

### WEDNESDAY.

- 97. Garris vs. Smith.
- 98. Garris vs. Nobles.
- 106. Kinsaul vs. Joyner.
- 114. Cox vs. O. L. Joyner.
- 115. Cox vs. Nelson.
- 116. Cox, Trustee vs. Hart.
- 117. Webb vs. Matthews.
- 119. Ellington & Brown vs. Smith.
- 121. Harrington vs. Burnett.

### THURSDAY

- 127. Gardner vs. Pollard.
- 136. Barnhill vs. Turner.
- 144. Savage vs. Edwards.
- Bland vs. Edwards.
- 148. Coob & Son vs. Hooker.
- 169. G. Lumber Co. vs. Bernard & Hooker.
- 156. Lockridge & Co. vs. Anderson.
- 157. Cox vs. Warren.

### FRIDAY.

- 159. Mizell vs. McGowan.
- 167. Bullock vs. Bullock.
- 170. Mathews & Edwards vs. Webb.
- 173. Hooker vs. Yellowly.
- 176. McGowan vs. Harris.

### SATURDAY.

- 177. Ricks, Exrs et. als. vs. Stancill et als.
- 182. Edwards vs. Edwards.
- 183. Stokes vs. Stokes.

All cases set for the first week and not tried and disposed of during the first week stand continued for the term.

### SECOND WEEK—MONDAY.

- 18. Ward vs. Sugg.
- 22. Hooker vs. Latham.
- 26. White vs. Fleming.
- 26. Tucker vs. Satterthwaite.
- 28. Davenport vs. Satterthwaite.

### TUESDAY.

- 37. Claflin & Co. vs. Louchheim.
- 40. Cobb, As. vs. Raspberry.
- 95. R. Greene vs. Cherry Adm'r.
- 45. Spain vs. Spain.
- 52. Bernard vs. Burgess.
- 55. Ward vs. Bruce.
- 59. Elliott Bros. vs. the G. L. J. L. Co.

### WEDNESDAY.

- 60. Bullock vs. W. & W. R. R.
- 61. Davenport vs. W. & W. R. R.

### THURSDAY.

- 64. Beach vs. W. & W. R. R.
- 66. House vs. W. & W. R. B.
- 67. Page, Guard, vs. W. & W. R. R.

### FRIDAY.

- 68. Brown vs. W. & W. R. R.
- 69. Barnhill vs. W. & W. R. R.

## Sale of Valuable Town Lot.

In obedience to an order made by the Board of County Commissioners at their meeting on the first Monday in November 1895, directing me as the Clerk of said Board to advertise for sale the lot belonging to the County of Pitt, known in the plan of the town of Greenville as lot number 162, it being the lot now used by the town of Greenville, as a Market House with the permission of the Board of County Commissioners. I, William M. King, ex officio Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County, do hereby give public notice that said lot will be exposed to public sale to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, at 12 o'clock M. on Monday the 6th day of January 1896. The terms of sale will be one third cash and the balance to be secured in two equal installments, payable in one and two years, with six per cent interest on deferred payments, with privilege to purchase to pay the whole at any time and take his deed. Title reserved until the whole of the purchase money is paid. The Board reserves the right to affirm or disaffirm said sale. Notice is also given that the town government will be permitted to remove the Market House and other buildings erected on said lot by the town, in accordance with the agreement entered into at the time permission was given by the Board of County Commissioners to the town Commissioners to erect and use said buildings. The lot will be offered in three alternate ways which will be shown in detail on a plan on file in the office of the Register of Deeds and can be seen by the public at any time and will also be announced on day of sale. W. M. KING.  
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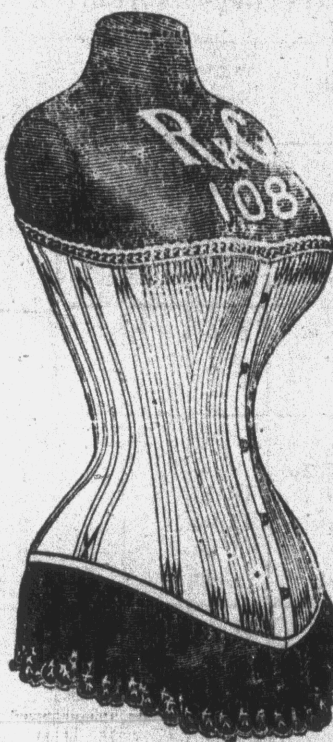
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