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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Cleveland's Message—Secretary Olney

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20.

Such a wave of enthusiastic patriotism as has greeted President Cleveland's message notifying Great Britain that the Monroe doctrine is not a historical myth, but a tangible policy that the United States is prepared to maintain by force of arms, has not been seen by the present generation. The White House has been flooded with messages by wire and mail from all sections of the country, containing not only congratulations, but offers of volunteers by thousands from organizations of veterans, both Union and Confederate. Congress forgot its past antagonism towards the President and gave him the authority to appoint a commission to investigate and report the true boundary between Venezuela and British Guiana and appropriated the money to pay its expenses, and to show Great Britain that no bluff was being made a bill has been introduced in both branches of Congress appropriating \$100,000,000, to be immediately available, for strengthening the military armament on our sea-coast and the Canadian frontier. Congress, like the President, fully recognizes the tendency of European governments to make light of the Monroe doctrine, and is determined to let them learn differently, if it takes a war to teach them the lesson.

Whatever may be the opinion of people as to President Cleveland's past acts it is universally believed that his Monroe doctrine message will be known in history as the second Declaration of Independence.

Secretary Olney is also getting high commendation from all quarters. His masterly communication to Lord Salisbury is justly regarded as the best interpretation of the Monroe doctrine ever printed, one which should be used as a text book in every school in the United States. It has placed him at one bound in the front rank of American Statesmen, and was never excelled by anything written by his great predecessor in the office of Secretary of State, Daniel Webster. It has also caused his name to be very frequently mentioned as the democratic candidate for President next year.

CHRISTMAS WEDDINGS.

A Long List For This Week.

Register of Deeds King broke the record on marriages license this week, the number issued running up to twenty-seven. Of these sixteen were for white couples and eleven for colored couples.

WHITE.

H. P. Brown and Agnes Whitehurst.
J. E. Congleton and Lillie Belcher.
J. C. Gordon and Maud L. Allen.
Arch Beddard and Elizabeth Stocks.
W. T. Haydn and Bessie Boyd.
Alex Jones and Susan Keel.
Aug Taylor and Nannie Gore.
Wm. Daniel and Susan Morgan.
Wm. Pitt and Sallie Pitt.
J. H. Whitehurst and Pattie Pierce.
L. B. Ricks and Margaret Langley.
J. D. Smith and Mary O. Forbes.
W. S. B. Nobles and Avy Tripp.
J. J. Gray and Lissie Highsmith.
Cornelius Roebuck and A. E. Briley.
Eddie Tripp and Argie E. Munford.

COLORED.

Warren Freeman and Susan Highsmith.
Sylvester Barrett and Rosa Vines.
Henry Tyson and Millie Faison.
Ransom Staten and Harriet Randolph.
Thos. McKee and Annie Biggs.
Abram Lang and Tabby Ward.
Geo. Pitt and Sarah Cleve.
Jerry Rountree and Amanda Sugg.
J. A. Parker and Hattie Hardy.
Henry Williams and Allie Jordan.
Sheppard Brown and Allie Edwards.

The Benefit Sale.

At Friday's tobacco sales two of the warehouses devoted a part of the proceeds for benevolent purposes. The Star gave one-half its net commissions to the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and the amount is \$20. The Eastern gave one-fourth its gross commissions to the King's Daughters, amounting to about \$38. These are good contributions and make nice Christmas offerings to the objects for which they go. The proceeds at the Star Warehouse would have been much larger but they had the last sale on Friday.

Married.

WHITEHURST-PIERCE.—At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wiley Pierce, Dec. 18th, 1895, Mr. Henry Whitehurst and Miss Pattie Pierce were united in the bonds of matrimony, R. Williams, Esq., officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends. The attendants were M. H. Jackson and Miss Mamie Pierce, J. T. Whitehurst and Miss Mittie Parker, W. T. Pierce and Miss Rosa Abrams, D. Smith and Miss Dola Bryan, R. A. Bryan and Miss Sarah Rollins, W. J. Cook and Miss Martha Abrams. After the marriage the couple with their friends enjoyed a nice supper which had been prepared for the occasion. We congratulate Mr. Whitehurst on gaining the affections of so nice a young lady and trust that as the dark and dreary clouds of life pass over earth, the wing of their happiness may never lose a feather.

M. H. J.

College Entertainment.

The entertainment Friday evening by the pupils of the Collegiate Institute was a very interesting and enjoyable occasion. All the pieces were so well rendered that we do not make special mention of any but give the full programme. Some of the participants who were only beginners did remarkably well.

PROGRAMME:

Duet—"Southern Jollification," Bessie and Bertha Patrick.
Drill—Class.
Duet—"Cymbeline," Katie Moore and Mamie Hines.
Recitation—"Uncle Daniel's Apparition," Maggie Bagley.
Duet—"Equestrienne Gallop," Lottie Blow and Maggie Bagley.
Recitation—"The Whistling Regiment," Bessie Patrick.
Duet—"The First Ball," Eva Allen and Mamie Haskett.
Duet—"Friendly Pastime," Walter Wilson and Bessie Patrick.
Recitation—"Archie Dean," Bertha Patrick.
Duet—"Lonati's Klänge," Velma Rawls and Maggie Bagley.
Piano Solo—"Pasquenade," Bessie Patrick.
Recitation—"Arethusa's Torment," Maggie Bagley.
Piano Solo—"Il Travatore," Katie Moore.
Duet—"Norddeutschen Weiser Waiser," Bessie and Bertha Patrick.

In all the pieces the pupils showed that they had been under excellent training.

There has been a general overhauling of the week's washing that went in to-day, to see if any of the stockings had holes in them.

Greenville is now full of smiles. The boy smiles because his best girl is home from school, and the girl smiles because her best fellow has come too.

Yesterday the Mayor popped some of the boys who popped pop-crackers the night before but the pop-crackers popped again last night all the same, "didn't they Pat?"

Every almanac we have looked in says Christmas will come this year on the 25th—one point all agree on. No postponement on account of weather. Secure your seats early and avoid the rush.

CHRISTMAS NEXT WEEK.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20TH, 1895.

CANADA TAKES UP THE CHORUS.

Says it is an Attempt to Fasten a Quarrel on Great Britain.

St. Johns, N. B., Dec. 19.—The Daily Telegraph says: "No one who reads the Venezuelan correspondence can come to any other conclusion than that a deliberate attempt is being made by the Government of the United States to fasten a quarrel upon Great Britain. The dispatch of Mr. Olney is in tone and manner as insulting as if it had been written by the late James G. Blaine, and we may say, as illogical and unreasonable."

The Montreal Herald says of the President's message: "In the discussion of the application of the Monroe doctrine to the Venezuelan question, Lord Salisbury has achieved a signal victory over Cleveland and his cabinet. The matter will probably be amicably adjusted on the basis originally laid down by Great Britain. Mr. Cleveland has not often yielded to the demands of American politics. It is regrettable that he should have done so on the present occasion."

The Toronto Mail concludes a long article on the President's message as follows. "The commission is a very good device from Mr. Cleveland's point of view, which is evidently that of the politician who is out of votes. It would probably be long before the commission could report, but in the meantime Mr. Cleveland's firm vindication of the doctrine would be winning votes for his third term election. We may be sure, however, that whoever wins or loses in that election, not a foot of British territory will be transferred to a foreign flag by any ruling of their bluster and Monroe doctrine."

The Rights of Husbands.

It is a divine privilege to be head of a family, and a man has no right to abuse that privilege.

He has no right to ill use or neglect the woman who took him "for better or worse."

He has no right to scold and terrify his children.

He has no right to quarrel with his daily bread.

He has no right to expect a game dinner diet from a kidney-stew allowance.

He has no right to give his wife \$2 a week pin money and expect her to pay the gas bill and keep herself and the children well dressed.

He has no right to save his good manners and good humor for company.

He has no right to come home with a hatchet cast of countenance and murder the innocent pleasures of the little unfortunates who call him father.

He has a right to remember that he owes his family everything, and that to deserve the respect and love of his boys and girls and the consideration and loyalty of his wife is glory enough for any man.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

When the heart is light with hope all pleases nothing comes amiss.—Rodgers.

It is a great mercy to enjoy the Gospel of peace, but a greater to enjoy the peace of the Gospel.—Dyer.

Those that do the will of God heartily will do it speedily; while we delay time is lost and the heart hardened.—Henry.

The Judge of all the earth will do right. No human being will suffer more than he deserves, or more than his own conscience will recognize as just.—Charles Hodge.

Every day is a little life, and our whole life is but a day repeated. Therefore those that dare lose a day are dangerously prodigal; those that dare mispend it, desperate.—Bishop Hall.

"What a terrible thing it is for men to know all science and yet not understand the spiritual arithmetic of the words: 'What is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?'"—Dr. Hume.

No quality will ever get a man more friends than a sincere admiration of the qualities of others. It indicates generosity of nature, frankness, cordiality and cheerful recognition of merits.—Dr. Johnson.

Prayer is the breath of the soul. The soul that is alive to God prays, as the soul that is alive breathes. Cessation of breathing is evidence of physical death. Cessation of praying is evidence that the soul is dead. Is your soul dead?—Christian Neighbor.

Advertising the Farmer as a Pauper.

If a newspaper should hint that a certain business man was not prosperous, most of us would sympathize with him if he entered suit. And yet there are scores of papers which persist in attacking the credit of all people engaged in agriculture, saying they are cultivating this, that and the other crop at a loss, are mortgaged, and always in financial straits. Suppose a paper should announce that the merchants of North Carolina have only half a supply of clothing and have no prospect of getting more than cost price for their meat and other supplies? And yet the farmer has been written up in this way until he likes it. We do not say the farmer is prosperous. We have talked with a number this year, in more than one part of the State, and every one of them was in better spirits and said he was in better plight than in many years. It did us good to hear the talk, and we never stopped to question its reliability. We were glad to see that they objected to being advertised as ruined or in a ruinous business, and that they were trying not to think of themselves as of all men the most unfortunate. If a man can honestly be cheerful and feel that he is well off, he should not be blamed for doing so. It is good for his health and for the happiness of those about him.—Biblical Recorder.

Home.

The work of making home a happy place does not consist in providing necessary comforts; these are expected to follow in the daily routine, and whatever trouble, extra pains or sacrifices they occasion, it is presumed, in every regulated family, that its members may be made comfortable. But to be made happy—there's the question. And now, as the windows are closed, and the season draws the family together more closely, it is well to give a thought to one another's happiness. Sweet temper, sympathy and unselfishness is the key that will open the sunny chamber and the clouds must float away. Whatever may be the wounds, the disappointments or depressions, there will come happiness—and happiness of the best kind—if there is a kind of tender spirit in the home, the place where each one must go for rest. Is it not often the young people's fault that home lacks its sweetest attractions? Their surliness, bad temper and worse language chills all the household. Now, let them decide to make home what it ought to be to its members this winter.

WRESTLING IN JAPAN.

A Quaint Affair Conducted According to Ancient Rules.

You may see a wrestling exhibition on almost any Sunday in one of the big towns of Japan, and the "gate" is generally satisfactory to the promoters. Even though the elite of the profession be engaged, you may gain admission to the inclosure for 5 cents, which, when silver is on the best of bimetallic terms, do not represent a threepenny bit. But should you have any pretensions to "gentility" you must spend \$1 in purchasing the leasehold of a box, something like a miniature sheep pen, in which you squat with as much comfort to yourself as may be. The boxes around you are filled with the Japanese bourgeois, with a few women and children, who are consuming sweetmeats and watermelon with laudable perseverance, while the twopenny public have to stand on the floor of the "house" and get the best view they can. In the center is a raised platform about 10 feet square, with an earthen floor, and a canopy of rice matting overhead to keep the sun off the performers.

There is about the procedure a flavor of old Japan which is becoming rare nowadays. For example, all wrestlers wear their hair in the old fashioned truncated cue. It is about all they do wear. And the umpire and his attendant are clad in the now obsolete kamishimo, or ceremonial costume, the chief peculiarity of which is the projecting wings of gauze. The umpire does not communicate directly with the combatants or audience. He is much too dignified for that. An attendant announces his decisions with many bows, and with much fan play recites the titles of the wrestlers as they appear.

Two brawny giants emerge from the retiring room at the corner—Kobe and Osaka we will call them—amid much applause. Naked except for a loincloth and a fringe of blue cord attached to a waistband, they strut to the platform in the glory of 250 pounds of avoirdupois and gigantic muscles coily hidden beneath an inch of fat. Kobe takes a mouthful of water from the bucket at the corner of the platform and sprays it over his limbs. Osaka follows suit. Next they abstract a pinch of salt from a box near by, wrap it in a morsel of paper and bury it in the earth that covers the platform. This for luck. Having slapped their thighs violently, they squat on their haunches and glare at each other. Osaka, having apparently forgotten something, goes back to his corner and has another mouthful of water, after which he comes back and calmly contemplates Kobe, who by this time discovers that he requires some liquid refreshment and accordingly goes and gets it. At last Kobe and Osaka are in a position irresistibly reminding the casual spectator of a couple of gamecocks. After a deal of slapping of thighs Kobe bounds up and makes a grab at Osaka, whom he misses by something less than a mile. Osaka returns the compliment and manages to get Kobe in a close embrace. They sway for a minute. There is a shock like a small earthquake, and the Lilliputian gentleman with the gauze wings, having received his cue from the umpire, points his fan at Osaka, who bows cumbrously and retires, as does Kobe, but less ostentatiously. It is not particularly exciting, except perhaps to those who can appreciate the nuances of Kiyobayashi's code, but it is very quaint and one of the few bits of old Japan that have not been hustled out of existence.—London Realm.

Pineapple Shirts.

Genuine cashmere shawls are so fine that one measuring three or four square yards could be stored within the shell of a small walnut. But an even more delicate fabric is manufactured on the Philippine islands from the fibers of pineapple leaves. To properly prepare the fibers for weaving involves much tedious work. For instance, the tiny fibers are tied together by hand to suitable lengths. The weaving of a quantity sufficient for one shirt is the work of several years, and so it is no wonder that such a shirt costs about \$1,200, but the rich planters of Manila and Luzon—slaveholders yet—can afford to indulge in such extravagances.

A Sea View.

Passenger—Captain, how far are we from land?
Captain—About two miles.
Passenger—But I can't see it. In what direction is it?
Captain—Straight down, sir.—Exchange.

Appointments by the Bishop of East Carolina.

1895.
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. 28th—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 Bishop. Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET REPORT.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

TOPS—Green.....	1 to 2 1/2
" Bright.....	4 to 8
" Red.....	3 to 4
LEGS—Common.....	4 to 6
" Good.....	7 to 15
" Fine.....	12 to 18
CUTTERS—Common.....	6 to 11
" Good.....	12 1/2 to 20
" Fine.....	to

Cotton and Peanut.

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

COTTON.	
Good Middling	8 1/16
Middling	7 7/8
Low Middling	7 5/16
Good Ordinary	6 3/4
Tons—quint.	
PEANUTS.	
Prime	2 1/2
Extra Prime	3
" Fancy	3 1/2
Spanish	4 1/2 bu
Tone—easy.	

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	6 to 7
Sugar cured Hams	12 to 13 1/2
Corn	40 to 60
Corn Meal	50 to 65
Flour, Family	3.75 to 4.25
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	37 to 40
Sugar	4 to 6
Coffee	16 to 25
Salt per Sack	80 to 1 75
Chickens	12 1/2 to 20
Eggs per doz	17 1/2
Beeswax, per	20

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Nov. 17th 1895.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 36 Daily.	No. 41 Daily.
Leave Weldon At Rocky Mt.	A. M. P. M. 11 55 9 27 12 57 10 20		A. M. 6 00
Lv Tarboro	12 20		
Lv Rocky Mt	1 05 10 20		
Lv Wilson	2 03 11 03		
Lv Selma	2 53		
Lv Fayetteville	4 30 12 53		
Ar Florence	7 20 3 00		
	No. 49 Daily.		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 4 08		A. M. 6 20
Lv Goldsboro	5 10		7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16		8 13
Ar Wilmington	5 43		9 45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Oct. 6th 1895.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. 40 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. 8 15	P. M. 7 35	
Lv Fayetteville	10 55	9 35	
Lv Selma	12 32		
Ar Wilson	1 20	11 28	
	No. 48 Daily.		
Lv Wilmington	A. M. 9 25		P. M. 7 00
Lv Magnolia	10 56		8 31
Lv Goldsboro	12 05		9 40
Ar Wilson	1 00		10 27
Lv Tarboro	2 48		
	No. 78 Daily. <th>No. 32 Daily.</th> <th>No. 40 Daily.</th>	No. 32 Daily.	No. 40 Daily.
Lv Wilson	P. M. 11 37	P. M. 11 37	P. M. 10 32
Ar Rocky Mt	3 38	12 07	11 15
Ar Tarboro	4		
Lv Tarboro			
Lv Rocky Mt	2 33	12 07	
Ar Weldon		12 55	

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 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrives Pamlico 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 10.00 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 4.30 p. m., Pamlico 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 8.00 p. m.; arrive Plymouth 9.00 p. m., 3.25 p. m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 8.00 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, 8.05 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 8.30 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., Ohio 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Ohio 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.

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General Supt
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.
J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

ATLANTIC & NORTH CAROLINA
R. R. TIME TABLE.

In Effect December 4th, 1895

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

Pass. Daily. Ex Sun. STATIONS Pass. Daily. Ex Sun.

Ar.	Lv.	Ar.	Lv.
P. M. P. M.	A. M. A. M.	P. M. P. M.	A. M. A. M.
3 20	Goldsboro 11 00	4 30	Kinston 9 48
4 30	Kinston 9 48	5 58	Newbern 8 17
5 58	Newbern 8 17	6 23	Morehead City 6 42
6 23	Morehead City 6 42		

Train 4 connects with Wilmington & Goldsboro train bound North, leaving Goldsboro 11.55 a. m., and with R. & F. train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.30 p. m.

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SHE MADE A MISSTEP.

It Was Just Before the Wedding and Postponed Forever the Ceremony.

The following story may illustrate womanly heroism: A fine span of prancing steeds, reined in by a dexterous coachman, stood in front of a fashionable church. The footman had obsequiously opened and held the door of the carriage, and the bride and groom, the former calm and placid as the surface of an Alpine lake, while in the latter's physiognomy there was a decisive suggestion of mental disturbance, had stepped out and were ascending the broad granite steps leading into the auditorium.

By a misstep occasioned by some entanglement of her nether garments such as only women can explain, of whose pedal extremities the natural functions are thus not infrequently and sometimes inexplicably interfered with, she (the bride) stumbled, and but for the support of his (the groom's) arm would have fallen.

But the "bear" or "beast," as some feminine readers of this true story will call him, on helping her to stand, uprightly looked at her rebukingly and opened his lips only to say gruffly, "Oh, how awkward, awkward!" accentuating the word as if all his previous conceptions of her loveliness had now and forever disappeared. She was wounded deeply, not by the simple, accidental misstep that had nearly prostrated her, but by his lance-like expression.

It was but a short walk from its doorway up through the center aisle to the chancel of the church, but the bride, moving leisurely toward it with her ill-grained escort, was looking far beyond chancel and officiating priest and decorative garlands. The train of thought which her betrothed had occasioned by his tart rebuke, "Oh, how awkward, awkward!" extended far into the future. If he could thus ruthlessly injure a trustful woman's feelings in the most blissful hour of her life, what would probably be his treatment of her after marriage?

Her mind was made up before she reached the chancel railing. She stood there without a tremor. She heard the officiating clergyman ask the bridegroom, "Wilt thou have this woman to thy wedded wife, to live together after God's ordinance in the holy state of matrimony?" etc. She heard him answer, in a voice that seemed to her as lacking the tone of decision, "I will."

Then came the supreme test of her heroism. The clergyman had scarcely ended his repetition of the question, "Wilt thou have this man to thy wedded husband?" etc., before she answered distinctly and clearly enough to be heard by all the guests occupying the pews nearest to the chancel, "No, sir!"

At the same moment, withdrawing her gloved hand from the arm of her discarded lover, she stood directly facing him, and with melodramatic manner, with equal clearness and distinctness exclaimed, "Oh, how awkward, awkward!"

Can the reader blame her for thus avoiding what in all probability would have become to her a wretched married life if she, too, had answered the clergyman, "I will?"—New York World.

Napoleon and Robert Fulton.
The emperor had revealed the truth to his favorite brother when he said that he himself would never attempt a landing on British shores, but that he might send Ney to Ireland. It is a significant straw that when Robert Fulton offered to make the flotilla independent of wind and wave by the use of steam Napoleon, the apostle of science, friend of Monge and Volney, member of the institute, displayed very little scientific interest. For some time past he had been coquetting with the American inventor, granting him inadequate subsidies to prosecute his schemes for applying steam power to various marine engines of destruction. He probably intended to keep others from using Fulton's inventions. That he made no fair trial of them himself would seem to show that he had no real use for them.—"Life of Napoleon," by Professor William M. Sloane in Century.

A Quack Cure.
In Spain a favorite panacea, in theory, for the whooping cough is found in three hairs plucked from the back of an ass. This remedy is not often resorted to in actual practice, however, from an accompanying belief that the ass from which the hairs have been plucked will decline as the patient is restored to health and will die when the cough is completely gone.

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TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

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

Sunday, fair, preceded by showers in extreme east portions to-day, much colder.

HOLIDAY HASH.

You are Invited to the Feast.

I have just opened my Christmas Neckwear. FRANK WILSON.

Oh! Those exquisite Handkerchiefs and Mufflers at Lang's.

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

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Get your cocoanuts at Morris Meyer's.

Dainty Neckwear just in at Frank Wilson's.

A full line of Fruits and Confections for Christmas at D. S. Smith's.

I have 30 barrels fine Apples that will be sold cheap. MORRIS MEYER.

Another new shipment of Tan Capes just arrived at Lang's.

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

Housekeepers should buy their nice Groceries for Christmas cooking of D. S. Smith if they want the best.

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If Santa Claus gets his Toys and other Christmas goods from James Long the children will be happy.

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If you want any magazines for next year you can leave your subscriptions at the Reflector Book Store and save the trouble of ordering them yourself. We can give discounts when several are ordered for one person.

There are now in Greenville many pretty and desirable goods for Christmas, not the trashy kind but articles that are of service and value. Go examine the stocks of REFLECTOR advertisers.

CHRISTMAS COMERS.

And Some Going the Other Way.

F. G. Buhmann, of Parmele, was in town this morning.

Maj. W. S. Bernard came home from Chocowinity to-day.

Miss Petronella Pate, of Goldsboro, is visiting Mrs. H. C. Hooker.

F. G. James, J. A. Dupree and W. B. Wilson went to Bethel to-day.

Miss Katie Haskett, of Kinston, is visiting her uncle, D. D. Haskett.

Mrs. Ellen Lee, of Raleigh, arrived Friday evening to visit Mrs. R. W. King.

Agent J. R. Moore and little daughter, Myra, returned Friday evening from the Atlanta Exposition.

Mrs. R. J. Proctor, of Washington, came up on Friday's boat and went to Kinston on the evening train.

Rev. J. W. McNamara, of Washington, was here Friday afternoon and went south on the evening train.

Rev. A. Greaves came over from Kinston this morning and will conduct services in the Episcopal church to-morrow.

Miss Mary Alice Moye returned from Kinsey school this morning. Miss Dean, of LaGrange, accompanied her home for a visit.

Off for the Holidays.

Several of the tobacco boys left this morning to spend the holidays at home, or at the home of their best girl.

Capt. E. M. Pace went to Wilson to play Santa Claus for the children.

N. H. Whitfield went to Oxford.

"Uncle Sandy" Andrews, D. J. Walker and E. R. Aiken went to Durham.

The REFLECTOR wishes all the boys a merry Christmas.

Home From School.

There was a large, jolly crowd around the depot Friday evening, many having gone up to meet the boys and girls who were coming home from school to spend the holidays, and when the train rolled in there were many joyous greetings exchanged. Those who returned were Misses Bettie Tyson and Myra Skinner, from Salem; Misses Rosalind Rountree and Rosa Hooker, from Richmond; Misses Bessie Harding, Maud Blow and Ada Tyson, from Greensboro; Miss Mattie Hearne, from Littleton; Charlie O'Hagan, Preston Cotten and Julius Fleming, from Oxford; J. B. Jarvis and J. F. Davenport, from Chapel Hill; E. F. Mumford, J. B. Jackson and Fountain Cox, from Wake Forest; S. W. Erwin, from Trinity; J. M. Moore, from Raleigh.

There was a good shower last night.

Beautiful and artistic Neckwear just in for Christmas at Frank Wilson's.

This has been a short day, but a busy one with most everybody.

You should see the lovely Christmas goods at Mrs. M. D. Higgs' if you want something nice.

Cotton took considerable tumble to-day. The price here was 7 1/2 to 4.

Apples, Oranges, fine California Pears, fresh Candies and hot Peanuts at Morris Meyer's.

Mr. Business Man—The Reflector Book Store for a good lead pencil.

Don't pass me by when you want Toys, Fruits, Confections, Fire works and other Christmas goods. I have a full line. JAMES LONG.

The town has been in a regular bustle to-day. Lots of trade out.

Read the REFLECTOR over carefully this evening—then you will know where to go to do your shopping Monday.

On Friday the Star Warehouse sold some tobacco at \$93 per hundred.

There was a large pile that brought that price.

We never saw such a run on old papers as during the last few days. The REFLECTOR office has been almost deluged with orders for them.

Church Services

Methodist church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M.

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Baptist church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. C. M. Billings.

Presbyterian church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M.

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In order that there may be an incentive for every boy who wishes to enter this contest, we offer a cash commission of 10 per cent on all subscribers, so that those who fail to get the scholarship will be paid for their work, but the one who wins the scholarship will not get the commission. Now boys get to work with the determination to win this prize. You can get as many sample copies of the REFLECTOR as you need by applying to the office. If you decide to enter this contest send us your name as we wish to know how many boys are working for the prize. We will publish the result of the contest with the name of winner in the issue of the REFLECTOR of Jan. 15th, 1896, giving the successful boy time to enter school on the opening day of spring term Monday, Jan. 20th.

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THE EASTERN REFLECTOR, Greenville N. C.

GREENVILLE, N. C. Oct. 25th, 1895.

This is to certify that I have arranged with the publisher of THE EASTERN REFLECTOR to teach free of charge in the English branches, for the 5 months term beginning Jan. 20th, 1896, the boy to whom he may award the scholarship in the above subscription contest.

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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 102, 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 26th day of January, 1896. The terms of sale will be one third cash and the balance to be secured in two equal instalments, 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, Clerk. Bd. of Com. of Pitt Co.

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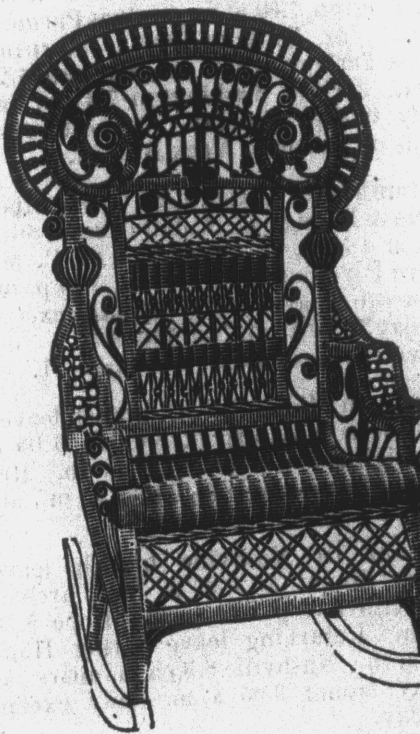
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