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EDITORIAL NOTES.

State Senator A. J. Moye, of this county, is reported among those who are working against Pritchard and trying to defeat him for re-election to the United States Senate. The News and Observer refers to Mr. Moye as a true silver man and the noblest among the Populists.

Congressman Harry Skinner is working hard to carry out his part of the contract under which the Republican vote of this district was given him. Instead of being in Washington attending to his duties as Congressman he is in Raleigh doing all in his power to secure the return of Jeter Pritchard to the Senate. He is going to carry the day for Pritchard, too.

The Charlotte Observer looks very familiar since its disastrous fire of Saturday night, the only perceptible difference being a little variation in the reading matter type. Getting out a paper at all immediately after such a disaster shows wonderful pluck and enterprise, but it has been noticeable all along that the Observer had much of these characteristics in its management. May it continue to flourish and always hold its well earned position as the best paper in the State.

COURT-ACTIONS.

Taken From the Record of Proceedings Before His Honor.

The following cases have been disposed of since last report:

Richard Harris, larceny, guilty, sentenced one year in penitentiary.

Sentence against Sam and Jackson Johnson changed to a fine of \$5 each and costs.

W. H. Spell and Robert Barrett, assault with deadly weapon. Spell pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs. Barrett not guilty.

Wm. Sutton, Ed House, J. C. Crawford, Wm. Nichols, affray, House and Nichols not guilty, Crawford and Sutton guilty, fined \$5 each and costs.

Henry Bynum, Tilman Rasberry, Wm Rasberry, Thomas Atkinson, affray, Bynum and Tilman Rasberry plead guilty, jury found Wm Rasberry guilty, Atkinson not guilty. Wm Rasberry sentenced 6 months in jail, Tilman Rasberry 4 months, judgment suspended as to Bynum.

Sam Allen and Jack Bryan, false pretense, nolo contendere, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

John Little, carrying concealed weapon, not guilty.

Rufus Cherry, assault with deadly weapon, guilty, sentenced 12 months in jail.

Henry Bynum, carrying concealed weapon, pleads guilty, sentenced 7 months in jail.

This completed the criminal docket so far as the cases were ready for trial. After hearing some minor matters on the civil docket court adjourned.

Centenarians Marry

One thousand relatives and friends gathered at Round House, Ky., to witness the marriage of William Sexton, 103 years old, to Mrs. William Croft, aged 101. The first Mrs. Sexton died sixty days ago and Mr. Croft died a few days later.

The ceremony today was performed in a log house Sexton helped to build ninety years ago, and after the wedding the couple drove away in a carriage eighty three years old.

The man and woman have known each other from childhood, and the marriage was suggested by their relatives.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of County Commissioners had much work to do at their January meeting.

The usual pauper orders were issued, the total amounting to \$67.50.

County claims were allowed and orders issued therefor amounting to \$1,130.61.

The following were drawn as jurors for March court:

1ST WEEK—J. C. Lanier, N. H. Whitfield, J. O. Smith, Wm. Waldrop, W. J. Little, Jas. Dawson, J. H. Manning, W. T. Mason, W. J. Manning, W. G. Meeks, Gray Cory, F. J. H. P. Bryant, Henry Ward, Jr., McG. Ford, Geo. Staten, colored, A. J. Tyson, J. S. Norville, J. J. Carson.

SECOND WEEK—W. J. Laughinghouse, M. O. Gardner, J. M. Wooten, W. C. Butler, H. A. Boyd, P. W. Arnold, Robt. Smith, M. R. Page, J. D. Bullock, R. H. Parker, Jr., J. A. Corbett, F. M. Little, B. F. Jolly, D. N. Branch, W. A. Hyman, Calvin Jones, T. E. Roberson, J. C. Brinn.

The following were drawn as jurors for April court.

1st WEEK—Joshua Tripp, R. S. Evans, W. R. Smith, F. M. Hodges, R. M. Starkey, W. J. Whitehurst, Jos. S. Aten, colored, T. R. Bullock, S. T. Carson, Robt. Bowlin, W. H. Harrington, Ben. Craft, Levy Pierce, Davis Norris, J. B. Briley, G. R. Dixon, Mc. Dickens, colored, Lemon Johnson, Thos. Little, J. H. H. Moore, Augustus Phillips, J. I. Norville, W. H. Moore, M. C. Cotton, T. L. Tarhage, L. B. Stoke, J. G. Wilson, Thos. Edwards, Ben. Bell, T. H. Langley, S. S. Pollard, J. B. Lewis, E. T. Roberson, J. T. Lewis, D. C. Mooring, John H. Whitehurst, Jr.

2ND WEEK—D. C. Smith, A. F. Pittman, R. Greeley, Jr., W. I. Pender, T. F. Christman, J. R. Gay, J. A. Matthews, W. L. Robertson, J. C. Dixon, H. E. Ellis, F. Ward, B. D. Langley, Ivy Smith, P. F. Crawford, Spier Cochran, John A. Cobb.

Licenses to retail liquors for six months were granted to 34 dealers in different sections of the county.

Peddler's license were granted to S. Brill and Moses Gleisen.

A new public road was ordered from Ayden to the road near J. R. McLawhorn's.

Corrections were made in the taxes of J. W. Allen, D. H. Allen, James Cox, J. S. Smith, Geo. Farmer, J. P. Dawson.

Fourteen persons were exempted from poll tax for 1896.

Henry Evans, as prisoner, was hired out.

Petitions to extend the fence of the Swift Creek and Contentnea stock law territory was not granted, the petition failing to conform to the law.

The Sheriff was authorized to collect taxes from parties moving out of the county into other counties.

The town lot in front of the Court House was ordered sold at the earliest possible day and the proceeds be applied as heretofore directed to payment for the county vaults and other expenses.

The committee appointed to examine the accounts of the county officers made their report.

Elmwood Dairy.

James and Wiley Brown have established a dairy at their farm, one mile east of town. They have twenty Jersey cows and can furnish our people milk, cream and butter delivered at their door every morning. This enterprise will prove a convenience that our people should appreciate. See advertisement.

FRANK WILSON.

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THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of Condition December 17th, 1896.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$10,456.36	Capital paid in	\$23,000.00
Due from Banks	38,263.30	Undivided Profits	3,045.54
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00	Deposits	81,787.50
Current Expenses	1,764.75	Due Banks	1,131.87
Premium on Stock	1,000.00	Time Certificates	1,255.00
Cash Items	7,792.60	Cashiers Checks	1,480.50
Cash	20,923.58		
Total	\$111,700.59	Total	\$111,700.59

Accounts Received, Correspondence Invited

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1897.

A real festive and somewhat unique wedding took place in Rhode Island a few days ago, where a woman who was divorced from five husbands, all living, was married to the sixth, while four of her ex-husbands acted as ushers. They probably enjoyed ushering the sixth unsophisticated into some of the racket they had gone through. The marriage took place in a church, and a minister played the farce of making the pair one.

The Americans are a people indulgent of their public servants. Congress is in session, yet both of the North Carolina Senators have headquarters at Raleigh and will be there until a Senator is elected. And with them are two or more Representatives. This is not saying that these Populist and Republican Congressmen are a whit more neglectful of their public duties than Democrats have been in the past in this and other States. We make no such point. It is the custom of Congressmen of all parties to go home as often as they choose, to mend their fences, to practice law, or do anything else they pleased. They all do it and the people never kick. But if people secure men to do anything else for them except attend to their public business, they require them to do it or else they get no pay.—Charlotte Observer.

When Did Col. Skinner Change?

In the Populist State convention, Col. Harry Skinner's honor was so abnormally sensitive that he couldn't even bear Zeb Walsen in an office that couldn't touch the silver question until his position could be put beyond peradventure. Now he is in Raleigh trying to elect Pritchard to a position that will enable the gold bugs to control the U. S. Senate, and Skinner knows it. Whence this great change of heart? Has Col. Skinner had a conference with Mark Hanna or is he figuring to succeed Senator Butler? And is he willing for office to deliver the residue of his party bag and baggage over to the Republicans?

Col. Skinner may succeed in electing Senator Pritchard. If so, he will at the same time dig his own political grave.

Col. Harry Skinner, his erstwhile black hair showing quite a gray tinge, is in the fight for Pritchard. There is no longer any doubt that Pritchard and Skinner have formed a combination to throw Butler overboard. Skinner is to help Pritchard to go back to the Senate, and when Butler's term expires, Pritchard

is to throw his whole weight to secure the election of Col. Skinner to the Senate to succeed Butler. There many denials of this statement, but it will be shown to be true. If not true, why should Mr. Skinner remain away from his seat in Congress to take charge of the Populist end of Pritchard's campaign? Why should he be telling Populists that Pritchard is a silver man? The Colonel is in the fight up to the hilt, and is putting in his best licks for Pritchard. Can he dethrone Butler and become the Populist leader?—Raleigh News and Observer.

Big Hogs and Independence for Farmers

It is quite noticeable now, as it was last year, that the growth of big hogs is on the increase in North Carolina. Our weekly exchanges give many reports of good averages as well as of some excessively large hogs. It is quite common to see weekly reports of hogs varying from 450 to 600 pounds and upward. Now and then the big fellows go up even higher and reach 700 or 800. In the years ago some few hogs netting more than 1,000 pounds have been reported, and one or more even surpassing 1,200 pounds. We doubt if it is profitable or desirable to raise the very large hogs in preference to the good, average 200 pounds or more. The sweetest, most toothsome hams that ever tickled a palate was of the old razor-back North Carolina "porkers" that when best fattened only kicked the beam at from 140 to 175 pounds. It is, however, a good sign—a right thing—for North Carolina farmers to raise more and more of their pork, as well as all other supplies. That is the way to avoid starvation, ruin, poverty. It will keep the lands from being plastered over with mortgages. Raise on the farms all that is absolutely necessary to support life, and you will not be sold out by the sheriff or fail to pay your taxes if the products for market only fetch very low, unremunerative prices. The way of independence is to first grow all you and family need for sustenance.—Wilmington Messenger.

One brilliant Western woman living at Forest Heights, near Minneapolis, should not die unsung. Having ordered some provisions to be sent home in the afternoon and finding that after all she wanted to go out, she pinned a note on the door to inform the delivery man where he could find the key. When she got home there were no groceries there; neither was there any silverware or other easily portable valuables.

The Democratic party, going out of power in North Carolina, will leave no part of its record brighter than that pertaining to its management of the penitentiary. This institution has not only been put upon a paying basis, but it has a balance to its credit. Superintendent Leazer's management has been admirable. He is entitled to congratulate himself and the State owes him thanks. Upon the showing he makes to the Legislature, we claim that North Carolina has solved the problem as to the care of convicts. Such counties as choose to may utilize them on their public roads, while such convicts as go to the penitentiary may be made, as will be seen, to support themselves.—Charlotte Observer.

Some of the pictures prophesied for the opening of the twentieth century are pleasing indeed. Among the most marked improvements contemplated are good roads, flying machines, communications with the planet Mars, photography that will show one's

thoughts, the cure of all diseases except old age.

These things, to be sure, are shown in tinsel colors, but there is no telling what four years may bring about. It may be that in many parts of the country the highway will no longer be "a mud-river in winter and a dust-cloud in summer." Also the flying machine may be a means of locomotion. While we cannot accurately forecast these things, we may be well assured that wonderful things will turn up in our land by the year 1900.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

The Color Bath.

There have been sun baths and mud baths, sulphur baths and vapor baths, Turkish baths, Russian baths, but the color bath is the latest novelty and a positive fad among women with sensitive nerves. Color baths are said to reach closer to the real nerve tissues than any other means of cure.

Bathers are taken into small compartments, like vapor baths. At the back of the patient is an aperture where a large slide of colored glass may be inserted or removed at will. Directly behind the slide in each bath is a huge electric arc light, that buzzes and glows and turns the bath into a miniature lighthouse.

The colors are chosen as one might choose medicines, and the patient sits bathed in a glory of the shade calculated to quiet her nerves or stimulate her vitality.

The treatment lasts from a quarter to three-quarters of an hour, and then follows 15 minutes' rest in a darkened room.—Pearson's Weekly.

Have to Breathe It.

"I was here in this town about seven years ago, and you couldn't see a darned thing on account of the smoke. It's different now. There ain't hardly any smoke."

"No, we have smoke consumers now."

"Smoke consumers? Gosh! Are there people here so hard up they have to eat smoke?"—Chicago Tribune.

Changed.

Maude—You wouldn't know my fiancé now if you met him.

Nell—Why, has he changed so much as that?

Maude—That isn't it exactly. I've changed him.—Pick Me Up.

Dainty Dining.

America, France and England have tacitly copied the Russian style of serving dinner, where none of the viands are in evidence, but are passed by the footman. The palates of the epicures of the present day are sated with variety and need coaxing. It is an axiom of the bon vivant that each dish should be a surprise, and he disdains the homely style of serving, where everything was put on the table at once and the diner's eye roved critically over the dishes provided for his delectation.

In some of the ultra fashionable houses the guests remove to another room to partake of the dessert, leaving the fumes of meat behind. Aestheticism could do no more, and every sense is satisfied; the palate is tickled with the dainty viands, the sense of touch by contact with the satiny softness of the damask, sight and smell with the odor and beauty of the flowers and hearing by the distant strains of softest music from a hidden orchestra.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Plumes Were Barred.

"Nonie," said the captain of the ark to Mrs. Noah, "you may be the wife of the boss of this boat, but that doesn't give you poop deck privileges. Understand, once for all, that these two ostriches are now the only specimens on the waters over the earth, and I will not have you spoil them by plucking their tail feathers to rig up any old bonnet."—Pittsburg News.

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Voice of Experience.

The wedding will occur very soon, and she was telling her mother about her plans for a home.

"When Harold is out late at night," she said, "I shall not scold him. I shall try to be reasonable. I think I shall go so far as to keep a light burning for him to make it seem cheery when he returns."

Her mother was silent. "Don't you think it would be a good idea to keep the light burning?" she persisted.

"Well, it might do very well for the first month or so. But after Harold has paid a few gas bills you'll probably conclude that it will be just as well to put the matches where he can find them and turn the light out."—Washington Star.

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	7½
Middling	6½
Low Middling	6¼
Good Ordinary	5 13-16
Tone—steady.	

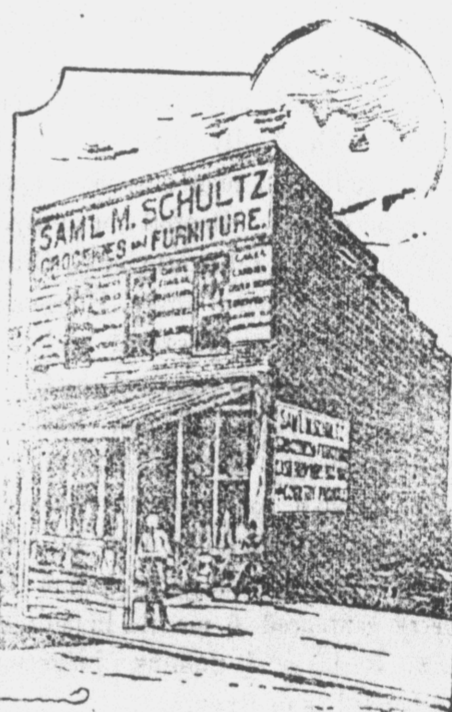
PEANUTS.

Prime	2
Extra Prime	2½
Maney	2½
Spanish	60 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	4½ to 5
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12½
Corn	40 to 60
Corn Meal	50 to 65
Flour, Family	5.50 to 6.25
Lard	6½ to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 6
Coffee	13 to 25
Salt per Sack	75 to 1.50
Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	12½
Beeswax, per	2



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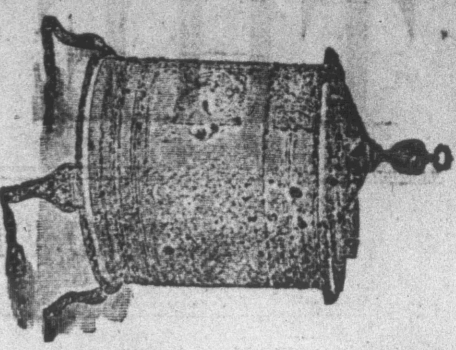
a ways on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH therefore, having no risk to run, we sell at a close margin.

S. M. SCHULTZ Greenville.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that application will be made to the next General Assembly of North Carolina, to amend the Charter of the Town of Greenville and to change the boundary line of said Town.

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By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in a certain special proceeding therein pending entitled James A. Lang and wife Nannie J. Lang versus W. A. Barrett, G. W. Barrett and others, I will on Monday, January 4th, 1897, before the Court House door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, "a certain piece or parcel of land lying in Farmville township, Pitt County, on the north side of Little Contentnea Creek in or near the Glass House pocosin, at or near the head of Broad Branch, adjoining the lands of J. D. Jones, W. A. Barrett, G. W. Barrett, Elijah Bynum and others, containing 200 acres more or less."

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Classified schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Nov. 15th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 49 Daily.	No. 0 Daily.
Leave Weldon Ar. Rocky Mt.	A. M. P. M. 1:55 9:44 1:00 10:39		A. M. 5:45 6:20
Lv Tarboro	12:12		
Lv Rocky Mt.	1:00 10		
Lv Wilson	2:05 11		
Lv Selma	2:53		
Lv Fayetteville	4:36 1:7		
Ar. Florence	7:25 3:4		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 2:08		A. M. 6:20
Lv Goldsboro	2:10		6:25
Lv Magnolia	4:16		10
Ar. Wilmington	5:43		9:45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Nov. 15, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 0 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. P. M. 8:40 7:4		
Lv Fayetteville	11:10 9:40		
Lv Selma	12:37		
Ar. Wilson	1:20 11:35		
Lv Wilmington	A. M. 9:25		P. M. 7:00
Lv Magnolia	10:52		8:30
Lv Goldsboro	12:01		9:36
Ar. Wilson	1:00		10:27
Lv Tarboro	2:48		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 1:20	P. M. 11:35	P. M. 10:32
Ar. Rocky Mt.	2:17	12:11	11:15
Ar. Tarboro	4:00		
Lv Tarboro			
Lv Rocky Mt.	2:17	12:11	
Ar. Weldon		1:01	

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.2 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Hall x at 11.00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 am except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrives Farme 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 2.30 p. m., Farme 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 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 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, 11.0 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. R. KENEY, Gen'l Manager.

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The next session of the school will open on

MONDAY SEPT. 7, 1894

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The terms are as follows.
Primary English per mo. \$2 00
Intermediate " " \$2 50
Higher " " " \$3 00
Languages (each) " " \$1 00
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We ask a continuance of your past liberal patronage.
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KUBLAI KHAN'S PALACE.

Description of the Famous Building of the Great Tartar Ruler.

You must know that for three months of the year—to wit, December, January and February—the great khan resides in the capital city of Cathay, which is called Cambaluc, and which is at the northeastern extremity of the country. In that city stands his great palace, and now I will tell you what it is like.

It is inclosed all around by a great wall forming a square, each side of which is a mile in length—that is to say, the whole compass thereof is four miles. It is also very thick and a good ten paces in height, white-washed and loopholed all round.

At each angle of the wall there is a very fine and rich palace, in which the war harness of the emperor is kept, such as bows and quivers, saddles and bridles and bowstrings and everything needful for an army; also midway between every two of these corner palaces there is another of the like, so that, taking the whole compass of the inclosure, you find eight vast palaces stored with the great king's harness of war. And you must understand that each palace is assigned to only one kind of article. Thus one is stored with bows, a second with saddles, a third with bridles, and so on in succession right round.

The great wall has five gates on its southern face, the middle one being the great gate, which is never opened on any occasion except when the great khan himself goes forth or enters. Close on either side of this great gate is a smaller one, by which all other people pass, and then, toward each angle, is another great gate, also open to people in general, so that on that side there are five gates in all.

Inside of this wall there is a second, inclosing a space that is somewhat greater in length than in breadth. This inclosure also has eight palaces, corresponding to those of the outer wall, and stored, like them, with the king's harness of war. This wall also has five gates on the southern face, corresponding to those in the outer wall, and has one gate on each of the other faces, as the outer wall has also. In the middle of the second inclosure is the king's great palace, and I will tell you what it is like.

You must know that it is the greatest palace that ever was. Toward the north it is in contact with the outer wall, while toward the south there is a vacant space which the barons and the soldiers are constantly traversing. The palace itself has no upper story, but is all on the ground floor, only the basement is raised some ten paces above the surrounding soil, and this elevation is retained by a wall of marble raised to the level of the pavement, two paces in width and projecting beyond the base of the palace so as to form a kind of terrace walk, by which people can pass round the building, and which is exposed to view, while on the outer edge of the wall there is a very fine pillared balustrade, and up to this the people are allowed to come. The roof is very lofty, and the walls of the palace are all covered with gold and silver. They are also adorned with

representations of dragons, sculptured and gilt, beasts and birds, knights and idels and sundry other subjects. And on the ceiling, too, you see nothing but gold and silver and painting. On each of the four sides there is a great marble staircase leading to the top of the marble wall and forming the approach to the palace.

The hall of the palace is so large that it could easily dine 6,000 people, and it is quite a marvel to see how many rooms, there are besides. The building is altogether so vast, so rich and so beautiful that no man on earth could design anything superior to it. The outside of the roof also is all colored with vermilion and yellow and green and blue and other hues, which are fixed with a varnish so fine and exquisite that they shine like crystal and lend a resplendent luster to the palace as seen from a great way round. The roof is made, too, with such strength and solidity that it is fit to last forever.

On the interior side of the palace are large buildings, with halls and chambers, where the emperor's private property is placed, such as his treasures of gold, silver, gems, pearls and gold plate, and in which reside the ladies of the court.—Noah Brooks in St. Nicholas.

Three Inscriptions.

Over the triple doorway of the cathedral of Milan there are three inscriptions spanning the splendid arches. Over one is carved a beautiful wreath of roses, and underneath is the legend, "All that pleases is but for a moment." Over another is sculptured a cross, and these are the words underneath, "All that troubles is but for a moment." But underneath the great central entrance in the main aisle is the inscription, "That only is important which is eternal."

His Views of Harrow.

One of Du Maurier's favorite views was from his study window at Hampstead, across his own lawn, to the landscape surrounding Harrow. On one occasion an American visited the artist, and the latter was showing his guest about the place. "There," he exclaimed, on arriving at the study window, "that is the prettiest thing of all. That is Harrow." The visitor looked out of the window for a few seconds, but his gaze rested, not on the view, but on a mowing machine which happened to be on the lawn. "Harrow!" he echoed inquiringly. "Yes," repeated the artist, keeping his eyes riveted on the view, "Harrow." "Is that so?" questioned the practical American. "Well, now, do you know, I took it for a lawn mower." And it was said in all seriousness too.—Westminster Gazette.

Preaching Brought Forth Fruit.

Bacon—I have great confidence in that minister of ours.

Egbert—What gave it to you?

"Well, you know, I wanted \$5 to pay an installment on my bicycle. I didn't know where in the world it was coming from. I went to church, and the minister recommended us to search the Scriptures. I went home and did, and I found \$5 my wife had hidden away in the family Bible."—Yonkers Statesman.

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Fair tonight and Friday, increasing cloudiness, warmer.

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Mad Dogs.

In the neighborhood of Frog Level mad dogs seem to be numerous. Today Rev. J. W. Smith tells us that a mad dog bit at one of Mr. N. W. Tyson's little boys, who was at the school house in the neighborhood. The dog did not bite the flesh but his tore pants. A little girl was also attacked by the same dog, but did no further damage than tearing her dress. The neighborhood is aroused and there will be some dead dogs around there soon.

STOP A MINUTE.

We've Got Your Name, That Will Do.

Jesse Speight is sick.

J. T. Williams is quite sick.

J. G. Staten, of Everetts, is here.

P. Riddick went to Suffolk today.

Don Gilliam returned to Tarboro today.

C. M. Bernard went to Raleigh today.

J. E. Moore, of Williamston, is here at court.

W. C. Dancey left for Savannah this morning.

J. B. Jarvis returned to the University today.

Lovit Hines came over from Kinston this morning.

Carlos Harris came home this morning from Ayden.

Jac. Cherry returned from Norfolk Wednesday evening.

B. C. Pearce went down the road Wednesday evening.

Mrs. H. F. Harris went to Scotland Neck today to visit her son.

W. D. Carstarphen spent yesterday here and left this morning.

Mrs. Annie Evans and little son left Wednesday evening for Goldsboro.

Mrs. D. Abram, of Rocky Mount, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Schultz, returned home today.

While purposing to retire Wednesday night, J. L. Wooten accidentally turned over some boiling water on his right foot, burning it badly.

Charlie Skinner left this morning for Raleigh to serve as a page in the Senate. He is a bright, smart boy, and the Senate will have no better page than he will make.

Mayor Ola Forbes lost one of his carriage horses a few days ago. The animal was taken sick on the road to Washington and died soon after reaching that town.

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