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ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Love often sails under the flag of friendship.

The appropriate color for infants this season will be yellow.

Every bad act is a knot on the thread of life.

Every kind word is a telegraphic message from the heart.

Our watch loses time, but its probably because of the "backward spring."

Tramps frequently sleep on the road-bed, with the "mantle of night" for a covering.

"Do blondes or brunettes have the worst tempers?" asks a correspondent. That depends on which you marry.

An Illinois man hitches up a goat and makes him run a lawn mower. This is putting butter to a new use.

"This is the weigh I long have sought," remarked the grocer, as he got one that weighed 14 cunes to the pound.

The small boy that hangs around the parlor and makes faces at his sister's beau should be punished for contempt of court.

There are some things we all should know and strain our eyes to see; and some the less we see and know the better off we'll be.

Every man is born with a mentor. That's his conscience. When he gets older he often gets a tormentor. That's his wife.

You may talk of the signs of the weather, of the coming days you may sing, but sitting down on a red hot stove is the sign of an early spring.—Orange (Va.) Observer.

Trumpet Calls.

It takes religion with sunshine in it to attract a child.

Some very large trees bear very little fruit.

Winking at sin will soon ruin the eye sight.

A wolf in sheep's clothing is none the less a wolf.

The rest of Christ is for all who will give up sin.

Every temptation resisted is a trouble escaped.

Nothing is gained by starving the soul to feed the body.

No man who truly follows Christ ever has to stand alone.

Every man helps the devil who talks one way and lives another.

When you pray don't forget those who treat you spitefully.

The best news ever told in this world is that God is love.

Too many start to follow Christ who stop at the first cross-road.

AGENT WANTED.—We want a good reliable agent in Greenville to represent the Wilmington Steam Laundry. For terms address
HARPER & PENNINGTON,
Wilmington, N. C.

Proposed Snow Hill Railroad.

Meetings have been held at both Greenville and Wilson to hear statements from Snow Hill business men regarding a proposed railroad from Snow Hill to some point—the place offering to take most stock in such a road.

Neither meeting was largely attended, but committees were appointed to solicit funds for the enterprise.

At Greenville Mr. G. W. Sugg said it would cost about \$100,000 to build the road and northern capitalists had agreed to subscribe half the amount necessary. The commissioners of Greene county have ordered an election upon the question of that county taking \$20,000 stock in the road.

According to the above statement \$30,000 would have to be raised from some other source.

The Free Press views the situation thus: The business of Greene county is divided between Kinston, Greenville, Goldsboro and Wilson. A railroad from either point would be of great benefit to Snow Hill, would injure all the other places, but would injure the place to which the road ran less than the other places. From a business point of view, if the road is to be built, Kinstonians should want it to come to Kinston.

The Snow Hill people are managing the project very nicely—playing one town against another. We hope they will succeed in getting a road and would be glad to have it come to Kinston. But we think the road could not possibly be made to pay more than running expenses, therefore it would be foolish for people to put money in its stock, expecting direct dividends.—Kinston Free Press.

Why Is It?

That the weather turns so cold when you get your first spring clothes?

That when you owe your grocer a small bill, you trade and pay cash at some other store?

That women will talk so much about who they saw at church and what they wore, and cannot remember the words of the text?

That you tell an utter stranger facts you wouldn't whisper to your dearest friend?

That you grapple with and overcome a present trouble and misfortune when you worry over a theoretical one in the future?—Ex.

Church Services To-morrow.

Methodist church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by Rev. B. R. Hall.

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

Baptist church.—Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. A. W. Setzer.

Presbyterian church.—Sunday school 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. J. J. Harper.

A school teacher says the pupils who have access to newspapers at home, are better readers, better spellers, better grammarians, and read more understandingly and obtain a practical knowledge of geography in half the time it requires others. All of which speaks well for the educational powers of the papers.

GENTLE SPRING.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 1897.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, April 9, 1897.

Hon. W. J. Bryan was fortunate enough to be in Washington this week to make an argument for the people of Nebraska in a railroad case before the U. S. Supreme Court. This gave him an opportunity to participate in the democratic jollification which has followed the news of the democratic victories in Ohio and in Chicago. Mr. Bryan told an immense democratic meeting addressed by him over in Alexandria, and attended by many prominent democrats from both branches of Congress that the grand cause was steadily marching on to victory, and closed his speech by saying: 'There is more Jeffersonian democracy in the United States today than there ever was before. More people are seeking to make this government what it ought to be, and the crusade that was started will go on and on; will gather strength as it goes, and will be instrumental in bringing to the people of this country blessings for generations to come.'

The administration and King Hanna are especially sore over the unmistakable rebuke given them by the result of the Ohio elections. They try to make light of the matter by saying that only local issues were involved, but they know better, and everybody else knows better; knows that the administration expected and worked for republican success, which it would have considered an endorsement. Senator Jones Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, says: "While I am not at all disposed to attach too much importance to purely local elections, I do believe that the result in Ohio is largely due to the dissatisfaction with the National and State government of the republican party. There is no doubt in my mind either, that the cause of bimetalism has made tremendous strides since last November; and I believe that more has been accomplished for our cause by the very logic of events than was done by all the campaign methods."

There is a little wrangle on between the administration and the republican members of the Senate Finance committee. Mr. McKinley has been bringing pressure to bear upon them to report the tariff bill not later than the 19th of this month, while they insist that they cannot get the bill in condition to report before May 3rd, if so soon.

Humanity is the one power that is strong enough to fuse all the discordant elements which make up Congress into solidly in an effort to relieve suffering. The joint resolution appropriating \$200,000 for the relief of the sufferers from the floods in the Mississippi River and its tributaries and in the Red River of the North, which became a law this week, received the unanimous vote of Congress.

The Senate has been talking Cuban belligerency again, and has adopted a resolution requesting the President to endeavor to save the life of General Riviera.

It would be difficult to find a more vigorous bit of dignified English than Senator Caffery's reply to the request of the New Orleans Board of Trade that he should vote for the republican tariff bill, as may be seen from the

following extracts: "When my political views change so as to convince me that this great country, with its vast resources, its free, pushing, enterprising, inventive population, needs protection against countries with not half its resources, with populations oppressed with debt, crushed by class distinctions or tyrannous government, without the skill and inventive genius of our own people, I will hand in my resignation as being out of touch with democratic principles. I take it that Louisiana is democratic yet, notwithstanding the temporary split in the democracy about finances, and the defection of the sugar planters to republicanism, or rather to 'bounty.'" The letter closes with this description of the tariff bill: "It will blight the budding promise of increased export of American manufactures. It will cripple the export of our cereals, flour, fuel and raw material; it will add enormously to the burden of the toiling masses of our people, it will create greater discontent where discontent is already threatening the peace and stability of society. And it violates the cardinal, essential, cherished principles of democracy. I will not vote for it. I will vigorously oppose it."

Fortuna e is the appointee who gets the praise of his political opponents as well as that of members of his own party, and they are as few as they are fortunate. One of them is Benjamin Butterworth, who has for the second time been appointed Commissioner of Patents. Arthur first appointed him to the place. Inasmuch as Butterworth's ability to fill a higher position is unquestioned, it is believed that McKinley has put him in charge of the Patent Office for the special purpose of correcting existing abuses in the practice of patent attorneys, and raising the practice to a higher professional plane, his ability as a lawyer and experience in the patent branch especially fitting him for the task, and that after he has succeeded he will be promoted to a higher place.

THE BISHOP LYMAN MEMORIAL.

Very soon after the death of the late Bishop Lyman of the Diocese of North Carolina it was suggested by his friends that a church should be built in the city of Raleigh as a memorial of him.

This suggestion took shape at Convention held in Winston in May of 1894, the first Convention after his death, and the following preamble and resolution were unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, This Convention has by unanimous vote decided that, at some future time, a church shall be erected as a memorial of the Rt. Rev. T. B. Lyman, D. D., LL. D., D. C. L., late Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, The family and friends of Bishop Lyman have expressed their willingness to contribute towards the erection of a permanent church for the congregation of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Raleigh, to be a memorial of Bishop Lyman; and

WHEREAS, This is the church to which Mrs. Lyman, who was a large and liberal contributor to the Church in North Carolina, as well as to that individual congregation, belonged, and to which she and the Bishop were devotedly attached; and

WHEREAS, A large number of the Church people in North Carolina have already expressed their desire to contribute to such a memorial; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Convention recommends that the people of the Diocese shall unite in the erection of a church in Raleigh as a memorial of Bishop Lyman.

The Vestry of the Church of the Good Shepherd thinking that the time has come to begin this Memorial Church, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 8, 1897, adopted unanimously the following resolution:

Resolved, That we undertake the erection of the permanent church for the Good Shepherd, to be known as the Bishop Lyman Memorial, to cost not less than \$20,000 nor more than \$25,000, and that the building operations are not to commence until \$10,000 in cash is in hand. The character of the architecture to be Gothic, material of outer walls to be North Carolina Granite, woodwork of North Carolina Pine, the seating capacity of pews to be not less than 600, and the size, proportions, and style of finish to be that indicated in the notes and sketches furnished the Architect, subject to the approval of the Vestry.

The diocese being thus committed

to assist in the erection of this Memorial Church, we appeal with confidence to the loyal Churchmen of the Diocese and to the friends of Bishop Lyman throughout the entire State, of which he was for some years the Diocesan, and to his personal friends and admirers elsewhere, to give us substantial aid in this undertaking.

As the church is to occupy a very prominent location in the Capitol city of the State it is desirable that the building shall be of such a character as to be an ornament to the city, a credit to the Church and the State and a worthy memorial of the Reverend Bishop.

The members of the Church of the Good Shepherd realize a present necessity for a new and larger church, but being, with a very few exceptions, people of very moderate means, and though willing to assess themselves to the extent of their ability, are unable to complete the building within a reasonable time by their unaided efforts. We therefore appeal to you for such help as you feel able to give.

An offering will be presented for this object on next Easter and we would be glad to have your contribution by that time if practicable.

We would like to be in funds to begin work very soon thereafter.

Contributions may be sent to any of the undersigned.

REV. I. MCK. PITTINGER, Rector,
R. H. BATTLE,
HUGH MORSON,
C. G. LATTI,
F. T. WARD,
Finance Committee.

I entirely approve of the appeal for the erection of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Raleigh as a memorial to Bishop Lyman, and commend it heartily to the liberality of our people. It will give me pleasure to do what I can for the accomplishment of this end.

LOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE, JR.,
Bishop of North Carolina.
RALEIGH, N. C., March 19, 1897.

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STATEMENT OF THE
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GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business March 9th, 1897.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts \$41,761.19	Capital stock paid in \$23,000.00
Over Drafts 133,275	Surplus and Profits 2,332.66
Premium on Stock 1,000.00	Deposits subject to Check 35,691.14
Due from Banks 88,567.54	Due to Banks 732.36
Furniture and Fixtures 1,500.00	Cashiers Checks outstanding 863.34
Current Expenses 285.52	Time Certificates of Deposit 355.00
Cash Items 2,652.12	Total \$112,974.50
Cash on hand 25,875.38	
Total \$112,974.50	

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Passenger and mail train going North, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:57 P. M.

Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

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NEW YORK COTTON.

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June	7.15	7.15	7.11	7.11
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Aug.	7.20	7.20	7.17	7.17
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CHICAGO MEAT AND GRAIN.

WHEAT—

July	66	66	65½	65½
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PORK—

July	8.47½	8.35	8.47½	8.37½
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RIBS—

July	4.52½	4.75	4.60	4.75
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair tonight and Sunday.

THESE COME IN SHOWERS.

And You Get a New Sprinkling Every Evening.

Quite cool today.

FOR SALE—Fine pair Goats, Harness and Wagon. Apply to Alfred Forbes.

10,000 Ocean N. C. Cut Herrings just received and for sale by J. J. Cherry.

FOR SALE—My two story house in Forbestown. For terms apply to Mrs. L. C. Ricks.

Fresh Carr Butter 1 pound package at S. M. Schultz.

Knoxville Tenn., had a million dollar fire Thursday. Several people lost their lives.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Jennie Gray Hodges, of Washington, to Mr. Robert J. Jordan, on the 21st inst.

The prize fights among colored boys that have taken place here the last few afternoons, are a violation of the law, and the promoters are pursuing a good course to make some fees for the Solicitor.

Joe Dixon, a colored man, was before the Mayor this morning for beating his wife with a chair. He was bound over to court under a \$300 bond, and upon failure to give bond was given lodging with Sheriff Harrington.

Much of the hard times would be relieved if people who can would make an effort to pay their debts. One man holding back what he owes keeps some body else from meeting an obligation, just like the payment of one debt leads to the cancelling of others.

A man named Robert Perkins, who is in a demented condition, has been placed in jail for safety until he can be admitted into the State hospital. While being detained in the Court House for examination he cut a leaf out of one of the record books in the Register's office.

The law concerning the collection of taxes should be changed. It should compel sheriffs to collect the taxes in the fall season. The spring season is the most unfortunate of the year for paying taxes. In the fall everybody has a little something they could pay with.—Wilksboro Chronical.

REFLECTOR PHOTOGRAPHS.

Taken Here and There in the Reporter's Round.

S. V. King, of Tarboro, spent today here.

L. A. Cobb, of Grifton, spent today here.

J. B. Cherry, Jr., left Friday evening for Morehead.

The condition of J. H. Blount is reported as some better today.

R. L. Humber went to Grifton last night and returned this morning.

Pulaski Cowper, of Raleigh, spent last night here and left this morning.

Polk Miller left this morning for Scotland Neck where he gives an entertainment tonight.

Mrs. Loge Staten, of Tarboro, spent last night here with Mrs. J. H. Blount and returned home today.

Presiding Elder B. R. Hall will preach in the Methodist church tomorrow morning and night.

Mrs. C. P. Spruill, of Raleigh, who has been visiting her parents here, left Friday evening to return home.

Miss Carrie Loftin, who is teaching near here, went to Kinston Friday evening to remain until Monday.

A. J. Blalock and wife, of Durham, arrived here Friday evening. He returned this morning but Mrs. Blalock remains to visit her father, A. A. Andrews.

Appointments to Grand Lodge.

At the last meeting of Covenant Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., C. D. Rountree was appointed as delegate to the meeting of the Grand Lodge which convenes in Charlotte, May 11—14, F. M. Hodges, alternate. Prof. W. H. Ragsdale was recommended as District Vice Deputy.

Polk Miller.

A large audience was at the Court House Friday night to hear Polk Miller and all were delighted with his entertainment. From beginning to end he kept the audience well amused and many laughed until their sides ached. His recitations in negro dialect were perfect, the jokes and impersonations of negro character very laughable, while the old plantation melodies took the gray heads in the audience back to times "loh de wah." No one man can entertain an audience better than did Mr. Miller.

Marriage Licences.

For the first ten days in April eleven applicants obtained marriage licenses from Register of Deeds Perkins, two being for white couples and nine for colored.

WHITE.

C. E. Smith and Annie Cox.
John T. McLawhorn and Mattie McLawhorn.

COLORED.

George Grimes and Della Harris.
Warren Dawson and Maggie Crigg.
Boston Hardy and Ida Griffin.
J. Venters and Sarah Burrey.
Henry Griffin and Lizina Little.
Ed Worthington and Minnie Short.
W. H. Dunn and Mary E. Sumerel.
Anthony Taylor and N. Bynum.
Anthony May and Bettie Weatherington.

The Christian Arithmetic.

Notation: "I will put my laws into their hearts, and on their minds will I write them."

Numeration: "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto his wisdom."

Addition: "Add to your faith, virtue, and to virtue, knowledge, and to knowledge, temperance, and to temperance, patience, and to patience, godliness, and to godliness, brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness, charity."

Subtraction: "Let us put off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light."

Multiplication: "Mercy unto you, and peace and love be multiplied."

Division: "Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate saith the Lord, and I will receive you."

SPRING FEVER

is already warning your blood and shaping your thoughts. We caught it a week ago. Symptoms of it are scattered all over this store. It breaks out in dainty Spring

DRESS - GOODS,

new bright Silks, in delicate feather-weight Grenadines, Organdies, Lappets and diverse Spring Fabrics; it shows in the new Shirt Waist goods, such as Percales, Grass Linens, etc. No department is free from its influence.

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