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## JULY HINTS.

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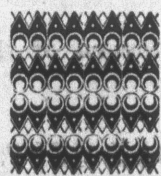
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### Base Ball.

Louisville, July 3—Breitenstein had the Colonels at his mercy today. Frazer was hit hard and his support was ragged. Attendance 2,000. Score. Cincinnati, 12; Louisville, 0.

Philadelphia, July 3—The Phillies and Brooklyn each pocketed a victory today. The games were rather dull, the redeeming features being Delahanty's hitting and fielding and Griffin's splendid work in the field. Attendance 8,545. Score. Brooklyn, 5; Philadelphia, 2.

Second game—Brooklyn, 5; Philadelphia, 7.

Cleveland, July 3—The Cleveland won one of the most exciting games imaginable by a batting rally in the tenth inning. Powell and Donohue pitched superbly. Attendance 1,200. Score. Cleveland, 8; St. Louis, 4.

New York, July 3—Boston won from the home team today in a stiff played game that was anybody's prey until taken by a single run in the ninth. Attendance 15,000. Score. New York, 2; Boston, 3.

Chicago, July 3—Gardner held the Colts down to three singles today and with the excellent fielding back of him won an easy game. Attendance 3,100. Score. Chicago, 2; Pittsburgh, 8.

### HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Boston	42	14	750
Baltimore	38	17	691
Cincinnati	35	18	660
New York	33	22	600
Cleveland	30	27	523
Philadelphia	29	31	483
Pittsburg	27	29	482
Brooklyn	27	30	474
Washington	22	33	400
Louisville	22	34	393
Chicago	22	36	379
St. Louis	11	47	190

### CONDENSED NEWS.

Cyclones killed several people in Minnesota on Saturday.

The hot wave is causing many deaths in the large cities.

The intense heat caused a factory at Akron, O., to catch on fire Saturday. The loss was \$100,000.

Fourth of July celebrations in different portions of the country are sending in the usual list of accidents.

All the miners in Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas and Missouri are preparing for a strike. It will be about the largest strike our country has known.

The street car operatives of Houston, Texas, took a notion to strike while the people were out in the suburbs attending 4th of July celebrations and base ball games. The populace had to walk back to town. That recalls to mind a similar strike at Galveston during the meeting of the National Editorial Association when the editors had to show what good walkers they were.

### The August Election.

The County Commissioners at their present meeting appointed poll holders and registrars in the different townships to hold the local taxation election on the 10th of August. In some respects the election lacks the features of legality and it is not unlikely that it may prove a very useless expense to the county. There is little interest over the county in this election and there is doubt if it carries in a single township. The tax payers feel that they are already sufficiently burdened in this direction, and under the present financial stringency do not feel like voting a still heavier burden upon themselves.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

One Member Declines—Vacancy Filled—Supervisor Elected.

On the first Monday in June a Board of Education consisting of A. Ward, F. Ward and Allen Johnston was elected. These were to qualify and enter upon their duties the first Monday in July. Instead of appearing to qualify, one of the members elect, Allen Johnston, wrote a letter to the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners declining to accept the office.

When the last Legislature was creating offices and making laws to govern the same, it did not seem to anticipate that anybody falling heir to one of the offices would do such a thing as decline it, and made no provision to meet such emergency. So this action of Mr. Johnston caused some confusion as to just what course to pursue. State Superintendent Mebane was telegraphed to for instructions, but his office being closed on account of holiday no answer came from him.

Finally it was concluded to have a joint meeting of the County Commissioners, Clerk of Superior Court and Register of Deeds, and hold another election to fill the vacancy. This was done in the afternoon and when the ballot was taken three votes, all that were cast, were for Jesse Cannon. Commissioner Thompson and Register of Deeds Perkins declined to vote.

After this election the three members of the Board of Education qualified and held a joint session with the Register of Deeds and Clerk of Superior Court to elect a Supervisor. Thirty-three ballots were taken before any choice was reached. J. R. Tingle was finally elected.

### OAKLEY ITEMS.

OAKLEY, N. C., July 5th, 1897.

Miss Mollie Williams and sister, Miss Matilda, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Wednesday. Miss Mamie Belcher accompanied them home.

Bob Greene, of Greenville, was here Thursday and made sale of one of his elegant buggies.

Quite a number of our people attended the Masonic funeral of Thos. D. Carson yesterday.

Miss Verna Little is quite sick.

Crops are looking well, layby time is here.

### JUST FOR FUN.

Tommy—"Pop, is it vulgar to eat onions?" Tommy's Pop—"No, my boy; it is merely a matter of taste and common sense."

Hoax—"Did Harduppe ever borrow any money from you?" Joax—"I should say so; but he don't get any more." Hoax—"How's that?" Joax—"He borrowed all I had."

### Masonic Installation.

On Monday night the following officers of Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A. M., were installed by Past Master H. Harding.

J. M. Reuss, W. M.

R. Williams, S. W.

J. N. Hart, J. W.

C. T. Mumford, Treas.

L. I. Moore, Sec.

J. H. Harris, S. D.

O. W. Harrington, J. D.

R. W. King and C. O'H. Laughlin, Stewards.

C. B. Whichard, Tiler.

The delightful breeze got in some folks on the high temperature this afternoon.

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TUESDAY, JULY 6, 1897.

## SWINGING OF THE AXE.

Eight Thousand Democratic Postmasters Already Decapitated.

Washington, July 3.—While some of the office seekers are roundly abusing the President for not making appointments with more rapidity, they should remember that it is Mark Hanna and not Major McKinley, who is dishing out the patronage. President McKinley is really too much engrossed on his message recommending financial legislation in conformity with pledges made at St. Louis. And then again a good deal of his time is necessarily taken up by Senators and members who believe their recommendations will have more weight through the President than with Mark Hanna direct. But it is not to Presidential appointments that I desire to call attention, but to the fact that, there is one official of this administration who while saving wood and saying nothing, is making a great record for himself. He is none other than, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, better known as the official headman. Bristow has charge of the fourth class postmasters of which there are some sixty and odd thousand throughout the country. He has only been in office a little over three months, but during that period he has not been idle. Democratic postmasters have been decapitated with such swiftness and precision that it staggers one to keep count. A friend of the official headman said today that it was his ambition to beat the record of all his predecessors. And it must be said Bristow is in a fair way to do it. The first official headman to attract attention to himself was ex Vice President Adelaide E. Stevenson. During Cleveland's administration General Stevenson had charge of the fourth class postmasters and he didn't do a thing to the Republicans. Where ever he saw a Republican fourth class postmaster's head he swung his Democratic axe after the fashion of Jackson. And the Democrats throughout the country applauded his action. And thus it was that Stevenson endeared himself to the party. Had he been in Cleveland's place there is no question but that the Democrats would be in power today. With the advent of the Harrison administration Gen. Clarkson assumed the position of headman, and in the matter of decapitating Democratic postmasters he beat Stevenson's record by nearly 1,000. Then came Maxwell from New York. He was a silent man; he said very little. I think he must have used two axes, for he outdid both his predecessors in the number of removals. It is these records that headman Bristow is trying

to surpass. And unless President McKinley calls him down, the man from bleeding Kansas will probably accomplish his purpose. Up to date Bristow has made a little over 8,000 appointments, and yet the Republicans are not satisfied. In the appointment of fourth class postmasters North Carolina is getting her Republican officials as fast as any.

## Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co, Chicago or New York.

## The Seed Industry.

During the past spring, over twenty million packages of flower and field seed have been distributed by the Agricultural Department. This distribution of seed has given to each member of Congress 40,000 packages of seed, at a total cost of \$130,000. Over a million of these seed packages were flower seed, and nearly 300,000 field seed, the remainder being a large variety of vegetable seed. In the entire distribution, nearly every variety of vegetable known to the agriculturists was distributed. There were thirty-two varieties of beans, ten of beets, twenty-three of cabbage, eleven of carrots, nineteen of sweet corn, eighteen of cucumbers, thirty of lettuce, nineteen of muskmelons, seventeen of watermelons, and fifteen of onions. The entire quantity of seeds distributed was sufficient to plant an area of 355 square miles.

This is the largest distribution of seed ever attempted by the Agricultural Department, and it is said that seedsmen all over the country are complaining that they do not make sales to farmers and others, because the latter are getting all the seed they need from the department. The distribution of seed in 1893 amounted to 8,800 packages for each member of Congress, at a total cost of \$66,548; in 1894 each congressman got 16,000 packages the entire cost to the government being \$57,000; in 1895 the number of packages of seeds was the same as in the preceding year, but the total cost was reduced to \$47,000. In 1896 the congressmen got 15,000 packages each, and Uncle Sam paid \$80,000 for the lot. These statistics will give some idea of the enormous expenditure of the government, seeds being only a very small item.

## A Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispels colds, cures headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. pay 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

## Miss Mary Baldwin's Will.

STAUNTON, Va., July 3.—The board of trustees of the Mary Baldwin Seminary met today and it was found on reading the will of the late principal, Miss Mary Julia Baldwin, who died on Thursday, that she endowed the Seminary with a bequest of one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars.

When bilious or constive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure constipation.

## APHORISMS

When a man is wrong and won't admit it, he always gets angry.—Haliburton.

If there is any person whom you dislike, that is the one of whom you should never speak.—Cecil.

We cannot control the evil tongues of others; but a good life enables us to disregard them.—Cato.

The cheerful live longest in years, and afterwards in our regards. Cheerfulness is the offshoot of goodness.—Bovee.

He is incapable of a truly good action who finds not a pleasure in contemplating the good actions of others.—Lavater.

Be calm in arguing, for fierceness makes error a fault, and truth discourtesy; calmness is a great advantage.—Herbert.

Do not judge from mere appearances; for the light laughter that bubbles on the lip often mantles over the depths of sadness, and the serious look may be the sober veil that covers a divine peace and joy. The bosom can ache beneath diamond brooches; and many a blithe heart dances under coarse wool.—E. H. Chapin.

Just try a 10c. box of cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

## Uses of the Lemon.

Juice of the lemon is one of the best and safest drinks for any person, whether in health or not. It is suitable for all stomach diseases, liver complaint, inflammation of the bowels and fevers.

Lemon is used in intermittent fevers. It will alleviate and finally cure coughs and colds and heal diseased lungs, if taken, hot. Its uses are manifold, and the more we employ it internally the better we shall find ourselves. Lemon juice is anti-febrile, etc. A doctor in Rome is trying it experimentally in malarial fever with great success, and thinks it will in time supercede quinine.

## Photographic Counterfeit.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 3.—Chief Hazen, of the secret service, has received from Chicago another counterfeit of the new issue of silver certificates. It is of the \$2 denomination with letter B. It is regarded as dangerous, being a photographic reproduction.

## Gov. Evans, of Colorado Dead.

DENVER, Col., June 3.—Ex-Gov. John Evans, one of the foremost citizens of Denver, since 1862, when he was appointed Governor of the territory of Colorado by President Lincoln, died at 4:30 this afternoon. He was 83 years old.

A modern father, says London Truth has evolved the following excellent definition of modern children: "Until 8 they are a pleasure, from 8 to 14 they are interesting, and from 14 upward they are disagreeable acquaintances with a claim upon one." This may be an "excellent definition," of English children, but it doesn't apply here in America.

The Chicago Railway Age reports that only 622 miles of track were laid in the United States in the first half of 1897—the smallest mileage for the corresponding period of any year with the exception of 1894. But the amount of construction now in progress denotes that the total new trackage for the year will about equal that of each of the past three years.

RA. TYSON, Vice-Pres't. R. L. DAVIS, Pres't. J. L. LITTLE, Cash'r  
REORGANIZED JUNE 15th, 1896.

## STATEMENT OF THE

# The Bank of Greenville, GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business May 14th, 1897.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$42,153.81	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	895.29	Surplus and Profits	3,042.54
Due from Banks	8,772.46	Deposits subject to Check	58,812.55
Furniture and Fixtures	1,505.60	Cashiers Checks outstanding	143.10
Current Expenses	1,812.04	Due to Banks	508.15
Cash Items	1,839.56	Time Certificates of Deposit	55.00
Premium on Stock	1,000.00		
Cash on hand	28,088.18	Total	\$85,566.34
Total	\$85,566.34		

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## Yellow Fever at Vera Cruz

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The Marine Hospital service bureau today issued the following statement:

"Yellow fever is reported at Vera Cruz Mexico and is reported to be epidemic at Panama, Columbia."

We can see only a little difference in Cleveland hard times and McKinley prosperity, except our elbows are out further, and our stomachs are more empty, and our farms deeper under mortgage and nothing wherewith to pay. Well, if McKinley will help us this time we will not call on him any more.



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The terms are as follows.

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Languages (each) " " "	\$1 00

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated May 27, 1897.	No. 23 Daily.		
Leave Weldon	A. M. 11 50		A. M.
Ar Rocky Mt	12 52		
Lv Tarboro	12 12		
Ar Rocky Mt	12 52		5 45
Ar Wilson	2 05		6 20
Ar Selma	2 50		
Ar Fayetteville	4 15		
Ar Florence	6 55		

	No. 49 Daily.		
	P. M.		A. M.
Ar Wilson	2 08		0
Ar Goldsboro	3 10		5
Ar Magnolia	4 16		0
Ar Wilmington	5 45		9 45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated May 27th, 1897.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily
Ar Florence	A. M. 8 45	P. M. 7 40	
Ar Fayetteville	11 40	9 40	
Ar Selma	12 37		
Ar Wilson	1 40	11 35	

	No. 49		
	A. M.		P. M.
Ar Wilmington	9 00		7 00
Ar Magnolia	11 50		8 30
Ar Goldsboro	1 00		9 35
Ar Wilson	1 00		10 27
Ar Tarboro	1 42		

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily
Ar Wilson	P. M. 1 42		P. M. 10 32
Ar Rocky Mt	2 33		11 15

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily
Ar Tarboro	4 00		P. M. 11 12
Ar Tarboro			
Ar Rocky Mt	2 17		
Ar Weldon			

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch leave Weldon 4.10 p. m., Halifax 4.30 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.10 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.65 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.10 a. m., Greenville 8.52 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11.30 a. m.; Weldon 11.40 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.20 a. m., and 1.00 p. m., arrives Farme 9.10 a. m., and 3.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Farme 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.00 a. m., and 7.20 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 5.50 p. m., Sunday 4.05 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.00 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.15 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 8.20 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., 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, 10.00 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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STEPHEN GIZZBUNKLER.

An Old Time Resident of Storkville Center and His Remarkable Experience.

"I doubt if any man ever had a more singular experience," said Colonel Calliper, "than once fell to the lot of my old friend, Stephen Gizzbunkler, who formerly lived in Storkville Center, Vt. Mr. Gizzbunkler, like most of us, had his peculiarities, the most conspicuous, perhaps, being his habit of always carrying an umbrella. No matter what the weather or what the signs might be, he never went out without an umbrella. He knew it would be sure to rain if he did. Where he got this impression I don't know. He may have been out some time in his youthful days in his best clothes without an umbrella when it came on to rain.

"Some years ago, when they began making the curious and costly experiments in the arid regions of the far west, firing explosives from balloons, and one thing and another, to produce rain, Mr. Gizzbunkler, standing one day with his umbrella under his arm, in the Storkville Center postoffice, perusing the newspaper which he had just taken from the mail, said:

"Why do they waste all this money in mere experiments when they could get rain with certainty and at a far less cost? Why don't they send for me?"

"What could you do?" asked a neighbor who was standing near.

"Why, I could go out without my umbrella," said Mr. Gizzbunkler, and, amazing as it may seem, it is not the less certainly a fact that he wrote to the mayor of a town near which some of these experiments had been conducted offering to go there and produce rain for his expenses. It shows the consuming desire for rain on the part of the people, and their readiness to take any chances to get it, that they immediately sent Mr. Gizzbunkler a draft for the money to come on with, without even asking him how he was going to produce the rain.

"When Mr. Gizzbunkler arrived at the town, he was met at the railroad station by a delegation of citizens, who escorted him to the hotel. Later he was waited on officially by the rain committee of the town council, who, in the presence of the reception committee and a large number of other interested citizens, asked Mr. Gizzbunkler his plans.

"They had had some queer people in this town at one time and another, but Mr. Gizzbunkler appeared to them to be the most useless person they had ever had there. At first they thought they would kill him at once, that there would at least be some slight saving in shipping him back as freight; but Stephen was so obviously a well meaning man that finally they thought they would give him a trial, which they did on the following day.

"It was a day on which any other man in the world would have left his umbrella at home, anyway. Stephen Gizzbunkler was about to leave his at home for the first time in many years, and he was equally confident of what would happen. He had been a little shaken, personally, by the attitude of the people after his simple plan had been unfolded, but his confidence in the success of his plan was quite unbroken. He laid his umbrella carefully across the foot of the bed in his room at the hotel, looked at it almost lovingly and then went down to meet the committee.

"They walked, Stephen ahead, the rain committee and the reception committee next and after them the people, along the dusty road.

"Did it rain? No, no, no. It seemed to Stephen, and it seemed to the people, too, that the corn shriveled up as he passed and that the last blades of grass withered. "They gave him one more trial the next day, with the same results, and then they took him back to the railroad station. They had taken him away from the station in a carriage; they carried him back on a rail, but this was a matter of detail that almost escaped Stephen's attention at the time, so glad was he to get back at all.

"On the day after Mr. Gizzbunkler's return to Storkville Center he went out without an umbrella. He had had a great experience, and he had been somewhat impressed by it. Possibly he had been mistaken all these years, and he thought he would see. But that day there came a storm that swept away every bridge in the county, and which washed away, too, whatever impression the extraordinary experiences in the arid regions had made upon the mind of Mr. Stephen Gizzbunkler.

"Thereafter, until he died, Mr.

Gizzbunkler carried an umbrella always, as long as ever in the belief that it would rain if he went out without one."—New York Sun.

Not a Welcome Topic.

She—It was just three years ago tonight that you proposed.

He—Now, what did you want to bring that up for on the only night of the week that I have away from business?—Indianapolis Journal.

The Chinese Dictionary.

The Chinese dictionary authorized by the imperial government contains 214 classes of words, of which 150 include the more important. This famous dictionary, the most ancient of any recorded in literary history, was arranged by Pa-out-shu, who lived about 1100 B. C.

Disproved It.

"This is all rot about pure grit winning success."

"How so?"

"I sank a fortune in a grindstone factory."—Detroit Free Press.

DIRECTORY.

CHURCHES.

BAPTIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. C. D.ountree, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Graves, Rector Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superintendent.

LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. E. W. M. King W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

L. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17 meets every Tuesday evening. D. W. Hardee N. G. L. H. Reader, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge No. 93, meets every Friday evening. H. W. Whedbee, C. C. Frank Wilson. K. of E. and B. S.

E. A.—Lebanon Council No. 1696 meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

O. of H.—Insurance Lodge No. 1169 meets every Friday evening. John H. Haggan, D. Henry Sheppard, R.

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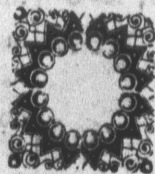
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County Commissioners and Board of Education both in session again today.

Riverside Nursery sent the REFLECTOR a nice canteloupe today—our first.

There were thirty one applications for liquor licenses granted by the Board of Commissioners on Monday.

Greenville might imitate what some other towns are doing, and adopt a law to keep dogs off the streets.

Wednesday night, steamer Myers, moonlight excursion, pretty girls, delightful music. This combination insures a pleasant trip to all who go.

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The Ladies of the Episcopal church will have a moonlight excursion on steamer Meyers on Wednesday night. Everybody go and have a good time.

We will continue selling milk at 5 cents a quart, but hereafter our wagon will make only one delivery on Sunday. JAMES AND WILEY BROWN, Props. Elmwood Dairy.

In a newspaper article sound sense is of more importance than senseless sound. Too many editorial utterances are like a sixpenny fire—more noise than substance.—Press and Printer.

"The young wife who complains that her husband doesn't love her any more," says the Manayunk Philosopher, "should consider herself lucky that he doesn't love her any less."

The man whose advice is worth having is seldom foolish enough to give away. Knowing ones who are forever telling how newspapers should be run, will do well to bear this fact in mind.—Press and Printer.

Don't neglect your laundry in this hot weather. You want good work. Next shipment goes off Wednesday morning. C. P. WEICHAID, Agt. Wilmington Steam Laundry.

For humanity's sake it would be a good idea for our merchants to close their stores at 7 p. m. After lamps are lighted, the average store is little cooler than an oven during the hot summer months.

MIDDLE OF THE ROADERS.

These Passed the Middle Mile Post of the Year.

L. I. Moore went to Goldsboro today.

W. H. Long went to Conetee today.

J. W. Wiggins went to Tarboro today.

Rev. R. B. John returned to Tarboro today.

Rev. E. D. Brown returned to Kinston Monday evening.

J. W. Higgs, J. A. Ricks and E. H. Taft left today for Ocracoke.

Miss Lela Cherry left this morning for Rosetoro to spend two months.

Vernon Priddy, book keeper for Gorman & Co., returned from Richmond Monday evening.

STATE NEWS.

Near Marion John Hall shot and killed Daniel Jarrett because the latter's son drove over seven stalks of corn belonging to Hall.

The Elizabeth City News has suspended, it says for at least four years. The reason given is that "the good old times promised by the advocates of McKinley haven't come."

A barroom has been opened in the building adjoining the Planters Warehouse. The tobacco men have fought off such a movement as this for some time, but the present powers that be allowed it to go in on them.

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