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### GREENVILLE, N. C. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1897.

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#### **KISS HIM RIGHT AWAKE.**

"Ah! mine is a hard lot." he said So, In truth, it was. Far from being unhappy, however, he set to work and soon converted it into the finest granite quarry in that section.

Wife-"John, there's some sort of disturbance among the servants downstairs. Do go down and pour oil on the troubled waters." John (returning)-"Too late! Bridget had already poured it cn the fire."

He was struck by a talling cake of ice and killed, whereupon one of the two temperance papers in the town headed its report of the accident: "Hard Drink Killed Him," and the other: "A Drop Too Much."

Spectator-"Say, I paid 50 cents to see the game. When is it going to be gin?" Gatetender (facetiously)-"Don't know. One o' de team is full," "Which one?" "De full-back." "How funny! Well, I want my half back."

"You seem to think that women are like horses, that their ages may be told by their teeth," said the optimist. "No," replied the pessimist. "The horse is under a disadvantage there, He can't take his teeth out and treshen them up overnight in a tumbler of water."

#### STATE NEWS:

A telephone exchange is being put in Scotland Neck-

Mr. A. T. Crawford and Miss Pattie the 1st.

When he in his cradle sleepn', Wid dat purty smile o' his, His mammy comes a-creepin' En wake him wid a kiss.

En den it's "Go ter sleep, Sweetheart, fer mammy's sake;" But ain't a bit o' use in it,

She kiss him right awake!

She always dar a-peepin' En talkio' out like dis; 'He look so purity, sleepin'-I 'bleege ter steal a kiss!"

En den it's "Go ter sleepy, Sweetheart, fer mammy's sake!" But ain't a bit o' use in it-She kiss him right awake!

#### OVER THE COUNTRY.

Former Clerk Donald McClelland, of the Bronx Borough Bank, New York, is accused of stealing \$2500.

A pack of bloodhounds has been provided at St. Louis, Mo., to aid the police in running down criminals.

The New York City Health Depart. ment is to supply vaccine virus to the army throughout the country.

Red Cross Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of Tampa, Fla., has defied the authority of the grand chancellor of the order.

A prisoner at Pitts, Ga., has con\_ fessed that he murdered John M. Clayton, in Plummerville, Ark., eight years ago.

John McCormick, 23 years old, son Biggs, of Williamston, were married on of the editor of the Meridian (Miss.) News, has strangely disappeared from

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# Important.

Appearance

Do you want Clothes Ready-to-wear? Do you want 'em Made-to-measure? We give great value either way. Our facilities in both departments are matchless. If you are in our Clothes you're in fashion. That advantage is worth money to you, but we charge nothing for it. Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Underwear and Neckwear are now on grand display. Hundreds of novelties and economics a wait your coming. A little money com-mands much merchandise.





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Munford.



Dr. Dinwiddie, prosident of Peace Wheeling, W. Va. Institute, says there is only one young Christian.-Raleigh News Observer. The Morning Post, Raleigh's new Francisco, Cal-

daily paper, made its appearance on the 1st. Greek O. Andrews is general manager and R. M. Furman editor in chief. The Post is a bright paper and we wish it success.

on said Tuesday that from a State farm near Weldon some convicts nave been Neck Commonwealth.

building, and that another convict has omy.

written to his wife to come and stay with him a week. This beats the strawberries last spring .- Raleigh cor. holiday trade put an advertisement in Charlotte Observer. THE REFLECTOR.

# THE PUSH

Save something every day every week, every month. This you can do if you buy your DRESS GOODS, HATS, **CLOTHING AND SHOES.** of Try it one month. us. Compare the prices you pay us with those you have been paying others, lay aside the difference, and see what a nice little sum you will have for Christmas. TFRED FORBE

Andrew L. Switzer, once an Idaho lady among his students who is not a cattle king, is believed to have been swept to sea in an open boat, at San

#### A Gorrection

WHICHARD, N. C., Dec. 1st, 1897. EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I wish to one correction in the state-A man whose word can be relied up- ment you published about Mr. Harry Gurganus' death. while he seemed to be perfectly established in the faith and allowed to go 'possom hunting at night. doctrine of the Primitive Baptists for He said he supposed there never has the last 30 years, yet, for some caus, been anything like it before. -Scotland the never made a public profession of Christianity and was never baptised.

All the abuses at the penitentiary I can fully endorse every thing else are not yet ended. Your correspond- you said of him, and will add that he ent learns that for a month past a con- has voted for Jeffersonian Democracy vict has been living with his wife in in every election for 58 years. He was what is known as the administration a model of honesty, industry and econ-W. R. WHICHARD.

I f you want to get your share of the

FRANK WILSON.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1897.

THE FRUIT OF FUSION.

A horrible story comes from Pamlico county, as published in the Raleigh News and Observer of the 1st. A man who was for merly a Democrat became dissat isfied with his condition and, under promise of office, fell an easy prey to the Populists. He was given a nomination on the fusion ticket, but it developed afterwards that the negroes of his county were opposed to him and were making threats to scratch him off the ticket when they went to vote.

He set to work to reconcile this opposition, and a negro tenant on his farm, who was somewhat of a leader among the negroes, was taken into his confidence and put to work in his behalf. In order to ingratiate himself in the favor of this negro tenant the latte: was accorded the privilege of sleeping in his home and eating

soil being maintained, 42 counties report favorably, 18 unfavorably; as to reclamation of land by ditching or terracing 33 report favorably, six unfavorably; as to labor, 33 that it is abundant, 14 that it is scarce; 37 report that laborers can usually find employment all the year, 24 that they cannot ; 44 report the educational condition of working people to be improving, 15 that it is not; 42 report their moral condition

as improving, while 18 say it is not; 40 report their religious condition as improved, while 19 declare that it is not. Under the head of "accidents to persous' Railroad reports "three hogs, two heifers and one steer" as killed. This report is made to the railroad commission.

Our Scotland Neck special yesterday mentioned that a telephone system is being installed in that town and that the promise is given that it will be "a firstclass system in every way and will give the very best service. This leads to the observation that quite a number of the small towns of the State have telephone systems, as good in all respects as those of the large towns, and that they get the service at the rate of \$12 and \$15 per month, while the larger towns pay double as much, and more. What advantage have the latter? and why

should these things be so? Is there any peculiar magic in the name of Bell that makes it worth double price to talk or listen over a 'phone that bears it ?- Charlotte Observer.

in its figures? Does it mean to say that people in some of the larger towns have to pay more

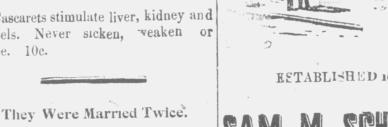
attempted to re-charter the various towns and cities of the State so as to put them under Republican control. Charlotte was one of the towns included in the list. But the scheme fell through, and most of the cities were saved. The fate they escaped is shown in the example of the town of Greenville, one of those re-charted. One of the best known citizens of Greenville writes the News and Observer that the town has actually been taken control of by the negroes. The act, as will be recalled, divided the town up into four wards. The lines are so run that the negroes have a large majority in two wards and the whites in the Hendersonville & Brevard two wards. To the two negro wards the act gives two aldermen each and to the two white wards one each. At the last election the pegroes elected four negroes and the whites, two white men so that the town has a board composed of four pegroes and two white men. The mayor and chief of police are white men elected by this negro board. The assistant policemen is a coal black negro. The clerk of the board is a negro. The taxable property of the town is nearly three quarters of a million and the four negro aldermen, the mayor and the chief of police give in less than \$600 worth of property for taxation

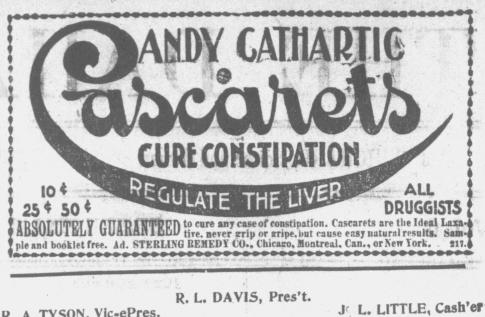
The late fusion Legislature

If the same crowd of legislators are sent back next year, every city in the State will stand in danger of the fate that has befallen Greenville.

Can the people ever be fooled into electing another such set of venal and incompetent legislatora ?- Charlotte News.

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R. A. TYSON, Vic-ePres. REORGANIZED JUNE 15th, 1896.

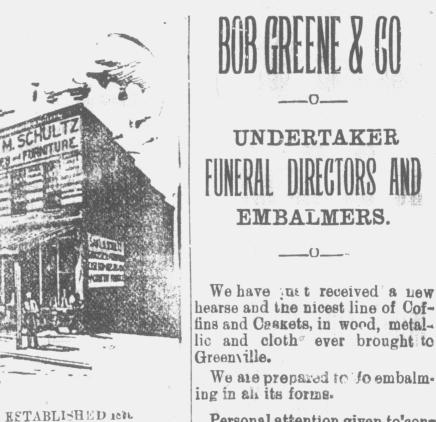
STATEMENT OF THE

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

At the Close of Business Oct. 5th, 1897.

d	RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts Premium on Stock Due from Banks Furniture and Fixtures Cash Items Cash in Vault	1,000.00 $20,865.30$ $1,507.25$ $8,619.05$ $25,139.49$	LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in Surplus and Profits Deposits subject to Check Due to Banks Cashiers Checks ortstanding Bills Payable Time Certificates of Deposit	17,500.00 3,605 <b>,00</b>
n,	Total	φ110,020.01	Total	\$113,923.

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Denmark 4.55 pm. Sumpter 6,45 am, Florence 8.55 am, Marion 9.35 am, Chadbourn 10.35 am, Lake Waccamaw 11.06 am.

Train on Scotis d Neck Branch Road eaves Weldon 3.55 p.m., Halifax 4.30 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.20 p m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.55 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 a.m., Greenville 8.52 a.m. Arriving Hali x at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 am daily except Sunday.

frains on Washnigton Branch leave Washington 8.20 a, m., and 2.20 p.m arrives Parmele 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returningleaves L'arboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 9.35 a. m. and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11,00 a.m., and 7.20 p.m. Daily exnt Sunday. Connects with trains on cotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves rarooro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunay, at 5 30 p. m., Sunday 4 05 P. M; arrive Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.00 p. m Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a m. srrive Tarboro 10.05 a.m and 11.00

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Gold Sboro daily, except Sunday, 7 10 a m. arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsbors 10.25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R L., leave Latta 6.40 pm, arrive Dunbar leave Cliot6.10 a m, Dunbar 6.30 a m, acrive Latta 7.50 a m, daily except Sundav

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Suuday, leaves Cinton at 7.00 a.m. and 3.00 1 m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmone, also at Ro ky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R R for Noriolk ne all points North via Norfolk.

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Constitutional Government In Japan.

Constitutional government was

powers° and prerogatives to the people. Steps had been taken previously to pave the way for the adoption of parliamentary institutions by extending the rights and privileges of the people, most notably by the creation of the prefectural assemblies, which exercise a certain degree of control over local affairs. Whether or not such measures were of essential value it is not necessary to inquire in this place. In any case it chapts of Norfolk . can now be truthfully stated that parliamentary government in Japan has passed the experimental stage Good Middling and is established among the permanent institutions of the land. Of course this has not been accomplished without friction between the executive and legislative branches of 7.50 p m, Clio 8.05 p m. Returning the government. Political storms rage in Japan just as in other countries, but the new institutions have stood the strain of all conflicts. Every such struggle has been car-11 20 a. m. and 4.15 p, m. Returning ried on scrupulously within the limits defined by the constitution and every disputed question has been settled in accordance with its provisions. The constitution is revered by the people as the foundation of the self government graciously conferred upon them by their sovereign, and its mandates are universally regarded as sacred and inviolable.-Toru Hoshi in Harper's THE MORNING STAR Magazine. The Good Not Always Beautiful.

"To be good," remarked the offhand philosopher, 'i's to be beautiful."

"Waal," replied the man who was trying to sell him a mountain farm, "I dunno. Mebbe it's the exception as proves the rule." "What do you mean?"

"I was thinkin 'bout a possum. There's no denyin that possum's mighty good, but you can't never make me think it's purty."-Washington Star.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

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Oats

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Beeswax.per

enton Seed, per bushel

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	DAILY REFLECTOR.	TOWN TATTLE.	NEW MONTH-NEW FACES.	ΟΥΓΡΟΛΙΤΟ
	DAILY KEFUNIUR.	•	But the Same Old Year, and You	<b>AVFRCATS</b>
		A Gist of What is Going On	Have Seen These Names ( Before.	UTLIQUATU.
	TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.		Delore.	"Well, I must say, no-
		The big hog is beginning to record	R. R. Cotten went to Tillery today.	
	Passenger and mail train going	his weight.	Mayor D. C. Moore, of Bethel, was	coats as you have," is the substance of what
	north, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going	요즘 것은 방법에 여행하는 것이 같은 것이 같은 것이 같은 것이 같은 것이 같은 것이 많이	here today.	is told us every day, by
	영화 광장, 관계 및 성격, 전 관련 방법, 강경한, 강경대원 등 관리, 그는 것이 모두 것을 다.	during court week and settle your sub-	W. M. Moore, nf Grimesland, was	people who have "looked around." But
	North Bound Freight, arrives	Mr. John E. Ray, of Raleigh, de-	intown today.	knew it before ! There is scarcely any conceiv
	9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M.	livers ar address before the B. Y. P.	J. B. Chery, Jr., went to Kinston	able kind of desirable Overcoat that cannot be found
	Scuth": Bound, Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M. leaves 2:15 P. M	U. tonight. Public cordially invited.	Wednesday evening.	here. Black Overcoats, Blue Overcoats, Brown Over- coats, Drab Overcoats, Oxford Overcoats, Covert Over-
	그 신도한 전 한 것은 곳 관련에서 가격을 얻는 것 같은	BASKETS-Work baskets, waste	B. C. Pearce returned Wednesday	coats Melton Overcoats, Kersey Overcoats, Uneviol
	Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday	baskets, lunch baskets, market baskets, and all other kinds of baskets at Zeno		Overcoats, Frieze Overcoats, Chinchilla Overcoats, Elysian Overcoats, Montagnac Overcoats, Rough Over-
	and Friday, leaves for Washing-	Moore & Bros'.	Chas. Skinner went to Kinston Fri- day evening and returned this morning.	coats, Loose Fitting Overcoats, Close Fitting Overcoats,
	ton Tuesday, Thursday and Sat-	G. A. McGowan & Co., have a tu		Overcoats that are Shapely, but, neither close niting nor
	nrday.	line of Burial Robes for ladies and geni	westerd where and lett on this morn-	loose, Overcoats with Velvet Collars, Overcoats with ClothCollars, Overcoats
		tlemen at extremely low prices, also	ing train.	with Strapped Seams,
	JUDICIOUS ADVERTISING.	Mourning Hat Bands for men.	W. F. Parker, of Kinsten, spent	Overcoats with Lapped Seams, Overcoats with
•	6	Do our business men realize that Chrs <sup>t</sup> - mas is not quite four weeks off? It is	Wednesday here and returned home on	Plain Seams, Overcoats with patch pocket, Over
		time the people were being told what	the evening train.	coats with ordinary
	Creates many a new business,	holiday goods you will have to offer.	J. J. Laughinghouse came in Wed-	pockets, Light Weight Oyercoats, Medium
8	Enlarges many an old business,"	Many people give as Christmas presents a year's subscription to some	nesday evening from Raleigh where he had been attending the meeting of the	weight Overcoat, heavy weight Overcoat, Over-
1	Preserves many a large business,	good magazine. Leave your orders at	Democratic executive committe.	coats Silk Sleeve Lin-
	Revives many a dull business,	the Reflector B ek Store for any pe- riodical wanted.		ing, Overcoats with Satin Shoulder Living,
a	Rescues many a lost business,	FRESH TUDAY-Hominy Flakes	Get Ready for Holiday Trade.	Overcoats of every de- scription. Every pos-
	Saves many a failing basiness. Secures success to any trainess.	small and large Hominy, white Beans		sibla item of value that
	Doutes success to any cashiess.	shredded Cod Fish, Mountain Butter at S. M. SCHUTZ.	confined to a short while and will be correspondingly brisk. People, as a rule	
	<b>4</b> ,		will not have time to wander about	
	To "advertize judiciously," use	on such matters while neighbor-	from store to store to find out what is	
	the columns of the REFLECTOR.	ing towns are going ahead and organ-	tor sale. They will save the time by reading the papers and first learning	
	Construction of the second sec	factories is a problem hard to solve.	where to do their trading before start-	(hrigtmag Honds
	Weather Bulletin.	The Reflector Book Store has just	ing out. The wise merchant should	
	(3 veego	received a nice lot of new stationery-	lose no time in getting his announce- ment before the public and letting the	Fills the Store
	Increasing cloudiness, light rain to-	ledgers, day books, recript books, record books, paper, correspondence cards	1 1 min mhat he her to offen	rms me store
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		bands, etc.	IRONICAL IFS.	With New Life.
	NO CURE-NO PAY-	NOTIOE	If love is the birth of an illusion	
	That is the way all draggists sell	warned not to eash or trade for Uncon	marriage must be the death of it.	Tradition links new DRESS (DODS, CAPES. JACKETS. SHOLE XI, to Christmas. Modern fashion makes adds
	TO to Chille Forer and all forms of	No 7643, amount \$51.80, payable to C. R. Hardy or bearer, as payment of same	If a man has a little money and	SHAFS We to Christmas. Modern fashion makes Clothes beautiful. Enterprise adds
	in a tasteless form. Children love it	has been stopped at The Bank of	doesn't work he is rated as a capitalist.	SHUES. A. Clothes beautiful. Enterprise adds

