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GREENVILLE, N. C. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1897.

No. 926

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Flung in the camp of

HIGH PRICES

25 DOZEN

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FANCY BORDERED

Handkerchiefs

actual value 15c., 20c.  
and 25c.

OUR PRICE:

Cash 10c. Cash

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The Undersell Man.

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## COMMISSIONERS MEETING.

Orders Issued—Tax List Corrected—  
—Report of Superintendent of Health.

From December meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, held on the 6th and 7th, we take the following synopsis of business transacted:

Amount issued for paupers \$122.50; for bridges, dam and lumber \$100.51; Superintendent of Health, \$33.33; Poor House \$152.03; Register of Deeds \$24.33; Commissioners \$22.45; conveying prisoners and insane \$33.15; sundries \$63.82; total \$552.12. In Greenville stock law territory \$42.14.

Valuation of lands of Mrs. J. E. J. Joyner were reduced from \$2,500 to \$250, a mistake having been made by list taker.

N. W. Wright was refunded tax on \$110 erroneously charged.

Valuation of lands of W. H. Wilkins were reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,400.

W. F. Hart was released from taxes on a lot in Ayden incorrectly charged to him.

W. R. Johnson was released from taxes on land incorrectly charged to him.

W. J. H. Laughinghouse was refunded \$2.09 erroneously charged to him.

J. S. Earler was released from one poll tax, he being charged with same in two townships.

Lands of D. C. Smith were reduced in value from \$2,000 to \$1,500.

Lands of J. W. Sutton were released from \$910 to 700.

Lands of Charley Willoughby were reduced from \$600 to \$250.

R. Greene was refunded \$10.64 erroneously charged to him.

Lands of Reuben Moore reduced in value from \$400 to \$300.

Lands of Mrs. H. E. Daniel were reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,400.

W. M. Lang was refunded the tax on \$5,400 erroneously charged to him.

Lands of Joseph Fleming were reduced in value from \$1,000 to \$800.

W. G. Little resigned as Constable of Falkland township and J. H. Parker was appointed to fill the vacancy.

E. F. Nelson, W. H. McGowan, Ashley Dupree, James H. Wilson, Noah Johnson, J. B. Bell, T. W. C. Moore, Ed Smith, H. J. Mills, Lawrence Barrett, J. J. Cooley, J. B. Smith, America Thigpen, J. B. Noble, Isaac Mayo, Virgie Jones, C. Barnhill, J. W. Hardee, and Malachi Ballard were exempted from Poll tax for 1897.

Eliza Scarborough, Mary Outerbridge, Polly Worthington and Gracy Harris were placed on the pauper list with an allowance of \$1 per month, each.

Seventy people listed their taxes before the Board.

Dick and Zeno Campbell, inmates of

the County Home, were allowed \$5 each to buy clothing.

The bonds of the county officers were examined and approved.

A contribution of \$25 was made to Hope Fire Co., to assist in building an engine house.

W. M. King, chairman of the Board, made his report upon the sale of the Market House lot, and the Board postponed consideration of the confirmation of said sale until its January meeting.

A new road was ordered laid off in Greenville township, beginning near Noah Forbes school house on Kinston road and running to the old plank road at east corner of Smith place.

The following report was made by the Superintendent of Health:

GREENVILLE, N. C., Dec. 6th, 1897. To the Board of Commissioners of Pitt Co.:

I would respectfully submit the following report to your Honorable body:

I have visited and examined the county jail and the Home for the Aged and Infirm, as required by law, and find them both in good condition. The health of the inmates is very good, and as a rule they are well fed and clothed. Some of the prisoners in the jail complain that they have no change of clothes, and I would suggest that your body empower the Sheriff to supply them with a change of clothes, as it will be impossible to preserve their health unless this is done.

Some of your body have doubtless been informed of the complaint about the feeding of the inmates of the County Home. I have examined into these reports and find that they all originated from a few of the inmates who labor under the delusion that the county is being honored by their remaining its charges. I have been present at one of their meals and found a plenty of wholesome food, much better indeed than a majority of the people who are taxed to support them can afford.

Respectfully submitted.

E. A. MORE,

Supt. of Health.

## Be Ready to Pay

Tomorrow is collection day for THE DAILY REFLECTOR and we hope no subscriber will put the collector off when he calls. This issue ends a volume and we would like to start the new one with as clean books as possible. If you fail to see the collector call at the office and get a receipt.

Visitor—"Why do you weep?" Convict—"I've lost my sweetheart." "Ah, she spurned you when you fell from grace?" "Yes; you see, I'm only a common thief, and my rival murdered his grandparents and won her heart."

## GET IN 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 us. Try it one month. 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.

ALFRED FORBES.

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

The Cold Wave is With Us.

And we want to show you our splendid as-

sortment of

HEAVY SUITS,  
OVERCOATS, SHOES,  
HATS,

UNDERWEAR,

Our stock is the largest, finest and cheapest ever shown in North Carolina. Come in and take a look before you buy. If good goods at low prices is what you want, we can sell you.



FRANK WILSON,  
GREENVILLE N. C.

There Are More

comfort-giving wearables at our store than in any other two or three establishments combined in this town.

There Are More

people we've clothed this season than any past year, and

There Are More

who will come here to take away some of the genuine good things we give for so little. Be one among the many who are happy to trade here.

Ladies Choice Wraps and Shals, Beautiful and Stylish Dress Goods—a line superior to any kept in town. Ready Made Clothing, Overcoats, Cape Coats, Bed Quilts and Blankets, Flannels, Robes.

and all other goods are here that are needed and helpful to your comfort and health. No where will you be treated more fairly, more honestly than here. Ask your neighbor where he trades, where you can do the best for yourself, and he'll send you to

H. M. HARDEE.



DAILY REFLECTOR.

TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES:

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going south, arrives at 6:57 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M

Scutb Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M. leaves 2:15 P. M

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

JUDICIOUS ADVERTISING.

Creates many a new business,  
Enlarges many an old business,  
Preserves many a large business,  
Revives many a dull business,  
Rescues many a lost business,  
Saves many a failing business.  
Secures success to any business.

To "advertise" judiciously," use the columns of the REFLECTOR.

Weather Bulletin.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday, warmer tonight.

NO CURE--NO PAY

That is the way all druggists sell GROVES TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills, Fever and all forms of Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c.

TOWN TATTLE.

A Gist of What is Going On

Girls are wearing sprigs of holly.  
A wig maker is a sort of lock-smith.  
The best Christmas green—long green.  
Graham Flour 3c a pound at J. S. Tunstall's.  
Fine Candies fresh and delicious at Pender's.  
Yes, Maude, dear, an axiom is an old saw, but you can't sharpen it up with a newspaper file.  
A fine line Mufflers in white, cream, blue, black, gray, &c. the thing for Xmas.  
FRANK WILSON.

The Reflector Book Store has a few teacher's Bibles, elegantly bound. The price is astonishingly low.

FOR RENT.—New six room dwelling house, all conveniences, desirable location. Apply to, J. W. HIGGS.

BASKETS—Work baskets, waste baskets, lunch baskets, market baskets, and all other kinds of baskets at Zeno Moore & Bros'.

"Why do you say Camden is dead?" asked Mr. Kaighn Point. "Because it has been laid out for years," replied Mr. Rittenhouse.

FRESH TODAY—Hominy Flakes small and large Hominy, white Beans shredded Cod Fish, Mountain Butter at S. M. SCHUTZ.

The Reflector Book Store has just received a nice lot of new stationery—ledgers, day books, receipt books, record books, paper, correspondence cards with envelopes, tablets, pencils, rubber bands, etc.

**NOTICE!** The Public are warned not to cash or trade for Check No 7643, amount \$51.80, payable to C. R. Hardy or bearer, as payment of same has been stopped at The Bank of Greenville, said check having been lost. November 19th, 1897.  
EVANS, JOYNER & CO.

NEW MONTH—NEW FACES.

But the Same Old Year, and You Have Seen These Names Before.

J. M. Moore left this morning for Wilmington.

Marshal Starkey came in Tuesday evening from Philadelphia.

Mrs. N. E. Smith left this morning for Halifax to visit her daughter.

Mrs. W. H. Hardison, of Robersonville, is visiting Mrs. J. G. Whaley.

J. H. Johnston, of Bethel, an inmate of the Soldiers Home, at Raleigh, spent today here.

Rev. A. W. Setzer left this morning for Oxford to attend the Baptist State Convention.

Mrs. Caroline Cherry returned Tuesday evening from a visit to her daughter at Yeatesville.

L. D. Ames and wife, of Portsmouth, arrived Tuesday evening to visit their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Brown.

Little Miss Bettie Russ, of Raleigh, arrived Tuesday evening to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Dr. Williams.

R. W. Young, of Weldon, has moved his family here. They occupy the Fleming house in West Greenville.

OVER THE COUNTRY

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Ad. Nordquist, while coming from Europe on the St. Paul, and she was christened Paula in honor of the steamer.

Missouri farmers are slaying thousands of rabbits for the poor of St. Louis on Christmas.

Charles Patterson, a dock laborer, was overcome by smoke in a small fire in the Lake House Milwaukee, Wis., and killed.

The entire wire industries of the United States are shortly to be consolidated into a trust with a capital of \$50,000,000. J. P. Morgan, it is said, is engineering the project.

C. T. Hull, for many years cashier of the First National Bank, of Athens, N. Y. was arrested charged with embezzlement and making false entries in the books of the bank.

JUST FOR FUN.

"It is utter nonsense," says the Manayunk Philosopher, "to attempt to prove to an American heiress that kind hearts are more than coronets."

Mrs. Newrich—"What does these letters 'R. S. V. P.' mean on this invite?" Mr. Newrich—"Why, that's a Latin word and it means 'please excuse writin' and spellin'.'"

Hoax—"Dr. Mawbid is making money hand over fist." Joax—"What? Why, I wouldn't let him treat a dog of mine." Hoax—"Neither would I. But he's clever enough to look up all the horrible diseases he can find and send pictures of them to the yellow journals."

Visitor—"Your druggist sold you a box of our Cure-All Pills. We would like a testimonial from you." Mr. Kiublusher—"Well, I used to get fits when—" "Ah! and our remedy cured you?" "As I was saying, I used to get fits when I came home from the club. I gave your pills to my wife, and since her demise I have not been troubled at all."

'Tis a sore test of faith for the Sunday school boy,  
No matter how godly is he,  
To believe in the Lord if it rains on the day,  
When the Sunday school picnic's to be.

ALL ABOUT

A handsomely illustrated book of 200 pages descriptive of Texas and the resources of that great state will be mailed to any address on receipt of eight cents to cover postage.  
D. J. PRICE,  
G. P. & T. A., I. & G. N. R. R. Palestine, Texas.  
East Texas lands are attracting considerable attention. Mention this paper.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING.



But We are already here with the goods in every line you may call for. It is all right to look after the dollars, but if you are really desirous saving them, then you will call now and make your purchases while goods are going low down. Come and be convinced. Prices too cheap to quote.

RICKS & TAFT.

Plush Capes, Plush Jackets, Plush capes, Astrakan Capes, Astrakan Jackets, Cloth capes and cloth Jackets, Beaver capes, Beaver Jackets, Floor Oil Cloth, Carpets, Matting, Blankets, Rugs, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Shoes, Underwear all at greatly reduced prices, they must go before the Holidays are over.

Lang's Cash House.  
LANG SELLS CHEAP.

R. R. FLEMING, Pres.  
A. G. COX,  
G. J. CHERRY, { Vice Pres.  
HENRY HARDING, Asst Cashier

CAPITAL: Minimum \$10,000; Maximum \$100,000.

Organized June 1st, 1897.

The Bank of Pitt County,  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

THIS Bank wants your friendship and a share if not all, of your business, and will grant every favor consistent with safe and sound banking. We invite correspondence of a personal interview to that end.

200 TONS COAL 200 TONS  
EGG and NUTT  
Phone No. 10.  
THE GREENVILLE SUPPLY CO.

We have a large  
STOCK OF  
FALL AND WINTER  
GOODS

just arrived. Come and see us.

OATS HAY AND FLOUR!  
A SPECIALTY  
C. COBB & SON

**Notice.**  
This is to notify my friends and patrons that I have this day withdrawn from the partnership of The Greenville Supply Co. and have connected myself with R. L. Davis & Bros' under the firm name of Speight & Co. and will continue to buy cotton and produce as before under said firm name. Thanking my friends for their past patronage, I assure them that their interests will always have my careful consideration. I think I am better prepared to handle their business than ever before and solicit a continuance of their patronage.  
This Nov. 16th, 1897.  
JESSE SPEIGHT.

Dress Goods

Fine Shoes.

**Xmas = Greeting.**  
Xmas is rapidly approaching, only a short while and the eventful day is here, preparation must be made that it may be one of joy and gladness. See to it that you have supplied yourself with some of the many useful, serviceable and substantial things of life that can here be found in such great variety and abundance. If there is a girl or lady that has not been supplied with a

**New Christmas Dress**  
they should come now while our shelves are filled with beautiful patterns and trimmings.

It may be the children need Shoes, Underwear, Handkerchiefs, Gloves or Neckwear. Someroin in the house a new Carpet, Rugs, Curtains and Chairs The bed may be in want of some all wool Blankets and Marsailles Counterpanes.

In fact you may want and need many other things that you have been "putting off" long enough. Xmas is a good time to bring the matter to a close. Come look through our stock whether you want to buy or not.  
Yours to please,

**J. B. CHERRY & CO.**



## Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Nov. 29th, 1897.  
Departures from Wilmington.

### NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Mag-  
9.35 a. m. nolla 10.52 a. m. Warsaw 11.10  
a. m. Goldsboro 11.58 a. m. Wil-  
son 12.43 p. m. Rocky Mount  
1.40 p. m. Tarboro 2.50 p. m.  
Weldon 4.23 p. m. Petersburg  
6.28 p. m. Richmond 7.15 p. m.  
Norfolk 8.05 p. m. Washing-  
ton 11.30 p. m. Baltimore 12.53  
a. m. Philadelphia 3.45 a. m.  
New York 6.53 a. m. Boston  
3.00 p. m.

DAILY No 40—Passenger—Due Mag  
7.15 p. m. nolla 8.55 p. m. Warsaw 9.10  
p. m. Goldsboro 10.10 p. m.  
Wilson 11.06 p. m. Tarboro  
6.45 a. m. Rocky Mount 11.57  
p. m. Weldon 1.44 a. m. Nor-  
folk 10.30 a. m. Petersburg  
3.24 a. m. Richmond 4.20 a. m.  
Washington 7.41 a. m. Balti-  
more 9.05 a. m. Philadelphia  
11.25 a. m. New York 2.02 p  
m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

### SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake  
4.40 p. m. Waccamaw 5.09 p. m. Chad-  
bourn 5.40 p. m. Marion 6.43 p  
m. Florence 7.25 p. m. Sum-  
ter 8.42 p. m. Columbia 10.05  
p. m. Denmark 6.30 a. m. August  
to 8.20 a. m. Macon 11.30 a. m.  
Atlanta 12.15 p. m. Charle-  
ston 10.20 p. m. Savannah 2.40  
a. m. Jacksonville 8.20 a. m.  
St. Augustine 10.30 a. m. Tam-  
pa 6.45 p. m.

### ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON— FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston  
9.45 P. M. 1.03 p. m. New York 9.00 p. m.  
Philadelphia 12.05 a. m. Balti-  
more 2.50 a. m. Washington  
4.30 a. m. Richmond 9.05 a. m.  
Petersburg 9.50 a. m. Nor-  
Weldon 11.50 a. m. Tarboro  
12.12 p. m. Rocky Mount 1.00  
p. m. Wilson 2.12 p. m. Golds-  
boro 3.10 p. m. Warsaw 4.02  
p. m. Magnolia 4.16 p. m.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave  
5.50 A. M. Boston 12.00 night, New  
York 9.30 a. m. Philadelphia  
12.09 p. m. Baltimore 2.25 p. m.  
Washington 3.46 p. m. Rich-  
mond 7.30 p. m. Petersburg  
8.12 p. m. Norfolk 2.20 p. m.  
Weldon 9.43 p. m. Tarboro  
6.01 p. m. Rocky Mount 5.45  
a. m. Leave Wilson 6.20 a. m.  
Goldsboro 7.01 a. m. Warsaw  
7.53 a. m. Magnolia 8.05 a. m.

DAILY No. 61.—Passenger—Leave  
except New Fern 9.20 a. m. Jackson-  
ville 10.42 a. m. This train  
4.40 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

### FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave  
12.15 P. M. Tampa 8.00 a. m. Sanford 1.50  
p. m. Jacksonville 6.35 p. m.  
Savanna 12.50 night. Charle-  
ston 5.30 a. m. Columbia 5.50  
a. m. Atlanta 8.20 a. m. Macon  
9.30 a. m. Augusta 3.05 p. m.  
Denmark 4.55 p. m. Sumter  
6.45 a. m. Florence 8.55 a. m.  
Marion 9.35 a. m. Chadbourn  
10.35 a. m. Lake Waccamaw  
11.06 a. m.

Train on Scotie d Neck Branch Road  
leaves 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  
Halifax at 11.18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 a. m.  
daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave  
Washington 8.20 a. m., and 2.30 p. m.  
arrives Parmele 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p.  
m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves  
Tarboro 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 ex-  
cept Sunday. Connects with trains on  
Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Alber-  
marle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sun-  
day, 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.,  
arrive Tarboro 10.05 a. m. and 11.00  
a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves  
Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.10 a.  
m. arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m. Re-  
turning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., ar-  
rives at Goldsboro 10.25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R.  
& Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar  
7.50 p. m. Clio 8.05 p. m. Returning  
leave Clio 8.10 a. m. Dunbar 6.30 a. m.,  
arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sun-  
day

Train on Clinton Branch leaves War-  
saw for Clinton daily, except Sunday,  
11.20 a. m. and 4.15 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  
at all points North via Norfolk.

H. M. EMERSON,  
Gen'l Pass. Agent

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

**THE MORNING STAR**  
**The Oldest**  
**Daily Newspaper in**  
**North Carolina.**

**The Only Five-Dollar Daily**  
**its Class in the State**

### Reportorial and Typographical Errors.

A correspondent sends us some  
more reporters' errors. Mr. Asquith  
once referred to the government's  
"pique or temper." The reporter  
wrote "peacock temper." A speaker  
at Exeter hall, replying to an attack,  
said it was "a double lie in the shape  
of half a truth," which, by the in-  
genuity of the reporter, appeared as  
"a double eye in the shape of half a  
tooth." Lord Russell, the then  
canon of Windsor, had been trying,  
he said, for 40 years to cure drunk-  
ards by making them drink in mod-  
eration. The local paper had it that  
he had been trying for 40 years to  
drink in moderation, but had never  
once succeeded. Sir James Grant,  
in a speech in the Canadian house of  
commons, once referred to a man's  
thorax. When in print, it read "a  
man's pickax." And on another oc-  
casion his reference to "food for the  
gods" appeared "food for the cods." In  
setting up a speech of Sir Henry  
Irving the compositor made "many  
journeys in small boats," read  
"weary journeys in small boots;"  
but this is not to the credit of the  
reporter, but the printer.—West-  
minster Gazette.

### Two Kinds of Rocks.

Farmer Hayes—Stop, there! What  
have you got in that sack?  
Uncle Isaac—Nuffin but rocks.  
(Just then a chicken cackled.)  
Farmer Isaac (knowing that he  
was caught)—Dat's so, boss; but,  
you see, dey is two kinds of rocks—  
dese yere is Plymouth Rocks.—  
Louisville Courier-Journal.

### The Art of Conversation Is a Gift.

A good talker is born, not made.  
By reading good books, by keeping  
oneself well informed as to the  
interesting events of the day, one  
may become a good conversational-  
ist. Still, the most fascinating talk-  
ers are by no means those who know  
the most, but, instead, those who  
have the greatest amount of tact,  
are most sympathetic, versatile, and,  
most important of all, have that  
wonderful something that, lacking  
a better name, we call magnetism.  
—Ladies' Home Journal.

## Single Standard

only is possible, whether as a test of ex-  
cellence in journalism, or for the mea-  
surement of quan, time values  
and

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after a career of nearly twenty years of  
uninterrupted growth is justified in  
claiming that the standard first estab-  
lished by its founders is the one true  
test of

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and succinctly and in the most read-  
able form, without elision or partisan  
bias, to discuss its significance  
with frankness, to keep AN OPEN  
EYE FOR PUBLIC ABUSES,  
to give besides a complete record  
of current thought, fan lies and dis-  
coveries in all departments of hu-  
man activity in its DAILY FDI-  
TION of from 10 to 14 PAGES,  
and to provide the whole for its pa-  
trons at the nominal price of ONE  
CENT—that was from the outset,  
and will continue to be the aim of  
THE RECORD.

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United States, THE RECORD still  
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LOW.

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and an average exceeding 120,000 copies  
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of its plan of publication in every im-  
portant city of the country testify to the  
truth of the assertion that in the quan-  
tity and quality of its contents, and in  
the price at which it is sold THE REC-  
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## 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. Rountree, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sun-  
day, morning and evening. Lay ser-  
vices second Sunday morning. Rev. A.  
Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30  
A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

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

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

### LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No  
284 meets first and third Monday even-  
ing. J. M. Reuss W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17  
Meets every Tuesday evening. J. V.  
Johnson N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge No. 93,  
meets every Friday evening. H. W.  
Whedbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington K. of  
R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council No. 1696  
meets every Thursday evening. W. L.  
Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

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

O. A. U. of H. Pitt Council 236 meets  
every Thursday night. J. B. Cherry  
C. W. B. Wilson, Sec.

### Everybody Says So.

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Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.75
Lard	5 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 6
Coffee	9 to 20
Salt per Sack	65 to 1.50
Chickens	12 to 20
Eggs per doz	12 to
Beeswax, per	30
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Tone—steady	
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Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/4
Mancy	2 1/4
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Tone—quiet.	

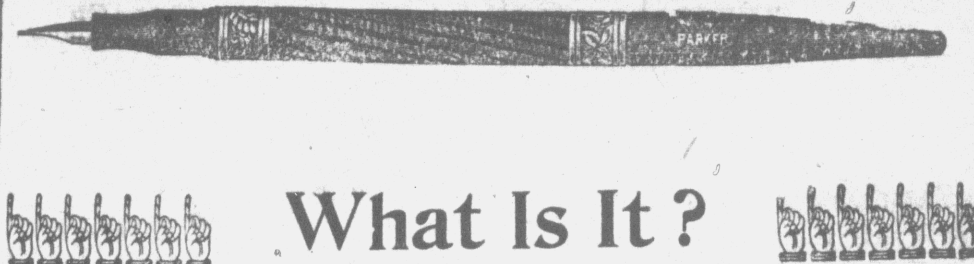
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1897.

The Raleigh News and Observer is getting a hustle on itself. To accommodate its growing business an order has been placed for an improved printing press capable of turning out 5,000 to 6,000 complete papers per hour. It has also purchased the Daily Times, an afternoon paper of Raleigh and will continue to publish that as an afternoon edition of the News and Observer. We trust this enterprise may meet with all the success it deserves.

Some folks make a great muss over little things that some other so called great folks do, while achievements of ten fold greater magnitude by people of less note are passed by as unworthy of consideration. Why just look at the nonsense over Grover Cleveland! He can't go out on a little gunning trip but what the Associated Press has to telegraph columns of stuff over the country about it. The other day he spent a whole day out on a hunt and it was told with a great flourish that he killed six rabbits and two partridges. If Bob Moye, or Jim Cherry, or Dolph Hyman could not go out and beat this in an hour we'd move to take their guns away from them.

President McKinley's message to Congress made its appearance in Tuesday's papers. The message may suit some of the Republicans and the advocates of a single gold standard, but people holding a different view can see no good to the country at large in the suggestions he makes.

In his reference to the tariff can almost be seen a vein of disappointment at the results so far produced by the Dingley bill that was adopted by the late extra session. He sees nothing in that measure that even a Republican can boast of and shoves it aside with few words, with the recommendation that retrenchment be made in appropriations.

Neither could the President make any brag about the farce played by his commission that went over to England to confer upon international bimetalism but he recommends the adoption of Secretary Gage's plan and that all United States notes upon which gold is drawn out of the Treasury be held and not paid out again except for gold.

In reference to the Cuban question he wants the United States to keep hands off and let Spain attend to settling the war over there. He evidently has more faith in Spain's good intentions towards Cuba than most of our people have, and in this he is not in harmony with his party platform.

The President shows more concern

about Hawaii than he does about Cuba, and wants us to go 2,000 miles away from our shores and annex that country which our government has no use in the world for.

He sticks the knife in many very anxious pie hunting Republicans in his declaration to stand by the civil service law.

The message taken as a whole has no merit except its easy flow of language. As a state paper it will rank far below the average. It is a well drawn cover of unkept promises, but is about what was expected.

## Something of a Storm Brewing

Washington, Dec. 4.—A storm in the Republican camp is impending over the appointment of collector and attorney in the eastern district. Representative Skinner's conference with the President two days ago has stiffened his back-bone and the Republican Populist faction here, supporting Cobb for collector and Bernard for district attorney, is indulging war-to-the-knife talk tonight. Cobb is detained at home by illness in his family, but his supporters, including Mr. Theo. White, chairman of the Populist county committee of Hertford, are here in force. They are pugnacious in their demands in this instance. They plainly and openly declare that the defeat of Cobb and Bernard means the demoralization of the Republican party in the eastern section of the State and Democratic success in the next Legislature and judicial elections throughout the State. From their standpoint it will be an act of bad faith that will prove disastrous to the Republican party.

Senator Pritchard and Representative Skinner hope to reach some conclusion that will be accepted by the candidates that will probably mean Bernard's appointment as district attorney.

## Make Your Store Look Busy

Always aim to have the busiest store of its kind in town. Some one's store must be the busiest—why not yours? Best methods and best merchandise will do it. If yours are not as good as your neighbors', it would be well to find out where the trouble is and try to improve on past efforts. Remember, the proof of superiority lies not in imagination, but in results. Shake off poor business. Once allow yourself to be entangled in its deadly folds and the sheriff may have to be called in to the rescue of yourself and your creditors. One of the inevitable results of poor trade is a feeling of discontent and dissatisfaction throughout the store. Trade languishes. The merchant grows irritable. He is dissatisfied with himself and all his surroundings. His clerks become infected. The business of the store is only half done, and nothing is done right. Customers quickly notice the change. The general air of shiftlessness disgusts them. The gloom on the faces of merchant and clerks scares them away, and bad business is made even worse. Get customers into the store, even if you have to go and fetch them and pay them to come.—Dry Goods Economist, New York.

## Alive in a Coffin.

Mr. C. Baker, the undertaker and furniture man, has a factotum called Tos, (he has his visiting cards engraved "Mr. Tosten Hoke"), who is very fond of firewater. A professional gentleman caught Tos, tasting a pint bottle of his choice corn Wednesday and as a punishment forced him to drink the whole pint at once. As a natural consequence, Tos, was very soon stretched out in his employer's coffin room, dead drunk. Mr. Baker got out a coffin, placed his unconscious porter therein, screwed down the lid and awaited developments. After several hours of profound slumber, Tos awoke. It was several minutes

before he could succeed in figuring out just "where he was at," but when he did succeed in figuring out that he was buried, the slumbering echoes were awakened likewise, and such crying and praying and lamentation and scuffling was never before heard hereabouts. Mr. Baker, fearing he would have a coffin torn to pieces, unscrewed the lid and released his terrified man.

Tos has been sober ever since.—Lincoln Journal.

Although it is perfectly clear that a large majority of the House are just as strongly in favor of adopting the Morgan resolution for the recognition of the belligerency of the Cubans, which was adopted by the Senate at the extra session, as they were at the extra session, it is equally clear that they will not do it. Czar Reed and his lieutenants agree with the McKinley policy of waiting and will not give the House the opportunity to vote upon the Morgan or any other Cuban resolution. Thus, the country is shown how mistaken it has been in supposing that, under our government, the majority rules, in either or both branches of Congress. The majority rules all right, when allowed to vote, but voting is only done in the House by Czar Reed's permission, and in the Senate voting is only done when the minority consents.

## Bits of Novel-Written Wisdom

Love and a cough cannot be hidden.  
Man's the head, but woman turns it.  
They love too much who die for love.

You can't climb the Alps on roller skates.

You can't live on air or fly without wings.

Nothing is wicked in this world except failure.

Nearly all women are good but few are great.

A wonderful talisman is the relic of a good mother.

He who wrongs the child commits a crime against the State.

It was a wise man who said it was hard to love a woman and do anything else.—Compiled for Good House-keeping.

## Once Said, and Worth Repeating

A friend is the medicine of life.

Children are quick interpreters.

Happiness is not got by running after it.

Nature takes her dues with a stern hand.

Angels only know how to employ leisure.

Caution is the instinct of the weaker animals.

Happy those who find their right position anywhere.

Most women are the first to detect the love they inspire.

Satan does not send forth his emissaries with healing gifts.

The North Carolina Baptist says that "in a certain town in North Carolina one of the leading saloons is run by a Baptist. He does business in a house owned by a Baptist deacon, and sells liquor made by a big Baptist in Kentucky." Perhaps there are other gentlemen in the State, of other denominations, who are selling rum made by their brethren, and in buildings owned by their brethren; but the denomination of this particular brother suggests the inquiry as to whether or not he waters his stock.—Charlotte Observer.

A new feature of "society journalism" in Kansas is the publication, along with a list of wedding presents, of a list of the young men who have been refused by the bride. This is probably done on the theory that in such affairs a list of the saved as well as of the fatalities is legitimate news.

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Due from Banks	20,865.30	Deposits subject to Check	67,507.02
Furniture and Fixtures	1,507.25	Due to Banks	607.90
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