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Headquarters

For Holiday Shoppers

We have a nice line of

CLOTHING SHOES.  
DRESS GOODS.  
AND NOTIONS

to select from.

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Munford.

The Undersell Man.

## ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by Orange Va., Observer.

Its a wise man that knows his own business.

Time and tide wait for no woman—don't even hesitate.

The swindle factories are always running on fool time.

To be alone is a million-fold better than to be in bad company.

Most men are bad because they have not been taught to be good.

The successful man is the one who is always pursued by a pack of snapping dogs.

Ten grains of common sense are worth more for practical purposes than ten bushels of book learning.

Some men are born lucky, some work themselves into fortune, and some die as they live—no account to anybody.

A woman has more worry and trouble over getting one dress made to suit her than a man has over all his clothes in a lifetime.

He who brings of joy to the heart of a sad being, performs an act that will count much in his favor in that final summing up.

No matter how good a thing is now, there is always some old patriarch who has a recollection of something a great deal better.

There would be a hot time in every old town if the newspapers would give all the facts they know—tell the truth and nothing but the truth.

Nature is the only true and universal school for all humanity. Her curriculum is as broad as the earth, and her pupils graduate with broadgauge diplomas.

There may be a pleasure in showing up the faults of others, but we should remember that others are getting even with us by doing the same with our faults.

## Greenville Gets the Convention.

A telegram received Saturday night from Rev. A. W. Setzer, who was attending the Baptist State Convention at Oxford, announces that the Convention by unanimous vote decided to hold its next session in Greenville. This is good news. The coming of such a body to our town means much in many ways for Greenville. The vote to come being unanimous is a compliment that should be appreciated. Now let Greenville begin planning and preparing, and keep it up all the year, to entertain the convention handsomely.

## PENSION WARRANTS

Ready to be Paid to the Pensioners

The Register of deeds has received the warrants for the pensioners in this county and they can be had by calling at his office. The soldiers are under three classes in this county, the second class receiving \$46.50 each, the third \$31, and the fourth \$15.50. The widows are also placed in the fourth class.

The following draw pensions :  
2ND CLASS—W. F. Mills and G. S. Johnson.

3RD CLASS—Bryan Buck, W. H. Garganus and Bennett Dunn.

4TH CLASS—W. L. Briley, Lewis Edwards, Gray Harris, G. Jackson, J. E. Mayo, J. H. Nelson, J. R. Peaden, Edwin Pilgreen, J. E. Randolph, Jesse Thigpen, Shem Tyson, W. McLawn, John Elks, J. T. Jones, W. G. Mears, John Moore, C. J. Smith, H. W. Dunn, J. C. Wetherington, J. E. Bullock, J. J. Whichard, T. A. Fornes, Lemuel Warren, J. W. Braxton, Jas. Ham, L. H. Taylor, J. D. Pope, E. B. Edwards, G. W. Pittman, and Jas. Turnage.

WIDOWS—Mary A. Carney, Jenett Dudley, Sarah Harrell, E. Manning, Sallie A. Matthews, Eliza Norville, Amanda Parsons, Susanna Spain, Lucky Ann Smith, Nancy Stokes, Sarah J. Teel, L. Wainwright, Rebecca Clark, Letitia Fleming, M. Highsmith, Mary Mayo, Louisa Oakley, Susan Ritter, M. A. Simpkins, Elizabeth Warren, E. Crawford, M. Whichard, Millicent Corbett and Jane Carney.

## JUST FOR FUN.

Santa Claus has given up the reindeer and is arranging to make his next round on a bike.

Smith—"What makes Simpkins look so miserable? He's in hood health, isn't he?" B Jones—"Yes; but he's engaged in writing a joyous Christmas carol."

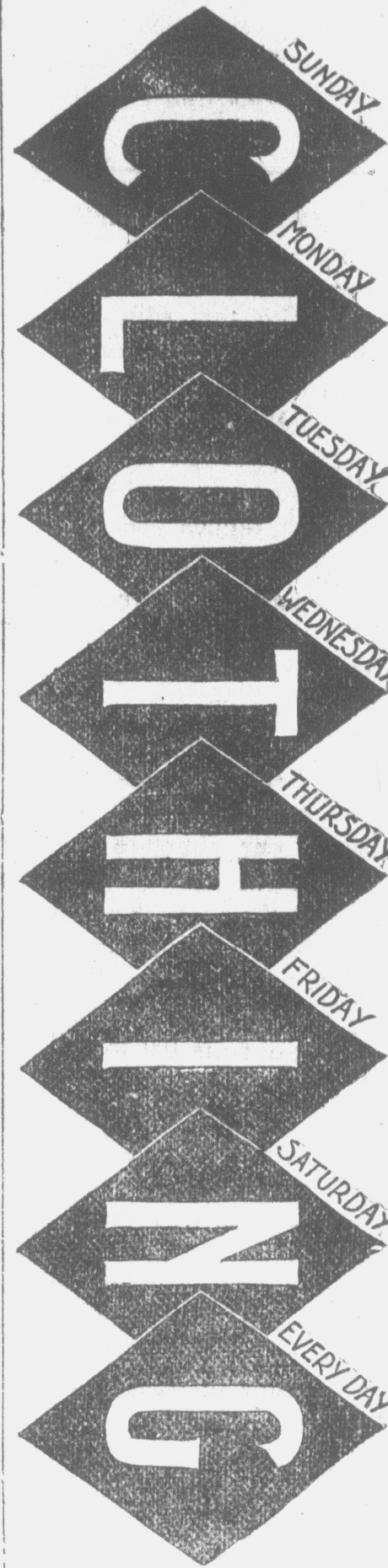
Hobson—"Our new bookkeeper is no good." Dobson—"What's the matter with him?" Hobson—"He's such a lightweight he can't balance his own ledger."

This is the time of year when the wise Benedict swears of smoking until after Christmas, so that his dear little wifey won't make him a present of a box of cigars.

Indignant Advertiser—"Look here! you've made a nice mess of our ad., and queered our big clearance sale." Foreman—"How's that?" Indignant Advertiser—"We headed it 'More furniture, bedding and rugs than we care to carry in stock.' You've printed in 'rugs.'"

## Holiday Rhymes

That hold workday reason'



is for CLOTHING  
To fit them all.

is for LEANS,  
The thin and the tail.

is for OVERCOATS,  
stylish and good.

is for TIES  
for quiet man or dude.

is for HATS  
At prices al. fair,

means Frank-Wilson  
who has things to wear

is for Nobby Suits,  
Always shown in stock

is for dress Goods  
For the Ladies frock.

## Christmas Coming.

The steady, calm trend of our regular advertising takes an abrupt, violent swerve today. Do not be shocked—do not be grieved. We haven't changed the familiar policy of the store. The rare, cool genius that created a conservatism stigmatized by some as old fogyism is with us in selling good Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Gents Furnishing Goods, Overcoats, Suits of Clothes, Dress Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents Furnishing Goods, Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Capes, Jackets, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Hand Bags, Matting, Carpets, Overcoats, Suits of Clothes, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents Furnishing Goods, Underwear, Umbrellas, Overcoats. These Goods are not "cheap." They are exquisite and worthy in every respect. Do not dream over this chance. It will flit quicker than you can think. Our Suit of Clothes are faultless. You needn't examine a single detail. Our guarantee covers everything. Which ever one you take it will satisfy you.

We are not reformers. It is not our self-imposed mission to correct errors, suppress shams, or enlighten ignorance. Our undivided interest and industry are centered upon the honorable occupation of developing this business according to the principles that controlled its original plan. Get from us Our Overcoats are of the best material. Melton, long and favorably known for their quiet colors, satin finish, neither gloss nor roughness, and general good wearing qualities. Friezes, rough finished but not nappy, thick and warm. Cheviots, soft nobby and durable. You know Kerseys and Beavers, soft.

Shoes.

A new line of Shoes.  
A beautiful line of Rugs.  
A handsome line of Buggy Robes just received. Come in and buy before it is too late.  
We also carry in connection with these leaders a complete of Dry Goods and Notions, Clothing, Capes, Hats, and Caps, Furniture, Hardware and General Merchandise. Agent for George A. Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton.

Buggy Robes.

ALFRED FORBES.

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Rugs.

Hard-ware.

H. M. HARDEE.



# DAILY REFLECTOR

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

EVERY AFTERNOON (EXCEPT SUNDAY).

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One year, \$3.00  
Six months, .25  
One week, .10  
Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.  
Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at his office.

We desire a live correspondent at every postoffice in the county, who will in brief items of news as it occurs each neighborhood. Write plainly on one side of the paper.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1897.

## Dumas to Young Men

Dumas' advice to young men reads as follows: "Walk two hours every day; sleep seven hours every night; go to bed alone when you wish to sleep; work as soon as you rise; never eat unless you are hungry; never drink unless you are thirsty, and always slowly. Never speak unless it is necessary, and then say only half you think. Write only what you can sign. Do only what you can tell of. Never forget others count on you, but you must never count on them. Esteem money for neither more nor less than it is worth; it is a good servant, but a bad master. Keep away from women until you are 20 years old. Give them up when you are 40. Don't create without recognizing the responsibility, and destroy as little as possible. Forgive everybody in advance; it is more sure. Neither hate nor despise men, and do not laugh at them; pity them. Think of death every morning when you see the light, and every evening when you go into the shadow. When you suffer very much look your grief in the face; it alone can console you and it will teach you much. Learn simplicity, and how to be useful, and how to remain free, and wait to deny God until He has proven to the world He does not exist. Glory for glory is a shameful speculation. Men proud of their celebrity are ignorant. Men vain of their genius are fools."

## Charity of Speech.

This is beautifully said: Charity of speech is as divine a thing as charity of action. To judge no one harshly, to misconceive no man's motives, to believe things are as they seem to be until they are proved otherwise, to temper judgment with mercy—surely this is quite as good as to build up churches, establish asylums and found colleges. Unkind words do as much harm as unkind deeds. Many a heart has been wounded beyond cure, many a reputation has been stabbed to death by a few little words. There is a charity which consists in withholding words, in keeping back harsh judgments, in abstaining from speech if to speak is to condemn. Such charity hears the tale of slander, but does not repeat it; listens in silence, but forbears comment; then locks the unpleasant secret up in the very depths of the heart. Silence can still rumor: it is speech that keeps a story alive and lends it vigor.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

## Cultivate Less and Cultivate it Better.

The intensive system of farming is the thing, and our farmers must come to it sooner or later. Cultivate fewer acres, manure the

land more highly, cultivate better and thereby raise as much or more on half the quantity of land with less rest for labor. Here is an example, and others are not lacking. The Goldsboro Argus says:

A farmer told us the other day that instead of putting a twelve acre lot in cotton he took the same quantity of manure and applied it to six acres of the same land. From the twelve acres he has been in the habit of getting six bales of cotton; this year he has picked six bales of cotton from the six acres. This is an object lesson for all who till the soil.

## THE COUNTRY PRESS.

Speaking on the above subject, F. W. Crooker, editor of the Baintree, (Mass.) Observer, recently said:

The local papers are the mirrors of a town, and their editors are expected "to rejoice with them that rejoice and to weep with them that weep."

They must sit in the bald-headed row at all entertainments, and every story must be told right side out.

They are in sympathy with every movement tending to benefit the public and with due respect to our churches and our schools I will say that the press possesses the greatest power for good of any institution in a community.

A minister preaches to an audience of from 100 to 400 and gets—say \$1,500 per year.

The editor prints his sermons, and columns of matter upon the topics of the day, reaching from 1,000 to 4,000 people every week and what does he get? He gets a living and perhaps a cursing from the man whose name happens to be spelled wrong.

The doctor presides at a birth and charges \$10. The minister performs marriage ceremony and gets anything—from a bushel of beans to a handsome fee. The undertaker provides a man with his last suit of clothes and charges a post mortem price; but the editor, who keeps a careful record of all that happens from the cradle to the grave, and then writes a grand obituary, gets nothing. He does not even have a chance to kiss the bride.

It is not my province at this time to state what constitutes a good local paper, but the editor that understands his business finds it as hard to tell what to leave out as what to print. His paper must be a faithful exponent of facts and he must, with great care, present the good and the evil. The paper that does this must have the hearty co-operation of the people, or die.

The people have much to do with the success of the home paper, and the community is known by the kind of paper it supports.

When the Press, Pulpit and People work together, the best results are obtained.

The local papers are all working for good schools, good roads, honest government, high morals and low taxes.

Whatever support the papers get they give out a hundred times more than they receive, and every citizen, whether he reads the papers or not, is getting some benefit from the press.

## Butler Writhes in Vain.

Senator Butler has denied, or made pretence of denying, (for it isn't a denial in fact), the truth of the charges made against him as to certain slanderous utterances in his Rocky Mount speech. He is apparently very much shocked and quite indignant that such

language should be attributed to him. It may be incidentally observed that his indignation was not aroused until he saw that extract from the Rocky Mount paper copied by other papers, with such comments as it suggested. But it wouldn't be such a remarkable utterance for Mr. Butler after all, for he had previously said substantially the same thing in his Caucasian, the difference being that what he wrote then was written with thought and deliberation, and what he said at Rocky Mount might have been uttered in warmth and without due deliberation. The editor of the Windsor Orient, who referred to the file of of the Caucasian, found the following in the issue of September 30th, about two weeks before the Rocky Mount speech was delivered:

"This awful crime of rape the condemnation of which should be prompted by sincere motives and honest purposes is used in a hypocritical manner \* \* \* for base and partisan ends, and all the time they are condemning the nature of the crime they are secretly longing for more rapes that they may better play upon the prejudices of the people."

Insert the word "hire" in this and it would fit the Rocky Mount case to a dot. Of course the persons he had in mind when he wrote as "secretly longing for more rapes that they may better play upon the prejudices of the people" were Democrats, and consequently there is no need to insert "Democrats." But perhaps Senator Butler may wiggle out of this by saying that it wasn't "Senator" Butler who wrote that but "Editor" Butler, as it wasn't "Senator" Butler but "Editor" Butler who carried his pockets full of free passes on the railroads. Under the circumstances, in the presence of the above extract, that would be about as good a defense as any he has made.—Wilmington Star.

## Support the Local Industries

The real fact the property owner is the most dependent citizen of a community. This of course applies strictly to the property owner who has property to sell or rent. The laboring man can leave a place without a day's notice, but the property owner cannot bundle up his effects and leave land and houses to take care of themselves. Therefore the greater the prosperity of a community, the greater the independence of the property owner, and as the business welfare and the commercial interests of a community decrease, so must the property owner's independence. As the dependence upon the trade interests of a city are so vital to property values, the greater necessity of the property owner giving his direct support to everything which shall increase trade and build up his city.—Newbern Journal.

## THE GREAT HUXLEY

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The great English scientist Huxley, said the best start in life is a sound stomach. Weak stomachs fail to digest food properly because they like the proper quantity of digestive acids (lactic and hydrochloric) and peptogenic products, the most sensible remedy in all cases of indigestion, is to take after each meal one or two of Stuart's Dyspeptic Tablets because they supply in a pleasant, harmless form all the elements that weak stomachs lack.

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## STATEMENT OF THE

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

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

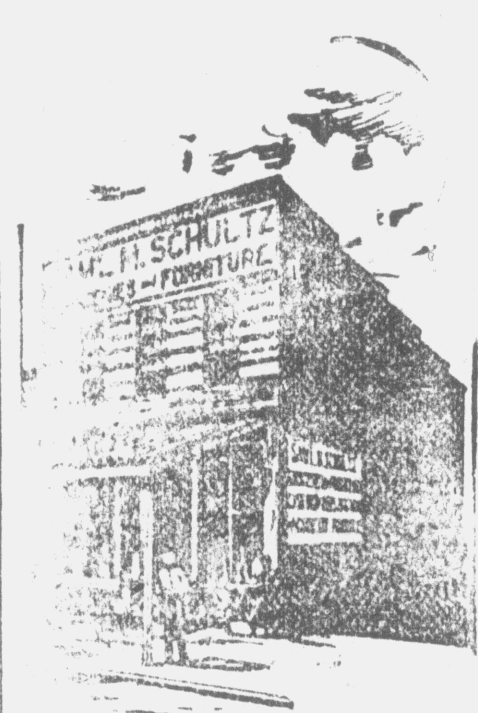
### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$56,792.58
Premium on Stock	1,000.00
Due from Banks	20,865.30
Furniture and Fixtures	1,507.25
Cash Items	8,619.05
Cash in Vault	25,139.49
Total	\$113,923.67

### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Surplus and Profits	1,462.09
Deposits subject to Check	67,507.02
Due to Banks	607.90
Cashiers Checks outstanding	241.66
Bills Payable	17,500.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	3,605.00
Total	\$113,923.67

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The next session of the school will open on

MONDAY SEPT. 6, 1897

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Higher " " "	\$3 1
Languages (each) " "	\$1 00

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## Atlantic Coast Line

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

### NORTHBOUND.

**DAILY** No 48—Passenger—Due Me-  
9.35 a. m. No. 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  
6.23 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. No. 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  
4.00 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. Charles-  
ton 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  
6.30 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 Bern 9.20 a. m. Jackson-  
ville 10.42 a. m. This train  
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. Charles-  
ton 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. Sumpter  
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 Scotland 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 2.20 p. m.  
arrives Parmerle 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p.  
m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves  
Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmerle 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

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 6.10 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  
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Another was forced to have his  
arm amputated in order to escape  
death from one of these bites.  
All the victims are Silicians,  
they were in the fruit business,  
and it is among the fruit houses  
on North Third street that the  
deadly insects which killed them  
are found. Bananas and other  
tropical fruits shipped here are  
picked in the winter, and among  
them lurk the insects, which are  
torpid by cold weather. In the  
steam rooms of local fruit houses  
where the fruits are hung to  
ripen, these insects are revived  
by the warmth and they frequent-  
ly attack the men at work in the  
establishments.—St. Louis Dis-  
patch.

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with frankness, to keep AN OPEN  
EYE FOR PUBLIC ABUSES,  
to give besides a complete record  
of current thought, fancies and dis-  
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Lard	5 1/2 to 10
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Sugar	4 1/2 to 6
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NEW MONTH—NEW FACES.

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

J. F. King went to Norfolk today.

R. L. Smith left this morning for Richmond.

S. P. Worthington, of Griton, is here today.

B. F. Maulsby went to Fayetteville this morning

D. J. Walker of Kinston, spent the day here.

W. B. Rodman, of Washington, is here at court.

J. R. Smith, of Ayden, was in to see us this morning.

Miss Bettie Grimsley, of Snow Hill, is visiting the Misses Wilson.

Adrian Savage went to Richmond this morning to purchase stock.

Mrs. E. B. Higgs and daughter went to Scotland Neck this morning to visit relatives.

J. P. Fleming, of Pactolus, who is attending school at Newport News, Va., was here Saturday. He came to bring home Adrian McGowan, who is sick, and returned to school today.

Every member should be on hand at the meeting of Hope Fire Company tonight.

Velocipedes, wagons, toys, doll babies, fire works, vases, figures, cups and saucers, at S. M. Schultz.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clark, aged about three months, died Sunday and was buried this morning.

Fountain pens, desk pens, pearl handle pens, all with gold points, at Reflector Book Store. Nothing prettier for a Christmas present.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Arcanum on Thursday night, 16th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Every member requested to be present.

Christmas Trees

The Baptist and Methodist Sunday schools have each decided to have a Christmas tree during the holidays. The Episcopal Sunday school will also have an entertainment but have not yet decided whether it will be a Christmas tree or party.

New Railroad

The Wilmington & Weldon Railroad has completed the survey of a line between Newbern and Kinston. It is said it will quickly build it. It will be quite a blow at the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad. The Wilmington & Weldon has a line to Newbern, and this link gives it connection with its line northward from Kinston.—Raleigh Cor. Charlotte Observer.

Burned His House

One night last week Mr. J. R. Perkins, Carolina township, whose mind is unbalanced, burned his house. He moved all the furniture out of the building before it was burned. Mr. Perkins is the same man who last spring tore a page out of one of the record books in the Register of Deeds office. We hear that an effort is being made to get him in the asylum.

Klondike Social.

The ladies of the Christian church will have a Klondike Social on Thursday evening, 16th, in the Taft building on Cotanch street. Everybody invited to attend and dig for nuggets. No need of going to Alaska for gold when you can find a Klondike here. The decorations and refreshments will be emblematic of the arctic regions. Prizes will also be voted to the prettiest young lady and handsomest young man in town. Admission 10 cents.

The Christmas shopper's not content To visit just a shop or two; On seeing everything she's bent Until she's broke, and then she's through.

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For a Christmas Present.  
For a Christmas Present.

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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. Somerom 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,

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