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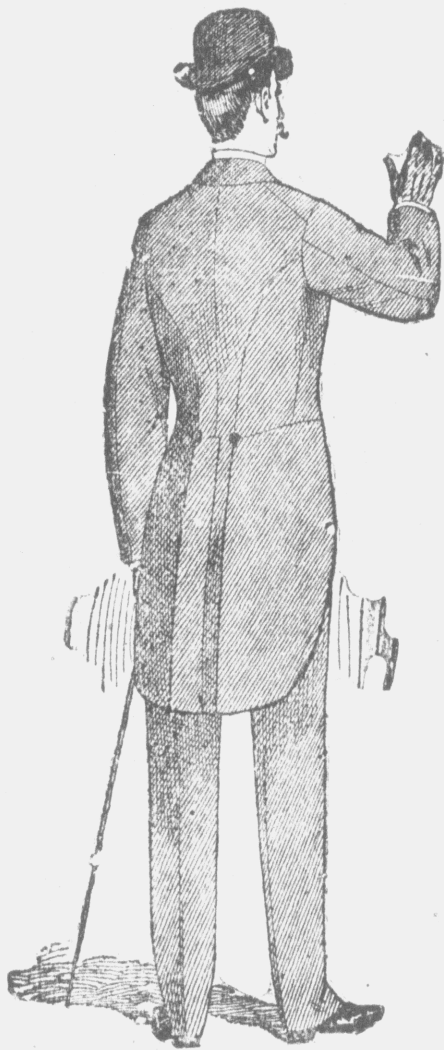
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FOR NEW YEAR

What
Shall I
Give them?



Here
Are
Hints

Hats,
Cuffs,
Shoes,
Collars,
Canes,
Shirts,
Gloves,
Hose,
Capes,
Overcoats,
Neckwear,
Underwear
Umbrellas,
Suspenders,
House Coats,
Night Shirts,
Macintoshes,
Handkerchiefs,
Dress Patterns,
Rubber Goods,
Sleeve Buttons,
Fine Business Suits,
Fine Dress Suits,
Fine Oda Trousers.

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Munford.

The Undersell Man.

ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by Orange Va., Observer.

Eternal indigestion is the price of Christmas pie.

Two letters tell the downfall of many a young man—X S.

The old man's foot furnishes the most effective missile-toe.

Mankind loves the air, especially if it be the million-aire.

There is a great deal of water in the "milk of human kindness."

The thread of the story is generally caught by the eye of the reader.

It is the man in the mud who sees something in the rain to add-mire.

The secret of happiness is to make work the music of your life.

Love matches are very easy to strike, but some of them go out dreadfully quick.

The dead beat is a vegetable that requires no cultivation, it grows spontaneously in any soil.

One of the best time-keepers in the world is the pawnbroker. No one watches his chances better.

It is strange that the man who is dead in love with himself should be hated by everybody who knows him.

Many a minister drops golden sentences into pews whose occupants drop only copper cents into the contribution box.

JUST FOR FUN.

Gusher—"I think we have met before." Grumble—"Indeed! Well, if we ever did meet I'm sure it subsequently."

"The doctrine of the legislator," says the Mayanist Philosopher, "are about as good as the doctrine of the constitution."

Hoax—"I understand Jagers is not to be trusted; that he is constantly breaking his word." Joax—"Well, he can't help that." "Why?" "He states."

"This man, your Honor," said the wife of the Legless Wonder, "refuses to support me." "It ain't so, Judge," replied the defendant; "she's just mad because she can't pull my leg."

Rollin stone No moss—"What's Weary goin' down South for?" Ragson Tatters—"Lookin' fur work." "What!!" "Aw, don't be a jay I only said 'lookin' fur it.' He's a snow shoveler."

The wintry winds that blow,
They chill me to the soul,
For really I don't know
Who'll trust me for my coal.

"DANIEL THE PROFANE."

Talk about your statesmen,
Who in this Southland reign,
There is none can cope with Daniel,
Even "Daniel the Profane."

We have impeached a Holden,
For ineptence in the main,
But we still HOLD-ON to Daniel,
Even "Daniel the Profane."

He even prohibits travel
With passes on the train,
But still the Czar will use them,
This same "Daniel the Profane."

Our negroes want d "pie-crust,"
But didn't get a grain,
For Daniel's a big eater,
This "Daniel the Profane."

And when they waited on him
Their pleadings were in vain,
He "cussed 'em out by thunder,"
This same "Daniel the Profane."

So when "ye cullud ladies"
Dressed a la en train
Awaited on "Missus Russell,"
Found her almost profane.

She would not entertain them,
But "raised a lot of Cain,"
Which irritated Daniel,
Even "Daniel the Profane."

After she thus repulsed them
They could not entertain
The difference in a negro
And "Daniel the Profane."

The scandal of the officers
And some of the State's insane
Are results of the Czar's appointments,
This "Daniel the Profane."

Then why not let's impeach him?
And wipe away the stain,
Thus ridding North Carolina
Of "Daniel the Profane."
—C. Zox, in Wilmington Dispatch.

New Officers

On Sunday morning the Baptist Sunday school held its annual election of officers, with the following results:

Superintendent—C. D. Rountree.
Asst. Superintendent—W. H. Ragsdale.

Secretary—V. J. Lee.
Treasurer—J. J. Cherry.

Mr. Rountree has been superintendent for six years and has made a most acceptable one, and no member of the school remembers having any other treasurer than "Uncle John" Cherry.

Froze to Death

On Sunday morning a colored man named John Cox was found dead near the railroad in the Clark field, just west of town. He was last seen alive in that vicinity about 11 o'clock Saturday night. He had been drinking and it is supposed that he lay down and froze to death.

Shoes.

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The Xmas trade has left many lots that must be closed out. This week will be a bargain week with us. Every Department particularly offers great values.

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H. M. Hardee.

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We desire a live correspondent at the 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, JANUARY 3, 1898.

The Goldsboro Argus tells of a terrible catastrophe which happened in that city. A frame building to be used as a cotton storage warehouse was being built for H. Weil & Bros., and as the workmen were assembling after the noon meal the building collapsed with a terrific crash and two colored men, who were employed as helpers about the building, were crushed to death. It is intimated that the foundation was the cause of the awful accident.

The New York Journal a few days ago printed a fake story to the effect that Geo. W. Vanderbilt had abandoned his Biltmore place because he could get no water to drink there; that the foundations of the mansion had sunk and the walls cracked; that the entire investment had proved a disappointment and that it was going to back. Mr. McNamee, Vanderbilt's manager, says the story is a tissue of lies, which fact is apparent on its face.

Record of a Year's Failures.

New York, Jan. 1.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The failures for the year which closed last night have been smaller in total liabilities than in any other year since 1892; in numbers smaller than any year except in 1895 and in average liabilities per failure they are smaller than in any other year during the last 23, except four. The aggregate of all failures, commercial and banking, was \$180,600,000, of which \$25,800,000 was in banking. In 13,360 commercial failures, the amount of liabilities was \$154,800,000, of which \$69,000,000 was in manufacturing and \$73,700,000 in trading, with \$12,100,000 in brokerage and other commercial lines. The average of liabilities per failure was only \$11,589, and in 1892 only \$11,025; but only three years in the past 23 were rivals—1888 with \$11,595; 1886 with \$11,651; and 1895 with \$11,078.

How to Do It

If you want to injure your town and make it as dead as a door nail just start right in and talk down its enterprise. Talk down the men who are endeavoring to do something; abuse everything that is not according to your particular view of how it should be done; discourage every man who is manufacturing the best thing in your community and refuse his goods; just let your property and sidewalks go unimproved and tell people it is good enough for the interest you have in the town; buy all you can on a credit, from every business man you can, and let your account run indefinitely, and then accuse and abuse your creditor when he wants the principal, to say nothing of the interest on his goods for which he pays cash, and the obligations he has shown you; take up with every thing and send your money off to strangers in preference to trading with people you know; refuse to take or advertise in your town papers, but spend your money with journals that have no

more interest in you than the amount they can get out of you, and then abuse your town for not having bigger and better papers; use your influence and money in building up other towns instead of the one in which you have habitation; find fault with something in churches, and be rate this thing or that thing in your schools, and the efforts of your people; just jump right in and pull it apart all who are trying to pull together; just withhold your patronage, sympathy and cheer from your own people and keep your business men and their enterprises down to the lowest possible notch, and volume of business, by placing your kind words and patronage somewhere else on every fancied wrong you can hunt up and pick up.

Just keep up these things, and in the course of time—not a very long time either—if you do not give your town a black eye and lay it out in a state of commercial unconsciousness, then the past history of all these practices will not be verified and a wonderful phenomenon will be revealed in the life of a community never before heard of or recorded.—Durham Sun.

Saved in Two Cases by the Court.

We must do the Supreme Court of North Carolina the justice to say that it has saved the people a good many hardships which they would otherwise have suffered at the hands of fusion Legislatures. It saved them in the matter of the assignment act and now it steps in and declares unconstitutional the clause of the revenue act of the last legislature which provides imprisonment for taxes. These decisions do not, however, help the case of these Legislatures—it is neither their fault nor to their credit that both of these acts are not in full force and effect. And the fact remains as to the revenue act, and ought to be remembered, that by reason of the terror which it inspired many people have been hard put to it and have paid their taxes at the expense of not only Christmas extras but common comforts to their families. It was as harsh a law as ever went on the State's statute books and the threat of its execution has occasioned no little distress throughout the State. If it be pleaded for it either that the Legislature did not realize its full import, or that it had, after all, turned out to be unconstitutional and so no harm could have come of it anyway, the answer is: the Legislatures should realize the importance of bills which they enact into laws and that as to such important matters as revenue laws they should be at pains to learn whether or not they are probably constitutional when their enforcement would involve such far-reaching consequences as would have attended the enforcement of this one.—Charlotte Observer.

Returning to the Fold.

A gentleman who has been a Populist, was in this office the other day and declared that he would never vote that ticket again. He is disgusted with the crowd that is now running the State government. There are plenty of good men all over North Carolina who have left the Populist party for the same reason that this man did. They have been deceived by their leaders who were out for the spot. A hearty welcome awaits them in the Democratic party.—Sanford Express.

It is this way in every county we hear from. There is a general disposition on the part of the white men to get together again. The Chicago platform affords a good meeting ground in national politics and the necessity for good home government in State politics. Though "reformers" are in power, yet there was never a time but once in North Carolina when there was more need for reform. The last Legislature was such a farce that even the Populist in certain counties are

holding meetings to denounce it in resolutions as stinging as can well be put together. If the Populists again fuse with the Republicans they can only suffer like poor dog Tray, for the company they keep.

Only the men who got office are benefited by the late fusion arrangement. The people have suffered from iniquitous and burdensome laws. The invitation given out by the Democratic State executive committee inviting all who will support Democratic nominees to come into the primaries is therefore timely.—Clinton Democrat.

Work For the Town.

The Orange, Va., Observer says the following about its town, which will apply with equal force to Greenville:

Every person in Orange wants the town to grow, prosper and become a thriving place. In order to accomplish this, every useful and creditable enterprise must be encouraged. If improvements are needed, talk for them, until the community is put to thinking about the matter. Don't stop and give up because some one in whom the greed for self has withered all public spirit, says it "won't pay." Show them by facts and figures it will pay, and live men will be found who will assist in the enterprise. Orange, with her immense natural advantages can easily take her place among the leading inland towns of the State, if her citizens will do their duty. A broad and liberal public spirit, that makes everything beautiful and pleasant is the thing to accomplish this end, and make this a flourishing town.

Inspid Girls of Sydney.

The average Sydney girl is pretty enough, dresses well enough, but she is an insipid creature, with very little to say and having very little interest in the affairs of life. She can't talk to any one outside her own set or upon anything beyond a certain set of subjects. For the new acquaintance she has nothing but monosyllables.—Sydney Sunday Times.

Compliments.

They were talking, after the manner of frail women, about compliments. Miss Brighteyes said that her sincerest flattery had come from a little girl who, after a good, long stare, had asked, "Are your eyes new ones?" A girl blessed with a ready tongue said the highest compliment she ever received came from a small boy. "My young brother was planning a camping expedition, to which the elders were opposed," she said, "and one evening he brought this other boy to plead for him. I sided with the enemy and ridiculed the thing right and left until it was plain which way the tide of family opinion was setting. Suddenly, with tears in his eyes, the other boy turned to me and said, 'Oh, Miss Kittie, please talk to let him go.' All admitted that it was the third girl who walked off with the palm, however. She had been at an out of town reception not long ago with a middle aged matron, the mother of a lot of small boys. Some one had asked if the girl were the matron's daughter. 'Oh, no,' said the matron. 'I only wish I had a son old enough to make love to her.'—New York Sun.

The Wrong Word.

"Now, I propose," said Buffington, continuing the conversation. "Oh, Mr. Buffington," exclaimed Miss Backbay, "this is so sudden, but if you have fully made up your mind that you love me!" "I beg your pardon," Mr. Buffington hastened to interpose, "but I was about to say that I propose to begin on an entirely new course of reading, which I thought would interest you." "Then, Mr. Buffington," said Miss Backbay icily, "you should have said 'purposed,' instead of 'proposed.' And now I must bid you good evening, for I must prepare to attend a lecture."—Detroit Free Press.

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

STATEMENT OF THE

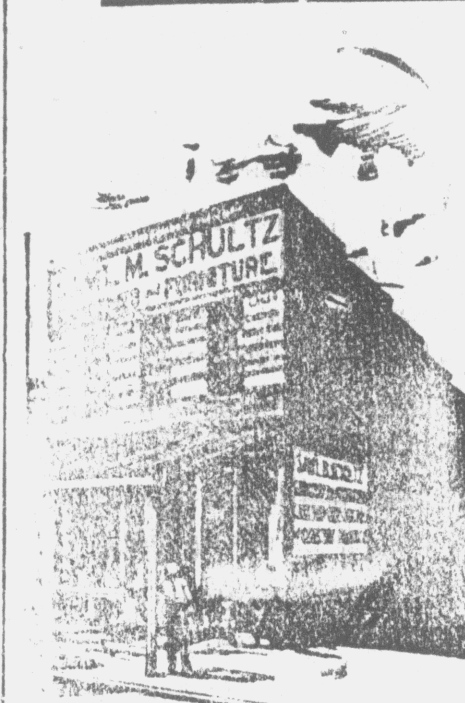
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GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business Dec. 15th, 1897.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$42,904.84	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	1,650.67	Undivided Profits	3,797.27
Premium on Stock	1,000.00	Deposits subject to Check	103,294.89
Due from Banks	44,598.00	Due to Banks	192.07
Furniture and Fixtures	1,515.25	Cashiers Checks outstanding	867.38
Current expenses	2,136.57	Time Certificates of Deposit	960.00
Cash Items	7,857.51		
Cash on hand	30,455.77	Total	\$132,118.61
Total	\$132,118.61		

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Middling 52
Low Middling 51
Good Ordinary 48
Tone—steady.

PEANUTS:
Prime 2
Extra Prime 2 1/2
"ancy 2 1/2
Spanish 60 to 7
Tone—quiet.

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb 15 to 2
Western Sides 54 to 6
Sugar cured Hams 10 to 12
Corn 40 to 50
Corn Meal 50 to 60
Flour, Family 4.75 to 5.75
Lard 54 to 60
Oats 35 to 40
Sugar 44 to 46
Coffee 54 to 60
Salt per Sack 65 to 75
Chickens 12 1/2 to 13
Eggs per doz 12
Beeswax, per 2
Cotton Seed, per bushel 10 to 15

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Languages (each) " " 1.00

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Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of
the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling
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Atlantic City 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
6.25 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 4.26 a. m.
Washington 7.41 a. m. Balti-
more 9.05 a. m. Philadelphia
11.5 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-
bourne 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 2.44
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 pm. New York 9.00 pm
Philadelphia 12.05 am. Balti-
more 2.50 am. Washington
4.30 am. Richmond 9.05 am
Petersburg 9.50 am. Nor-
Weldon 11.50 am. Tarboro
12.12 p. m. Rocky Mount 1.00
pm. Wilson 2.12 pm. Golds-
boro 3.10 pm. Warsaw 4.02
pm. Magnolia 4.16 pm.
DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave
5.30 A. M. Boston 12.00 night. New
York 9.30 am. Philadelphia
12.09 pm. Baltimore 2.25 pm.
Washington 3.46 pm. Rich-
mond 7.30 pm. Petersburg
8.12 pm. Norfolk 2.20 pm.
Weldon 9.43 pm. Tarboro
6.01 pm. Rocky Mount 5.45
am. Leave Wilson 6.20 am.
Goldsboro 7.01 am. Warsaw
7.53 am. Magnolia 8.05 am.
DAILY No. 61.—Passenger—Leave
except New York 9.20 am. Jackson-
ville 10.42 am. This train
arrives at Walnut street.
FROM THE SOUTH.
DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave
12.15 P. M. Tampa 8.00 am. Sanford 10
pm. Jacksonville 6.35 pm.
Savanna 12.50 night. Char-
leston 5.20 am. Columbia 7.50
am. Atlanta 8.20 am. Macon
9.30 am. Augusta 3.05 pm.
Denmark 4.15 pm. Sumter
6.45 am. Florence 8.55 am.
Marion 9.35 am. Chadbourne
10.35 am. Lake Waccamaw
11.06 am.
Train on Section Neck Branch Road
leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.3
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 am
daily except Sunday.
Trains on Washington 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., returning leave
Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 9.30 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.
arrives 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, 7.1 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.
R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar
7.50 p. m. Clito 8.05 p. m. Returning
leave Clito 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 13.00 p. m.
Train No. 78 makes close connection
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Richmond, also at Rocky Mount with
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EMERSON, Traffic Manager
KENTLY, Gen'l Manager

THE RECORD
OF A YEAR.
Notable Events in 1897
the World Over.
7. Obituary: Cornelius O'Connor, California
capitalist, in San Francisco; aged 60.
Fires: Hotel San Marco at St. Augustine,
Fla., burned; loss, \$250,000. A \$150,000 blaze
in Louisville.
Shipwreck: Transit steamer Idaho foundered
on Lake Erie; 19 sailors drowned.
8. Obituary: Gen. James C. Duane, U. S. A.,
retired, in New York city. Rear Admiral
Alexander Calder Rhind, U. S. N., retired,
a noted war veteran, in New York city;
aged 76.
9. Convention: The annual general assembly.
Knights of Labor, began at Louisville.
10. Fire: Large machine works burned at Mid-
dleboro, Ky.; loss, \$200,000.
Criminal: Mrs. Augusta Nack, companion
of the accused murderer Martin Thorn,
appeared as a witness against Thorn at his
trial in Long Island City.
12. Fire: The "Lion" department store burned
in Milwaukee; loss, \$200,000.
Obituary: John Bognald Burgess, distin-
guished painter, in London; aged 68.
13. Sporting: The annual football game be-
tween Harvard and Yale at Cambridge,
Mass., resulted in a tie; score, 0 to 0.
Obituary: Henry C. Dorr, brother of Thomas
Wilson Dorr of "Dorr's rebellion" memory,
in New York city; aged 77. Homer A.
Hibbard, a wealthy pioneer of Chicago, in
that city; aged 73. John M. Langston, fa-
mous colored lawyer, congressman and
diplomat, first American negro elected to
office, in Washington; aged 68.
14. Obituary: Dr. Thomas Wilson Evans, known
throughout the world as "the American
dentist in Paris," friend of Napoleon III
and Empress Eugenie, in Paris; aged 74.
15. Obituary: Mme. Verdi, for 50 years the
consort of the famous composer, died at
Rome.
16. Business troubles: The Delta County bank
of Delta, Colo., suspended.
Obituary: Robert M. Steele, capitalist and
railroad promoter, at St. John's, Mich.;
aged 65.
17. Obituary: Rev. George Hendricks Hough-
ton, rector of the Church of the Transfigu-
ration (the "Little Church Around the Cor-
ner"), in New York city; aged 77.
Miscellaneous: Terrible gales and shipwrecks
in the Mediterranean. German warships
landed troops and guns in China with hos-
tile intent.
18. Fire: Steamer Bluff City of St. Louis
burned at Chester, Ills.; loss, \$100,000.
19. Fire: In the business portion of London;
loss, \$25,000,000.
20. Obituary: Prof. Henry Calderwood of Edin-
burgh university in Edinburgh; aged 67.
Sporting: Yale defeated Princeton at football
in New York; score, 6 to 0.
21. Obituary: Prof. William Seymour Tyler,
formerly of Amherst college, at Amherst,
Mass.; aged 87. Gen. Albert Ordway, a not-
ed Federal veteran, in New York; aged 55.
25. Fire: 30 buildings burned at Pensacola, Fla.;
loss, \$150,000.
Sporting: Michael defeated Starbuck in a 25
mile cycle race at Madison Square Garden,
New York; time, 50m. 29.1-5s.
Obituary: Dr. Miner Raymond, the oldest
theological instructor in the United States,
at Evanston, Ills.; aged 84.
28. Political riot in Vienna.
DECEMBER.
1. Personal: Justice Stephen Field retired
from the bench of the United States su-
preme court after 44 years' service.
Accident: 37 coal miners killed in an explo-
sion at Homburg, Bavaria.
2. Obituary: Judge D. D. Belden, one of Colo-
rado's pioneers, at Denver; aged 70.
3. Fire: The "Brick" Pomeroy block and an
opera house burned at Lacrosse, Wis.; loss,
\$200,000.
Sporting: Slosson won the final game in the
billiard tournament in New York city over
Schaefer, Ives, Daly and Sutton.
4. Obituary: Adolph Neuenhof, well known
German musical composer and director, in
New York city; aged 54.
Accident: 4 killed and 4 injured in a trolley
collision at Birmingham, Mich.
5. Obituary: Mrs. Alice Wellington Rollins,
well known writer, near New York city;
aged 50.
6. Obituary: Louis Mayer, a noted musical
artist and composer, in St. Louis; aged 59.
7. M. De Fourton, French statesman, died in
Paris.
8. Dr. Campbell Morfitt, distinguished Ameri-
can chemist in London, died in that city.
9. Obituary: William Blakely, English comic
actor, known in America, in London. Rear
Admiral Joseph F. Green, U. S. N., retired,
in Brookline, Mass.; aged 86.
11. Orion Clemens, brother of Mark Twain, who
was a "forty-niner" and a picturesque lit-
erary character, died at Keokuk, Ia.
12. Obituary: Gardiner G. Hubbard, noted in
Washington public life, in that city; aged
65. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of the
president, at Canton, O.; aged 88.
Sporting: Charles W. Miller of Chicago won
the six day cycle race in New York, beating
Hale's world's record by scoring 130 miles
4 laps; race came in second, Schinner third
and Hale fourth.
Fire: 4 firms burned out on Chestnut street,
Philadelphia; loss, \$750,000.
13. Obituary: Charles Butler, president of the
Union Theological seminary and a noted
lawyer, financier and philanthropist, in
New York city; aged 95.
Gen. Justus McKinstry, a noted public man
of St. Louis, in that city; aged 82.
14. Shipwreck: Schooner Susan P. Thurlow,
wrecked on Cushing island, off the Maine
coast; 6 sailors drowned.
16. Fire: At Marshalltown, Ia.; loss, \$130,000.
Accident: 6 killed in a head on collision at
Fort Smith, Ark.
Obituary: Alphonse Daudet, the French au-
thor, in Paris; aged 57.
17. Fire: Hotel Dakota and other properties
burned at Grand Forks, N. D.; loss, \$350,
000.
Sporting: "Kid" McCoy defeated Dan Cree-
don, the Australian, for the middleweight
championship in Long Island City.
Good Exercise.
"Met a man in the east who said
he came from here," remarked the
tenderfoot.
"Did you?" asked the westerner.
"Yes. His name was Hiram Tomp-
kins, and he told us that this was a
great place for exercise."
"Exercise!" roared the westerner.
"Well, I should think it was. The
day he left we gave him ten min-
utes' start and followed him with a
rope. Exercise! Well, I guess he
knew."—Chicago Post.

ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA.
I am dying, Egypt, dying,
Ebb the crimson life tide fast,
And the dark Plutonian shadows
Gather on the evening blast.
Let thine arms, O queen, infold me!
Hush thy sobs and bow thine ear.
Listen to the great heart secrets,
Thou, and thou alone, must hear.
Though my scarr'd and veteran legions
Bear their eagles high no more,
And my wreck'd and scatter'd galleys
Strew dark Actium's fatal shore,
Though no glittering guards surround me
Prompt to do their master's will,
I must perish like a Roman,
Die the great triumvir still.
Let not Caesar's servile minions
Mock the lion thus laid low.
'Twas no foeman's arm that fell'd him,
'Twas his own that struck the blow.
His who, pillow'd on thy bosom,
Turn'd aside from glory's ray,
His who, drunk with thy caresses,
Madly threw a world away.
Should the base plebeian rabble
Dare assail my name at Rome,
Where my noble spouse, Octavia,
Weeps within her widow'd home,
Seek her, say the gods bear witness—
Altars, angurs, circling wings—
That her blood, with mine commingled,
Yet shall mount the throne of kings.
As for thee, star eyed Egyptian,
Glorious sorceress of the Nile,
Light the path to Stygian horrors
With the splendors of thy smile.
Give to Caesar crowns and arches,
Let his brow the laurel twine.
I can scorn the senate's triumphs,
Triumphing in love like thine.
I am dying, Egypt, dying.
Hark! the insulting foeman's cry!
They are coming! Quick! my falchion!
Let me front them ere I die!
Ah, no more amid the battle
Shall my heart exulting swell!
Isis and Osiris guard thee!
Cleopatra, Rome, farewell!
—William Haines Lytle.
Plum Pudding as the English Make It.
For English plum pudding clean,
wash and dry a pound of currants;
stone a pound of raisins. Mix the
currants, raisins, a pound of suet,
chopped fine, three-quarters of a
pound of stale bread crumbs, a
quarter of a pound of brown sugar,
the grated rind of a lemon, half a
pound of minced candied orange
peel, a quarter of a pound of flour,
half of a grated nutmet. Beat 5
eggs; add to them half a pint of
orange juice, then pour over the dry
ingredients and mix thoroughly.
Pack into greased small kettles or
molds. This will make about 6
pounds. Boil 10 hours. Serve with
hard sauce.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer in
Ladies' Home Journal.
The bureau of ethnology in Wash-
ington has at present about 6,500
volumes on anthropology.
His Educated Boy.
Billy's father was intensely study-
ing a letter he had just received
from his lawyer, hanging fire on
the words "sum cuigue" (let each
have his own), which the legal
wight had carelessly injected into
the communication. Pointing to the
words as he turned to Billy, he re-
marked:
"See here, Billy. You're a Latin
scholar. What do these words
mean?"
"Mean?" replied Billy. "Why, I
should think you would make that
out, even if it isn't spelled according
to Boyle. Sue 'em quick is what
the learned counselor meant to say,
but he's a little erratic in his spell-
ing."—Boston Courier.
FACTORY.
CHURCHES.
BAPTIST—Services every Sunday,
morning and evening. Prayer meeting
Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer,
pastor. Sunday school 9:40 A. M.
D. Bountree, Superintendent.
METHODIST—No regular services.
EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sun-
day, morning and evening. Day ser-
vices second Sunday morning. Rev. A.
Greaves, Pastor. 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
3 A. M. A. B. Ellington Superin-
tendent.
PRESBYTERIAN—Services third
Sunday, morning and evening. Rev.
L. R. Merton, Pastor. Sunday school
9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superinten-
dent.
LODGES.
A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No.
84 meets first and third Monday even-
ing. J. M. Reuss W. M. L. I. Moore,
etc.
I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17
meets every Tuesday evening. J. V.
Johnson N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.
K. of P.—Fair River Lodge No. 93,
meets every Friday evening. H. W.
Medbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington K. of
R. and S.
R. A.—Lebanon Council No. 1696
meets every Thursday evening. W. E.
Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.
K. of H.—Insurance Lodge No. 1169
meets every Friday evening. John
Flanagan, D. Henry Sheppard, R.
A. L. of H. Pitt Council 236 meets
every Thursday night. J. B. Cherry
C. W. B. Wilson, Sec.

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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.
South 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.

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

Weather Bulletin.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, warmer.
"What is your friend crying for?" asked the Manayunk Philosopher. "Aw, nottin'," replied Mat Mackin; "when 'e gits a few drinks in 'im, 'e gits soft an' slops over."

BRAND NEW.

The Year and Everything in This Column.

School opened today.
Large crowd in town again today.
The new calendars come in handy now.
Masons meet tonight, work in the first degree.
30 barrels Red Apples, cheap, at S. M. Schultz.
No, Maude, dear, zephyrs are not made in windmills.
It's hard for a really upright man to look dignified with a boil on the end of his nose.
Today closes the holiday season and now everything is ready to come down to business.
The public school which opened today is taught by Miss Marie Hill as principal and Miss Jennie Williams assistant.
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Being out of town my Dental office will be closed until Monday night, 3rd.
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Workman Hurt

Mr. James Murphy, one of the workmen who was helping to move the market house, was badly hurt Saturday. He, with other workman, had a lever under the edge of the house to raise it, and the other men turning loose the weight of the building on the lever threw Mr. Murphy several feet and he struck some timbers in falling.

HOMeward BOUND.

Holiday Folks Still Moving.

Snow Cox went to Norfolk today.
H. L. Coward went to Richmond today.
Ed. Patrick, of Ayden, is in town today.
Vernor Priddy returned to Richmond today.
R. W. King and J. F. King went to Richmond today.
Miss Mary Alice Moye returned to school at Wilson today.
Miss Mary L. Lacy returned Saturday evening from South Boston, Va.
B. Drew left today for Georgia, taking several colored laborers back with him.
J. N. Hart has moved into one of the Manford buildings in South Greenville.
M. H. Quimberly went to Kinston Saturday evening and returned this morning.
C. C. Joyner and J. E. Nobles left today for Philadelphia to resume their medical studies.
A. C. Holloman, of Lewiston, has taken a position at the Baker & Hart hardware store.
Miss Mamie Edwards, of Durham, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Blakely, left today.
B. P. Cobb, of Charleston, who spent the holidays with relatives here, left today for his home.
Miss Annie Jones and little Katie Tunstall returned this morning from their holiday visit to Kinston.
Miss Addie Johnson, of Grifton, came up this morning to spend the day with her sister, Mrs. C. D. Rountree.
Misses Bessie Harding, Bessie Patrick, Queenie McGowan, Sallie Galloway and Daisy Tucker left this morning for the N. and I. College at Greensboro.

They Get Prettier

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COTTON Opening. Noon. Close.			
January			
March			
May			
August.			
CHICAGO.			
WHEAT	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
January	91 1/2	91	
May	92	91 1/2	
RIBS.			
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May	472 1/2	467 1/2	
PORK.			
January	907 1/2	902 1/2	
May	936 1/2	925	

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Over Drafts 552.02	Time Certificates of Deposits 1,793.22
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