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THE BABY.

VICTOR HUGO.

Like a tiny glint of light piercing through the dusty gloom Comes her little laughing face through the shadows of my room.

And my pen forgets its way as it hears her patt'ring tread, While her prattling treble tones chase the thought from out my head.

She is queen and I her slave, one who loves her and obeys, For she rules her world of home with peccunious baby ways.

In she dances, calls me "dear!" turns the pages of my books; Throws herself upon my knee, takes my pen with laughing looks.

Makes disorder reign supreme, turns my papers upside down, Draws me cabalistic signs, safe from fear of any frown.

Crumble all my verses up, pleased to hear the crackling sound. Makes them into balls and then—flings them all upon the ground.

Suddenly she flirts away, leaving me alone again, With a warmth about my heart, and a brighter, clearer brain.

And although the thoughts return that her coming drove away, The remembrance of her laugh lingers with me through the day.

And it chances, as I write, I may take a crumble! sheet, On the which, God knoweth, why! read my fancies twice as sweet!

APHORISMS

He who foresees calamities suffers them twice over.—Porteus.

Getting into debt is getting into a dangerous net.—Franklin.

To live is not to live for one's self alone; let us help one another.—Menander.

We inherit nothing truly but what our actions make us worthy of.—Chapman.

Accuracy is the twin brother of honesty; inaccuracy, of dishonesty.—C. Simmons.

When we are out of sympathy with the young, then I think our work in this world is over.—G. MacDonald.

Make but few explanations. The character that cannot defend itself is not worth vindicating.—F. W. Robertson.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never come.—Lowell.

If there is anything that keeps the mind open to angel visits and repels the ministry of evil, it is a pure human love.—N. P. Willis.

When a man has been guilty of any vice or folly, the best atonement he can make for it is to warn others not to fall in the like.—Addison.

The meanest, most contemptible kind of praise is that which first speaks well of a man, and then qualifies it with a "but."—Henry Ward Beecher.

It is a sad thing to begin life with low conception of it. It may not be possible for a young man to measure life, but it is possible to say: "I am resolved to put life to its noblest and best use."—T. T. Munger.

Storyettes.

Two sons of Erin sharing the same bed, as well as the same bottle of whiskey, Pat waited till he found Mike asleep, when he quietly arose and emptied the bottle. Soon after, Mike, waking, stole out of bed and groping about in the dark was asked by his companion:

"Phwat are yez lookin' fer, Mike?" "Oh, nothin'!" says Mike. "Well, Mike," says Pat, "ye'll foind it over there in the corner in the bottle."

A pious old lady of Marblehead had a husband who was a seaman.

He was about to start on a protracted voyage and as his wife was anxious as to her husband's welfare she sent the following notice to the village preacher: "Mr. Blank, who is going to sea, his wife desires the prayers of the congregation."

As the old lady was quite illiterate, the minister read the following to the congregation from the slip handed him:

"Mr. Blank, who is going to see his wife, desires the prayers of the congregation."

An Honest Answer

A kindergarten teacher was recently reviewing her little class on the instruction given the day previous. The following are a part of the questions and answers.

Teacher—Now, children, I told you yesterday about the various materials from which your dresses are made—silk, wool and cotton. Let me see how well you remember. Margie, where did the material come from of which your dress is made?

Margie—It once grew upon the back of a sheep

Teacher—Very good; and yours, Blanche?

Blanche—My dress once grew upon the back of a sheep and a part of it was spun by the silkworm.

Teacher—Correct! And yours, Lucy?

Lucy (with evident embarrassment)—My dress was made out of an old one of mamma's.

Remarkable for the Scandals.

The Rep-Pop. administration of affairs in North Carolina is remarkable among all the administrations that have existed in this country from the first for the number of personal scandals of the ugliest sort it has evolved. Moral: Beware of Rep-Pop. administration.—Richmond Dispatch.

For the best Butter get the "Elmwood" made by Mr. Crenshaw at Elmwood Dairy, 25 cents per pound. Phone 14.

A Pleasant Surprise.

Monday was Mr. J. B. Cherry's birthday and Mrs. Cherry gave him a surprise party that night. He had been suffering with headache during the day and as a consequence had remained in doors most of the day, but Mrs. Cherry was too shrewd to let him get even a hint of what was going on even though the preparations were so near. After supper Mr. Cherry went to the store as usual, and came home about nine o'clock and found a few friends awaiting him, and thus his curiosity began to revive and he remembered that another mile post was rapidly passing by and he began to suspect that something was going on unusual. And when a little later others came in he awoke to the full realization that his good wife had not forgotten him on this his fifty eighth birthday. Mrs. Cherry had invited a few friends and relatives to spend the evening, and partake of their bountiful hospitality. Those present were: Mrs. P. E. Dancy, Mrs. M. M. Nelson, Des C. J. O'Hagan and Zeno Brown, Rev. N. M. Watson, Mess. J. J. Cherry, F. G. James, A. B. Edington, J. R. Moye, B. C. Pearce, W. T. Lee, J. L. Little, J. A. Ricks, C. M. Jones, J. A. Andrews and Wm. F. Harding.

Every one spent a delightful evening and came away wishing Mr. Cherry a long life, as full of usefulness and goodness in the future as it has been in the past.

Daughters of Rebecca.

A lodge of the Daughters of Rebecca is to be organized here. This order is an auxiliary to the lodge of Odd Fellows, and is composed of the wives and daughters of Odd Fellows and young ladies over 18 years of age. We predict that this will be the most interesting order in our midst, as whatever the ladies turn their attention to they carry to success.

Don't Forget—His Old Home.

Prof. Z. D. McWhorter, who some years ago left this county for Alabama, in writing to renew his subscription to THE REFLECTOR up to August, 1899, says that he has had a good school the past session. He also says that he likes Alabama very much, but sometimes wants to come back to old Pitt county. He expresses much pleasure in reading the REFLECTOR, and says that he hopes North Carolina has had enough of Republicanism and will return to the Democratic fold.

Joe Evans says it is going to snow. We'll believe it when we see it.

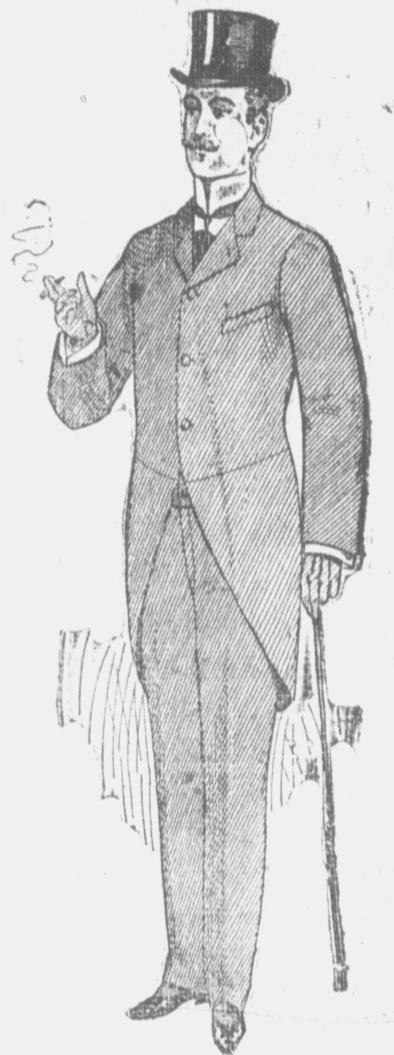
Mr. R. M. Starkey has purchased an interest in the market business of Mr. W. R. Parker

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Alfred Forbes.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1898.

There is trouble in the New England manufacturing centres. The manufacturers of 150 cotton mills decided upon a reduction of wages averaging about 10 per cent. This cut in wages affected 125,000 operatives and has resulted in strikes at a number of the mills, the operatives refusing to accept the reduction. At many places in Maine and Massachusetts the situation is very gloomy, and there is no telling how far the trouble will extend.

The middle of January and no ice and snow yet. Just think of it.—Danville Register.

Who, by taking thought, can add snow to his sidewalk this winter or ice to his julep next summer?—Greensboro Telegram.

Snow can't be secured that way, but the fellow who takes sufficient thought now to lay by a good bank account may be able to indulge in a few pounds of ice when summer comes around.

At last Judge Dick's resignation has reached the hands of the President, much to the pleasure of the hungry crowd who have been talking about it so long and wishing for a chance to scramble for the place.

They marry young and die young in India. It is said that there are in that country 200,000 widows between the ages of 9 and 14 years, and 80,000 under 9 years.

If all the scandals, and muses and rumors of repudiations of bonds, and farces, the harangues over railroad matters, now going on and filling our State papers, are not enough to disgust and nauseate the honest people of North Carolina, they have certainly dropped into a comatose state that forebodes no good. The effect of all this bable and confusion is bringing the State into ridicule and distrust among outsiders. It is not time for the honest and virtuous element of our people to set their houses in order and right these wrongs—correct these abuses and bring order out of the chaos to which we are tending? It does seem so. And they cannot begin too soon. Sentinels upon the watchtowers have sounded the alarm. It is time for the good people to heed the warning.—Durham Sun.

A Result of "Anything to Beat the Democrats."

The Salisbury Truth states that when it says that the Smith, Hancock and other scandals are the legitimate result of political action by men who make associates of negroes and do "anything to beat the Democrats."

The Gospel Truth.

It is useless to expect an impossibility—good government by Southern Republicans. Nearly every white Republican in North Carolina is in that party for what he can get out of it. He is after office, regardless of the public welfare, and it is useless to expect good government with such people filling the offices.—Kinston Free Press.

Cause and Effect

Oh, my!" cried the woman who was reading the paper. Here's the ship Golden Eagle arrives at New York from Africa, and they find several large snakes in her hold. How strange.

"I'd like to know what you'd expect," retorted the president of the temperance society. "Isn't that the ship that sailed for Africa last season with a cargo of rum?"

As to weight and Measures.

Two tablespoons of liquid weigh an ounce.

Two heaping tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar weigh an ounce.

Two rounded tablespoonfuls of flour weigh an ounce.

One heaping tablespoonful of granulated sugar weighs an ounce.

One cupful of wet or dry material is half a pint.

Two cupfuls of granulated sugar weigh a pound.

One cupful of butter weighs half a pound.

Two ounces of unmeited butter are as large as an egg medium size.

Four tablespoonfuls of liquid are equal to one wineglassful. (A sherry or claret glass is not a wine glass ordinary alluded to in measurement.)

Eggs ought to be weighed instead of counted for custards, cakes, puddings, ect., because nine large, ten medium and twelve small ones weigh a pound without their shells.

SHERIDAN'S JOKE ON GRANT.

The Only Time the Great General Found a Cigar Too Strong For Him.

They had "done" Florida—that is, as much of the Peninsular State as people generally managed to see 17 years ago—and the party, composed of General Grant, General Sheridan, their wives, two nieces of Mrs. Grant, the secretary, Mr. Byron Andrews and a solitary artist, had just voyaged down the gulf coast, stopping for an evening's "send off"—and a very lively time it was—at Key West, and now they were domiciled in Havana. Grant's perpetual cigar was a pillar of cloud early in the morning and a twinkle of fire late at night. The Cuban colony of cigar makers at Key West had stowed their staterooms full of their choicest goods, while the famous manufacturers of Havana had all brought out special brands, sending sample hundreds to the palace for the approval of the two famous soldiers. It would have been a breach of etiquette to keep a check upon one's smoking under such tempting conditions. So the American visitors puffed away at countless incomparable cigars while the gayly clad officers of the palace household rolled their cigarettes and wondered how long the famous smoker could keep it up.

Presently there came a day when the programme included a visit to the lofty fortress of Cabanas, over the bay. The heavy state barges rowed the brilliant little party across the breezeless harbor, and, oh, it was hot! They climbed the zig-zag path which leads up to the portal cut into the grim front of the great military prison, which was even then nearly filled with prisoners of state. They were shown through courts, deep, dark passages, parades, barracks and prisons, which fill the whole vast interior of this great, gloomy, terrible place. General Pocrul, then commandant of Cabanas, paraded the troops with a fine fanfare from a bugle squad, and then lunch was served at headquarters, high up on the battlements, commanding a grand view of

the city and village dotted country, which in those days presented a prosperous and beautiful appearance. General Grant saw everything and smoked on faithfully. He noted that of the hundreds of cannon planted everywhere, from the water batteries beneath the palms far below, up along the precipitous slopes to the crest of the walls of Cabanas, nearly all were of antique model and inferior caliber, practically useless in a modern demonstration, but over upon Morro's walls, half a mile away, as they were told, there were rows of big new guns, especially just to the right or eastward of the castle. And so, having shown an interest in the matter, the party must go over to Morro, traversing covered ways and long open spaces in the noonday heat. All might have gone well, however, but unhappily Grant ran out of cigars. He searched despairingly through his sundry pockets, but, alas, all in vain. Then came Sheridan's opportunity, the chance he had been waiting for after a long and varied experience of Grant's marked fondness for telling army yarns at his expense. He had a cigar. It was not particularly large or obtrusive, just a regular Ai Havana, but, oh, it was black and rich and wicked looking! Sheridan had been shown through a tobacco factory the previous day. While he waited this cigar was made for him, and he put it away carefully and smiled a contented little smile.

So General Grant, with a deep, happy sigh of relief, touched a match to General Sheridan's cigar, and Sheridan—he lagged and gyrated like a bad little boy who has put a tack on his teacher's chair. It took a little time for the strongest cigar ever made in Cuba to get in its deadly work upon a well seasoned old smoker like Grant, and Sheridan began to grow despondent, but joy once more suffused his rugged yet rubicund features as he saw his old commander with a pallid face talking hurriedly with the interpreter, a funny mixture of English and West Point Spanish, and a moment later he collapsed in the shade of a wall. There was instant alarm among all who gathered around, and even the jolly Sheridan got a bit rattled at his own success, but he only winked solemnly at the secretary and said: "Tell 'em to keep quiet and give him air. He'll be all right in five minutes. I thought it would fetch him."

Grant was indeed all right as soon as he got up among the jumble of defenses at the top of Morro castle, where the cool sea winds blew some of that nicotine out of his lungs, and he gazed at Sheridan with a deep indigo look of suspicion, but he smoked no more until the next morning.—New York Sun.

Without Reduction.

"My wife has a mania for bargains."
"Yes?"
"But when she asks me for \$1 she won't take 99 cents."—Chicago Record.

THE LONG, HARD HILL.

They were standing in the sunlight
Of the summer time of life,
She was still without a husband,
He was waiting for a wife,
And her cheeks were rich and rosy,
And her lips were luscious red,
So he pressed her dimpled fingers
As he looked at her and said,
As they stood there in the heather
Where the road had crossed the rill,
"May we not fare together
Up this long, hard hill?"

Now her hand began to tremble
And her eyes were full of tears
As she trained them on the road that
Wound away among the years,
But she had no voice to answer
Him; she could not understand,
For the future lay before her
Like a faroff fairyland.
There was sunlight on the heather,
There was music in the rill,
As they went away together
Up the long, hard hill.

Oftentimes the way was sunny,
Other times 'twas full of lures,
But the love that had come to them
Was the true love that endures,
Though the bonny brow is wrinkled,
Though the raven lock be gray,
Yet the road might have been rougher
Had she gone the other way.
Now the frost is on the heather
And the snow is on the rill,
And they're coasting down the short side
Of the long, hard hill.
—Cy Warman in New York Sun.

Mrs. Rorer's Way of Stewing Oysters.
Drain 50 oysters; put the liquor over the fire, boil and skim it. Strain it through two thicknesses of cheesecloth into a saucepan. Add the oysters, bring to a boil and skim again; add a pint of milk, 6 whole peppercorns, half a teaspoonful of whole allspice and a blade of mace. Watch this carefully until it just reaches the boiling point; add a tablespoonful of butter, a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper and serve at once with square of toast or oyster crackers.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer in Ladies' Home Journal.

Cotton and Peanut. Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

COTTON.	
Good Middling	5 1/2
Middling	5 1/4
Low Middling	5 1/4
Good Ordinary	4 3/4
Tone—steady	
PEANUTS:	
Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/2
"ancy	2 3/4
Spanish	40 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

Greenville Market. Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 2
Western Sides	5 1/2 to 6
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 50
Corn Meal	50 to 60
Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.75
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 1/2 to 0
Coffee	9 1/2 to 20
Salt per Sack	65 to 1 5/2
Chickens	12 1/2 to 20
Eggs per doz	120
Beeswax, per	30
Cotton Seed, per bushel	10 to 6

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 Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.
- METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.
- PRESBYTERIAN—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superintendent.
- LODGES.
- A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No 284 meets first and third Monday evening. 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. A. L. of H. Pitt Council 236 meets every Thursday night. J. B. Cherry C. W. B. Wilson Sec.

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headache; fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling. There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition. The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has a time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Distaste, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and, not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals. Mr. N. J. Booher of 2710 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for and form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals. Send for little book, mailed free on stomach troubles, by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

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

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Mag-
8.35 a. m. nolia 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. nolia 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 8.30 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
arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave
12.15 P. M. Tampa 8.00 a. m. Soufard 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.
Marton 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 Wahaigton 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 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.;
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, 7.10 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.
R., leave 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
Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk
and all points North via Norfolk.

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

W. S. EMERSON, Traffic Manager
J. C. KENLY, Gen'l Manager

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this paper.

A JOKE THAT FAILED.

Story of the Adventure of a Bookworm
and His Funny Friends.

Harding worked in a bank. By
inclination he was a bookworm, also
by occupation. In common with
many other bookworms his chief
complaint was that he did not have
enough money to give his collecting
instincts free play.

There was a Mrs. Harding.
Her principal complaint was that
so much of Harding's money went
for books.

Quite recently that person who
crept into the ark under cover of
darkness—to wit, one book agent—
made his appearance at Harding's
office. He had a whole lot of books,
and Harding wanted most of them.
The argument was that "you only
have to pay 50 cents a week, and as
soon as you make the first payment
you get the books. Only so many
of this edition to be printed, and in
six months your copy will be worth
twice what you pay for it."

So Harding decided to buy an edi-
tion of Dumas and an edition of Vic-
tor Hugo. He paid his first install-
ment down, and the next day the
books were delivered at the bank.
The agent remarked that he would
have the books sent to Harding's
house in Brooklyn if he so desired,
but Harding declared that for cer-
tain reasons he would rather have
them sent to the bank. Of course
everybody in the bank knew why.

"I'll just take Victor Hugo home
tonight," he said, "and see how
Mrs. Harding likes him."

Victor Hugo went to Brooklyn
last night, and the latest reports
were that Mrs. Harding didn't like
him at all. In fact, Harding said
the next day that he really had never
seen any one so provoked in all
his life as Mrs. Harding was when
she heard that the money that
should have bought dresses for the
girls had gone for books.

"I'll just have these books of Du-
mas kept here for a few days," ad-
ded Harding, "and let Mrs. Harding
get over Hugo before I show her
Dumas."

The books were packed away.
They made quite a respectable
bundle and weighed a good deal.

A week passed, and Harding an-
nounced with great glee that he had
broached the subject to Mrs. Hard-
ing and that she had forgiven him
for spending the money on Dumas
as she had forgiven him the Victor
Hugo purchase.

"I'll take them home tonight," he
announced, and an hour or so later
he went out for luncheon.

While he was away the spirit of
evil entered into some of the other
clerks, and they substituted in the
package for the books a number of
large bricks and many newspapers.
The books they stored away in a
desk, and then they told everybody
else what they had done.

The whole office rejoiced to see
Harding bending double under his
load of books that afternoon and
speculated on what Harding and
Mrs. Harding would say and do and
think when the package was opened
in Brooklyn that night.

The next morning the whole force
was on hand early to laugh at Hard-
ing, and when he arrived the pre-
liminary guffaws were enjoyed, but
Harding looked sad, so there was
not much laughing.

"What's the matter, old man?"
asked his dearest friend, the one
who had substituted the bricks.

"I never saw such a man for hard
luck," answered Harding. "You
know that edition of Dumas!"

"Yes. What of it?"

"Well, I had my wife reconciled
to my spending the money for the
books, and Saturday night I took
them home. I got on the elevated
over in Brooklyn, and the guard
wouldn't let me take the package
into the car. I left it on the plat-
form and took my eyes off it for two
minutes, and some confounded thief
walked off with it."—New York

Four Widows.

The chronicles of births and deaths
kept by the minister of a New Eng-
land parish in the eighteenth cen-
tury afford much interesting and
some amusing reading even at this
late day.

In the records of deaths in one
Massachusetts town is chronicled
the departure from life of three
widows three successive years.
Their names are so odd as to bring
an involuntary smile to the face of
any reader who may chance upon
them. They are recorded in the fol-
lowing order:

1742. The Widow Duty.
1743. The Widow Yell.
1744. The Widow Lull.

A few years later in the same
town "the 'Widow Silence Dumm'
went to her rest.

Necessity is the mother of in-
vention and the hungry French-
man, told about in a biography
recently published in England,
illustrates the old adage anew.

He was in an English res-
taurant, and wanted eggs for
breakfast, but had forgotten the
English word. So he got around
the difficulty in the following
way:

Vaiterre, vat is dat valking in
de yard?

A cock, sir.

Ab! And vat you call de cock's
wife?

The hen sor,

And vat you call de shildrens
of de cock and his vife?

Chickens, sir.

But vat you call de shicken
before dey are shicked?

Eggs, sir.

Bring me two.

Where the Jews Live

Mr. David Sulzberger, of Phila-
delphia, has, with the assistance
of the American Jewish Histori-
cal Society, attempted to take a
census of the Hebrews in the
United States, with the following
result: Alabama, 6,000; Arizona,
2,000; Arkansas, 4,000; California,
35,000; Colorado, 1,500; Con-
necticut, 6,000; North and South
Dakota, 3,500; Delaware, 3,000;
District of Columbia, 3,500; Flor-
ida, 2,500; Georgia, 7,000; Idaho,
2,000; Illinois, 85,000; Indiana,
15,000; Iowa, 5,000; Kansas, 3,500;
Kentucky, 12,000; Louisiana, 20,
000; Maine, 1,000; Maryland, 35,
000; Massachusetts, 20,000; Mich-
igan, 9,000; Minnesota, 6,000; Mis-
sissippi, 5,000; Missouri, 25,000;
Montana, 2,500; Nebraska, 2,000
Nevada, 2,500; New Hampshire,
1,000; New Jersey, 25,000; New
Mexico, 2,000; New York, 350,000;
North Carolina, 12,000; Ohio,
50,000; Oregon, 6,000; Pennsyl-
vania, 85,000; Rhode Island, 3,500;
South Carolina, 8,000; Tennessee,
15,000; Texas, 32,000; Utah, 5,000
Vermont, 1,000; Virginia, 18,000;
Washington, 2,800; West Virgin-
ia, 6,000; Wisconsin, 10,000; Wyo-
ming, 1,000. Total, 937,800.—
Public Opinion.

FOR RENT.

On Dickerson Avenue. A nine-room
house, with kitchen, pantry, butler's
pantry, smoke house, wood house, sta-
bles, barn, buggy house, two gardens,
and a good well of water. For terms
apply to W. H. WHITE.

200 TONS COAL 200 TONS

EGG and NUTT

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We have a large

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FALL AND WINTER
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Saves many a failing business.
Secures success to any business

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.

Rain tonight and Thursday, warmer

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.

JUST THE NEWS

The Reflector Gives What You Are Looking For

B. Y. P. U. meets tonight.
Services in the Methodist church tonight.

Lee's birthday passed unobserved here today.

Good Farm Lots to rent, apply to Higgs Bros.

Cannon Cloth just arrived at Lang's Cash House.

The farmers are beginning to burn tobacco beds.

Cotton Seed Meal and Seed Oats, cheap at S. M. Schultz.

Many people looked for snow Tuesday night, but in vain.

Fresh Country Butter every day at Elmwood Dairy. Phone 14.

Rich Cream in any quantity on hand at any time. Elmwood Dairy Phone 14.

The Pitt County Buggy Company has ordered lumber to build a large annex to its factory.

There is a rumor that there will be another tobacco warehouse here next season, making five in all.

Rev. Wm. Black, Evangelist, has been conducting a meeting in the Presbyterian church at Kinston. The meeting closed Tuesday night. There were about thirty professions.

Greenville has no Board of Trade yet and no movement is in sight looking to the establishment of factories. Both these matters ought to be receiving the attention of our business men.

I have taken the agency for the Wilmington Steam Laundry and solicit the patronage of those wanting good work. Shipments made every Wednesday morning, returned Saturday evening. W. F. PREDDY.

QUO VADIS?

You Can Look And See for Yourself

J. A. Higgs, of Raleigh, is in town.

W. B. Wilson went to Bethel today.

Wiley Brown went to Portsmouth today.

H. W. Holcombe returned Tuesday evening from Wilson.

O. L. Joyner went to Kinston Tuesday evening.

J. J. Cherry, Jr., returned Tuesday evening from Washington.

Mrs. Dr. Dixon, of Ayden, who was visiting her brother, H. L. Coward, returned home Tuesday evening.

L. D. Ames, of Portsmouth, who is spending the winter here with his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Brown, went home today to spend a few days there.

W. P. King, of Kinston, has taken a position here with the Pitt County Buggy Company. W. D. Brady also has a position with the same company.

STATE NEWS.

The Free Press say that another tobacco warehouse will be built in Kinston by the opening of the next season.

The Star says a highwayman attempted to hold up the mail carrier between the depot and postoffice in Wilmington a few nights ago.

The Atlantic Coast Line has purchased additional property at Rocky Mount and will move its shops from Petersburg to that place.

The Croators of Robeson county announce through the columns of the Lumberton Robesonian, that hereafter they will vote the Democratic ticket. They are disgusted with the present administration.

While the beautiful exposition car "City of Charlotte" was in Statesville, some person took a sharp instrument and scratched up both sides of the car, and completely obliterated the picture of the little negro and the watermelon on the side of the car. It will cost \$500 to restore the paintings, which included pictures of some of the finest scenery in the state.

The most wonderful curiosity that the Journal has ever run up against is a hen belonging to Mr. David A. Coon, of Howard's Creek township. The hen is an Indian Game. Beginning at the root of its bill and continuing to the tip of its tail, the feathers on one side are as black as a crow, while the feathers on the other side are yellow.—Lincoln Journal.

Common Sense Advertising.

Ask a hundred men, "What is advertising?" and ninety-nine of them will say that advertising is—advertising.

Advertising, as I see it, is the announcement of anything by any means. Advertising is a commodity—as much so as dry goods, shoes or flour.

Advertising is one of the five links in the chain of business.

The advertising that does not pay is almost always the advertising that has not been given a chance to pay.

He pays good money for advertising space.

Schoolmate—"It must be lovely to be married to a newspaper man. You get free tickets to all the theaters and operas, don't you?"

Mrs. Scribbler—"Y-e-s, but we never go."

"Why not?"

"We haven't anything to wear."

Your Attention.

I have associated myself in the meat business with W. R. Parker under the firm style of W. R. Parker & Co. We will thank all the old customers and a great many new ones for their patronage. Collections will be made Monday morning, those falling to pay then will not be allowed further credit, as our capital is small. P. M. STARKEY, Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1898.

ELMWOOD DAIRY

We wish to inform our many friends and patrons that the capacity of Elmwood Dairy has just been very much enlarged and improved. We are now prepared to promptly fill all orders at the following prices, goods delivered at your door:

Elmwood Butter, . . . 25 cts a pound
Sweet Milk, 25 cts a gallon.
Sour Milk, 3 cts a quart.
Pure Cream, 25 cts a quart.

JAMES & WILEY BROWN, Proprietors.

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

STATEMENT OF THE

The Bank of Greenville, 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	159.07
Furniture and Fixtures	1,515.25	Cashiers Checks outstanding	\$67.38
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		

We study carefully the separate needs of our patrons, and shall be glad to have your account, promising every accommodation consistent with good banking.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by
The GREENVILLE SUPPLY CO.,
Cotton-Buyers
—and—
Wholesale Grocers

Cotton sold in Greenville, S. C.

NEW YORK.			
COTTON	Opening	Noon	Close.
January	5.60	5.62	5.67
March	5.64	5.64	5.69
May	5.70	5.72	5.76
August	5.82	5.82	5.86

CHICAGO.

WHEAT	Opening	Noon	Close.
January	91½	91½	91½
May	91½	91½	91½

RIBS.

January	465		
May	475	480	475

PORK.

January	945	945	937½
May	947½	957½	950



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—Dealer in—
Pork, Sides, Shoulders.

Farmers and Merchants buying their year's supplies will find it to their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches.

Flour, Sugar, Coffee.

Always at lowest market prices
Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars,
as we buy direct from manufacturers.

A complete stock of

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always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH therefore, having no rise to run we sell at a close margin.

S. M. SCHULTZ.

BOB GREENE & CO

UNDERTAKER FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS.

We have just received a new hearse and the nicest line of Coffins and Caskets, in wood, metallic and cloth ever brought to Greenville.

We are prepared to do embalming in all its forms.

Personal attention given to conducting funerals and bodies entrusted to our care will receive every mark of respect.

Our prices are lower than ever. We do not want monopoly but invite competition.

We can be found at any and all times in the John Flanagan Buggy Co's building.

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Our Business has ASSUMED SUCH Immense Proportions

That each Department has forced itself into prominence by its own magnificence. Our specialties are more numerous than ever and our prices constitute what well informed buyers term

BARGAINS BARGAINS

While our efforts have never relaxed in trying to give the people the best and the most for their money, yet we have started the new year with renewed efforts to make our store the Popular Store, and we have started out with

TWO SPECIAL SALES THIS MONTH

Our stock in fine **WOOLEN DRESS GOODS** is not only large but complete and we are showing many styles and combinations that are rich in quality, superb in beauty and low in price.

Special Sale Price for January:

- \$8.75 Patterns Reduced to \$7.00
- \$7.00 Patterns Reduced to \$5.50
- \$6.50 Patterns Reduced to \$5.00
- \$6.00 Patterns Reduced to \$4.75
- \$5.00 Patterns Reduced to \$3.65
- \$4.00 Patterns Reduced to \$3.00

Velvets, Silks, Laces and Braids to match and suit almost anything. Special sale of Fine All Wool

BED BLANKETS.

\$8.00 LAMB WOOL BLANKETS REDUCED TO.....\$6.50
\$6.00 CALIFORNIA WOOL BLANKETS REDUCED TO.....\$4.75
\$4.00 CALIFORNIA WOOL BLANKETS REDUCED TO.....\$3.00
Cheaper Grades, Good Blankets, for \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, and 90 cents.
Don't miss this rare opportunity. Your friends,

J. B. CHERRY & CO.