

Bribe of \$10,000 for a Vote.

Representative John C. Otis, of Cincinnati, who voted against Hanna for Senator, told the Legislative Investigating Committee how an attempt was made to bribe him for Mr. Hanna. He said he met H. H. Boyce, of New York, who witnesses have testified arranged the deal over the telephone from Cincinnati with Mayor Dick, Mr. Hanna's manager in Columbus, in the Gibson House, Cincinnati, and was promised an office by appointment of President McKinley to vote for Mr. Hanna. Mr. Otis says he referred Mr. Boyce to his attorney, T. C. Campbell.

Mr. Otis subsequently met Mr. Campbell who showed him \$1,000 which he said he got from Mr. Boyce. Later Mr. Campbell received \$750 more and was promised the remainder of \$10,000 in Columbus.

Mr. Campbell on the stand produced \$1,750, which he said he received from Mr. Boyce to be given to Mr. Otis if he voted for Mr. Hanna.

Attorney Campbell took occasion to say he did not believe Senator Hanna was interested in or knew Boyce.

Advantages of the Evening Newspaper.

Said a veteran newspaper man to us yesterday: "After years of experience and close observation, I have at last come to the conclusion that the afternoon paper is the coming paper. I don't mean that it will necessarily distance its morning competitor, but it will rival it as a newspaper, and as a moulder of public opinion. Ten years ago the afternoon paper was merely a supplementary sheet; today it occupies a field of its own, one that must be filled and one that is peculiarly attractive. In the first place, the public have come to require the news twice a day, but essentially in the evening, when they have leisure and inclination for reading. In the second place, the afternoon field is the most profitable and, in the North at least, the afternoon paper, with few exceptions, is the only one that is successful from a business point of view—which, after all, is the only sound basis for a permanently successful and useful newspaper."—Macon Evening News.

Returning to the Fold.

It takes a man of good stiff backbone to acknowledge that he is wrong and has been on the wrong track politically, and to make confession that he has had his eyes blinded by political demagogues. But we are glad to state that in this county many men have backbone enough to make such confession and within the past few days we have had the pleasure of talking to several men who say that they are done with the abominable corruption in politics as is exhibited by the fusion crowd now in power and that hereafter they will vote the Democratic ticket straight. And no wonder that they are seeing the error of their way. Leaving off the corruption North Carolina has not had such an expensive administration of affairs in twenty years. Yes, and coming nearer home, we venture the assertion that Union county has not in twenty years had a more expensive administration.—Monroe Enquirer.

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Stamped to Death

Wilson, N. C., Jan. 29.—News reached here this morning of a terrible tragedy that took place the early part of last night at "Lamm's Store," about seven miles west of this place. All kinds of rumors were afloat, at first it was heard that all the parties who engaged in the frightful duello were killed. From reliable authority we learn that only one man is dead and two, perhaps mortally wounded, the dead man being Mr. Pearson Eatman, who met his death at the hands of Mr. T. R. Lamm.

The dead man and his son were tenants of Mr. Lamm, and several days ago a dispute arose between them relative to a lot of cotton. Eatman and his son last night went to Lamm's Store and commenced to fire promiscuously about the premises. Mr. Lamm went out and requested the parties to disperse, whereupon Pearson Eatman turned his weapon, a 38 calibre pistol, upon Lamm and fired. Lamm then knocked his assailant down and stamped him to death, crushing his head into a mass of jelly. Lamm then turned upon Eatman's son, knocked him down and lacerated his head in a terrible manner with his foot, crushing in the cerebellum and severing one ear from his head.

The chances are that both Lamm and young Eatman will die. Mr. Lamm was shot only once, the ball taking effect in the right side just over or about the bowels.—Special to News and Observer.

Same in Pitt.

Wayne county needs cattle farmers, horse farmers, mule farmers. There is no over production of fat cattle, fine horses, or first class mules in this county, and there is good clean money in the raising of all three. All three can be raised here more economically than they can in the Northwest, and they command here higher prices. Home live stock farmers can secure the Northwestern prices plus the cost of transportation to our home markets. This State needs cattle, horse, mule, hog and sheep farmers.—Goldboro Advertiser.

Kentucky has a law which decrees that after a man has been missing for seven years, without having been heard of, he is dead. An acknowledgement of this curious law has just been made in the Supreme Court at Frankfort, where a life insurance company paid into court the amount for which it had insured James W. Tate, who was Treasurer of the State and disappeared eleven years ago, leaving a deficit of about \$80,000. Many of Tate's friends believe that he is living somewhere in Europe, but under the law he is dead.

Four Young Men off for Business College

Isaac A. Sugg, Jr., son of Col. I. A. Sugg, Edward G. Flanagan, son of Mr. John Flanagan, Ashley Thigpen, son of County Treasurer J. A. Thigpen all of Greenville, and Staton Peal, of Martin county, left for Macon, Ga., today to enter a business college at Macon, to prepare for business in life. These young men are of good material and THE REFLECTOR extends to them best wishes for success. We hear of some other young men who expect to go soon. We are always glad to see Pitt county boys doing well and we believe these young men will succeed.

Things to Remember.

- That the best poultry has firm flesh, yellow skin and legs.
- That lemons will keep for weeks if covered with cold water.
- That 60 degrees is not too low for the temperature of a dining room.
- That pork should be fine, close-grained and the rind smooth and thin.
- That the best beef is moderately fat and the flesh of red color.
- That soap and chalk mixed and rubbed on mildewed spots will remove them.
- That a brush dipped in salt water should be used in cleaning bamboo furniture.

Didn't Need a Gun

Mr. H. F. Koel tells us that a few days ago two hunters were shooting partridges in the field near his house. They flushed and fired into a covey when the birds flew directly to his house, three of them hiding in the perch, where his children went out and picked them up. He says that the hunters were so angry they actually scared the birds nearly to death, making it easy to catch them. The hunters were Messrs. B. F. Patrick and H. A. Sutton, at whose expense the incident is told. It is a fact, though, about the birds flying into his porch and his children picking them up.

Thursday Night

The B. Y. P. U. will have a meeting in the Baptist church Thursday night. Quite an interesting program has been prepared for the occasion. Besides recitations, music and reading selections, Mr. E. E. Hilliard, editor of the Scotland Neck Commonwealth, will deliver an address on John Bunyan. All are cordially invited.

Fulfilling the Scriptures.

A few days ago somebody, evidently with an eye to the approaching cold weather, stole Mr. W. F. Harding's overcoat, leaving the owner to face the biting winds as best he could. Mr. Harding says if the thief will pay him another call he may have his cloak also.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan. 31, 98.

Playing the voters for suckers is a very old Republican game, but it is to be played again this year, and, if it wins, in 1900. It is the regulation three card monte political trick. The Republican administration, through its President and Secretary of the Treasury, is manipulating the cards so that in sections where some silver voters are necessary to win, the cards will show the Republican party to be a great friend of bimetalism and many fairy stories will be told about what Mr. McKinley expects to accomplish for silver through international bimetalism, and in sections where the gold standard sentiment is held by a majority, the cards will show the Republicans in their true colors—supporters single gold standard. To be forewarned is to be forearmed, and if any real friend of silver gets caught in this game, he will deserve to be caught.

Czar Reed cracked the party whip and compelled the Republican majority of the House to stand up and be counted against the Teller resolution, declaring bonds to be payable in silver at the option of the government. Reed is no dodger, whatever else he may be. He is for the gold standard and for gold bonds, and he simply compelled the House to endorse the payment of bonds in gold by defeating the Teller resolution, although there are lots of Republicans who would rather that he had killed the resolution by the pigeon-hole method. If many of the Republicans of the House had dared to vote as they thought, there would have been enough of them with the solid Democratic vote to have overthrown Reed's plan and adopted the Teller resolution.

Senator Chandler, who has been conspicuous in his championship of Mr. McKinley's bimetalism, has this to say of the latest attempt of the latter to carry gold on one shoulder and silver on the other: "The President is trying to satisfy the gold people and also prosecute international bimetalism, which is a very difficult thing for him to do, because the former are not in favor of any kind of bimetalism. So he declares in favor of paying the national debt in the best money in the world, in deference to the gold people, and refrains from saying that the best money in the world is gold, in order to avoid disturbing the bimetalists. It may be sagacious policy, but it will be difficult to pursue it much longer, if Secretary Gage and his assistants are

to continue to declare, on every possible occasion, that international bimetalism is impossible, while the President maintains that he is prosecuting negotiations with other nations. The time will soon come for the explicit declaration as to whether Mr. Gage or the President represents the Republican party. Senator Chandler was the only eastern republican who voted for the Teller resolution, which was adopted by a vote of 47 to 32.

Those who have been blackguarding Spain for trying to buy the friendship of the United States through trade concessions offered in the negotiations for a reciprocity treaty between the United States and Spain, to include the products of Cuba and Porto Rico, which are now under way, will doubtless be surprised to learn that the first step in the negotiations was taken by the United States minister to Spain, under instructions from the Department of State, but such is the fact. Just why this administration should have gone out of its way to make such a practical demonstration of its friendliness towards Spain, each individual must determine for himself; but it seems to be all a part of the same deal with Spain which pacified Congress and the people for a time, by sending a U. S. warship to Havana.

The House by a vote of 183 to 67 passed the bill to pay \$288,000 to the Southern Methodist Book Publishing Company for damages sustained by the Company during the war.

No Senator presents more unique arguments than Senator Tillman, of S. C., and his latest, on the silver question, was one of his best. He said, as he walked down the aisle: "Before 1873, we used to go on two legs. One leg was gold and the other leg was silver. Then we cut one leg off but not content with that, we placed the cut-off on our shoulder and now we go hopping along on one leg with the other on our shoulder." The Senator illustrated his remarks by action and when he ended by hopping around on one leg, bending over with the imaginary burden on his shoulder, there was such a burst of laughter and applause that the Vice President had to sharply demand order.

The only Democrat who voted against the Teller resolution, declaring U. S. bonds payable in silver at Government's option, was Senator Caffery, of Louisiana.

The Lodge gold bond resolution having been defeated by a vote of 53 to 24 in the Senate, the gentlemen who have been paying board bills in Washington with the idea that legislation for gold bonds could be secured from this Congress have at last got their eyes open to facts known to most people from the first day of the session—the absolute impossibility of gold bond legislation.

It Is Growing

Public sentiment in favor of the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people is growing in every section of the Union. Bills have recently been introduced in the Legislatures of Maryland and Illinois legalizing senatorial primaries, and Virginia must keep up with the procession.—Northern Neck News.

The Kentucky and Tennessee board of fire underwriters authorized a reduction of 25 per cent. in rates on dwellings in fourth class towns, which includes towns without water-works or with insufficient water supply.

He Has No Faith in Them

Of course no sensible man has any confidence in the leaders of the Populist party. They are after plunder, and to gather that plunder, they will go to the right, to the left, or switch off on any track, or go in any direction that leads to that plunder, or do anything that will capture the plums at the pie counter.

But I still believe the majority of the rank and file of that party are honest good people, and will not follow their leaders and office-seekers and office-holders any farther in the direction of the Republican party, or into the Republican camp, or into a fight where it is impossible for their party to win, of one single one of their financial principles to prevail, or a single one on their side to be benefited, except the few who succeed in getting office in the Kilkenny-eat-dog scramble for spoils and plunder.—Capt. W. H. Kitchen in Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

A Baltimore man cured himself of nervous trouble by sending a bullet crashing through his brain. He is alive, and will recover, the action of the bullet having caused a change in his nervous system that will rid him forever of nervousness. It is doubtful, however, whether this new method of cure will ever become popular.

Mr. Charles Broadway Rouse, of New York, has contributed \$1,000 for a banquet to be given in Winchester by the Union Steam Fire Company on his birthday, February 11.

Pharmacy.

The druggist of the present time does not differ greatly from his brother of the eighteenth century. The extensive use of proprietary medicines, especially in America, has, however, decreased his prescriptions, but at the same time these proprietary medicines are sold through him and sell so largely that he does not complain. While a useful and able member of the community, the pharmacist of today is not an original investigator or a prescriber and limits his efforts to filling the prescriptions that are sent him by his friends, the physicians. Every year he becomes a greater adept at his art, which with the course of time has come to be considered a branch of trade rather than a profession, while the druggist is looked upon in the light of a skilled laborer. The most successful druggist of the present time is not he who mixes his drugs most skillfully, but he who has the business capacity to make his shop profitable to him. It is often the druggist least skilled in the art of pharmacy that possesses this capacity.

It is not unreasonable to believe that, as humanity progresses in its knowledge of hygienic living, a subject in which great interest is being taken today, the drug shop will be in less and less demand until, after the lapse of ages, it may become entirely extinct. Until that time the druggist will continue to ply his calling, alleviating by his drugs the ills of a too rapid civilization, in which men have no time to rest and repair their wasted energies, but simply patch them up by the use of the apothecary's wares, and because of this the druggist will for a long time remain an important member of any community in which he chooses to establish himself.—Lippincott's Magazine.

The Youngest Was the Eldest.

A curious legal point was decided in the reign of Elizabeth—at least, so the story goes. A country gentleman bequeathed his estate to his eldest son and £10 to the younger. He had only two sons, who were twins. The firstborn claimed the estate, but it seemed that he had been round the world with Drake, and so had lost a day on the voyage; hence the lawyers, sly rogues, assured him that his brother's claim was the best and, the adventurer acquiescing in the decision, departed on his travels with the £10 in his pocket.

Nearly half the passengers upon the transatlantic steamers carry bicycles as baggage. They land at South Kensington and there take their wheels, doing the isle of Wight and the seaside resorts in southern England, before going to London.

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Table with columns for Cotton and Peanuts prices. Includes items like Good Middling, Middling, Low Middling, Good Ordinary, and various Peanut grades.

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table listing market prices for various goods such as Butter, Western Sides, Sugar cured Hams, Corn, Corn Meal, Flour, Lard, Oats, Sugar, Coffee, Salt per Sack, Chickens, Eggs per doz, Beeswax per, and Cotton Seed per bushel.

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DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake 4.40 p. m., Waccamaw 5.09 p. m., Chadbourne 5.41 p. m., Marion 6.43 p. m., Florence 7.25 p. m., Sumter 9.10 p. m., Columbia 10.30 p. m., Denmark 6.12 a. m., Augusta 7.55 a. m., Macon 11.15 a. m., Atlanta 12.25 p. m., Charleston 10.50 p. m., Savannah 1.50 a. m., Jacksonville 7.30 a. m., St. Augustine 10.30 a. m., Tampa 5.25 p. m.

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DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 6.30 A. M., Boston 12.00 night, New York 9.30 am, Philadelphia 12.00 pm, Baltimore 2.25 pm, Washington 3.46 pm, Richmond 7.30 pm, Petersburg 8.12 pm, Norfolk 2.20 pm, Weldon 9.43 pm, Tarboro 6.01 pm, Rocky Mount 5.49 am, Leave Wilson 6.22 am, Goldsboro 7.01 am, Warsaw 7.53 am, Magnolia 8.05 am.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave except Sunday New Bern 9.00 am, Jacksonville 10.26 am. This train 12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

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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 am daily except Sunday.

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Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5.30 p. m., Sunday 4.15 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.10 p. m., returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.05 a. m. and 11.00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.10 a. m., arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m., Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., arrives 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., Chio 8.05 p. m., Returning leave Chio 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warrenton 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.

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Almost everybody that travels on the sea nowadays goes by steamer, but there are still some persons who, for one reason and another, take passage on sailing ships going usually long voyages. All big ships have one or two or perhaps more spare staterooms in their cabin, and so are able to carry comfortably a limited number of passengers. American ships sailing out of this port carry passengers—one, or it may be more—on probably half the voyages they make. Sometimes there are applications from more than can be accommodated; sometimes there are none at all.

For a long time it has been a custom to some extent to send on long voyages men whom it was sought thus to cure of a craving for liquor, for the benefits of the voyage and for enforced abstinence. There are yet such passengers, but some vessel owning firms now decline them.

Passengers making these long voyages in sailing vessels go some for pleasure, and others are actuated by various motives. For example, two young men who were friends went out from here together to Japan. One of them was the son of a New York importer who was going out to be a resident agent in Japan of his father's house. This house chartered ships and has constant dealings with ships, and it was desired that its representative should have some practical knowledge of them, which he could acquire on the voyage out. The other passenger on this voyage expected to follow the sea as a profession on steam vessels. He took this voyage as a part of his preparatory education in acquiring a knowledge of ships.

Men sometimes make the long voyages to gather literary material. There are sometimes passengers who take passage simply to get to some port of destination.

A while ago a New Yorker of ample means and of perfect health and with a love for the sea, who went out from here to San Francisco in a sailing ship, liked the ship and the captain and the life so well that he sailed in the ship for three years. He went in her from San Francisco to Liverpool and back to New York, out to San Francisco again, once more to Liverpool and back to New York and then to Japan in her. But, while some men make long voyages simply for the pleasure of it, probably more go for their health. The number of those who go to recover from the effects of overwork, men who are pretty nearly worn out and who need a rest, is considerable. They get here three to five months of absolute rest and freedom from care, and the results attained in some cases seem almost marvelous. The charge for a long voyage on the finest ships is \$300. A long voyage would be that to San Francisco, 100 to 150 days; to Japan the same, or to Australia 100 to 125 days. If the passenger remains on board in port, the charge for that is \$10 a week.—New York Sun.

Our Language.

An intelligent foreigner is said to have expressed himself after the following fashion on the absurdities of the English language: "When I discovered that if I was quick I was fast, if I stood firm I was fast, if I spent too freely I was fast, and that not to eat was to fast, I was discouraged, but when I came across the sentence, 'The first one won one \$1 prize,' I was tempted to give up English and learn some other language."—Exchange.

It is an easy matter, according to a writer in The Telephone, not only to talk through six hats, but through their owners if they will join hands for the passage of the telephonic current. The idea of being talked through without any knowledge of the conversation is more curious than agreeable.

The best slingers of the Roman army were from the Balearic isles. Boys were trained to early proficiency by having their dinners suspended from a tree and being required to cut the string with a sling stone ere they could dine.

When the sun sets at the extreme western boundary of Alaska, it has already risen in Maine. The day ends two hours earlier in Hawaii than in Alaska.

Austria is the country most lenient to murderers. In ten years over 800 persons were found guilty of murder, of whom only 23 were put to death.

PROUD OF HIS ENGLISH.

The Austrian Gentleman Helps Entertain an American Tourist.

An American physician was invited to dine at the house of a prominent journalist in Budapest. He was introduced to an Austrian who, the host whispered proudly, spoke English fluently.

"I saw that Mr. Fehevary was not at his ease, for his English and reputation were at stake," says the doctor.

"Our Magyar friends immediately wished us to speak English to each other, and a circle was formed around us, as if we were two prize-fighters ready for the fray. I said: 'How do you do, Mr. Fehevary?' 'Most vell,' he answered bravely.

"Where did you study English?' 'In myself,' he said, with great effort."

The young woman the doctor took out to dinner had come in from the country especially to meet him. She was much disappointed to find the gentleman from America was white. She plied him with all manner of questions. Dinner began with chicken soup, "and," continues the narrator, "of course my neighbor asked did we eat soup in America.

"Next came roast goose that melted upon the lips like butter. Green peas were the wheels of its chariot.

"Do you have geese?' my neighbor asked.

"Plenty of them,' I said.

"Are they as good as those in Hungary?"

"I wanted to say much better because the kind I meant asked no questions, but I controlled myself and said instead that they couldn't compare with Hungarian geese. Spring chicken, fried in olive oil—the chicken better than the goose—was the third course.

"Do you have chickens?' queried my interlocutor, 'and what do you do with them?"

"That depends upon their age," I said. Dessert, which has no name-sake this side of the Atlantic, followed. Fruit and wine, the ladies also partaking of the latter, closed the dinner, but not the mouth of my inquisitive neighbor.

"Do the girls dress differently from the boys? Do you have bath-rooms?"

"Yes, and we take a bath once in awhile."

"How large a city is America?"

"Considerably larger than Budapest."

"At this point our hostess rising afforded me a blessed release from the witness stand. The gentlemen were going to the coffee house to read the papers, and the ladies would follow in an hour, I was told. Mr. Fehevary kept at a safe distance from me all the time. I saw him handling a pocket dictionary and knew he was getting loaded with something, for he looked very studious, and his lips were moving incessantly. At last he seemed to have it, for a look of triumph came over his face.

"We were ready to go. The servants all stood in a row, waiting for a fee. Mr. Fehevary couldn't go to the coffee house—he was too busy—but he followed me to the door, and, in hearing of all the Estetys, the whole newspaper staff, and the servants, male and female, he said triumphantly as he shook my hand: 'I been enthused to make your connections.'"—What to Eat.

American Paper in England.

England uses American paper in her public offices, finding it of the best quality made. Its decrees, before which foreign nations and tribes all around the world bow, are inscribed over the watermark of the eagle instead of the lion, which ought to stiffen and re-enforce their validity. It has never been remarked of Great Britain that she didn't know a good thing when she saw it, or that she did not promptly reach out and annex it when it was possible. In the case of stationery there is no impediment and Uncle Sam will cheerfully extradite any quality of it on her requisition, as he has been doing for some time past.—New York Tribune.

Might Be Fractured.

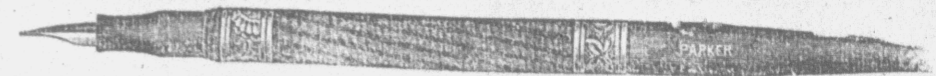
"Of course," observed Xerxes, the king, "my will is law."

"Doubtless," answered the wise man of the court, after consulting a few authorities. "That is to say, if your majesty doesn't leave too large an estate."—Chicago Record.

Not Always Available.

It is said a pinch of salt on a slice of tomato will cure the hiccough every time it is tried, but the man going home late seldom has the salt and tomato at hand.

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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.

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Weather Bulletin.

Fair to-night and Wednesday, colder and freezing near the coast.

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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.

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JUST THE NEWS

The Reflector Gives What You Are Looking For

February.
Second month,
Shortest month of the year.
Just four of every day in the week this month.

The wind howled and the wires whistled last night.

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

Odd Fellows meet tonight. Work in the initiatory degree.

It has been about as cold today as anybody wants to see it.

WANTED.—A good Milch Cow with young calf. ALFRED FORBES.

A beautiful line of Percales just arrived at Lang's Cash House.

February starts off like it intended to carry out the prophets' prediction that we are to have a month of weather.

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. P. PREDDY.

The newspaper man tells incessantly—lives a lifetime in ten years, and unless he is smart enough to rise above detail work, he will find rest in the grave at 50 or thereabouts. Do not take up newspaper work unless the profession calls you.—Press and Printer.

Daughters of Rebekah

All who have applied to join the Rebekah Lodge as charter members will present themselves at the hall of Covenant Lodge I. O. O. F. Wednesday evening at 7:30 as the lodge will be instituted that night by Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell.

FEBRUARY FREEZERS.

That is What They Think of the Weather

H. P. Strause went to Tarboro today.

Hoge Irwin returned to Kinston Monday evening.

J. M. Check returned Monday evening from Raleigh.

Rev. A. W. Setzer returned Monday evening from Rocky Mount.

George Hughes, of Tarboro, spent last night here and left this morning.

J. R. Congleton, of Washington, was here today and made THE REFLECTOR a call.

J. S. C. Benjamin and wife left this morning for Robersonville to make that place their home.

Mrs. J. Hugh Parham, of Kinston and Mrs. J. F. Jordan, of Raleigh, are visiting Mrs. E. E. Parham.

E. G. Flanagan and H. A. Sugg, Jr., left this morning for Macon, Ga., to take a course in a business college.

J. H. Jones, who has been here during the tobacco season, left this morning for his home in Danville.

People have had the shivers today.

Oat deer work almost at a standstill, except with the wood haulers.

It looks like those who wanted to see a good freeze will get their wish this time.

The wind today has displaced a portion of the railroad bridge so there is some doubt about the train being able to pass over it unless it can be replaced in time.

Will Come Later.

Parker, the photographer, of Kinston, did not meet his engagement here this week on account of the cold and disagreeable weather. In the near future he will make another engagement here and M. P., the weather permitting. Watch out for his announcement.

Taken to Tennessee.

The remains of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan, age 2 years, departed by Mr. F. M. Hodges, left on the morning train for Greenville, Tenn., where the interment will take place. A service was held at 8 o'clock in the Methodist church conducted by Rev. N. M. Watson. The remains were prepared for shipment in a handsome mahogany case by undertaker E. Greene.

Not a Vacancy Yet.

Wheeler Martin, of Williamson, who it is stated Gov. Russell has considered the appointment as Solicitor of this district to succeed C. M. Bernard, spent Monday night here. When Mr. Martin was asked if he would accept the appointment, he replied that it would be time enough to make a decision in the matter when it was found out whether there is to be a vacancy, as there will be no vacancy unless Mr. Bernard's appointment as district attorney is confirmed.

JUST FOR FUN

No, Maud, dear, the flywheel is not a bicycle designed for aerial navigation.

The millionaire may despise the laboring man, but the gravedigger puts him down in the end.

Wearry Winters—"I'd hate to be a fireman." Tired Trotter—"So'd I. Think o' the danger of gettin' soaked with water when a hose bursts."

"It's not so hard to make both ends meet," remarked the sausage manufacturer as he tossed the fore and hind quarters of a dog into the chopping machine.

FOR RENT.

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

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$42,904.81	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	1,650.62	Undivided Profits	3,797.27
Premium on Stock	1,900.00	Deposits subject to Check	103,254.89
Due from Banks	44,598.00	Due to Banks	159.07
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
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TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

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NEW YORK.

COTTON.	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
March	5.73	5.74	5.74
May	5.79	5.81	5.81
August	5.89	5.90	5.90

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
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July	487½	487½	482½
Sept.	99	99½	98

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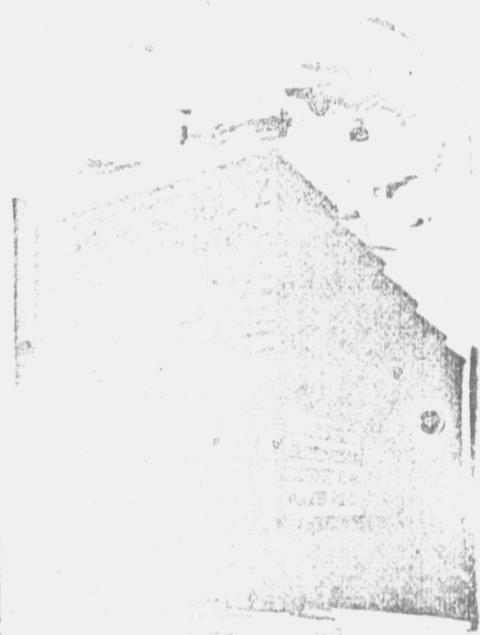
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