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The Ladies

of Greenville are cordially invited to inspect our beautiful line of

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EDGING

just received. Also a lovely line of

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We have just received a complete line of

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consisting in part of Ladies Shirt Waist Sets, Gent's Cuff and Stud Buttons in all the latest styles.

Winter-Goods-Winter Winter-Goods-Winter

Ricks & Taft.

Gen Lee In Great Danger.

Havana, March 7, (via Key West, Fla.) March 7.—The newspapers here received dispatches from New York today describing a critical situation in the United States, but Blanco, fearing an outbreak, suppressed the telegrams. Editors allowed the news to get to their friends, and among the politicians and a blaze of indignation against the United States resulted, particularly when it became known that the United States had refused to recall Gen. Lee.

Only the efforts of Gen. Blanco prevented a hostile demonstration against Americans.

If the news of McKinley's firm attitude should spread abroad among the crowds which are now parading the streets, full of enthusiasm over the arrival of 1,500 Spanish soldiers and the presence in the harbor of Spanish warships, serious trouble may occur at any moment.

The garrison is kept in their barracks ready for any emergency.

Gen. Lee is in great danger, and it may be said that no man ever conducted himself with more serene courage than he is doing under the trying circumstances in which he is placed.

General Blanco has privately asked the editors not to excite the passions of the people.

La Lucha, however, demands war. Blanco sent a long despatch to Spain, describing the gravity of the situation, and saying that the continued presence of Consul General Lee in Havana is a source of trouble, and adds to the grave responsibilities of the Captain General.

By Cable to The Raleigh Post.

A Maine Diver at Southport.

Wilmington, N. C., March 7.—A special to the Star from Southport says that J. W. Bonner, of the divers employed on the Maine in Havana harbor, arrived there today on the tug J. D. Jones, from Key West. Bonner says he went to Havana on the steamer Right Arm, on February 23d, and was employed at work on the Maine until the 28th.

He states that the Maine was undoubtedly blown up through outside agency, telling how the forward six inch turret was thrown from the port side backward, a distance of 70 feet, on to the starboard superstructure, and the ship's bottom on the starboard side, with green paint on it, was thrown up and projects four feet out of the water.

He went on to say that the bow is detached from the main part of the ship by a breadth of water of 70 feet, which, by his soundings, proved to be 30 feet in depth. He gives a graphic account of the awful picture the Maine presented with the terrible havoc wrought by the explosion, and the heart-rending sight of the mangled bodies floating in the debris.

The information is that the farmers in the State east of Raleigh have purchased more heavily of fertilizers this spring than for several years, owing to the spread of tobacco culture in that section, while from Raleigh to the mountains the purchases have been less. It is better for the farmers of the cotton belt of the State to diversify their crops, but The Post would remind them that tobacco, unless it is of good quality, is less profitable than cotton, even at 5 cents per pound, or corn at 50 cents a bushel, and more exhaustive to the soil. Tobacco of good quality, well cured and handled, will command a good price, but sorry tobacco is more than a delusion and a snare. But, our farmers are on the right track in diversifying their crops.—Raleigh Post.

A Mule With Sense.

The driver of that little mule at the Benbow, who has been pulling the baggage wagon for the hotel for years, says he has "jist a wickel lot of sense." He declares that should he happen to be up street and hear the train whistle he will make for the depot in a hurry, and that he can distinguish a freight train whistle from a passenger train. One thing is sure, he can back his wagon up to the platform better than one half the boys who drive him.—Greensboro Record.

He—"I wish I were a war rumor; I'd get rich." She—"What nonsense!" He—"Not at all. War rumors gain currency without any trouble."

STATE NEWS

Next Monday a superintendent for the Odd Fellows' orphan home at Goldsboro will be elected. The institution has been without a superintendent for some time.

Geo. W. Vanderbilt proposes to continue the development of the model village of Biltmore by the erection of a school for white pupils, the building of several handsome buildings and the establishment of an electric light plant.

Two dynamite cartridges were found on the trestle on the Mocksville Railroad by a white man half an hour before the passenger train arrived Monday morning. The train was stopped and the cartridges given to the conductor, who took them to Winston. The train crew and passengers were badly frightened when advised of what had been found. They believe that the train would have been knocked into the river if the dynamite had been struck by the engine.

JUST FOR FUN.

The observer of men and things does not necessarily observe Lent.

It seems strange that a young girl cannot get into society until she "comes out."

It was probably a deaf man who wrote "Man wants but little hear below."

"Although sometimes I am a poke," remarked the index finger, "still, I'm always on hand."

"I realize," said the stamp on the love letter, "that I'm not sucking exactly to facts."

"Snappy is the most even-tempered man I ever saw." "What? I never saw him pleasant in my life." "That's what I mean. He's always kicking about something."

Lady—"If you saw that wood I'll give you a good meal." Tramp—"Thank you, lady." Lady (who has given him the meal in advance)—"Here, where are you going?" Tramp—"Why? You told me if I saw the wood you'd give me a meal. I saw it soon's I come in the gate."

Chuck Coming.

Mexican Chick spent today here arranging for the coming of his company next week. Their dates will be 16th and 17th.

All those schemes for taxing bachelors with a view of driving them into matrimony are wrong. More men get married now than wives can comfortably support.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1898.

Matters are taking on a more war like attitude around Washington. A bill was introduced in Congress Monday providing for an appropriation of \$50,000,000 for purposes of defense and procuring additional war vessels.

An exchange says the doctors in Sweden never send bills to their patients, the amount of remuneration being left entirely to the generosity of the latter. If the doctors of this country were to go to this plan an enlargement of our poor houses would be necessary.

A Threatening Outlook.

The indications of a clash between the United States and Spain are stronger now than they have been at any time since the war-cloud first appeared. Since the outbreak of the present revolution in Cuba the world, Spain along with the balance of it, has seen that the sympathies of the United States were with the insurgents and this knowledge brought, naturally, an estrangement between this country and Spain.

Thus the case stands at this moment. Spain's withdrawal of her requests is an evidence of vacillation and weakness on the part of the ministry, and it may or may not mean much. The state of public feeling in the two countries is very much the same. The Spaniards, ignorant and bigoted, think, notwithstanding that they cannot conquer Cuba that they can whip the United States, and they want war. The people of the United States feel that this country could make an easy conquest of Spain, and as things are rather quiet at home the great majority of them are keen for a foreign war.

Of one fact there remains no doubt, and that is that the army and naval forces of the United States are being put on a war footing with all the expedition possible and at all the expense necessary to be incurred. This may be in the nature of a safe precaution against a possible but remote emergency, or it may be in expectation of an early opening of hostilities.

The indications at this time are most assuredly that way. As a contemporary remarked recently two nations very frequently make all their preparations for war and get upon the very verge of hostilities without ever coming into actual collision, and it may turn out so in this case. It is to be devoutly hoped it will; and yet the situation is threatening.—Charlotte Observer.

A Crank in the Church

A crank of an unusual species attracted considerable attention at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning. At the time of assembling for services he strayed into the church and took a back seat. The strained look on his face and his restless maneuvering during the sermon proved to the people in the back part of the church that he was either crazy or had a burden on his mind of which he wished to relieve himself.

He soon gained the attention of the officers of the church, who took charge of him. They, considering him an object of charity took up a small collection and sent him on his way rejoicing.—Charlotte News.

Judge Emory Speer, of Georgia, an ex-Confederate, has accepted an invitation to deliver a memorial address at the exercises to be held at Galena, Ill., on April 27 next in celebration of the birthday of General Grant.



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Table with market prices for Butter, Western Sides, Sugar cured Hams, Corn, Corn Meal, Flour, Family, Lard, Oats, Sugar, Coffee, Salt per Sack, Chickens, Eggs per doz, Beeswax, per, Cotton Seed, per bushel.

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The next session of the school open on

MONDAY SEPT. 6, 1898

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The terms are as follows: Primary English per mo. \$2.00, Intermediate " " \$2.50, Higher " " \$3.00, Languages (each) " " \$1.00

The work and discipline of the school will be as heretofore.

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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.

LOGGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 234 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 W. J. Wilson, Sec.

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

Table with cotton and peanut prices: Good Middling 6 1/2, Middling 5 1/2, Low Middling 5 7-15, Good Ordinary 4 1/2, Tone—steady.

Table with peanut prices: Prime 2 1/2 to 2 3/4, Extra Prime 2 1/4, Fancy 2 1/4 to 2 1/2, Spanish 55c bu, Tone—steady.

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A Simple, Harmless Remedy, Yet It Cures the Worst of Dyspepsia and Indigestion

Dr. Jennison, who has made a life study of stomach troubles, says: All forms of indigestion really amount to the same thing, that is, failure to completely digest the food eaten; no matter whether the trouble is acid dyspepsia or sour stomach, belching of wind, nervous dyspepsia or loss of flesh and appetite; a person will not have any of them if the stomach can be induced by any natural, harmless way to thoroughly digest what is eaten, and this can be done by a simple remedy which I have tested in hundreds of aggravated cases with complete success. The remedy is a combination of fruit and vegetable essences, pure aseptic pepsin and golden seal put up in the form of pleasant tasting tablets and sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. One or two of these tablets should be taken after meals and allowed to dissolve in the mouth and mingling with the food in the stomach, digests it completely before it has time to ferment, decay and sour.

On actual experiment one grain of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest three thousand grains of meat, eggs and similar wholesome foods.

It is safe to say if this wholesome remedy was better known by people generally, it would be a national blessing, as we are a nation of dyspeptic and nine-tenths of all diseases owe their origin to imperfect digestion and nutrition.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not a secret patent medicine, but a fifty cents package will do more real good for a weak stomach than fifty dollars worth of patent medicines and a person has the satisfaction of knowing just what he is putting into his stomach, which he does not know, when widely advertised patent medicines are used.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, full sized packages, 50c.

A little book on cause and cure of stomach troubles mailed free by addressing The Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

A Needed Reform

It is to be hoped that all parties in this State will this year put a plank in their platforms advocating the establishment of a reformatory for young criminals. That this is a needed reform we believe that thinking people in all parties will admit. The legislatures for several years have tried to apologize for failing to do their duty in this respect by the excuse, "lack of funds." If the money that has been wasted on less worthy objects had been saved we would now have sufficient funds to build and equip several reformatories.—Progressive Farmer.

Housekeepers Should Know

That sandpaper will whiten ivory handled knives which have become yellow from age or usage.

That a spoonful of vinegar added to the water in which meats or fowls are boiled makes them tender.

That warm bread and cake should be cut with a knife the blade of which has been heated by standing it in boiling water.

Helen Gould, who is worth twenty-five millions in her own right, has entered the law school of Columbia University, with the intention of qualifying herself for admittance to the bar. She does not mean to practice law of course. What she wants, says the Chicago Tribune, is to learn how to protect her property interests without the aid of attorneys, who are expensive and not always scrupulously faithful. Miss Gould's example is a good one for women who have wealth in their own names to follow.

The young bride of an army officer, while watching her husband's home-coming from an open third-floor window in Paris recently, lost her balance and fell to the pavement below, with instantly fatal consequence. It is the all-pervasive pathos of an incident like this, which proves that there is "a touch of nature which makes the whole world kin"

PINCIO LOVE MATCHES.

How Some Roman Youths Select and Woo Their Brides.

Among the myriad charms of Rome are the patches of fertility which spring up here and there amid the sea of brick and mortar. The most conspicuous of these is the Pincio and its surroundings, a veritable rus in urbe. Here nature has ably seconded human skill. The altitude of the gardens and the magnificent view they afford make them unequalled by any other public park. True their area is small, but what of that? It brings its visitors all the more in touch with one another, and this is the secret of its charm for the Romans, whatever may be its attraction for strangers, for, let the truth be told, the Pincio is the great flirting ground of Rome. Nor should this horrify the reader. It is intended en tout bien tout honneur.

It is probable that the Pincio sees the inception of half the marriages in Rome. It is a curious sociological fact, but the explanation of it is simple. It has been commented upon by numberless writers that Italians are exclusive, though not in the usually accepted sense of the word. They are proverbially open and friendly, especially to strangers, the commercial value of whose visits to their land they appreciate, but this cordiality, even to their own countrymen, has its limit. In no country more than in Italy is a man's home his castle, and, except in the highest circles and where there is no poverty to be concealed, he is chary of his hospitality. This is especially true of Rome and Naples. Therefore, if neither she nor her parents receive many visitors, how is the Roman girl of the bourgeoisie class who is not "in society" to meet the inevitable lover for whose advent and her consequent emancipation from parental tyranny she longs more ardently than young women usually do? The answer is, "The Pincio."

On Thursdays and Sundays, when the band plays—uncommonly well, by the way—and the park is in consequence crowded to overflowing, the signorina who is the fortunate possessor of a becoming costume dons it and demurely accompanies her mother to the municipal pleasure ground, where each expends 10 centimes for the temporary right to a comfortable chair ingeniously constructed as to be springy, though fashioned entirely of iron. If she be a wise maiden, she will so maneuver that the chairs will be placed on the main pathway where every one must pass. This being achieved, she may await developments, and, if she have pretensions to beauty, she will not long be left in anticipation. The young men who pass will gaze at her approvingly, and finally one, to whom she may especially appeal, will detach himself from the crowd and take up his stand before her. Thus is initiated the first chapter of the romance. From that moment, without a word or sign, and even with scarcely a look from her, he becomes her swain and faithful knight. Week after week he sees her at the Pincio. He even follows her about the streets. Having ascertained her abode and her name, he generally soon manages to find a mutual friend who performs the introduction. The rest is obvious. Or, if they do not happen to have acquaintances in common, when the silent lovemaking has progressed far enough, a demand for the damsel's hand is made directly to her parent. Then, as a sedate married couple, they revisit together the scene of their wooing. This procedure, as I have said, is extremely common and is considered proper among respectable members of the middle class. I have been told that marriages thus made turn out, as a rule, as well as could be desired.—New York Commercial.

A Persian Assassin.

The late shah of Persia, according to a recent story, was assassinated not for political purposes, but through revenge. His murderer, Mohammed Riza, was a theological student, but was compelled to become a trader by the confiscation of his property. He sold some of his goods to the son of the shah, and in due time presented his bill. For this he was thrown into prison and his wife transferred to the prince's harem. After seven years he was released and fled to Constantinople. At an opportune time he returned, disguised, to Teheran and, waiting a chance, shot the shah, crying, "The tree that bears bitter fruit must be cut down!"

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Jan. 17th, 1911

Departures from Wilmington. NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Mag 9.35 a. m. ...

DAILY No 40—Passenger Due Mag 7.15 p. m. ...

SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake 4.0 p. m. ...

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston 5.50 P. M. ...

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 5.50 A. M. ...

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave except New Bern 9.00 am. ...

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave 1.20 P. M. ...

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m. ...

Trains on Washington branch leave Washington 8.20 a. m. ...

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C. via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5.30 p. m. ...

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.10 a. m. ...

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. ...

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warlaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11.20 a. m. ...

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Belmont, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

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ONE ENJOYS

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Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
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Weather Bulletin.

Fair tonight, Thursday increasing cloudiness.

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.

When the hour hand points to nine, Have your washing on the line.



\$500.00 GUARANTEE. ABSOLUTELY HARMLESS. Will not injure hands or fabric. No Washboard needed. Can use hard water same as soft. Full Directions on every package. An 8-oz. package for 5 cts. or 6 for 25 cts. Sold by retail grocers everywhere. "When the Hour Hand Points to Nine, Have Your Washing on the Line."

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Recommended by the best house-keepers for Clothes Washing, Dish Washing, House Cleaning.

5 Cts Package. Try it.

For sale by

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

LITTLE MISSILES

Not for War, but of a News Nature

The races at Washington begin today. Services in the Methodist church tonight. The warmer days are giving a new impetus to gardening. Cotton Seed Meal and Seed Oats cheap at S. M. Schultz. Evangelist Gales is conducting a meeting in Washington. As the days go by the need of an opera house becomes more apparent.

There is a pretty display of Easter eggs in one of J. B. Cherry & Co's. windows.

Have your laundry ready to go off Wednesday morning. You get the best work done at the Wilmington Steam Laundry.

W. F. PREDDY, Agent.

He Knew That Crow.

But Peebles bought a coop of chickens from a farmer the other day. Shortly they disappeared at night, and Bud was chickenless. A day or so afterward the farmer sold and delivered a load of wood to a colored gentleman on the Pond. While unloading the wood he heard the familiar crow that used to wake him at daybreak and recognized at once the voice of the rooster he had sold Bud Peebles. He hid himself off and told Peebles who in turn went to the Pond and captured all but one of the fowls. The missing one had been served up on a platter at the confiscator's table and of course was not to be re-captured.—Winston Journal.

Notice.

I wish to inform the public that I will continue in the Brokerage business, and will carry a full line of all kinds of groceries and fruits. Thanking my friends for the patronage given me in the past, I solicit a continuance of their orders. Office at present in S.T. White's store. W. F. MORRILL.

ENLISTED.

On Other Missions Than War.

Rev. B. R. Hall left this morning. Rev. C. J. Woodson, of Gates, is in town. J. H. Small, of Washington, arrived Tuesday evening to attend court. Mrs. W. A. Parham, of Oxford, is visiting her sons, B. E. and J. H. Parham. Rev. K. H. Basmajian left Tuesday evening for Winterville where he delivered a lecture.

John Strickland, of Kinston, who had been spending two days here, returned home Tuesday evening.

Wills Norman, of Plymouth, arrived Tuesday evening to make his home with his brother, J. S. Norman.

H. B. Clark is going to move to Washington and will close out his stock here at cost. See advertisement.

R. B. Smith, of the Beaufort Lumber Co., whose present headquarters is Edenton, came in Tuesday evening.

W. H. Cox, of Kinston, who spent yesterday here, left on the morning train for New York to buy his spring stock.

J. B. Cherry left this morning for the northern markets to purchase spring goods for the firm of J. B. Cherry & Co.

W. B. James left this morning for the northern markets to purchase his wife's spring stock of millinery. He will be assisted by Miss Dameron, of Baltimore, in making the selections and she will return to Greenville in time for the spring trade.

War Preparations.

A bulletin to THE REFLECTOR says that the battleship Montgomery reached Havana this afternoon. The United States has purchased two vessels from Japan and has sent Lancett to England to purchase more.

Horse Thief Caught.

A few mornings ago a negro put in an appearance at Bethel, having a rather nice looking horse with him. He offered to sell the horse for \$80, but those whom he approached having a doubt in their minds as to the negro being the real owner of the horse no one was inclined to purchase. The negro kept lowering the price until he was offering to let the animal go at \$25. Suspicion became so strong that he was taken in custody and a message of inquiry sent to Tarboro. It turned out that the negro had stolen the horse from a man living near Tarboro. The horse is back with the proper owner and the negro is in jail.

Commissioners' Meeting

At the March meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, the expenditures of the general fund were as follows: Paupers \$107.50; bridges \$75.61; County Home \$253.85; Superintendent Health \$34.33; Register of Deeds \$17.02; Commissioners \$9.60; coal \$49.75; Court House \$18.35; Court cost, witnesses, &c. \$26.85; Swift Creek and Contentnea stock law \$131.50; Greenville stock law \$79.61.

Twenty two members of Rough and Ready Fire Company, of Greenville, were exempted from poll tax for the year 1897.

The order passed at February meeting allowing \$27 for repairs of Fork Swamp bridge was rescinded.

Poll taxes were refunded to L. C. Hayes, Berry Lee and John Little for over age, Geo. Forbes for non-residence, Jasper Langley, for invalid, J. B. Gay exempted for disability.

A new road was ordered laid out in Chicod township from the Campbell school house near J. A. K. Tucker's to the Red Banks road.

THIS WAR IS A CUT ON PRICES!

Having decided not to run two stores during the Spring and Summer, I have moved the New York Clothing Store stock over to my old stand next to the Bank of Greenville. Combining the two stocks makes more goods than I have room for, and to remove this difficulty I will for

THIRTY-DAYS

Put the entire stock on the market AT PRIME COST - FOR - CASH

This is no fake but a necessity. I am overstocked, I don't want to throw the surplus goods away, so to get the stock low enough to accommodate I am going to give them to you at almost your own price. This is a Klondike that you don't find every day. Come on while you can get a chance at these goods.

C. T. MUNFORD,

Next door to Bank of Greenville

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. J. L. LITTLE, Cash'er, REORGANIZED JUNE 15th, 1896.

STATEMENT OF THE Bank of Greenville, GREENVILLE, N. C. At the Close of Business Feb. 18th, 1898.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts, \$39,401.35	Capital stock paid in, \$23,000.00
Overdrafts, 1,298.50	Undivided Profits, 2,687.35
Premium on Stock, 1,000.00	Deposits subject to check, 109,566.99
Due from Banks, 50,473.36	Cashiers checks outstanding, 874.56
Furniture and Fixtures, 1,517.75	
Cash Items, 1,567.68	
Cash, 40,870.26	
\$136,128.90	\$136,128.90

TO-DAY'S MARKETS. AT WHOLESALE ONLY.

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

	NEW YORK.	CHICAGO.
Cotton sold in Greenville, 5 1/2		
	NEW YORK.	CHICAGO.
COTTON	Opening Noon. Close.	Opening Noon. Close.
March	6.05 6.10 6.06	
May	6.11 6.14 6.11	
August	6.17 6.19 6.15	
WHEAT	Opening Noon. Close.	Opening Noon. Close.
May	105 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2	
PORK.		
May	1025 1020 1030	
RIBS.		
May	512 1/2 510 515	

50000 LBS MEAL, 3000 LBS LARD, 500 BARRELS FLOUR, 200 BOXES TOBACCO, 100 CASES BAKING POWDERS, 100 CASES SOAP, 100 CASES LYE, 100 CASES WASHING POWDERS, 25 SACKS COFFEE.

We also have in stock Sugar, Butter, Cheese, Canned Goods, Snuff, Wrapping Paper and Bags and many other things to numerous to mention. Send us your orders. Mail orders receive prompt attention. Agents for Standard Oil Co

The Greenville Supply Co.