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W. H. Ricks. E. H. Taft.

## Ricks & Taft.

The winter is most gone and with it must go all the

## WINTER GOODS

we have in stock, so now is the time to make Big Bargains. We have not space to make any prices here but simply say they are very low.

## Just Received

A nice lot of



## John Kelly's SLIPPERS

for the Ladies.

Ricks & Taft.

## WE'VE JUST OPENED

in the Rialto building (third door from corner) with an entirely new stock of choice

## FAMILY GROCERIES.

Embracing every thing needed for table and family use. Our stock being new and fresh you run no risk of getting stale goods when you trade with us. We keep the best only of everything in our line.

Jesse Smith & Co.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

JESSE SMITH & CO.  
FANCY GROCERS

### Butler's Programme.

Col. John T. Britt, editor of the Oxford Public Ledger, is in Washington as private secretary of Congressman Kitchen. Writing to his paper last week, Mr. Britt says:

"We have learned, from a source which is entitled to more credence than ordinary rumors, that Senator Butler intends to play what he thinks a very shrewd game on the Democrats in the nomination for offices this summer. Briefly outlined his plan is this: He will call his convention at the same time and place as the Democratic convention. Then he will make certain overtures for fusion, and along certain lines only. He will probably offer fusion on congressional lines, the terms of which will be that the Populists retain three Congressmen (Fowler, Strowd and Shuford) and allow the Democrats the other six. He may or may not offer fusion for members of the Legislature or county officers.

"Senator Butler thinks to force the Democrats into fusion on his own terms, by this move, or else go before the people with the cry that Democrats are not sincere in their advocacy of silver and the Chicago platform, and further claim that they are dominated by bossism and gold-bugs. All this may be very nice for the Senator, if it works. He realizes that the Democrats are solid and sincere and that the party is being strengthened by recruits every day from the better elements of their opponents. He knows that the late fusion with the Republicans has gained him nothing. Pritchard carried enough of his (Butler's) followers with him to re-elect him to the Senate. This was in spite of all Butler could do, and was very humble pie for him to eat.

"Your plan is very pretty, Senator, but it won't work!"

### Settling Back.

Greenville has dropped back today to its every day going ways. The racers, the fakirs, the red flower sellers, the balloon blowers, the bird tricksters, the cement sticker, the squedunk howler and the show folks have shaken the dust of the town and departed.

### Small Fire.

Just before noon today a fire alarm was turned in, and the weather being windy and dry the alarm gave people an uneasy feeling. The roof to the kitchen at Mrs. Lou Rountree's, on Pitt street, had caught from sparks and was burning briskly when discovered. The firemen responded promptly to the alarm, but the fire was put out before they reached the scene. Damage only slight.

### Of Advantage to the Cotton Growers.

The Manufacturers' Record of this week says:

Messrs. Banks & Co., of Hernando, Miss., who operate a round-bale compress, in a letter in which they refer to the advantages to the South of the round bale system, say:

The advantages of it are many. We are also farmers, as well as merchants. We figure, and correctly, that we save \$2.50 per bale on every round bale put up. We gin and wrap the bale for \$2, which is fifty cents per bale less than charged for the square bale. We give from three-eighths to one half cent per pound more for the round bale. We find a market for it every day, thereby preventing any loss to us on a decline. Heretofore we have had to ship the square cotton to Memphis, taking the chances of the market declining while in transit; and paying \$2.50 per bale charges, including commission, insurance and storage. With the round bale we get rid of all of this. We sell it on our platform for more than we get in Memphis for square bales, without any charge on it whatever. The round bale means simply this—that the commission cotton merchants and compress men will have to quit the business, and that means a saving of at least \$3.25 per bale to the farmer, as all charges are figured against cotton in the price paid the farmer. We contemplate putting in a second press this year."

### JUST FOR FUN

Newspaper—"There's a new baby at our house." Wheeler—"Diamond or drop frame?"

Father—"How is it you never have any money?" Son—"It's not my fault. It's all due to other people."

"Phat wonder thot we're in a rage," Says Casey, "Faith, indade; 'Tis German hands we must engage fur Paddy's Day's parade."

Mike—"Did ye hov a good toime yistherdy?" Pat—"Faith, Oi did not. Shure, Oi waded no assistance at all teh get home teh bed."

"Alas!" cried Mr. Henry Peck, "There's just two things that vex, I cannot keep my wife in check, Nor keep the same in checks."

"Don't talk to me about the war," said the veteran. "I've got three graves in the South now." "You don't say? Too bad. How did it happen?" asked his sympathetic friend. "Why, I had three substitutes."

Now, in this bribery agitation, It should once for all be stated: Will the first investigation Need to be investigated?

# WAR DECLARED

between nations creates excitement and is a serious affair, but when there is a war on high prices the public gets the benefit and is enabled to save money. I have just returned from the Northern Markets where I was fortunate in securing a large stock of

## SPRING

Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Gents Furnishings

at prices way below anything heretofore purchased, and I have marked them so that my customers will get the benefit of low prices.

## FRANK WILSON

THE KING CLOTHIER.

NOW COMES

## The Tug.

Amid the babel and confusion of contending trade-rivals. The Grand Old Store will move swiftly up the hill of progress.

The Opening is over.

Spring is fairly under way.

To carry a stock impervious to criticism—to carry styles in hundreds and articles by thousands—to be satisfied with legitimate profits—there you have, in black and white the success-secret of

## LANG'S CASH HOUSE.

## AT N. Y. COST.

I am offering my entire stock of

## Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats

At New York Cost For Next 30 Days

Having purchased a stock of goods in Washington, N. C., and decided to move there, I will discontinue my business here. Remember the stock must be sold out within 30 days. Come early and get the benefit of the immense bargains I am now offering.

H. B. CLARK, Greenville, North Car.

## A complete line of GENERAL - MERCHANDISE,

to select from, such as:

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hardware and Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hardware and

### BUILDERS' MATERIAL.

We can save you money on all goods purchased from us.

ALFRED FORBES. H. B. CLARK, Greenville, North Car.

### Sad News.

Mrs. C. M. Bernard received a telegram this morning informing her of the death of her brother, Judge William Holman, of Fluvanna county, Virginia, which occurred Sunday night at 9:30 o'clock. Judge Holman was 56 years old and a very prominent man in his State. Mrs. Bernard's friends sympathize with her in the sad news received.

Mrs. Bernard will leave Tuesday morning to attend the funeral and Mrs. V. H. Whichard will have charge of her school during her absence.

Hoax—"I took luncheon there this morning." Joax—"I thought you only took breakfast there, as a rule." Hoax—"Well, I ordered breakfast, but it was luncheon-time when I got it."

How to be beautiful, though sorely—wear a mask.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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Entered as Second-Class Mail Matter

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One year, \$3.00
One month, .25
One week, .10

We desire a live correspondent at every postoffice in the county...

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1898.

Captain Sigsbee, of the battleship Maine, would never make a good Populist...

Within the past week more than sixty merchant vessels capable of being converted into warships have been placed...

It is noticeable to a looker-on that, of the many persons who have offered their services to the State through the governor...

Says the Winston Republican: Our idea of fusion is, that where it is thought best to run Populists, the Populists should choose their men...

We like the frankness of that. It means that Republicans and Populists should combine, and forgetting principles and opinions in the voting...

If we Have War

If we accept the war issue, we shall have for a year, if not longer, a struggle on sea and land, involving tremendous sacrifices...

with, both our foreign and coastwise trade. So long as Spain possesses naval strength attempts will be made to lay our great seaboard cities under contribution...

Some War Opinions.

Undertakers consider the situation grave.

Lawyers insist that we should uphold the honor of the land of the fee.

Banks are willing to accept bills of indemnity.

The standing army thinks Spain should be sat on.

Citizens of seaboard cities say we should strengthen our coast pretenses.

Carpenters are anxious to nail the flag to the mast.

Plumbers are content with piping times of peace.

A majority of the clergy is in favor of the United States taking up a collection.

If the regular army is not sufficient, farmers stand ready to raise home supplies.

Local astronomers say that we will make Spain see stars.

The Signal Service Bureau is anxious to furnish war clouds.

A Colored Pensioner.

Edmund Petty, colored, is drawing a pension of \$8 a month from the Federal government for valuable services rendered Stoneman's army when the latter passed through this section in 1865...

But he is not satisfied with \$8 a month and is endeavoring to get his allowance raised to \$12. He had the necessary papers fixed up in Clerk Furchess' offices this week...

Bryan on Patriotism

William J. Bryan was greeted by an audience of 10,000 persons in the Tabernacle at Atlanta, and their enthusiasm was fired when Bryan referred to the readiness of Americans to meet a foreign foe who should attempt to land upon our shores...

A POPULAR MISTAKE

Regarding Remedies for Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

The national disease of Americans is indigestion or in its chronic form dyspepsia, and for the very reason that is so common many people neglect taking proper treatment for what they consider trifling stomach trouble...

When nearly every person you meet is afflicted with weak digestion, it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles...

Druggists sell these tablets at 50cts per package. Little book on stomach diseases and testimonials sent free by addressing Stuart Co., chemists, Marshalls, Mich.

Raising Cotton's Price.

The Philadelphia Inquirer believes that the new plan of bonded cotton warehouses as described in the Manufacturers' Record will result in better prices for cotton...

"It is a movement of importance to both North and South, since it can hardly fail to help establish firmer prices for cotton; and as cotton is still the chief American product of export, better prices for cotton mean greater wealth in this country..."

The Population of Spain.

M. A. Lane, writing in the Chicago Times Herald, gives some interesting facts concerning Spain. For example he says it is interesting to know that the total population of Spain is 17,565,632...

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...

Mr. R. E. L. CRENSHAW, a skilled dairyman, who was recently with the State experiment farm at Raleigh now has charge of our Dairy and will serve you promptly and satisfactorily...

JAMES & WILEY BROWN, Proprietors.

Look Ye People.

WE ARE THE GROCERS. Who want to supply your needs.

Here are some of our specialties: Best Table Butter 25 cts, finest Cheese, all kinds Crackers, Candies and Fruits...

Agent for the Durham Steam Laundry.

J. L. Starkey & Bro., The Leading Grocers.

Here I Am!

I wish to inform my many patrons and the public that they can now find me in the

NEW MARKET HOUSE where I am ready to cater to all their needs in the way of TABLE SUPPLIES.

I keep the best Fresh Meats, Sausage, Fresh and Salt Fish, nice Groceries, &c. Send me your orders. Goods delivered promptly anywhere in town.

E. M. MCGOWAN. Phone 41.

Greenville Market.

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

We have a large STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS just arrived. Come in see us.

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ALL ABOUT TEXAS: A handsomely illustrated book of 200 pages descriptive of Texas and the resources of that great State will be mailed to any address on receipt of eight cents to cover postage.

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CHURCHES.

BAPTIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. C. L. 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.

Cotton and Peanut.

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

Table with prices for Cotton (Good Middling, Middling, Low Middling, Good Ordinary) and Peanuts (Prime, Extra Prime, Fancy, Spanish).

GREENVILLE

Male Academy.

The next session of the school will open on

MONDAY SEPT. 6, 1897

and continue for 10 months. The terms are as follows:

Table with school fees: 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.

We ask a continuing liberal patronage.

W. H. RASDALE.

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A. B. PENDER, FASHIONABLE BARBER. Can be found below Five Points, next door to Reflector office.

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Patronage solicited. Cleaning, Dyeing, and Pressing Gents Clothes a specialty.

HERBERT EDMUNDS, FASHIONABLE BARBER. Special attention given to cleaning gentlemen's clothing.

# Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Jan. 17th, 1918

Departures from Wilmington.

**NORTHBOUND.**  
**DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Mrz-**  
 3.5 a. m. nolia 11.02 a. m. Warsaw 11.15  
 a. m. Goldsboro 12.05 a. m. Wil-  
 son 12.55 p. m. Rocky Mount  
 1.40 p. m. Tarboro 2.45 p. m.  
 Weldon 4.33 p. m. Petersburg  
 6.22 p. m. Richmond 7.15 p. m.  
 Norfolk 8.05 p. m. Washing-  
 ton 11.30 p. m. Baltimore 1.06  
 a. m. Philadelphia 3.50 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 1.42 a. m. Nor-  
 folk 10.30 a. m. Petersburg  
 3.14 a. m. Richmond 4.66 a. m.  
 Washington 7.41 a. m. Balti-  
 more 9.03 a. m. Philadelphia  
 11.35 a. m. New York 2.03 a.  
 m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

**SOUTHBOUND.**  
**DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake**  
 10 p. m. Waccamaw 5.09 p. m. Chad-  
 bourn 5.41 p. m. Marion 6.43 p.  
 m. Florence 7.25 p. m. Sum-  
 ter 9.10 p. m. Columbia 10.30  
 p. m. Denmark 6.12 a. m. August-  
 a 7.55 a. m. Macon 11.15 a. m.  
 Atlanta 12.25 p. m. Charles-  
 ton 10.50 p. m. Savannah 1.50  
 a. m. Jacksonville 7.30 a. m.  
 St. Augustine 10.30 a. m. Tam-  
 pa 5.25 p. m. CFC

**ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—**  
**FROM THE NORTH.**  
**DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston**  
 10 P. M. 1.03 p. m. New York 9.00 p. m.  
 Philadelphia 12.05 a. m. Balti-  
 more 2.50 a. m. Washington  
 4.39 a. m. Richmond 9.05 a. m.  
 Petersburg 10.00 a. m. Nor-  
 folk 11.52 a. m. Tarboro  
 12.12 p. m. Rocky Mount 12.47  
 p. m. Wilson 2.37 p. m. Golds-  
 boro 3.20 p. m. Warsaw 4.1  
 p. m. Magnolia 4.24 p. m.

**DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave**  
 6.55 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 2.30 p. m.  
 Weldon 9.43 p. m. Tarboro  
 6.01 p. m. Rocky Mount 5.40  
 a. m. Leave Wilson 6.22 a. m.  
 Goldsboro 7.01 a. m. Warsaw  
 7.53 a. m. Magnolia 8.05 a. m.

**DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave**  
 except New Bern 9.00 a. m. Jackson-  
 Sunday ville 10.26 a. m. This train  
 12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

**FROM THE SOUTH.**  
**DAILY No. 54—Passenger—Leave**  
 1.20 P. M. Tampa 8.10 a. m. Sanford 3.27  
 p. m. Jacksonville 7.40 p. m.  
 Savannah 1.45 night. Charles-  
 ton 6.53 a. m. Columbia 6.00  
 a. m. Atlanta 8.20 a. m. Macon  
 9.00 a. m. Augusta 3.30 p. m.  
 Denmark 4.25 p. m. Sumpter  
 8.08 a. m. Florence 9.58 a. m.  
 Marion 10.36 a. m. Chadbourne  
 11.38 a. m. Lake Waccamaw  
 12.09 a. m.

Train on Section Neck Branch Road  
 leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.30  
 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.20 p.  
 m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.55  
 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50  
 a. m., Greenville 8.52 a. m. Arriving  
 Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 a. m.  
 Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington branch leave  
 Washington 8.20 a. m., and 2.20 p. m.  
 arrives Parrale 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p.  
 m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves  
 Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parrale 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 4.15 P. M.  
 arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.10 p. m.  
 returning leaves Plymouth daily except  
 Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m.,  
 arrives 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  
 Weldon for all points daily, all rail via  
 Lumbone, also at Rocky Mount with  
 Norfolk and Carolina R R for Norfolk  
 as all points North via Norfolk.

H. M. EMERSON,  
 Gen'l Pass. Agent  
 J. EMERSON, Traffic Manager  
 J. KENLY, Gen'l Manager

## ORIGIN OF PINK LEMONADE.

How a Thoughtful Circus Clown Met a Texas Emergency.

"The origin of pink lemonade," said an old circus clown the other day, "has long been shrouded in mystery, like some other beginnings in history. But here is the true story: In 1857 I was traveling in the south with Jere Mabie's big show. I was doing a tumbling and acrobatic act in the ring and had not yet begun to aspire to the cap and bells. One afternoon, just before the doors were opened, Mabie came to me in great distress and told me that the clown had 'jumped the show.' A circus without a clown would be a serious affair anywhere, but in Texas in those days it meant destruction to our property and possibly bodily harm to ourselves. You see, those Texans didn't have much else to do, and so they found time to study the bills carefully. They insisted upon getting their full money's worth and wanted everything promised on the bills. Some of our best printing couldn't be put up in Texas at all, because, you know, there are things on circus posters which are beyond the possibility of fulfillment. We showmen look upon those pictures with the artist's eye, and we got to feeling sorry to think what the Texans were missing.

"Well, to come to the point, I went into the ring as clown and made a hit. I kept it up for a couple of weeks, doing my other act as well, and all for one salary.

"One morning I went to the manager and told him that I would have to have some extra sequins if he wanted me to play clown any more. He answered that I was getting enough and if I wasn't satisfied I could quit. He thought he had me there, for Texas was not the kind of country a man would enjoy being left in. But I was a youngster then and didn't mind taking chances. Besides, I had saved about \$40, and I felt rich. I quit the show right off, bought a couple of mules and an old covered wagon and had just enough left to invest in some peanuts, sugar, tartaric acid and one lemon. Talk about good friends! Why, that one lemon stuck to me to the end. I followed the circus with my wagon and pair, and every time the tents were pitched I would mount a box and sing out:

"Here's your ice cold lemonade,  
 Made in the shade  
 By an old maid!  
 Stick your finger in the glass.  
 It'll freeze tight fast.  
 The deeper you dip  
 The sweeter it grows.  
 Just like honey from a rose.  
 So good, so sweet, so sour,  
 It'll give you joy for half an hour!

"The lemonade sold splendidly, and I couldn't wait on the negroes fast enough. One day, while I was surrounded by a mob scrambling for the liquid refreshment, I noticed suddenly that my water supply had about run out. There were no wells or springs in sight, so I rushed into the big tent to get some water. The elephants had just been fed and watered, and all the tanks were empty. In the excitement of the moment I invaded the dressing tents. Fannie Jamieson, the old time queen of bareback equestrianism, was standing in front of a tub, wringing out a pair of pink tights that she had been washing. The aniline dye had stained the water a deep pink. I didn't stop to ask any questions, but grabbed the tub and ran. As I mounted the box I threw in some acid and the property lemon and called out to the customers to come up quickly and buy some fine 'strawberry lemonade.' My sales were doubled that day, and since then no well regulated circus is without pink lemonade.

"It's not easy to get the better of showmen," continued the old clown. "They're pretty well up to the tricks of the average community and have a few of their own. I was with the first steamboat show that ever sailed down the Mississippi, and it was almost swamped by the big licenses demanded whenever we landed. Finally at Memphis the thing culminated. The merchants were up in arms against the show because they said we would take too much money away from the city. We were notified that no license would be issued and that we would not be allowed to give our show at the wharf. So we steamed out into the middle of the river, started our calliope a-piping and had our little tug ply back and forth between the shore and the steamboat. The idea of a circus on board of a steamboat hit the Memphis people hard. That night we were crowded to the guards, and we played three 'midstream return dates' in the neighborhood within a week."—New York Commercial

## Don't be Inquisitive.

The Treasury contains \$225,000,000, of which \$75,000,000 is available for instant use, leaving a gold reserve of \$100,000,000 and a working cash balance of \$50,000,000. Never mind where it comes from; whether it is real money or redeemed promises to pay. It will do the work of money in buying warships and moving troops. That is enough for us now. Academic questions belong to quiet times.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

## Would Sweep The Country.

Mr. Willis J. Abbott, chief editor of the New York Journal, has recently been in Chicago, and is quoted by the Times-Herald, of that city, as having said: Failure on the part of President McKinley to act decisively for intervention in behalf of Cuba will leave everything open for the Democrats to sweep the country with "free Cuba" as their shibboleth. That accomplished, it would be in line to pass a free silver measure over the veto of the Republican President.

**BOB GREENE & CO**  
**UNDERTAKER**  
**FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND**  
**EMBALMERS.**

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We are prepared to 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.

**BOB GREENE & CO.**



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**SAM M. SCHULTZ**

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**Pork, Sides, Shoulders**

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

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Always at lowest market prices

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A complete stock of

**FURNITURE**

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**

## SEE THAT?



What Is It?

It is a picture of the celebrated

## PARKER FOUNTAIN PENS

Best in use The outfit of no business man is complete without one.

## The Reflector Book Store

has a nice assortment of these Fountain Pens also a beautiful line of Pearl Handle Gold Pens. You will be astonished when you see them and earn how very cheap they are.

You may never, But should you ever?

## Want Job Printing

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TO

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## The Daily Reflector

Gives the home news every afternoon at the small price of 25 cents a month. Are you a subscriber? If not you ought to be.

## The Eastern Reflector.

TWICE-A-WEEK.

Is only \$1 a year. It contains the news every week, and gives information to the farmers, especially those growing tobacco, that is worth many times more than the subscription price.

# DAILY REFLECTOR.

## 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.

## Weather Bulletin.

Threatening weather tonight, Tuesday cloudy.

## This is to Certify

That a few years since, while living in a malarial district, I suffered dreadfully with chills which it seemed impossible to break. A friend urged me to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. I did so, and by the use of a few bottles they were entirely broken and I have not been troubled with them since. I also found it an excellent nerve.

REV. G. L. FINCH.

Williamston, N. C., May 27, 1897.

[Rev. Mr. Finch was formerly pastor of the Baptist church in Greenville and is well known here.]

FOR SALE BY

JOHN L. WOOTEN,  
 DRUGGIST.

## 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.

## SPRING TONIC

These Items will Dispel That Tired Feeling

Masons meet tonight.  
 Apple butter at J. S. Tunstall's.  
 Try that Sweet Cider at Zeno Moore & Bros.  
 Good soda water and ice cream weather.  
 CHEAP—3 Dozen Eggs for 25c at S. M. Schultz.

The spring weather has brought out the barefoot boys.

For the best Butter and Cheese, call on Jesse Smith & Co., the Grocers.

Fish are becoming more plentiful in market with a corresponding lowering of retail prices.

The telephone line to Falkland is being put up and will be connected in a few days.

Sunday was such a pretty day that it brought out a large attendance at all the churches.

Mrs. J. S. Tunstall & Co., have just received a nice line of Ladies and Misses Sailors. Give them a call.

Spring may slip back and give us a few cold snaps, but she did not show any foolishness about coming on schedule time.

Eggs did not wait for rent to get over before coming down in price. They are now selling cheap, three dozen for a quarter.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy is advertised in THE REFLECTOR and sold at J. L. Wooten's drug store. This remedy has been a blessing to many sufferers.

Patrons of the Wilmington Steam Laundry are pleased with their work. Have yours ready to go in with Wednesday morning's shipment. Goods delivered Saturday evening.

W. F. PREDDY, Agent.

## SPRING BLOSSOMS.

Some of Them Look Better Than Others

W. S. Moye, of Cary, returned home today.

E. C. King, of Farmville, was here today.

R. L. Davis, of Farmville, was in town today.

Rev. J. B. Morton and wife returned to Tarboro today.

Thomas Young went to Kinston Saturday evening and returned this morning.

Miss Julia Tyson, of Black Jack, is visiting her uncle, F. A. Fornes in South Greenville.

Frank Wilson returned Saturday evening from New York where he had been purchasing new goods.

Miss Rosalind Rountree returned Saturday evening from a visit to Scotland Neck and Washington City.

W. H. Ricks, of the firm of Ricks & Taft, went north today to purchase spring and summer goods for his firm.

C. S. Forbes left this morning for the northern markets to purchase new goods for his father, Alfred Forbes.

W. B. James returned Saturday evening from Baltimore where he had been purchasing spring millinery goods for Mrs. James.

Miss Ida Dameron, of Baltimore, came in Saturday evening to resume her position in the millinery store of Mrs. Georgia James.

Mrs. Joe Person, of Kittrell, perhaps the best known woman in the State, came in on the morning train. Good medicine and good music have made her name a household word.

## OVER THE COUNTRY

The early fruit crops of California are practically ruined.

Dr. E. F. Harting, of Brooklyn, N. Y., pricked his finger while making an autopsy and will lose his arm from blood poisoning.

Alleged heirs of the late Charles H. Contoir, of New York city, who left his \$2,000,000 estate to charities, will contest his will.

The body of little Joseph Edge, who disappeared a year ago from a convent school at Nyack, N. Y., has been found in the woods.

The Diamond Match Company has been sued by Lewis Riedinger, at Marquette, Mich., who claims \$30,000 for breach of contract.

William Johnson, of Claremore, I. T., shot and killed United States Marshal Arnold and was himself killed by Deputy Busey, while resisting arrest.

In a suit for separation and alimony in New York city Mrs. Ernst Schwender avers that her wealthy husband, a furniture dealer, has allowed her only 10 cents a day to live on.

## Married.

A surprise marriage took place in Winterville Sunday Mr. Will Carroll and Miss Sallie I. Tripp, assisted by Elder Phillips, thought to surprise the community by getting married, but they were surprised themselves instead for on reaching the church they found a crowded house awaiting their arrival. Things will out.

All bloomers bag at the knees.

There is a man in Frankford who cuts his own hair.

THE REFLECTOR is indebted to Mrs. Joe Person for a copy of her collection of popular airs, a collection arranged by herself and which has delighted many people.

**BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS**  
 ... MANUFACTURED BY ...  
 CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.  
 IF NOTE THE NAME.

# 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 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

I Am Here Again with just the line of goods to please the ladies, and the men too. Have just returned from the north with a brand new stock of

**CLOTHING. SHOES. HATS. DRY GOODS**  
 Dress Goods, Notions, &c., which have been opened in the corner store under Germania Hall. My styles the latest, prices very low **H. C. Hooker.**

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

STATEMENT OF THE  
**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	
<b>\$136,128.90</b>	<b>\$136,128.90</b>

## TO-DAY'S MARKETS. AT WHOLESALE ONLY.

As Reported by  
**SPEIGHT & CO.**  
 Cotton Buyers.  
 Greenville, N. C.

NEW YORK FUTURES.			
COTTON	Opening	Noon	Close
March	5.88		
May	5.94	5.94	5.95
August	6.00	5.99	6.01

  

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.			
Opening	Noon	Tone	
318	317	Quiet.	

  

CHICAGO.			
WHEAT	Opening	Noon	Close
May	103½	104½	104½
PORK.			
May	980	980	997½
RIBS.			
May	505	505	505

  

Quantity	Item
50000	LBS MEAT
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.**

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."

# NINE O'CLOCK WASHING TEA.

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.**