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Silks and Black Goods.

We invite the trade's attention to our new and large variety of Colored and Black, Fancy and Plain Silks. We have scores of waist patterns in exclusive styles in Checks, Blacks, Plaids, Stripes and Brocades. Our line of Skirting Silks and Satin Duchess represent the latest styles and best values and are commanding the attention of buyers Black Dress Goods. In latest Dress Goods we are showing more than a hundred styles of plain and fancy weaves. For style and practical wear there is nothing the equal of a black skirt. In selecting our

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MORE PRIZES.

Our Fleet Continues to Make Captures.

SAMPSON MAKES THE BEST CATCH,

Irish Parliament Commends the United States—French Cabinet Approves Neutrality—Proclamation—Germany Wants to Intervene—Blanco Says He Can Hold Havana.

Later Monday Telegrams.

After THE REFLECTOR was issued Monday evening the following telegrams were received up to 8:30 o'clock.

Washington, April 25—The war declaration passed the Senate without amendment.

Key West, April 25—The United States cutter Winona has seized the Spanish steamer Camino and is taking her to Mobile.

Washington, April 25—Speaker Reed engrossed the bill declaring the existence of a state of war this evening, and the declaration has started from the capitol for the President's signature.

The Senate adjourned at 5:30. Senator Turpie spoke in favor of the recognition of belligerency.

Washington, April 25—The President has signed the declaration of war resolutions.

Powers Not to Interfere.

By Cable to Reflector. London, April 26—The Powers will not attempt to prevent the United States from attacking the Spanish coast.

Engagement Expected.

By Telegraph to Reflector. Washington, April 26—A naval engagement on the Pacific is hourly expected between the American and Spanish fleets.

More Prizes

By Telegraph to Reflector. Key West, April 26—The Mangrove and Newport have captured three Spanish prizes and are bringing them in.

About noon the Mangrove reached port with one of the prizes which is a large Spanish liner Panama.

Germany Wants to Intervene

By Cable to Reflector. Berlin, April 26—Germany will not issue a proclamation of neutrality. The Kaiser wants to be in a position to intervene whenever it is deemed necessary.

No News From the Paris

By Cable to Reflector. London, April 26—The Loyds have received no news from the steamer Paris this morning.

God Bless Old Ireland

By Cable to Reflector. London, April 26—The Irish members of Parliament today passed a resolution tendering warmest sympathy and good wishes to the United States, and commending the action of that government in its humane efforts to liberate the people of Cuba.

Did Not Return Fire

By Telegraph Reflector. Washington, April 26—Secretary Long authorized a denial of reports that when Morro Castle fired on our fleet the fleet returned the fire.

Representative Dingley reported the war bill to the House, the only changes being to levy a tax on mineral waters and telephone messages.

The Senate agreed upon the conference report on the army reorganization bill.

French Cabinet Approves.

By Cable to Reflector. Paris, April 26—The French Cabinet approves the neutrality proclamation.

Troops Having Rough Weather

By Telegraph to Reflector. Chattanooga, April 26—Terrible rains last night and this morning gave the troops in camp here their first experience with rough weather.

Blanco Shows Nerve

By Cable to Reflector. Madrid, April 26—Advices from General Blanco at Havana say he can take care of Havana and surrounding territory and that the Spanish fleet can be sent for service elsewhere.

St. Louis Goes into Commission

By Telegraph Reflector. New York, 26—The St. Louis went into commission today. She took on six thousand tons of coal at the Brooklyn navy yard.

A Rich Haul

By Telegraph to Reflector. Key West, April 26—The Spanish steamer Montserrat with one thousand soldiers and \$500,000 in gold on board is reported captured by Sampson's fleet.

Consul Williams at Hong Kong

By Cable to Reflector. Hong Kong, April 26—The steamer Esmeraldo arrived here today from Manila having United States Consul Williams on board.

What Does This Mean?

By Telegraph to Reflector. Washington, April 26—By proclamation today the President exempts Spanish vessels from interference or seizure if loaded at American ports before May 21st.

Sicard Succeeds Roosevelt.

By Telegraph to Reflector. Washington, April, 26—Admiral Sicard has been appointed to succeed General Roosevelt as assistant to the Secretary of War. Roosevelt tendered his resignation for the purpose of accepting a position on the staff of General Lee to invade Cuba.

Gomez Asks For Arms

By Telegraph to Reflector. Washington, April 26—General Gomez, of the Cuban army, notifies the United States to send arms to the insurgents.

People at points on the railroad south of Greenville should bear in mind that they can get the war news in THE DAILY REFLECTOR from 12 to 14 hours sooner than any other paper can give it to them. This is worth considering.

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J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1898.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, April 25th '98.

One country, one flag, and one object—the licking of Spain. That is all-prevailing sentiment in Washington since the war actually began. Now that Mr. McKinley has shaken off the Hanna peace-at-any-price crowd and their benumbing influence, he has become thoroughly alive to the necessities of the situation. This has been particularly noticeable during the past week. He started on the right track when he asked Congress for authority to use the army and navy to drive Spain out of Cuba; he took the proper step when he sent that ultimatum to Spain; again when he recognized the dismissal of our minister by Spain as an act of war; again when he issued orders for our fleet to blockade Cuba, and yet again when he issued his proclamation calling for 125,000 men to serve two years unless sooner discharged. Congress is right behind every one of these moves and the people are right behind Congress. The enthusiasm in unprecedented, and every Spanish flag captured by our warships add to it. The only regret that is heard is that all who desire to participate in avenging the Maine cannot do so, as each state will insist on furnishing its full quota of the troops called for. The National Guard of the District of Columbia is already on duty in a camp of instruction, and although only about one third can hope to go every man of them is anxious to start for Cuba.

The law authorizing the volunteer army which was enacted by Congress last week, provides for four Maj. Generals, and the impression is general in Washington that Fitz. Lee, and Joe. Wheeler, of Alabama, will be tendered commissions of that rank. "Teddy" Roosevelt, the scrappy Assistant Secretary of the navy, will resign that position in order to serve on Fitz. Lee's staff in Cuba.

When once our army gets in Cuba it will make short work of whipping the Spaniards, but several weeks must elapse before that army can be gathered on the southern coast, preparatory to embarkation for Cuba. Until then we shall have to content ourselves with the knowledge that our warships will give a good account of themselves in any engagements they will have either with the Spanish forts in Cuba or with the Spanish warships; and we may as well also prepare ourselves to hear of the occasional capture of an American merchant ship on the other side of the Atlantic by the Spanish. We can hope that the boastful Spanish navy will come over and fight our ships, but there are no indications

now in sight that it will do so. I look as though we will have to go after them when we have captured Cuba. But Cuba comes first.

The bonds authorized by the war revenue bill reported to the House from the ways Means committee are coin bonds—the gold idea had to be abandoned—it bearing 3 per cent interest. \$500,000,000 is the amount to run from ten to twenty years at the pleasure of the government. The issue of \$100,000,000 in 3 per cent treasury certificates of indebtedness is also authorized. The bill makes increase in the internal revenue tax on beer and manufactured tobacco, and provides for new taxation, mostly by stamps similar to the system in vogue just after the war, that will it is estimated add \$100,000,000 a year to the government's revenues.

There is very little doubt that the witty speech of Private John Allen, of Mississippi shamed enough republican members of the House to save the seat of Representative Carmack, of Tennessee, which was contested by Josiah Patterson, who ran against him as a gold Democrat and was supported by republicans. Six republicans voted for Carmack and a number did not vote at all. It had been understood that the solid Republican vote had been pledged to Patterson by Gen. Grosvenor and other leaders of the party, but after John Allen had shown up in his own inimitable manner the zigzag financial career of Josiah Patterson, emphasizing his points by a string of his best stories, the vote was taken and Josiah was defeated by a vote of 139 to 120.

A long story might be told about the lightning cabinet change, in which editor Charles Emory Smith succeeded Merchant James A. Gary as Postmaster General, but if so old an enemy of Smith as Senator Quay was willing to keep quiet and even move that Smith's nomination be confirmed by the Senate, surely others can do so, at least until after the war is over. Just now nothing is wanted that will not add to the strength of the government; the first and greatest demand is that no time be lost in fighting the war to a victorious end.

Another change in the Cabinet is pending. John Sherman has got to go. He would have gone before now, had it not been for the desire of Mr. McKinley to put Mr. Day in his place. There is a kick against this from numerous influential republicans who think the position several times too large for Mr. Day. As soon as the matter can be amicably arranged Mr. Sherman will resign, on the plea that the work of the Secretary of State during war times is too hard for a man of his age.

A Senate committee left Washington Saturday night in charge of the remains of the late Senator Walthall, of Mississippi which will be interred at his former home Holly Springs.

The Correct Sleeve for Summer

Through sleeve are small they are not perfectly tight, but retain a wide appearance at the top without any excessive fullness. The extra puff has disappeared in favor of the moderate fullness cut in one with the two-piece sleeve, which is gathered as usual into the arm-size. Before it is gathered, however, there are three to seven quarter inch or smaller tucks run crosswise just below the shoulder; or rows of lace insertion, braid, velvet ribbon, frills of narrow edging, or whatever the gown is trimmed with; the tucks are used on all fabrics.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

J. L. SUGG

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Yours truly,
EDWARD L. DOBBINS, Secretary.

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Yours truly,
J. L. SUGG and L. C. ARTHUR, Agent,
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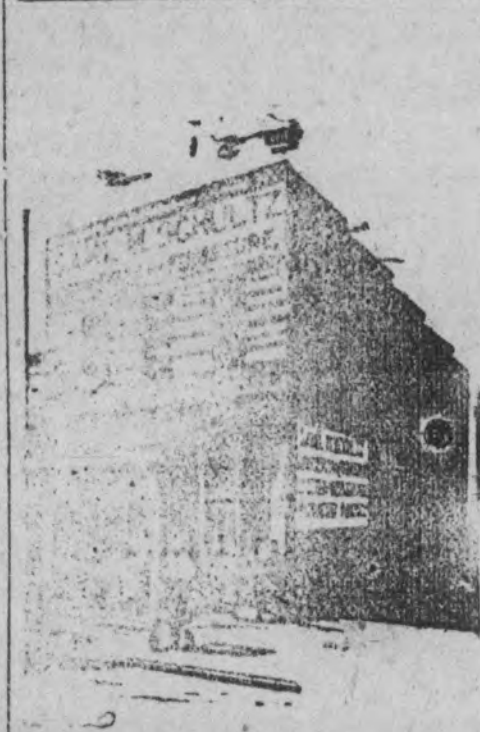
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| Western Sides | 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 |
| Sugar cured Hams | 10 to 12 1/2 |
| Corn | 40 to 52 |
| Corn Meal | 50 to 64 |
| Flour, Family | 4.75 to 5.70 |
| Lard | 5 1/2 to 16 |
| Oats | 35 to 40 |
| Sugar | 4 1/2 to 6 |
| Coffee | 8 1/2 to 0 |
| Salt per Sack | 65 to 150 |
| Chickens | 12 1/2 to 15 |
| Eggs per doz | 1 1/2 |
| Beeswax, per | 7 |
| Cotton Seed, per bushel | 10 to 12 |



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Departures from Wilmington.

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 40—Passenger—Due Mag-
9 00 a. m. 10.46 a. m. Warsaw 12.03
a. m. Goldsboro 12.05 a. m. Wil-
son 12.55 p. m. Rocky Mount
1.37 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. 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
8.14 a. m. Richmond 4.60 a. m.
Washington 7.41 a. m. Balti-
more 9.03 a. m. Philadelphia
11.25 a. m. New York 2.93
p. m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake
40 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-
ta 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.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON— FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston
9 00 P. M. 1.03 pm. New York 9.00 pm.
Philadelphia 12.05 am. Balti-
more 2.50 am. Washington
4.30 am. Richmond 9.05 am.
Petersburg 10.00 am. Nor-
Weldon 11.52 am. Tarboro
12.12 pm. Rocky Mount 12.47
pm. Wilson 2:37 pm. Golds-
boro 3:20 pm. Warsaw 4.13
pm. Magnolia 4.24 pm.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave
30 a. m. Boston 12.00 night, New
York 9.30 am. Philadelphia
12.09 pm. Baltimore 2:25 pm.
Washington 3.46 pm. Rich-
mond 7.30 pm. Petersburg
8.12 pm. Norfolk 2.20 pm.
Weldon 9.43 pm. Tarboro
6.01 pm. Rocky Mount 5.40
am. Leave Wilson 6.22 am.
Goldsboro 7:01 am. Warsaw
7:53 am. Magnolia 8:05 am.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave
except New Bern 9.00 am. Jackson-
ville 10.26 am. This train
12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.
FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave
1 30 P. M. Tampa 8.10 am. Sanford 3.27
pm. Jacksonville 7 40 pm.
Savanna 1.45 night. Charles-
ton 6.33 am. Columbia 6.00
am. Atlanta 8.20 am. Macon
9.00 am. Augusta 3.30 pm.
Denmark 4.25 pm. Sumpter
8.08 am. Florence 9.58 am.
Marion 10.36 am. Chadbourn
11.38 am. Lake Waccamaw
12.09 am.

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.

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
9 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 00 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 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 connecti-
on at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via
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at all points North via Norfolk.

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

COTTON.

| | |
|---------------|-------|
| Good Middling | 6 1/4 |
| Middling | 5 3/4 |
| Low Middling | 5 7/8 |
| Good Ordinary | 5 1/2 |
| Tone—steady | |

PEANUTS.

| | |
|-------------|----------------|
| Prime | 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 |
| Extra Prime | 2 1/4 |
| Fancy | 2 1/4 to 2 3/4 |
| Spanish | 55c bu |
| Tone—steady | |

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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 | |
| \$136,128.90 | \$136,128.90 |

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The Alleged Plan of Action

A staff correspondent of The New York Mail and Express telegraphed his paper from Washington Friday:

The published statements that the mobilization of the army at Chickamauga foreshadows an immediate descent upon Cuba by our soldiers have no basis of truth, and indeed, are far from the policy determined upon by the War Department. From information that may be accepted as authoritative it can be stated that there will be no effort to land the army in Cuba until the navy has settled the problem now before it.

In other words, our ships must first meet the main Spanish fleet in combat and settle the question of superiority. The commanding officers of both the army and the navy agree that it would be folly to use the army up in Cuba before it is known whether our ships can maintain a cordon around the island.

It is agreed that it would be a suicidal policy to move the army into the interior of Cuba while there is a possibility of a naval defeat that would leave the soldiers at the mercy of the enemy's gun-boats, and of the reinforcements that would be hurried over from Spain.

The responsible authorities believe in moving rapidly and vigorously in order to bring the war to an end as quickly as possible, but at the time they do not propose to have the army in danger of annihilation in Cuba because of the possible inability of our ships to protect them from the Spanish navy.

It can be relied upon, therefore, that the army will not start for Cuba until after the main fleets of the two navies have had an engagement, and one or the other of them is in undisputed possession of Cuban waters.

When that is accomplished, the soldiers will take care of Blanco's army.

IN IT.

The Harvard, Mass; Gazette, speaking of Consul General Lee, says: "It is a great pity that this gallant gentleman cannot be retained in public life." Why cannot he be retained in public life? He has no intention of retiring to a monastery. The Massachusetts paper is evidently a little behind the times. Not only can Fitzhugh Lee be retained in public life, he will be so retained. Whatever there shall be of public life in this country for the next few years will know Fitzhugh Lee, for he will be "right in it."—Savannah News.

What The Letters Mean Now

All sections of this glorious country are now a unit in sentiment. The U. S. now means U.S.—New Orleans Picayune.

BUY THE GENUINE
SYRUP OF FIGS
... MANUFACTURED BY ...
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NOTE THE NAME.

Shameful Partnership.

The Democratic party should keep the fact firmly in mind that to fuse with the populist party is to become a retroactive partner in all the shameful acts that have marked the elevation of that party to power. It cannot be urged that the Republican party is more responsible for the bitter humiliation and disgrace of the state than is its populist ally. The further fact is also to be considered that if the Democratic party accepts victory at the hands of Mr. Butler, it incurs thereby an obligation of gratitude that it cannot honorably disregard in the future. For the Democratic party to fuse with the Populist party means that it must share the odium of the past and take the chances of having unloaded upon it still greater odium in the future.

JUST FOR FUN

Nashville draws first blood.

Good cheer—"Hurray for Uncle Sam!"

The Buena Ventura seems to have been a misnomer.

The Spanish fleet may be fast, but it seems to be stuck that way.

"The root of this present war problem," said the mathematician, "is a Cuba root."

Teacher—"How do you pronounce the name of the King of Spain?" Bright Boy—"Dennis!"

"We are 'Yankee Pigs,'" says the Manayunk Philosopher, "and Spain is just the kind of swill we like."

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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. D. Rountree, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superintendent.

LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. J. M. Reuss W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17 meets every Tuesday evening. J. V. Johnson N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.


K. of P.—Tar River Lodge No. 93, meets every Friday evening. H. W. Whedbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington K. of E. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council No. 1666 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 336 meets every Thursday night. J. B. Cherry C. W. B. Wilson, Sec.

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DAILY REFLECTOR.

Weather Bulletin.

Increasing cloudiness and showers tonight, probably clearing Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Holt, Graham, N. C., says:

If all nursing mothers could only know the true worth of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, a world of anxiety and trouble would be saved. It is the greatest medicine I ever tried in my life. I had a large family of children, and do believe I am indebted to Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy for having raised them all. When anything is the matter with my children I give them the Remedy and there is never any need to give them soothing syrups, paregoric and things of that kind. The Remedy keeps them well and healthy, especially when teething, and they never need anything else. One of my babies had sore eyes so that the eyes had to be kept shaded all the time, and the Remedy cured her. I cannot say enough for it. If everybody could know what it would do and try it, a world of suffering would be saved.

Mrs. W. W. Holt, Graham, N. C., July 15, 1897.

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Fresh Grass Butter at S. M. Schultz. The merry-go-round has folded its tent and departed.

Mrs. J. S. Tunstall is closing out her millinery stock at greatly reduced prices. Give her a call.

This morning the THE REFLECTOR received a box of very fine strawberries that were sent us by Mr. J. L. Hudson, of Lawtey, Fla.

Odd Fellows celebrate their anniversary tonight. Public cordially invited to attend the exercises both at the Baptist church and Odd Fellows hall.

"Coot" Whichard went down to Ayden and Winterville this morning and brought back a nice list of subscribers for THE DAILY REFLECTOR.

SPANISH NEEDLES

Latest Grape Vine News From The Reflector's War Reporter

Spain may be plenty long on sand, but she is awfully short on coal.

Billie Burch says if Spain keeps on bothering U. S. we are going to hurt her.

The milliners have exhausted their stocks of white feathers. They are in demand for the boys who would not volunteer.

Commodore Johnston says after the vote of Company H. Monday, Battery Z. can't fire any more guns to arouse patriotism in old Pitt.

Col. I. A. Sugg says he will bet a pair of spurs he can raise a strong company in Pitt county in three days, and he says Capt. J. J. Laughinghouse could do it in three hours.

VOLUNTEERS.

These Come and Go of Their Own Accord.

B. F. Jolley went to Rocky Mount today.

H. W. Whedbee went up the road this morning.

Col. I. A. Sugg left this morning for Raleigh on legal business.

Mrs. E. H. Taft left this morning for Conetoe to visit relatives.

J. F. Leggett returned Monday evening from Wilmington.

Miss Nannie Hudson, of Lawtey, Fla., arrived Monday evening to visit her grandfather, John Hudson.

A. W. Outerbridge and J. F. King left this morning for Lewiston where the former will tomorrow wed Miss Minnie Askew.

William Richardson, of Selma, arrived Monday evening to visit his daughter, Miss Nannie Richardson, who is teaching here.

Would Not Volunteer.

The Pitt County Rifles made a good enough show when out for drill, Monday afternoon, but when it came time to vote on whether they would volunteer to go to Cuba only three stood up to be counted. These three were H. M. Snuggs, A. D. Johnston and Edward Greene.

Mary Had a Billy Goat.

Mary had a billy goat, It's tall sort of bent, And everywhere that Mary goes The lamb is sure to went. He followed her to school one day, Which made her hot as fire, For Mary had ridden on her wheel, And Billy ate the tire.

Strawberry Feast.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will have a strawberry feast, Friday evening, in Germania hall. They will serve strawberries and cream, strawberry ice cream, all other flavors of ice cream, strawberry short cake, cocoanut, date, caramel, chocolate and other varieties of cake, etc., Give them a liberal patronage.

BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., April, 25th, 1898. Miss Maggie Taylor, of Edgemombe, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Bunting.

Misses Nannie Moore, Lizzie Moore, Mary Brown and Manning spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Edmundson.

W. G. Lamb, of Williamston, spent today here.

J. T. Ward and wife, of Tarboro, spent Saturday night and Sunday here. They returned to Tarboro this morning.

D. C. Moore attended court at Tarboro part of last week.

Rev. D. B. Rickard, of Crisp, filled his regular monthly appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. Lenzie Manning, wife of James M. Manning, died last night about 10 o'clock. Funeral services were held over her remains this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. B. B. Culbreth, at the residence of husband, after which she was laid to rest in the family burying ground. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved husband and friends.

We regret that we were unable to attend the closing exercises of Miss Annie Randolph's school in District No. Seven in Bethel township, last Friday. Those who attended report a pleasant time and speak in the highest terms of Miss Randolph as a teacher. We regret that she will not teach in this township this fall.

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.

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| May | 6.15 | 6.17 | 6.16 |
| July | 6.24 | 6.26 | 6.26 |
| August. | 6.26 | 6.30 | 6.29 |

| LIVERPOOL SPOTS. | | | |
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| | Opening | Close | Tone |
| | 335 | 334 | Steady |

| CHICAGO. | | | |
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| WHEAT | Opening. | Noon. | Close |
| May | 124 | 123 | 123 |
| PORK. | | | |
| May | 1140 | 1132 1/2 | 1130 |
| RIBS. | | | |
| May | 555 | 552 1/2 | 550 |

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