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## Summer Time Has Come.

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### TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by

SPEIGHT & CO.

Cotton Buyers.  
Greenville, N. C.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

COTTON Opening Noon Close.

May			
July	6.48	6.51	6.43
August	6.52	6.54	6.52

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

Opening	Close	Tone
334	334	Quiet & Quiet

CHICAGO.

WHEAT	Opening.	Noon.	Close
July	102	97½	97

PORK.			
July	1150	1160	1150

RIBS.			
July	590	597½	592½

### No Peace Negotiation.

By Cable to Reflector.

Madrid, May 31—Premier Sagasta declared in Cortes that no negotiations are on foot with any power for peace between Spain and the United States

## ABOUT THE SAME

### No Change in the War Condition.

### TROOPS ON THE MOVE LOOKS LIKE READINESS FOR INVASION.

Schley Will Smash Santiago—Expedition Landed on Cuba—Boston Crew Sick at Manila.

### Fleet in Good Shape

By Telegraph to Reflector

Key West, May 31.—All is quiet at Havana. Blockaders are attending strictly to business, and no ships can pass. The fleet is well supplied with everything needful.

### Boston Crew Sick

By Cable to Reflector.

Hong Kong, May 31.—Manila letters dated 27 state that there is much sickness on the cruiser Boston caused by eating fish supposed to be poisoned. Dewey fired on the Spaniards reducing fortifications and causing work to be stopped.

### Another Spy

By Telegraph to Reflector.

New Orleans, May 31.—A white man attempted to run by the guards Sunday night. He was shot and seriously wounded by the pickets. The man is in jail and is supposed to be a spy. His name is refused by the officials.

### Invasion Ready

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Washington, May 31.—Santiago is the objective point of the invading army from Tampa. No concealment of this fact by army and naval officials. Secretary Long says there is no doubt that Cervera's fleet will be captured or destroyed soon. It is impossible for him to escape and it only depends upon the army how soon the end comes. Unless Cervera attempts to force egress from the harbor little will be done until the army invades Santiago from the rear. Many troops have already embarked including heavy artillery, siege guns, pontoon trains and engineers with road building outfits. The first transport leaving carried cavalry and was joined at Key West by 700 marines from Panther. Gen. Miles leaves Tampa tomorrow on the Bancroft. It is intimated the capture of Santiago will be followed immediately by a movement on Porto Rico, landing thirty thousand men there.

### Fatal Mistake.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

St. Louis, May 31.—James Underwood, a traveling salesman, was killed in a store here yesterday by drinking a solution of cyanide of potassium thinking it to be water.

### Anxious To Go

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Chattanooga, May 31.—Several regiments are packing preparatory to moving southward. Great activity prevails and it is thought many regiments will go to Tampa immediately, though exact destination is unknown, all information being refused. All are anxious to be the first sent.

### Successful Expedition.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Key West, May 31.—The expedition by steamer Florida was a complete success. Fifteen hundred Cubans with a large quantity of arms and ammunition were safely landed in Cuba without firing a shot. The steamer was conveyed by the Ochoa which has returned here.

### Steamer Foundered.

By Telegraph to Reflector

New York, May 31.—The steamer City of Kingston arrived today from Jamaica and reports having sighted a steamer ashore off Cape Maysi, on the east end of Cuba, pounding heavily. The steamer is probably the Belvidere, of the Boston Fruit Company on which vice President Captain of Cuban Republic is supposed to be a passenger. The vessel was abandoned.

### Loved the Sweet Singer.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Rondout, N. Y., May 31.—Tobia Vasteinburg, a crazy lover of Jennie Lind, died near here yesterday in a miserable hovel. Vasteinburg was a victim of a practical joke years ago and followed the singer all over the country. He spent all his means and when he learned of the joke lost his mind.

### Let the Smash Come.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Washington, May 31.—After the Cabinet meeting today discussed the Santiago situation a member said that nothing would be done till we hear from Schley. This is taken to indicate that Schley has orders to smash things at Santiago.

### Measures in Congress

By Telegraph to Reflector

Washington, May 31.—The House passed a bill appropriating \$70,000 to continue the life saving stations on the Atlantic coast during June and July as a war measure. In the Senate Lodge is speaking in favor of Hawaiian annexation resolution, and said the President will be sustained by the country if he took possession of Hawaii as a military necessity.

### Troops Active

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Mobile, Ala., May 31.—Section fourth army corps is ready to move. Preparations are proceeding rapidly and it is expected they will immediately embark. While the destination is unknown it is supposed they will go to Porto Rico. Sixty days field rations were ordered.

### BETHEL ITEMS

BETHEL, N. C., MAY, 30th, 1898.

Miss Effie Grimes returned home last Wednesday from Greensboro where she had been attending the Normal and Industrial school.

J. L. Britton, of Houston, Tex., arrived Friday evening to spend a while here with his parents and friends.

Miss Mattie Grimes went to Greensboro last week to accompany her sister, Miss Effie, home.

T. G. Britton went to Rocky Mount last Thursday and returned Friday evening.

Mrs. H. W. A. Martin returned home from Rocky Mount Friday evening, where she had spent the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Wynn.

D. C. Moore returned from Raleigh Friday evening from the State Democratic convention.

Prof. B. F. Hassell's school will close Friday. Elder Sylvester Hassell will preach the annual sermon at 10:30 A. M.

Mrs. J. A. Taylor went to Whichard Friday to attend the Union Meeting at Briery Swamp. She returned home this morning.

Many of our farmers are shipping Irish potatoes.

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## GLOVES,

## GLOVES.

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Gloves: In pearl.

Gloves: In ladies driving.

Gloves: In tan.

Gloves: In black.

Gloves: In men silk lined.

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J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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TUESDAY, MAY 31, 1898.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, May 30, '98.

The administration several days ago announced its belief that the Spanish fleet was cooped up in the harbor at Santiago de Cuba, and that Commodore Schley with his strong fleet was at the mouth of that harbor, and both have been daily reiterated. But the administration has thrown doubts upon its own confidence in its announced belief by failing to order the invasion of Cuba. Steamers enough to carry 3,000 men to Cuba are at Key West, Tampa and nearby points, under government charter, at an expense something like \$30,000 a day, and the troops are also ready to embark at an hours notice. But no order has been given, although it had been officially stated that the invasion of Cuba would be ordered the hour that it became absolutely certain that the Spanish fleet was where it could not interfere. If it is on the inside of Santiago harbor and Schley is on the outside, it could not interfere. But is it there? The man who can answer that question knows more than the whole administration outfit. Everybody hopes, but nobody seems to know. Schley spent two days watching the mouth of another Cuban harbor, last week, under the impression that the Spanish fleet was inside. His mistake has made him cautious about making positive statements. That is why he has not gone further up to this time than to say that he believes, from information that he has received from insurgents and others that the fleet is inside of the harbor at Santiago, before the mouth of which he is now watching. He has been instructed to find out to a certainty.

Two more prominent ex-confederates have been given general commissions by Mr. McKinley—ex-Senator Butler, of South Carolina major general, and ex-Congressman and ex-governor Oates, of Alabama, Brigadier General—and it is stated at the War Department that several more will be similarly honored this week.

Senator Cockrell, in a strong speech in favor of coining the seigniorage of the silver bullion owned by the government and of issuing greenbacks instead of bonds, said: "Sacrifices must be made in this war. 200,000 men have been taken from the industrial pursuits of the country, and are engaged in waste and destruction. War is waste. War creates loss and destruction. All the people should bear the burdens alike. Sacrifices must be made, but we cannot lighten the burdens or prevent the losses of the war by an issue of bonds." After ridiculing the calling of the

proposed issue of bonds "a popular loan", and characterizing it as a "fraud and a fake on the very face of it", Senator Cockrell said: "The golden opportunity of the bankers and the bond holders has come, and now they rush in for more bonds in order that they may more securely fasten the single gold standard on the country. We want the war carried on, for we believe it to be a humane and just war. We feel some responsibility for having forced the war upon the country. But we are patriotic. We are not demanding the substitution of the bimetallic system, but we are asking that instead of bonds. I shall vote against any bill that contains a provision for interest bearing bonds."

Senator Gorman said in his speech on the proposition to coin the silver seigniorage: "In my judgment it would be unwise—it would be fruitless, to attempt to push that question to the front while the country has the Spanish army and navy to confront. That is a question we ought to fight out in a time of peace. I have always been a partisan. I have voted for my party even when some of its candidates did not quite meet my approval. But in a crisis like this I do not know my party. I know only the highest interest of my country. Knowing how sharp is the political division upon this proposition, I cannot vote for it at this time, no matter how just it may be in the abstract, or as a proposition standing alone. Senator Gorman supported the proposition to issue bonds, because he said no war had ever been conducted without an issue of bonds, and because he believed that if the bill failed to provide for an issue of bonds, Mr. McKinley would issue them under the law of 1875, just as Mr. Cleveland did."

## MUSTER ROLL OF PITT RIFLES

Now Known as Company A. N. C. Volunteers.

2nd Regiment Headquarters }  
Raleigh, N. C., May 28, '98.  
EDITOR REFLECTOR:

The following is the complete muster roll of our company as it now stands:

Captain—J T Smith, Greenville.  
1st. Lieutenant J C Allbritton, Greenville.

2nd. Lieutenant—H M Snuggs, Greenville.

Sergeant.—1st. J V Johnston, Greenville; 2nd. J M Windham, Farmville; 3rd. A D Johnston, Greenville; 4th. J R Woods, Oxford; 5th. C J Bawden, Oxford; Quartermaster, W Paul Hosier, Burlington.

Corporals.—1st. H H Blackley, Greenville; 2nd. H C Fornes, Greenville; 3rd. D S Moore, Ayden; 4th. T T Ferrill, Hargrove; 5th. J H Parham, Watkins; 6th. J T Robey, Winterville.

Artificer, R L Dail, Ormondsville.

Wagoner, J M Andersop, Wilkesboro.

Musicians, H A Blow, Greenville; J A Beck, Archbald, Pa.; John M Cheek, Greenville; J P Farrell, Archbald; Arthur Hudson, Scranton, Pa.; Albert Jones, Scranton; W P Jones, Scranton; E H Klopfer, Archbald; J F Lane, Archbald; W P McGettrick, Prisenburg, Pa.; John Mehl, Scranton; G A Mehrew, Scranton; Michael Rawlak, Mayfield, Pa.; Max Schweiberg, Scranton; J J Timlin, Archbald.

Privates—J D Abrams, Raleigh; J H Adkinson, Burlington, R F Anderson, Wilkesboro; G M Bodenhamer, Waughtown; E T Boykin, Raleigh; F E Brown, Burgaw, J H Browning, Winterville; J R Bulbs, Moravian Falls; J H Dalton, Winston, C O Dancy, Greenville; W L Daniel, Greensboro; R B Duls, Wilkesboro; E C

Edwards, Ayden; R J Ernul, Greenville; S W Everett, Willis Creek; C H Faucett, Bullock; R O Gentry, Flat Creek; H W Gragg, Globe; Edward Greene, O D Harrington, Greenville; T V Harris, Moravian Falls; D V Haskett, Greenville; J R Hicks, Williamsboro; J H Hoover, Charlotte; J B Johnston, Greenville; Nathaniel Kelley, Brushy Mt.; J F Leggett, Greenville; E A Long, Franklinton; D L Marrow, Falkland; H L McAdden, Winston; B H Meadows, R L Meadows, Oxford; W H Miller, Falkland; L F Nobles, Winterville; W W Perkins, Greenville; M L Perry, Liberty; W F Preddy, Winston; W J Ray, Oakwood; W A Ray, McAdenville; J P Sanford, Clarksville Va; A S Sayim, Charlotte; B F Stahler, Marshall; J H Strum, Clarksville, Va; G R Swett, Oxford; L J Tipton, Marshall; M B Tranthum, Fairview; E B Tucker, Henderson; W G Turner, Turlington.

The only ones from Pitt county who failed to pass the physical examination were 3rd Sergeant W. E. Nichols and Private E. S. Marrow, though several of our recruits from other places failed.

Ours was the last company mustered in. We are Co. A. 2nd N. C. Vol. The second regiment was mustered in this morning.

All the men from Pennsylvania belong to the band and were attached to our company to fill it out.

I shall have to tender my resignation as Commander of Battery Z. Tell Jim White to call a meeting to elect my successor, as Uncle Sam says he has other fish for me to fry.

I would have telegraphed when we were mustered in, as promised, but finances are troubling the entire regiment.

The second is entitled to one scrap per day and has not failed to get its "entitlements" yet.

AMBROSE D. JOHNSON.

[While the above was written Saturday it did not reach us until Monday, and the Raleigh papers of Sunday morning say that in the company drawing for position in the regiment our company drew E., and that information being later than Sgt. Johnston's letter we presume that our company is E. instead of A. as he states. We would suggest that our readers file away this copy of THE REFLECTOR and keep it. They may not see another complete muster roll of our company just as it went into service, and sometime in future they may be glad of an opportunity to read this list.—ED.]

## The Platform Adopted.

The Democratic party of North Carolina, in convention assembled in Raleigh, N. C., on this day, May 26, 1898, do hereby approve, endorse and ratify the last Democratic National and State platform and pledge our earnest support to the principles therein expressed.

We denounce the Republican party for the passage of the Dingley tariff bill, which has increased the burdens of taxation upon the consumers and given the trusts and monopolists greater power to rob the people.

Believing that under our present methods of Federal taxation that more than three-quarters of our National revenues are paid by people owning less than one-quarter of the property of the country, we protest against such inequality and injustice, and in order to remedy to some extent this great wrong, we favor an income tax, and favor all constitutional methods to sustain it.

We denounce the Republican party for the defeat of the Teller resolutions declaring our National bonds payable in silver as well as gold, and denounce it for its determined purpose of more thoroughly fastening the single gold standard upon our people, and for its avowed hostility to the free and unlimited coinage of silver, as well as gold, at the ratio of 16 to 1, into full legal tender money.

We denounce the Republican party for its determination to issue bonds at this time, and we denounce the Republican war tax bill which lately passed the House of Representatives as unjust and unequal in its burdens, unnecessary and vexatious, and we demand the silver seigniorage be coined, that an income tax be

levied; and that the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized to issue the necessary amount of full legal tender greenbacks, or United States Treasury notes, in order to meet the expensive of the war with Spain and to supply the revenue deficit under the Dingley bill.

While we deplore the war with Spain, we pledge our earnest support to the Government in all honorable ways to effect a speedy and successful conclusion of hostilities.

We denounce the scandal, extravagance, incompetency and corruption of the present Republican State administration.

We denounce all enactments of the last two Legislatures by which cities and towns in the State have been turned over to negro domination, and we pledge ourselves to enact such laws as will give security and protection to the property and people of every town and community in the State.

We denounce the placing of negroes on committee to supervise white school and we pledge ourselves, if restored to power, to enact such legislation as will make this impossible.

We denounce all legislation enacted by the Legislature of 1895 and 1897 for carrying out the base and partisan designs of the Republican party.

We denounce the placing of ignorant, irresponsible and corrupt men in office.

We oppose the removal by corporations on suit or cases from our State to the Federal courts, and favor legislation to prevent it.

We favor fair and just election laws.

We favor a government of the people, by the people and for the people—economy, in expenditure, the abolition of unnecessary offices, decency in administration, constant improvement of our educational system, charity to the unfortunate, and rule by the white men of the State.

We favor the extension of the powers of the Railroad Commission, and a close scrutiny into affairs in order to ascertain, establish and maintain such rates as shall be fair and just to the people and to the transportation and transmission corporations.

We condemn free passes.

We favor the enactment of such legislation as will encourage capital to make investments within our State, and guarantee that the same shall be justly protected.

We favor a union of the silver forces of the country in the Congressional elections, and cordially invite all voters, without regard to past political affiliations, to unite with us in supporting our candidates for Congress who favor the free coinage of silver, thus giving practical force and effect to the recommendation of our Democratic National chairman, Hon. James K. Jones, and to the Congressional committee.

We admire and commend without stint the great and gallant fight made by Gen. William J. Bryan in the last National campaign for the success of our party and the principles of our platform.

We call attention to the wise economical, honest and honorable administration of the affairs of our State for twenty years prior to the present Republican administration, and promise the people a return of wise, honest, economical and honorable administration, under Democratic success. We call upon every believer in honor, honesty and economy, upon every advocate of white supremacy upon every advocate of equity and just taxation, upon every advocate of the income tax and opponent of plundering tariff taxation, upon every advocate of the restoration of silver, and opponent of the single gold standard, and the present issue of bonds, as threatened by the Republican party, upon every opponent of government by injunction, and advocate of the jurisdiction of State courts over cases arising in the State against corporations doing business therein, upon every lover of decency and good government and opponents of the prevailing conditions, to unite with us in our contest with the Republican party—the greatest enemy of our principles, and aid us in redeeming the Nation from the clutches of greed and injustice, and the State from the scandal and incompetence that now afflict it.

## Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 12th, 1898.

Departures from Wilmington.

### NORTHBOUND.

ILLY No. 4—Passenger—Due May 31, 9.00 a. m. No. 10.46 a. m. Warsaw 12.00 a. m. Goldsboro 12.05 a. m. Wilson 12.50 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. Washington 11.30 p. m. Baltimore 1.00 a. m. Philadelphia 3.50 a. m. New York 6.53 a. m. Boston 3.00 p. m.

DAILY No. 40—Passenger Due May 31, 7.15 p. m. No. 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. Norfolk 10.30 a. m. Petersburg 3.14 a. m. Richmond 4.06 a. m. Washington 7.41 a. m. Baltimore 9.03 a. m. Philadelphia 11.25 a. m. New York 2.03 p. m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

### SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No. 55—Passenger Due May 31, 4.00 p. m. Waccamaw 5.09 p. m. Chadbourne 5.41 p. m. Marion 6.43 p. m. Florence 7.25 p. m. Sumter 9.10 p. m. Columbia 10.30 p. m. Denmark 6.12 a. m. Augusta 7.55 a. m. Macon 11.15 a. m. Atlanta 12.25 p. m. Charleston 10.50 p. m. Savannah 1.50 a. m. Jacksonville 7.30 a. m. St. Augustine 10.20 a. m. Tampa 5.25 p. m.

## 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. Baltimore 2.50 a. m. Washington 4.30 a. m. Richmond 9.05 a. m. Petersburg 10.00 a. m. Norfolk 11.53 a. m. Tarboro 12.12 p. m. Rocky Mount 12.47 p. m. Wilson 2.37 p. m. Goldsboro 3.20 p. m. Warsaw 4.11 p. m. Magnolia 4.24 p. m.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 10 P. 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. Richmond 7.30 p. m. Petersburg 8.12 p. m. Norfolk 2.20 p. m. Weldon 9.4 a. 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 Sunday 11.20 a. m. Jacksonville 10.20 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, Charleston 6.33 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. Sumter 5.08 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 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 p. 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 Parmele 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Parmele 3.30 p. m., Parmele 9.35 a. m. 1.20 p. m., arrives Washington 3.10 a. m., and 7.20 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Latta Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle and Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5.30 p. m., Sunday 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.10 p. m. 6. turning 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. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10.25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar 7.00 p. m. Olio 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Olio 6.10 a. m. Dunbar 6.30 a. m. Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday 11.20 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. Return leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00.

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Resources.

Loans and Discounts, ... \$38,581.93  
Premium on Stock, ... 1,000.00  
Due from Banks, ... 17,885.49  
Furniture and Fixtures, ... 1,517.75  
Cash Items, ... 2,072.38  
Cash, ... 41,984.64

\$103,042.00

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in ... \$23,000.00  
Undivided Profits, ... 3,044.31  
Deposits subject to check, 76,255.00  
Due Banks ... 110.03  
Cashiers checks outstanding, 632.85

\$103,042.19

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**Do You Suffer from Cancer? If so Read This.**

I have had cancer on my face for 14 years, and have tried all the cancer doctors of any reputation in this country. I went to Atlanta and put myself under treatment of a cancer doctor of great reputation. I tried all treatments that presented, with but little if any benefit. It appeared first under my eye in a small lump not larger than a pea and it started from that to eating until it has now eaten away one of my eyes, one of my ears is gone and good portion of one side of my face. I became heartily discouraged by the treatment of all cancer doctors and determined to try blood medicines. I tried all the blood medicines of any repute in the country, with but little benefit. Accidentally, or I might say, providentially, Mr. Joe Person passed by my house last summer and came in to see me and asked me to try her Remedy and wash. I was altogether discouraged and in bad health every way and had just given up to die. I thought that I would make one more trial and try her Remedy. I did so and the very first dose I took did me more good than any medicine I ever took in my life. I commenced building up at once. I had indigestion, dyspepsia and chronic constiveness and it relieved all in a short time. I continued to use it for six months and continued to improve all the time. It did me more good than all the blood medicines I ever used. Cancer that has developed itself as far as mine had is impossible of cure, but if I could have gotten it five years ago I know it would have cured me. I believe I would have been in my grave long ago if it had not been for Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. It relieves the pain and suffering from the cancer, and gives me good, sweet, restful sleep. I had no appetite and was weakened down. It gave me good appetite and strength. I would urge upon and advise any one who has the least appearance of cancer to begin to use Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash at once. I believe it will cure any case of cancer if only taken in time, before it gets such deep hold. Don't delay it. When anyone buys Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash they are not buying a humbug, it is all that is claimed for it. I believe if anyone will use the Remedy for six months, it will utterly kill the taste for liquor. I believe it equal to the Keeley Cure. I have been a moderate drinker in my time, but since taking the Remedy, I have lost all taste for liquor and it is repulsive to me now.

S. LEE THOMPSON,  
Swepsonville, N. C., July 17, 1897.

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JOHN L. WOOTEN,  
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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	64
Middling	54
Low Middling	57-15
Good Ordinary	44
Tone—steady	

PEANUTS.	
Prime	24 to 24
Extra Prime	24
Fancy	24 to 24
Spanish	55c bu
Tone—steady.	

**Greenville Market.**

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 20
Western Sides	15 to 16
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 120
Corn	40 to 52
Corn Meal	50 to 64
Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.70
Lard	54 to 16
Sts	35 to 40
Sugar	44 to 6
Coffee	84 to 0
Salt per Sack	65 to 150
Chickens	124 to 15
Eggs per doz	12
Beeswax, per	7
Cotton Seed, per bushel	10 to

**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, Caudies and Fruits. Best selected Canned Goods, Pickles and Dried Fruits. Cigars and Cigarettes of best makes. Fresh Vegetables and Flower Seeds. Red Bliss Seed Potatoes. Our load of Corn in sacks. And when it comes to such staples as Meats, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, etc., we occupy the front row. Come to see us and let our fine goods and low prices talk for themselves.

Two bars fine Laundry Soap for 5 cents.

Agent for the Durham Steam Laundry.

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The Leading Grocers.

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**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.

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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.

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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.

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Is only \$1 a year 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.



## Weather Bulletin.

Fair weather tonight and Wednesday.



## THE EXCELLENCE OF SYRUP OF FIGS

is due not only to the originality and simplicity of the combination, but also to the care and skill with which it is manufactured by scientific processes known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. only, and we wish to impress upon all the importance of purchasing the true and original remedy. As the genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. only, a knowledge of that fact will assist one in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured by other parties. The high standing of the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. with the medical profession, and the satisfaction which the genuine Syrup of Figs has given to millions of families, makes the name of the Company a guaranty of the excellence of its remedy. It is far in advance of all other laxatives, as it acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels without irritating or weakening them, and it does not gripe nor nauseate. In order to get its beneficial effects, please remember the name of the Company—

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.  
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.

## Ankle Sprained.

While returning home Monday, in attempting to get on the train Mrs. T. J. Jarvis made a misstep and injured one ankle so that she suffers much difficulty and pain in getting about.

## PERFECTION FOOTWEAR.

We have just received our new stock of  
Ladies, Misses, Children,

## Oxfords &amp; Sandals

in all the new shapes and colors and Perfection is what we claim for them.

PERFECTION IN STYLE  
IN FIT

We call especial attention to this Department of our stock, for here we try to give you only the newest and the best.

J. B. CHERRY &amp; CO.

## SMALL TALK.

## Items Without Heads that go Right Along.

Last day of May.

Fresh Grass Butter at S. M. Schultz Ice cream, and all kinds of cool drinks at W. C. Hines.

Mrs. J. S. Tunstall is closing out her entire stock of millinery at prime cost—Give her a call.

The storm Monday evening gave THE REFLECTOR carriers a rough time making their rounds.

Policemen are usually supposed to be around and scoop people who engage in fighting. But Monday after a scrap had taken place one of the combatants was going up and down the street inquiring for a policeman.

## The Pearson Meeting

Mr. Pearson occupied the Monday morning service with a Bible reading to instruct Christians how to use the Scriptures. He had distributed through the audience tracts containing collation of passages of Scripture appropriate for use among different classes, and as these passages were read he applied illustrations and comments to further impress them. He believes in meeting every class of sinners with Bible words or as he says himself "nail them with the truth and let that do its work."

The storm Monday evening and night caused only a small attendance at the night service. The weather was so bad that only the men could venture out, and Mr. Pearson said he was going to turn it into an old fashioned men's prayer meeting. There were a number of earnest special prayers offered and in all it was a very precious meeting. Some unconverted people were present and from these were several requests for prayer.

## PERSONALS.

## They Go and Come and all Talk War.

Mrs. M. E. Norman went to Raleigh today.

L. I. Moore left this morning for Whitakers.

Miss Bettie Tyson left this morning for Chapel Hill.

E. E. Griffin returned Monday evening from a trip to Wilson.

W. B. Wilson and boys returned Monday evening from Plymouth.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis left this afternoon for Snow Hill to appear in some referee cases before Judge Shepherd.

W. T. Whitehead and wife, of Scotland Neck, who have been visiting the family of J. W. Higgs returned home this morning.

Mrs. T. J. Jarvis and Mrs. J. B. Cherry returned Monday evening from Wilmington where they had been attending the King's Daughters convention.

L. C. Arther has been noticed wearing a broader smile and greeting his friends more cordially than ever during the last few days. A sweet little girl at his home is the cause of his additional happiness.

## THE STORM.

## Much Damage by Hail and Wind

Monday afternoon this section was visited by a bad storm of unusual severity. Many of the older people say they never saw a worse one. It started just before 5 o'clock and for half an hour the stones pelted down thick and fast until the ground was white with them. About in corners and by the exposed sides of buildings heaps of the stones accumulated until they could be scooped up by the bucket full, and in some places it would have been easy to rake up a cart load in a small space.

Along with the hail was a heavy rain that flooded everything, and a terrific wind that twisted and tore the trees and scattered limbs over the streets. The entire upper front of Mr. J. A. Brady's bar room was blown down across the sidewalk and other building suffered in the storm. Out in tobacco row considerable damage was done by breaking windows. In every one of the four warehouses the skylights were peppered full of holes, there being upwards of fifty lights broken in each. Gardens around town were pretty badly cut to pieces.

So far as we can learn the hail covered a large territory and did much damage in various directions. People coming in on the train said they saw hail as far as Halifax and it might have extended even further north. Along near Tillery it seemed to reach its greatest fury. Several buildings were unrooted and a few people hurt. Some of the hail stones were from 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

On the Norfolk & Carolina railroad the south bound train from Norfolk encountered 23 trees across the track before getting to Hobgood. In consequence of this the train was delayed more than an hour.

Olen Warren says that the hail ruined nearly everything at Riverside Nurseries. He says not to exceeding 5 per cent of the fruit is left on the trees.

Windows of residences and other buildings in various portions of the town were broken out.

West and south of town the hail did not extend but a few miles, but in an easterly direction on both sides of the river the damage is considerable.

Capt. Hawks, conductor of the Coast Line, tells us the hail and storm here was nothing in comparison to what it was in Halifax county. Up there everything was destroyed and great damage was done to buildings.

Both telegraph and telephone lines suffered considerably by the storm.

How about the box for our military boys at Raleigh?

## Restoring Wages.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Louisville, Ky, May 31—The ten per cent reduction in wages of employees of the Louisville & Nashville railway in 1893, will be restored July 1st.

The train was away off of schedule again Monday night.

During the storm Monday afternoon a colored boy named Henry Nobles was killed by lightning at Ayder.

Evangelist Pearson will preach a sermon tonight on "Regeneration." Go out to the Star war house and hear him.

Send me your laundry for Wednesday shipment. All patrons are pleased with the work of the Wilmington Steam Laundry.

HUGG SHEPPARD, Agent.

## NOTICE.

## Sale Personal Property

On Saturday, June 4th, 1893, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of B. F. Sugg, we will offer for sale all the household and kitchen furniture of B. F. Sugg, consisting of Parlor Furniture, Crockery, Stoves, Cooking Utensils, &c. Terms of sale cash.

HARDING &amp; HARDING.

We are Still Selling  
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We have just thrown on our counters a beautiful line of

## Summer Dress Goods and Shoes

which will be sold at low figures.

Remember all other goods are also included in this special cost sale.

C. T. MUNFORD, Next Door to the Bank Greenville.

A new line of

## Summer

## Dress Goods

just arrived. All made in

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## Lang's Cash House.

## GREAT REDUCTION!

IN

## Lawns, Dimities, Wash Goods

and all Summer Goods. My goods are all fresh and of the latest styles. A call will convince you. Remember this is a great reduction.

H. C. HOOKER.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

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## Spring and Summer Goods.

and will be glad to have you for our customer

DRY GOODS NOTIONS  
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The prettiest line ever

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