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WHAT OF THIS?

Greenville Should Look Into It.

THE REFLECTOR is in receipt of a private letter in which the writer says it seems to be the opinion of many business men with whom he has talked that the proposed railroad from Snow Hill to Pantego is being backed by the Southern Railway. The writer adds "If such is the case, it will never in the world do to let it pass Greenville by."

This is a matter the people of Greenville should look into, and allow no time to be lost in doing so. It is said that the Southern owns a majority of the stock in the Norfolk & Southern road which terminates at Pantego, and that it is their purpose to extend this proposed road to some point on their system, say to Goldsboro, which will give the Southern a through line of its own with a deep water terminus at Norfolk. At present the Southern is paying the Atlantic Coast Line a large sum for the privilege of using the track of the latter from Selma to Norfolk, so it is reasonable to believe that the Southern is backing this proposed road, for a line of its own from Goldsboro to Norfolk would be a great saving and of much advantage to it.

It should take no argument to convince our people of the benefit it would be to Greenville for the proposed road to touch here, and if there is even a possibility of securing it every effort should be made to that end. Greenville has been the loser in the past by neglecting to take advantage of opportunities that were presented, and it will be almost suicidal to let such a railroad as the one proposed give this town the go by. Let the Chamber of Commerce begin action in the matter at once and see that the road is brought here.

GRIMESLAND ITEMS.

GRIMESLAND, N. C., Jan. 14, '99 Misses M. Louise Smithwick and Della Topping, of Jamesville, returned Monday and Miss Smithwick will continue her school.

D. G. Moore has taken a position with W. M. Moore.

Smith Paul has turned the Post Office over to W. M. Moore, is selling out and will return to his home in Pamlico county.

Mack Holliday, of Dunn, came down last week with his mother on a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. T. Proctor. He returned Sunday.

W. E. Tucker went to Greenville Monday to attend court.

Mrs. J. O. Proctor is very sick. Mrs. Holliday has moved in her new residence on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tucker gave an entertainment Thursday night in honor of their company, Misses Sallie Galloway, Daisy Tucker and Alice Galloway.

JUST FOR FUN.

A soft answer generally provokes wrath when a fellow's at the telephone.

When a man strikes a "new wrinkle" he wants everybody to know about it; but with a woman it's different.

Hoax—"Peculiar illness that of Goldrox's. He has baffled three doctors." Joax—"Baffled three doctors, eh? What a wonderful hold on life he must have."

ATTEMPT TO GET OUT.

But Deputy Mason Catches Them.

Sunday afternoon there was an attempt at jail breaking that came very near being successful. Deputy Sheriff J. J. Mason was keeping a pretty close watch on the jail and the prisoners, there being so many confined, and on one of his trips of inspection he went around the building just in time to catch one of the prisoners standing on the outside and to see another crawling through a hole in the wall. He captured both and locked them up again. An investigation showed that the prisoners on the lower floor, having the privilege of the corridor, had stood a mattress up in the corner behind which the work of cutting a hole through the wall had been accomplished. But for the watchfulness of Deputy Mason all of the prisoners on the first floor might have made their escape. Perhaps it would be a good idea not to allow the prisoners the privilege of staying in the corridor even during the day time, as every time an escape has occurred it resulted in that way.

Roanoke Union.

The next session of the Roanoke Union will be held with the Plymouth church, Jan. 27-29, 1899.

PROGRAMME:

Friday, 8 o'clock, P. M., Sermon by A. W. Setzer.

Report from churches, Sat. 9-9:30 A. M. Devotional exercises led by N. Biggs.

1st Topic: What relation has our Union to our State Mission work?—G. L. Merrell, G. W. Newell.

2nd Topic: What is Christian Consecration, and how obtained?—W. A. Ayers, J. W. Powell.

Sat. 2:30 P. M.—What is the Bible law of giving?—M. L. Kesler, J. N. Booth.

Sat. 7:30 P. M.—Devotional exercises led by C. W. Williamston.

1st Topic: The Lord's Supper, and who should observe it.—R. T. Vann, B. K. Mason.

2nd Topic: Our Young People and their Development—W. H. Reddick, R. H. Herring.

Sun. 9:30—Sunday-school Work.

1. Bible class taught by E. E. Hilliard.

2. Sunday-school as Mission agencies—B. Craig, W. A. Dunn.

Sun. 11 A. M.—Sermon, J. N. Booth.

Sun. 7 P. M.—Sermon, R. T. Vann.

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SAM WHITE.

Hail The Country Editor.

A writer in the Chicago Times-Herald says among other things about the country paper:

The city man who does not take his "home paper, providing he was reared in the country, does not know what real enjoyment he misses. The news I get out of one issue is worth more than the yearly subscription. I devour every line of the local gossip and neighborhood correspondence, and when I lay the paper aside I praise the country editor for giving me this privilege.

To the man who cannot visit his old home every year or two the weekly perusal of his home paper is almost as good as a trip to boyhood scenes. He reads where the little freckled faced girl who sat behind him at school was married to a city chap, who holds a "lucrative position with a street car company."

Letters from home are very welcome, but one doesn't get as much news in a hundred letters as he does in one issue of the home paper.

If you are sick the country editor writes a nice paragraph about illness and he trusts that you will "soon be able to appear upon our streets again;" if your wife dies he tells of her many good traits of character and that she "bore her last illness with Christian fortitude;" if your son gets married the country editor tells what a promising young man he is and what an "estimable and charming young lady" is the bride.

And this and more he does—rejoicing with you in prosperity and sorrowing with you in adversity—always taking a friendly interest in his people and displaying a pride and public spirit in his town which is foreign to the big city papers. And yet when any one has to wait for his money or go without entirely it is that same country editor—not the publisher of the "foreign" paper whose only interest in you extends as far as your dollar goes.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

John Wilkinson, long known at Kansas City, Mo., as a "square gambler," is dead.

Commodore Philip assumed command of the Brooklyn Navy Yard yesterday, succeeding Rear Admiral Bunce.

When officers went to arrest Forger A. J. Conover, at Port Huron, Mich., his daughter shot at them, but was disarmed.

Russell Hoyt, the famous counterfeiter recently pardoned by the President, died in the prison hospital at Danbury, Conn.

This is the season of the year when a draft coming in through in an open door makes a man shudder, particularly if it is a sight draft.

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A DRAMATIC CLIMAX.

The Effect of One Woman's Pathetic Eyes on a Jury.

That juries are affected by handsome and languishing eyes is proved by a remarkable experience of the greatest advocate at the New York bar, the late James T. Brady. He was counsel for a young woman in a case involving an attempt to break a will.

His client sat by his side. She was a very beautiful young woman whose eyes seemed always to rivet the attention of those upon whom her glances fell. There was a pathetic expression which affected every one. She sat watching the jury during the course of the trial, and at last there was some complaint that she was attempting by means of her glances to excite the sympathy of the jury.

Then Mr. Brady arose and in one of the most touching and beautiful of all the addresses he ever made in court he spoke of the blessings which every one who had an appreciation of beautiful things and could see them enjoyed, and dwell for some moments upon the happy lot of the jury who could see the budding of the flowers—it was then spring-time—and the charms of nature; then, suddenly turning to his client, he said, "That blessing is denied my client, for, though she has eyes which seem to look upon you, gentlemen, there is no vision in them, for her sight has been taken from her."

She had been, in fact, the victim of total paralysis of the optic nerve, which had not impaired the beauty of her eyes, but had given to them that singular pathetic expression which she was thus falsely charged with employing that she might secure the sympathies of the jury.—Philadelphia Press.

THE SCHOOL PLAYGROUND.

Its Abolition Is a Grievous Wrong to the Children.

This is an evil which has crept in with the tendency to centralize the schools. When in any place the schools begin to overflow, a movement to put up a larger building takes place, accompanied by an effort to create a high school department, not so much the need of the community as the ambitious dream of some principal who would be superintendent or some sort of central sun to a group of satellites.

This dream is too easily realized, because it flatters the people. Then there rises a preposterous structure of stone and brick. A house of many gables, out of keeping with everything, either public or private, in the place; a temple of vanity. Now is rung the knell of the school playground, for the new "high school," although it will house all the children from 5 to 15, must needs be surrounded by a fine lawn, studded with shrubbery and threaded by blue-stone roads. The janitor has to employ an assistant to keep the grounds in order.

A shut in, penitentiarylike place has been evolved by the architect and school committee, gratifying to their pride and a deep wrong to the children. There are many wrongs about it. The one insisted upon here is the abolishing of the recess, that time honored joy of the American schoolboy and schoolgirl.—Isabella G. Oakley in Popular Science Monthly.

Music and Eating.

I dined the other day at a restaurant where the dinner is served to the accompaniment of an orchestra. We had "King Cotton" with the oysters and rag time with the soup. Then the orchestra slid into that always beautiful intermezzo of "Cavalleria Rusticana." They played it much more slowly than I remember ever to have heard it before. The head waiter fidgeted and gnawed his lip. There was misery in his eye. At last he disappeared in the direction of the musicians, and a moment later the intermezzo began to gallop along, presto, prestissimo, and at the end of it the orchestra struck up a two step. The head waiter came back relieved.

"We can't have slow music here, madam," he said to me when I asked him about it. "We'd never get through, and I want to get off early. People eat too slow when they play slow music."

And when I looked around I saw that knives, forks and spoons were moving to the tempo of the two-step. Everybody was hurrying. The head waiter knew what he was about.—Washington Post.

The Retort Courtneys.

Father O'Leary, a well known Roman Catholic priest and yet was on very friendly terms with his neighbor, the Church of England vicar. They met on the road one day, when the vicar said excitedly, "Oh, Father O'Leary, have you heard the awful news?"

"No," says the priest, "what is it, at all?"

"Something awful," says the vicar. "The bottom has fallen out of purgatory, and all the Catholics have tumbled into hell!"

"Oh, dear, oh, dear," says Father O'Leary, "what a crushing the poor Protestants must have got!"—London Chronicle.

An Explanation.

Little Dot—Mamma, I was playing with your best tea set while you were away, and when you bring it out for company you'll be shocked, 'cause you'll think one of the cups has a hair in it, but it isn't a hair.

Mamma—What is it?
Little Dot—It's only a crack.—Pick Me Up.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

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MUD PUDDLES.

Only Few Items Float on The Surface.

January a little more than half gone.

Masons meet tonight. Visiting brethren invited.

Several car loads of cattle have been shipped from here this winter.

The Rawls trial begins tomorrow and will doubtless attract a large crowd to town.

"Strife" will be presented at the opera house Tuesday night of next week for the benefit of Hope Fire Company.

We hear that the case of small pox reported in Plymouth, a few days ago, turns out to be a case of the grip.

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SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Dr. Odom, the eye specialist, will be in Greenville only until February 1st. Call on him and have your eyes examined.

FOR RENT—The Stephens house and lot in Greenville—House contains six rooms. Apply to J. A. ANDREWS.

Sunday gave us beautiful weather which was greatly enjoyed after the disagreeable spell of the previous week. But it looks now like being bad again.

Dr. Hyatt will be in Greenville at King House Monday, Jan 30th, for the purpose of examining and treating diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina for an amendment to the stock law fence around the town of Greenville, N. C., requiring the County Commissioners to extend said fence from its eastern terminus on Tar river up the bank of said river to the town line. Greenville, N. C., Jan 9, 1899.

LIFE PRESERVERS.

People Need to Wear Them in The Mud.

F. G. Whaley went to Halifax today.

R. Williams returned Saturday evening from Raleigh.

Rev J. B. Morton returned to Tarboro this morning.

E. A. Coward went to Hookerton Saturday night and returned this morning.

Sanford Christman, of Wilson, who has been visiting his uncle, A. A. Forbes, left this morning.

Miss Laura Clark, from near Conecote, is visiting her brother, Mr. W. J. S. Clark in South Greenville.

Mrs. Henrietta Williams returned Saturday evening from Raleigh where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russ.

J. S. Munday and S. Streit, of New Jersey, are spending a few days here with Mayor Ola Forbes and engaging in some bird hunting. Mr. Munday was out here last winter and likes guinea in this section.

ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by The Orange Va. Observer.

There is something divine in a sister's love and even good men are made better by it, especially if it is some other fellow's sister.

We have become pessimist enough to believe that life itself is a humbug—that the man who makes the best of it is the one who escaped being born. We know not whence we came nor whither we are going, but the most of us get more shadow than sunshine, more cholera morbus than ice cream. The moment a man hits the globe he starts for the grave, and his only visible reward for long days of labor and nights of pain is and epitaph he cannot read and a tombstone he does not want.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Jennie Boyd, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate should present the same for payment on or before the 2nd day of January, 1900, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery of same.

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May	5.73	5.75	5.72	5.73
August	5.80	5.82	5.80	5.80

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February and March.	Opening.	Close.	Tone.
	3 5	3 4	Quiet.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Opng.	High	Low	Close	
Tobacco.	147	147	146	146
Sugar.	127 1/2	129	127 1/2	127 1/2
B. R. T.	92 1/2	93 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat.	Op'n'g	High	Low	Close.
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Cash Items : : : : 19,775.12	Deposits subject to chk : 112,442.10
Cash : : : : 19,247.42	Due Banks : : : : 479.57
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