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THE DISPENSARY LAW

A Letter From the Post Master at Louisburg.

MR. EDITOR:

I notice that your county will try to secure the Dispensary system regulating the sale of spirituous liquors.

The writer took an active part in securing one for our township, this county (Franklin) and I wish on much success in your undertaking for your county.

We started ours without a cent of capital, bought stock on credit, it has been running about 18 months, and is now out of debt, and has paid the county and town together about \$2,600 (which is about three times as much as they received from all of the six bar-rooms combined previous to its establishment, in the same length of time) and has now about \$1,900 stock paid for, with small surplus. As to its being a success financially, no one can doubt from the above figures which is a matter of public record and subject to examination.

This, though, is not by any means the main features that recommend the Dispensary. The suppression, curtailment, and general cleaning up of various forms of vice and immorality, generally carried on by bar-rooms, recommends it most highly.

While it does not take any one's privileges or rights from him, (as you can get all the whiskey you want) yet it does away with social drinking across the bar counter, wherein lies most of the evil. This social drinking can be had in your room with your friends if you so desire.

It does away with the pool rooms, where young men gamble and drink 'till 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning. It does away with the dice boxes and throwing dice for drinks.

It does away with the social game of cards for drinks, and a hundred other vices that I could mention.

In my opinion it is the solution of the whiskey question at present. There are some, of course, that oppose the movement, but when you inquire into their reasons therefor, it almost always results from their being pecuniarily affected.

There is no argument against the Dispensary movement as opposed to bar rooms, as the Dispensary is infinitely superior, and a trial will convince any one, except a bar-keeper.

Any movement that will lessen or do away with an evil, is a moral movement, and should be championed by all, as those who oppose it will soon see their error.

J. J. BARROW.

Died.

Mr. J. C. Gladson, a farmer citizen of this county who moved to Kinston a few years ago, died in that town Sunday night. The remains were brought to Greenville on this morning's train and taken out to the Adams place, seven miles from town for interment. Mr Gladson was in his 68th year.

Spare Us This Time.

This vaccination talk calls to mind a five months seige the editor had with his arm back in '82. We hope the new crowd will not have such an experience with their "scab" as ours was.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

John O'Brien, a Springfield, Mass., young man, is suffering from paralysis caused by excessive cigarette smoking.

The Franklin National Bank, of New York, though solvent, will wind up its affairs, on account of sharp competition.

Mrs. Leland Stanford is on her way from San Francisco, Cal., to New York, to attend a meeting of Southern Pacific Railroad officials.

A Pan-American Exposition Committee will ask Congress to appropriate \$200,000 for a building and \$300,000 for a Government exhibit at the Exposition.

In consideration of his creditors not prosecuting him Grant C. Gillett, the Kansas Cattle King, will return from Mexico and give up what money he has.

Ann Arbor University will be represented in its debate with the University of Pennsylvania by L. J. Wilson, M. H. Carmody and Frank D. Eaman.

Fifty-one Per Cent. Bad.

The third of the series of bulletins by the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station on Food Adulterations relates to baking powders, and is the result of the work of Director W. A. Withers and Assistant Chemist J. A. Bizzell.

Twenty-five samples were purchased in the open market in Raleigh, Statesville, Durham, Henderson and Wilmington, and the results may be taken as fairly representative of the powders in use throughout the State.

A table shows the brand, manufacturer, per cent. of carbonic acid and class of each powder examined.

Fifty-one per cent were found to be straight alum powders, and 25 per cent. more contained alum to a greater or less extent. The remaining were equally divided between the tartrate and phosphate powders.

While it may not be stated beyond a doubt that alum in baking powder is harmful to the digestion, yet its use is questionable and a consumer should know as to its presence.

Baking powders lose the strength more or less rapidly and the purchaser should endeavor to secure them as fresh as possible.

The bulletin contains also a brief discussion of the aeration of bread, the action of baking powders, etc. It may be obtained without charge upon application to the director of the Experiment Station, Raleigh, N. C.—Raleigh Post.

Rheumacide cures rheumatism by neutralizing the acids in the blood and driving them out of the system. It is a permanent, positive, constitutional cure.

The Editor's Duties.

A newspaper man has no business to seek office. It is his business to try and get an office for the other fellow; to sound the praise of the candidate and keep quiet his own feeling; to whoop her up for his own man, and let his man forget all about him when he is elected; to defend his candidate against the unjust attacks of the opposition, and see that whatever favors his candidate had to bestow goes to the other fellow.

It is his business to boom the city for all it is worth, month after month, and then see \$100 worth of printing go out of the city because ten cents can be saved in doing so. It is the business of the newspaper to give every enterprise a frequent send off and then catch shoel because he had failed to record the fact that some prominent citizen had his delivery wagon painted. To subscribe liberally to every public charitable and church entertainment, advertise them for nothing, pay his own way to everything and then be called prejudiced and mean spirited because a column is not devoted to that particular affair. Do you wonder that there are so many cranks in the newspaper business?—Ex.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina.

Greensboro has adopted a curfew law.

The Legislature has served out half its term.

G. W. Justice, a lawyer of Asheville, was arrested and placed at Raleigh for stealing law books belonging to the Superior Court Clerk's office of Wake county.

Makes Greenville Democratic

Senator James passed his Greenville charter bill through. The urbane Lieutenant-Governor Reynolds enquired if the Senator could vouch for it making Greenville Democratic. The handsome James said "Undoubtedly, sir," and—presto, change—the first white man's government bill yet passed without a dissenting fusion vote went through like greased lightning, every fusionist present voting "Aye" on roll-call.

This was a compliment to the Senator from Pitt, and a rebuke to the fusion legislature that turned Greenville over to negroes, that deserve a passing notice.—Raleigh Post.

Sounded Like Rain.

The dripping of melting snow from the roof, Monday night, made those within doors almost imagine that rain was falling, yet the night was perfectly fair. There was rain today, however.

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Our aim in business is to send our fellowmen away from our store with values that will make us lasting friends. Economy and necessity should go

hand in hand. Clothing is a necessity, buying now is economy. Come here and combine the two. Remember we carry the largest stock of clothing ever exhibited here.

Also remember our HATS and CAPS cover the principal points. We fit your head and your pocketbook at the same time. We are anxious to show goods. Before buying be sure to see us. Yours to please,

FRANK WILSON.

THE KING CLOTHIER.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1899.

SOUTH CAROLINA DISPENSARY.

A gentleman living in Greenville having business in South Carolina made it a point to investigate the workings of the Dispensary system in that State and as a result the following effects upon business and society under the Dispensary system were noted:

He says he went to a Dispensary and bought a small bottle of whiskey in order to see the manner in which it was sold. Inside the Dispensary it looked very much like a drug store. He says: "I was required to put my name on the register, where from, for whom the purchase was made, and for what use I purchased it. I was then told that I was not allowed to open it inside the Dispensary and that I could not purchase any more that day. I then asked the disposer what were the effects of this method of dealing in liquors upon the social and business interests. He said the effects were marked and noticeable. A purer and better brand of liquors were sold for less money, that the profit, less the expense of handling it went to the school fund, that it disposed of country bar-rooms, beyond the reach of police protection, that it absolutely eliminated the social features of the drink, the most fearful alluring and dangerous, attraction of the saloon."

This gentleman says that if any man in the county could see the operation and effects of this system of dealing in liquors, there would not be one, who has his own and his neighbor's interest at heart, excepting those only who are interested in the saloons, that would not gladly vote unreservedly for the Dispensary system. In South Carolina today Tillman's strongest and most ardent admirers, five years ago were his worst and most bitter enemies. They admit frankly that they were wrong and that Tillman's ideas of selling whiskey approaches nearer the solution of the liquor problem than anything else yet offered.

The city of Richmond has appropriated the sum of \$6,000 as a special fund for the vaccination of the citizens of that city and imposes a fine of \$5 on every person for each day's refusal to comply with the law—the law being compulsory vaccination.

The further the investigation is carried the more corrupt is found the late management of the penitentiary. The management was reckless and careless to an astonishing degree. The institution is burdened with a debt of more than \$100,000, and it will take double that amount to pay off the indebtedness and carry it through another year. What would have been its condition if it had remained much longer under fusion control?

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. All drugists.

A bill has been introduced and passed its readings in the lower house of the Legislature, making cohabitation between white men and colored women or negroes, or vice versa, a felony, punishable with imprisonment of from four months to five years. The bill caused a long and warm debate among the members. It should become a law.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

We clip the following comforting observation from The Kansas City Journal: "Those who are becoming impatient at the slowness with which United States Senators are elected should notice how little benefit the Senators are who are already elected. There is really no cause for hurry."

Advance Your Love to With Cascarets Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.
Washington, D. C. 30, Jan., '99
Anti-Imperialistic sentiment will have full swing in the Senate this week, as nearly every Senator who opposes and who has not already spoken against imperialism, has given notice of intention to speak. The treaty of Peace will be voted upon February 6th, and the chances favor its ratification, because nothing would be gained by rejecting. A motion to reconsider would be made by one of its friends and it would require a majority to table it. That majority its opponents have not. So, if it were rejected February 6th, all Mr. McKinley would have to do would be to call an extra session of the Senate, in March, when it would be promptly ratified.

Within the last week, Mr. McKinley has been personally harshly criticised in both House and Senate, and in each body one of his critics was a republican. In the House, Representatives Jerry Simpson, and Johnson, of Indiana, jumped on him for bowing to public opinion, right or wrong; and in the Senate, Senators Gorman and Hoar gave him fits for declining to furnish the Senate with copies of the instructions given to the Peace Commissioners.

Senator Gorman has never posed as an alarmist, but he never fears to speak the truth because it may be alarming. Just before the Senate passed the regular pension appropriation bill, which carries \$145,000,000, Mr. Gorman made a speech, calling attention to the fact that although it was estimated that the war with Spain would add 50,000 names to the pension roll, un-

less our troops were recalled from the tropics before the sickly season, no provision, whatever, had been made in the bill for the increase. Mr. Gorman concluded with this significant prediction: "Within three years from this date, the pension roll will amount to \$165,000,000. If you add to that, the cost of maintaining your army (one thousand dollars a man), the American republic will in the year 1900, expend more for its army and pensioners than any other nation on the face of the earth. That is a fact, which the American people will have to face, and they ought to know now, in advance, what is coming to them, if the schemes and projects which are being forced upon us are carried out."

The attempt of the republicans to get democratic support for the Hull bill, which will be voted upon tomorrow, by amending it so as to make any increase of the regular army above 50,000 discretionary with the President, was not a success. It made no real change. The democrats proved by their votes for the first war appropriation, that they were not afraid to trust the President, but that did not change the principle of the party against the concentration of authority in the hands of one man. Such concentration does no harm as long as the right man exercises the authority, but who can say when the wrong man will come along? The change was not made for effect in the House, where its fate will be very much in doubt, unless the support of Senators, who are now inclined to oppose it can be secured. The subterfuge was so palpable that Representative Loud, of California, a republican, made a hot speech against it, plainly telling his party associates that they could not hope to catch suckers with such a bare hook.

Gen. Miles is still piling up evidence, official and unofficial, that the beef furnished our soldiers in Cuba and Porto Rico, was unfit to eat. He has already about convinced everybody, except the members of the administration, and of the War Investigating Commission, that his charge was true, but they seem determined to stick to it that the beef was good.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina to amend the charter of the town of Farmville and the repeal of all laws now standing on the Statute books inconsistent therewith.

A. HORTON,
W. M. LANG,
S. J. PARKER,
M. T. HORTON,
E. J. POLLARD,
R. L. DAVIS.

Jan. 17th 1899.

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.

PIMPLES

"My wife had pimples on her face, but she has been taking CASCARETS and they have all disappeared. I had been troubled with constipation for some time, but after taking the first Cascaret I have had no trouble with this ailment. We cannot speak too highly of Cascarets." FRED WARTMAN, 578 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.



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A gentleman remarked recently that had a stranger or an outsider come to North Carolina, and made the cures among our people that Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy had made, the people would have been stirred as never before. Read this and suppose a case:

Eleven years ago I had a child that was delicate from birth, and for six months she was under constant care of the best physician we had in our town. But his medicine seemed powerless to control the bowel trouble, which had become chronic dysentery. She also suffered from some aggravated blood trouble, which caused large sores and risings to break out on her body. Oft time there would be as many as 20 or 25. We had several doctors to treat her at different times, but nothing reached her case. They would lance these risings, but as soon as one was cured another broke out, and the doctors gave me no hope of her cure. After she had led a life of agony and suffering for six months, I was inspired to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. There was a change for the better in twenty-four hours, it seemed to check the bowels at once, and after using a few bottles my child was entirely cured, and has never since had any sign of trouble and is now in perfect health. A few years after this I had two sores to break out on my ankle, and strange to say I did not think of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. I was under the treatment of doctors for three years, but the sores continued to get worse until they had eaten to the bone. I then thought of trying Mrs. Joe Person's Wash and did so, and it is almost useless to say it soon made a cure.

I wish I could speak so that every man, woman and child, in North Carolina could hear, that I might tell them what Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash did for me and mine. I advised one of my friends who had been a terrible sufferer for a long time, with nurses sore mouth. She used the Remedy and Wash, and it soon made a cure.

I have recommended it to ever so many of my friends, for indigestion and other ailments, and I have never known it to fail to cure yet. There is no medicine equal to it.
MRS. RACHEL READE LONG,
Roxboro, Person Co., Oct. 8, 1898.

DIRECTORY.

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.—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 3 p. m. W. F. Harding, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. J. R. Moore superintendent.

LODGES.

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

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. W. F. Burch, N. G. D. D. Overton, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. Dr. E. A. Moyer, Jr., C. C. H. A. White, K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council, No. 1696, meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

J. R. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. L. L. Hargrave, Councillor.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Schedule in Effect August 7, 1898

Departures from Wilmington.

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No. 42—Passenger—Due Mag

35 a. m. Weldon 10:01 a. m. Warsaw 11:14 a. m. Goldsboro 12:03 a. m. Weldon 12:49 p. m. Rocky Mount 1:30 p. m. Tarboro 2:31 p. m. Weldon 3:25 p. m. Petersburg 5:34 p. m. Richmond 5:40 p. m. Norfolk 5:55 p. m. Washington 11:00 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 Ma

7:15 p. m. Weldon 8:55 p. m. Warsaw 9:10 p. m. Goldsboro 10:10 p. m. Weldon 11:06 p. m. Tarboro 6:45 a. m. Rocky Mount 11:57 p. m. Weldon 1:48 a. m. Norfolk 10:05 a. m. Petersburg 3:14 a. m. Richmond 4:06 a. m. Washington 7:41 a. m. Baltimore 9:43 a. m. Philadelphia 11:25 a. m. New York 2:33 a. m. Boston 9:00 p. m.

DAILY No. 50—Passenger—Due Jack

except sonville 4:13 p. m. New Bern Sunday 5:40 pm

SOUTHBOUND

DAILY No. 55—Passenger Due Lake

3:45 p. m. Waccamaw 4:56 p. m. Chadbourne 5:28 p. m. Marion 6:34 p. m. Florence 7:15 p. m. Sumter 9:32 p. m. Columbia 10:50 a. m. Denmark 6:12 a. m. Augusta 7:55 a. m. Macon 11:15 a. m. Atlanta 12:35 p. m. Charleston 10:50 p. m. Savannah 1:50 a. m. Jacksonville 7:30 a. m. St. Augustine 10:20 a. m. Tampa 6:15 p. m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON

FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 44—Passenger—Boston

P. M. 1:03 p. m. New York 1:00 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 11:50 a. m. Tarboro 12:21 p. m. Rocky Mount 1:01 p. m. Weldon 2:20 p. m. Goldsboro 3:05 p. m. Warsaw 3:90 p. m. Magnolia 4:12 p. m.

DAILY No. 41—Passenger—Leave

9:30 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. Richmond 7:30 p. m. Petersburg 2:12 p. m. Norfolk 2:20 p. m. Weldon 9:43 p. m. Tarboro 3:00 p. m. Rocky Mount 5:40 a. m. Leave Weldon 6:22 a. m. Goldsboro 7:01 a. m. Warsaw 7:53 p. m. Magnolia 8:05 a. m.

DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave

except New Bern 9:00 a. m. Jacksonville 10:25 a. m. This train 12:15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54—Passenger—Leave

2:29 P. M. Tampa 3:10 a. m. Sanford 3:07 p. m. Jacksonville 8:00 p. m. Savannah 1:45 night, Charleston 6:33 a. m. Columbia 7:45 a. m. Atlanta 7:50 a. m. Macon 9:00 a. m. Augusta 2:30 p. m. Denmark 4:17 p. m. Sumter 6:06 a. m. Florence 8:55 a. m. Marion 9:34 a. m. Chadbourne 10:38 a. m. Lake Waccamaw 1:09 a. m.

Train on Scotland Neck branch

leaves Weldon 4:15 p. m., Halifax 4:30 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5:26 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 at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11:33 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington branch leave

Washington 8:30 a. m., and 2:31 p. m. Arrives Parrale 9:10 a. m., and 4:30 p. m. Returning leave Parrale 9:35 a. m. and 6:50 p. m. arrive at Washington 11:00 a. m. and 7:20 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5:30 p. m., Sunday 4:15 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth 7:40 p. m., 6:10 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7:50 a. m., Sunday 9:00 a. m. arrive Tarboro 10:05 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Trains on Nashville branch leave

Rocky Mt at 4:30 p. m. arrive Nashville 5:05 p. m. Spring Hope 5:30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 3:00 a. m. Nashville 8:35 a. m. arrive Rocky Mt 9:05 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leave

Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7:15 a. m. arriving Smithfield 8:30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9:00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10:25 a. m.

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.

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LOTTERIES AND LUCK

TRICKS THAT HAVE BEEN PLAYED BY FICKLE FORTUNE.

Some Instances That Aptly Illustrate the Truth of the Old Adage That There Is Many a Slip 'Twix the Cup and the Lip.

There are few things with which romance is more closely connected than the distribution of lottery prizes, and there can be no doubt that we Britons are all the better off because of the illegality of holding lotteries in the United Kingdom. A big lottery must disappoint hundreds of thousands while it enriches one winner, who often finds that his hastily acquired wealth results in doing him more harm than good.

A short time ago the first prize in one of the Italian state lotteries, which amounted to some £8,000, fell to a peasant who, with his wife, had actually died of starvation within a few hours of the drawing of the prize.

Owing to a dream in which a peasant had the presentiment that a certain number would be on the ticket which would win the splendid prize, he scraped all his money together and purchased not the ticket he wanted, because it was already sold, but one which bore the same numerals, differently arranged. Then he and his wife fell on desperately hard times, which eventually closed upon them in death from sheer starvation, for he had tried and failed to sell his lottery chance, which was the last thing left to him.

When the drawing came on, he won the first prize of £8,000, but as he was dead and no next of kin could be discovered the prize was raffled for again, when it fell to swell the purse of an Italian banker who already was possessed of vast wealth.

A German lady living in Brunswick had a fancy that a certain ticket would win a prize in a lottery in which the first prize was £15,000. It may seem strange, but it is vouched for as being perfectly true, that she so altered her opinion as to the chances of her ticket winning a prize that she bartered it away for a new hat from her milliner within a few days of having purchased it.

This was a melancholy exception to the rule that "second thoughts are always best." The ticket which she had exchanged for a hat, possibly worth a couple of guineas, succeeded in capturing the first prize of £15,000, and the milliner, who considered he had run his risks, absolutely refused to palliate his customer's bitter disappointment by anything beyond the payment of a few pounds, which were dragged from him by hollow threats of legal action.

On one occasion the first prize in an Italian lottery, amounting to nearly £5,000, fell to a man who had died three days before the raffle, the second prize of £2,000 fell to a lady who had sold her lucky ticket at the eleventh hour, and the third prize of £1,000 to a private soldier who, on hearing of his good fortune, drank himself mad and then committed suicide. For want of claimants who could establish their claims satisfactorily, the first and third prizes were again raffled for, and this time they both fell to the same person—the owner of one of the largest private estates in Austria, who was quite indifferent about the addition to his already huge fortune.

Silly superstitions play an important part in the buying and selling of lottery tickets, and it is no uncommon thing for a person who fancies a certain number to buy it at a price equal to hundreds of times its original cost, and many of those who indulge in this kind of speculation with the fixed idea of gain generally discover that it is an expensive game.

A German banker conceived the idea that the first prize in a certain lottery would fall to the holder of a ticket on which the figure three stood either alone or with others. So greatly impressed was he with this belief that he bought up every ticket that bore the numeral three, a little deal which cost him some thousands of pounds, because many of the tickets he fancied were held by persons to whom he had to pay fancy prices.

One of these persons when approached on the matter refused to sell his ticket unless the banker purchased a complete bundle of 20, of which he was anxious to get rid. The banker did not wish to do this, as there was only one ticket bearing a three in the bundle, but he ultimately consented, took the ticket he wanted and gave the vender back all the others. Great must have been his annoyance on discovering later that the first prize had not fallen to him, but had been won by one of the tickets he had bought and scorned.—London Tit-Bits

Took the Hint.

"I dearly love birds," he gently sighed, and then she didn't do a thing but hasten to the open piano and softly began singing "I wish I were a bird." They are looking for a nest now *Yonkers Statesman*

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Rain or snow tonight, cold wave Wednesday.

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SNOW SHOES.

Folks Need to Wear Them.

J. A. Higgs, of Raleigh, is in town.

J. B. Cherry, Jr., left this morning for Fayetteville.

W. H. Grimes returned Monday evening from Raleigh.

J. L. Bridgers, of Tarboro, came down Monday evening.

E. B. Ficklen returned Monday evening from Virginia.

Charles Rogerson returned from Williamston Monday evening.

W. S. Greer smiled on the wreck yesterday and left this morning for Atlanta.

G. Escher, who was manager of the Poterfield office here, left this morning for Washington, D. C.

It Is Gathering Strength.

The dispensary system is gathering strength in North Carolina. There are a number of towns in the State demanding their establishment at the hands of the legislature and, so far as our information goes, no town where the dispensary has been established is asking for its abolition.—Asheville Citizen.

Get Him to Take It.

Tell your neighbor what he is missing by not taking THE REFLECTOR. And if he becomes a subscriber he will stop troubling you to borrow your copy of the paper.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina to establish a Dispensary in the town of Greenville for Greenville Township in Pitt county.

SNO BALLS.

These Won't Hurt if They Hit You.

Last day of January.

One month of '99 is gone.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

The snow is still going but not yet gone.

Lookout for sore arms—vaccination is on.

I pay cash for Hides, Furs, Eggs and Turkeys.

SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Some way or other it always happens that the judicious advertiser succeeds.

If Greenville had factories there would be no excuse for loafers on the streets.

Chief of Police Christman will arrest any one he catches raising a dust on the streets this week.

The man who has little and wants less is richer than the man who has much and wants more.

A fool always boasts of what he is going to do, but a hen never cackles until after she lays the egg.

More drummers came in on the train Monday evening than could find hack room to get down town.

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Along now people who travel will wish for good roads, but when dry weather comes they forget all about it.

J. B. Cherry, Jr., of Greenville, has been selected as one of the assistant marshals at the coming Newbern fair.

One good thing about the snow—it did not last long enough nor was the weather cold enough to occasion much suffering.

FOR SALE—Complete silver, nickel and gold plating outfit, tanks, lathe, Dynamo, batteries, brushes, &c at a sacrifice. Owner now in town. Particulars can be had by addressing "Plating" this office.

Cood!

Verily, the newspapers have undergone a great reform. Not one exchange that recently came to hand had the cheek to print the ancient poem on "The Beautiful Snow!"

The First in Ten.

In sending a remittance for THE REFLECTOR for 1899 Mr. Zeno Stocks, of White Hall, Ill., says "It is one of the first I read out of ten papers that come to my home."

Barber Shop Fire.

This morning about 3 o'clock the cry of fire was heard. It proved to be S. J. Nobles' barber shop on Main street. The building caught from the fire place. One piece of the furniture was destroyed and other pieces considerably damaged. All the tools were injured. Mr. Nobles who rooms in the building endeavored to throw the burning furniture out of the window; in doing so his hand was badly cut and lacerated. The fire was soon extinguished.—Washington Messenger.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.			
	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
March	610	612	614
May	615	618	620
June	617	619	619
August	620	623	623

LIVERPOOL.

February and March.		
Opening.	Close.	Tone.
3.15	3.14	Steady.

CHICAGO, WHEAT.

Opening.	Noon.	Close.
May	75½	74½

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Furniture and Fixtures : 1,540.85	Expenses paid : : : : 2,125.32
Cash Items : : : : 19,775.12	Deposits subject to chk : 112,442.1C
Cash : : : : 19,247.42	Due Banks : : : : 479.57
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