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The discomforts and dangers of child-birth can be almost entirely avoided. Wine of Cardui relieves expectant mothers. It gives tone to the genital organs, and puts them in condition to do their work perfectly. That makes pregnancy less painful, shortens labor and hastens recovery after child-birth. It helps a woman bear strong healthy children.

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98. RHEUMACIDE

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THE TEACHERS' ASSEMBLY.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 26 1899. To Teachers, School Officers, and Friends of Education:

This is to call your special attention to the sixteenth annual session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly to be held at Morehead City, N. C., June 13th to 18th, 1899.

The only meeting held in North Carolina this year that brings the entire educational body of the State together is this Assembly, as this letter is sent to impress upon your mind the necessity and value of attending. Every teacher, school officer, and friend of education, who can possibly do so should be present. Every phase of school work and school administration will be represented in the work of the assembly, and full and free discussions will be a distinctive feature this year. The practical good that is possible from such a gathering can not be overestimated.

As long ago as 1859, Dr. Calvin H. Wiley, one of our wisest educators, then State Superintendent of Public Instruction, urged all teachers and school officials to join in one great yearly meeting. The time seems ripe for a forward movement, and increased interest in our annual gathering.

Railroad rates have been reduced to one-half and even less, and board can be secured for one dollar per day, or less, and I urge the importance of your attending this year. Do so for the sake of the great cause of education which is entrusted to your care in North Carolina.

From the Secretary (W. T. Wittsett, Whitsett, N. C.) full programmes and further information can be obtained at any time.

May this meeting mark the beginning of a brighter educational day for the State.

Yours very truly,
C. H. MEBANE,
State Supt. of Public Instruction.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

J. W. Breed, president of the Central Credit Company, of Cincinnati, O., was killed yesterday by an electric car.

Negroes of Atlanta, Ga., want the colored schools of that city placed under the control of a negro Board of Education.

Colonel Duncan Hood, of the Second Immune Regiment, and son of Confederate General Hood, is critically ill at Havana.

The Hotel Tuilleries, in Boston, Mass., was sold at auction yesterday for \$290,000 to a representative of the Hemmenway estate.

Twenty-two customs inspectors in New York have been suspended pending examination of charges governing the examination of baggage.

New Yorkers have subscribed over \$5000 for the family of Elevatorman Warren Guion, who perished while saving lives at the Hotel Windsor fire.

Fireman Miller Ray was killed and Engineer Sam Martin fatally hurt by a collision at Berlington, Ind., between a Baltimore & Ohio limited and a freight train.

The Parker Fountain Pen (best made) is a great convenience for the business man. Get one at Reflector Book Store.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina

Newbern has commenced shipping new peas.

Dr. E. A. Alderman, president of the University of North Carolina, delivers the address at Tulane University New Orleans, May 3.

Wake Superior Court decided against Dr. Burns as keeper of the capitol in favor of Cherry, elected by the Democrats. Burns has appealed.

Hugh Russell, a young farmer, of Mecklenburg county, went to take down his gun to go hunting when the weapon was accidentally discharged, almost blowing one side of his head off. He was killed instantly.

Eight car loads of chickens came down the Western yesterday morning. It is estimated that each car contained four thousand chickens, making thirty-two thousand in all. In the same train was six car loads of eggs—all going north.—Salisbury Sun.

Jake Potter, of Watauga county, has three daughters, the oldest of whom has been married six times. Five of her husbands have been murdered. The second daughter has been married three times and two of her husbands were murdered.—Statesville Mascot.

JOHNSON'S MILLS ITEMS.

JOHNSON'S MILLS, N. C., April 27. The peach crop is not totally destroyed.

We had a good sprinkle of hail yesterday. No damage done.

Charlie Nobles will leave Friday for New Haven, Conn., to accept a position in a machine shop.

Mrs. R. E. Hodges returned to her home in Washington Monday after staying some time with her parents here.

We are all glad to know that Dr. Joseph E. Nobles will locate at Johnson's Mills. He will come about the 15th of June.

Lewis Ives has a new boarder, a little girl.

W. F. Mewborn is building a nice office to be occupied by Dr. Noble.

LEGGETT ITEMS.

April 27th, 1899.

Rev. Mr. Merrill, of Hobgood, filled his appointment at Pittman's school house last Sunday, quite a crowd was out to hear him.

Miss Zilpha Eagles, of Crisp, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Fountain.

Since the weather opened the farmers are busy preparing and planting their crops.

T. W. Riddick, formerly of Gatesville, but now of Leggett, received the sad intelligence of the death of his sister, Mrs. Alice Taylor last Monday.

Dr. Robt. Hargrave, of Falkland, is in our neighborhood today.

E. J. Hurdle paid a flying trip to Mildred Monday.

Monday Night.

The Fun Makers Company open their week's engagement here in the opera house on Monday night, with "Our Jonathan in Cuba." Entire change of programme every night. Tickets go on sale Saturday morning at the store of H. M. Hardee.

POSITIVELY!

SATURDAY - THE LAST DAY

FRANK WILSON THE KING CLOTHIER'S SALE.

A GRAND SUCCESS. STORE CROWDED WITH EAGER BUYERS FROM EARLY MORNING UNTIL NIGHT. TOWNS AND VILLAGES FOR MILES AROUND EXCITED. THE PEOPLE ACTUALLY TURNED AWAY.

MEN'S FINE SUITS. Wool and Good Styles worth \$7.00. Now for 4 days \$3.97	TREMENDOUS GATHERING of intelligent people from all parts of Greenville and vicinity flocked here during the opening days of our last week's event and went away happy with large bundles of good Clothing, Dry Goods & Shoes	COTTON FLANNEL for dress regular 7c kind, but bound to make a noise for 4 days only
MEN'S PANTS, For evening worth \$2.50. All styles for 4 days only. \$1.46	under their arms. Such genuine sacrifice of reasonable merchandise never occurred before and may never happen again. Look at new prices for the last four days of sale.	Ladies' Oxford Ties Beautiful Styles worth \$1.50. These last four days, 69c
MENS STRAW HATS 1000 to sell Regular 75c kind, these last 4 days, 38c	500 Silk Bosom Shirts worth \$1.25 usually to make a hit, now, 59c	Best Calicoes always sell for 5 or 6c These 4 days only, 3cts
BOYS' SUITS 4 to 16 yrs worth \$1.50 elsewhere. the last 4 days, 88c	Splendid Corsets, All sizes regular 40c kind. The last 4 days, 21c	

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FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1899.

NEW TOWN CHARTER.

An Act to Amend and Consolidate the Charter of the Town of Greenville.

(CONTINUED FROM THURSDAY)

Sec. 8. That the fiscal year for said town shall commence on the first day of July and end on the 30th day of June each and every year, and the term of office of the Aldermen chosen at any election shall begin on the first day of July next after their election and each Aldermen before he enters upon the duties of his office shall take, subscribe and file with the records of the Board an oath for the faithful discharge of the duties of Alderman.

Sec. 9. That the persons chosen as Aldermen on the first Monday in June, 1899, and at the election held on the first Monday of June each and every year thereafter shall meet in the Mayor's office on the first day of July next after their election, (unless such a day fall on Sunday and in that event the day after) and organize by the election of one of their number as president, protem and a clerk of their Board who shall not be one of their number.

Sec. 10. That the Board shall also proceed to elect from outside their number a Mayor and Tax Collector and shall elect a Treasurer from their number, each of whom shall be a qualified elector in said town and shall serve one from the first day of July of the year in which the election occurs and until his successor is qualified, unless he is sooner removed by the Board for cause, of which the Board shall be the judge.

Sec. 11. That the Mayor, in addition to his other duties shall preside at the meetings of the Board of Aldermen, but shall have no vote on any question unless the Board be equally divided and in that case he shall cause a record to be made of that fact and he shall then record his vote and declare the result. In case of the absence of the Mayor at any meeting, the president protem shall preside, but he shall have no casting vote in case of a tie if he has already voted and in that case he shall declare the question lost. In the absence of both the Mayor and the president protem any member of the Board may preside.

Sec. 12. That the persons chosen as Treasurer and Tax Collector shall enter into bonds with surety to be approved by the Board in such sums as the Board may prescribe for the faithful discharge of their duty.

Sec. 13. That the Board may fix the compensation of the Mayor, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Clerk.

Sec. 14. That the Mayor elect

shall immediately after his election and before he enters upon the duties of his office, take and subscribe before someone authorized to administer oaths and file with the Clerk of the Board the following oath: I, A. B. do solemnly swear that I will maintain the constitution and laws of the United States, and the constitution and laws of North Carolina not inconsistent therewith, and that I will diligently and faithfully and truthfully perform according to the best of my skill and ability, all the duties of the office of Mayor of the town of Greenville, while I continue therein, and I will cause to be executed as far as in my power, all the laws, ordinances and regulations made for the government of said town, and in the discharge of my duties I will do equal justice in all cases whatsoever, so help me God.

Sec. 15. That the Mayor of said town is hereby constituted an inferior court, and as such shall within the corporate limits of said town have all the power, jurisdiction and authority of a Justice of the Peace to preserve and keep the peace, to issue process, to hear and determine all causes of action which may arise upon the ordinances and regulations of the town; to enforce penalties by issuing executions upon any adjudged violations thereof, and to enforce and execute the ordinances, by-laws, rules and regulations made by the Board of Aldermen, and the Mayor shall further be a special court within the corporate limits of said town, to arrest and try all who are charged with misdemeanors for violating any ordinances, rules or regulation of the town, and if the accused be found guilty he shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days at the discretion of the Mayor or court trying the case. If the accused is dissatisfied with the judgment of the Mayor or Court, he may appeal to the Superior court in like manner as appeals may be taken from judgments of a Justice of the Peace. He shall also have all the power and authority of a Justice of the Peace to cause the arrest of any person charged with any criminal offence and to detain, try and deal with them, within the corporate limits of said town, in like manner as a Justice of the Peace might do.

Sec. 16. That if for any cause a vacancy shall occur in the office of either the Mayor, Treasurer, Clerk or Tax Collector, the Board shall fill such vacancy and the appointees shall hold for the unexpired term; and an absence of five days from the town without special permission from the Board shall be deemed a vacancy.

Sec. 17. That in the absence of the Mayor from the town, or in case of his inability to act, the president protem of the Board of Aldermen, shall be acting Mayor during such absence or inability, and while so acting he shall have all the authority and power herein given to the Mayor.

Sec. 18. That the Mayor may issue his warrant or other process to any policeman of the town or to such other officer to whom a Justice of the Peace might direct his warrants or other process and such policeman or other officer may execute such warrant or other process anywhere in the county of Pitt.

Sec. 19. That the Mayor shall keep a faithful record or minute of all warrants or other process issued by him and of all the judicial proceedings and all judgments rendered by him shall have the same force and vitality as if rendered by a justice of the Peace and may be enforced anywhere in the county of Pitt, in the same manner and by the same means as if rendered by a Justice of the Peace.

Sec. 20. That the fees and costs in the Mayor's court shall be the same as the fees and costs in a Justice's court for like services and the fees and costs shall be collected and accounted for as the Board of Aldermen may direct.

Sec. 21. That the Board of Aldermen shall have authority to put and keep at work on the streets any person or persons who may fail to pay any tax, fines, cost, penalty or forfeiture which may have been imposed on such person or persons by the Mayor; and the said Board shall have the authority to make rules and regulations for the control and management of such persons until said fines, penalties and costs are paid under such rates for labor as they may fix.

Sec. 22. That after the 30th day of June, 1899, no person shall retail or sell within the corporate limits of said town, or within half a mile of said limits in any direction around it any spirituous, vinous, malt or other intoxicating liquors in quantities less than one gallon without first having obtained a license from the Board of Aldermen and paid to the town Tax Collector therefor the tax assessed by the Board of aldermen for such license for the privilege of carrying on his business in said town or within a half mile of the limits thereof, which tax shall not be less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for one year, or half these amounts for six months, provided, that no license shall be given or tax paid for less than six months, and provided further that all license shall begin on the first day of January and July, and shall end in one year or six months, as the case may be, from those dates. The above amounts not to apply to malt dealers; their tax being fixed by the Board of Town Commissioners.

Sec. 23. That all applicants for license as a retailer of liquors under the preceding section shall make their application to the Board in writing in which they shall state the place and character of their business for the succeeding twelve months, the length of time for which license is desired and the building and location in which it is proposed to carry on such business. The Board may make such investigation as it may deem proper as to the person or place, and may in its discretion refuse to grant the license applied for.

Sec. 24. That it shall be unlawful for any person or firm to keep any billiard table, pool table, bagatelle table or other like thing for hire or public use in said town without first obtaining a license from the Board of Aldermen, and paying to the town Tax Collector, the tax levied by the Board for such license.

Sec. 25. That all licens bar rooms or other places where liquors are sold and all billiard rooms, pool rooms or other places where billiard tables, pool tables, bagatelle tables or other like things are kept for hire or public use shall be closed not later than eleven o'clock at night, and opened not earlier than four o'clock in the morning, and it shall be unlawful for any liquor to be sold or games played within these places within these hours. And the said Board may prescribe the hours for closing all other places of business within said town. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section or any of the ordinances or regulations passed by the Board in reference thereto shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be fined not more than fifty dollars or imprisoned not more than 30 days, provided such violation did not occur between the hours of closing Saturday night and the opening Monday morning. But if any person shall be guilty of violating any of the provisions of this

section between the hours of closing on Saturday night and opening on Monday morning he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction he shall be fined or imprisoned in the discretion of the Court, and shall in addition thereto forfeit his license, provided, the retail dealer may within these prohibited hours fill a regular practicing physician's prescription in which the name of the patient and the necessity for the stimulants shall be certified to without being guilty of violating this section.

Sec. 26. That the exploding of fire crackers, Roman candles, bombs, torpedoes or other explosives within the corporate limits of said town being dangerous to property and a nuisance to its citizens is hereby prohibited and it shall be unlawful for any person to sell any such explosives in said town no matter by what name called, without first having obtained a license from the Board of Aldermen and paid a tax to the town Tax Collector to be fixed by said Board, which shall not be less than ten dollars nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars for carrying on said business twelve months.

Sec. 27. That when it shall become necessary to condemn property for public uses the Board of Aldermen shall designate and describe the property to be condemned and if the Board and the owner or owners of said property cannot agree upon the damages then the Board shall appoint one arbitrator, the owner or owners of the property one, and the third shall be named by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county. But if any of the owners of the property are minors and without a general guardian then the Board shall file petition before the Clerk of the Superior Court setting forth the facts, and the said Clerk shall appoint some suitable person to represent such infant or infants and such guardian ad-tem shall appoint the arbitrator to represent such minors, and report the name of the person so selected to said Clerk who shall make a record of these proceedings which shall when approved by said Clerk be as conclusive as to said minors so made of record as if they were of full age. The three arbitrators chosen as provided for in this Section shall take an oath before entering upon their duties to do even and exact justice between the town and the owners of the property to be condemned to the best of their ability. The Board shall deliver to the three arbitrators a description of the property to be condemned, and thereupon the arbitrators shall view the property, hear the testimony, if any may be offered and make and sign their award which shall be filed with the Board and a copy delivered by them to the owners. The award when signed by a majority of the arbitrators shall be final and conclusive as to all parties, in case there should be no appeal. If the town or the owners of the property is dissatisfied with the award either may appeal to the Superior Court, of Pitt county in term time, by giving ten days' notice of such appeal to the opposite party, and giving a bond to be approved by the Clerk of the Superior Court to secure the cost of such appeal. The notice shall state the grounds of the appeal and, to be effective, must be served within ten days after the award is filed with the Board, and a copy delivered to the owner. If the appeal be a question of law, the Judge shall render his decision thereon, if it be on the amount of damages then that question shall be tried by a jury. Upon the payment to the owner of the amount found by the Arbitrators, if there be no appeal, or of the amount adjudged by the Court, if there be an appeal, the Board of

Aldermen may proceed with the contemplated improvements for the public convenience in the use of the property so condemned.

TETTER ON THE HANDS.

For several years I was a sufferer from tetter on my hands. It would come in little watery pimples and the itching was almost more than I could stand. The skin was tender and the itching would swell so I could hardly bend my fingers. Sometimes my hands would become perfectly raw from scratching or breaking of the pimples. When I was in this condition I tried one half dozen bottles of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and some Wash in 1884, and by the time I took it my hands were cured, and I am now well of the trouble. It has since broken out a little at times, but not enough to inconvenience me or make me try more medicine. I am now well. **MRS. M. E. KING.** Burlington, N. C., May 27, 1896.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.											
DATED Jan. 15, 1899.											
	No. 88	No. 85	No. 108	No. 41	No. 40						
	Daily	Daily	Daily ex-Sunday.	Daily	Daily						
	A M	P M	P M	A M	P M						
Leave Weldon	11 50	9 43									
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	10 50									
Leave Tarboro	13 21				6 00						
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	10 36	6 45	6 40	12						
Leave Wilson	1 58	11 14	7 10	6 20							
Leave Selma	2 56	11 57									
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	1 08									
Ar Florence	7 25	3 15									
		P M	A M								
Ar Goldsboro			7 50								
Lv Goldsboro					7 01	3 2					
Lv Magnolia					8 09	4 7					
Ar Wilmington					9 40						

TRAINS GOING NORTH.											
No. 88	No. 108	No. 23	No. 41	No. 40	No. 85						
Daily	Daily ex-Sunday.	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily						
A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M						
Lv Florence	9 50		7 40								
Lv Fayetteville	12 25		9 43								
Leave Selma	1 60		10 52								
Arrive Wilson	2 35		11 31								
		A M		P M	A M						
Lv Wilmington					7 00	9 45					
Lv Magnolia					8 34	11 19					
Lv Goldsboro			5 15		9 35	12 10					
		P M		A M	P M	P M					
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 66	11 31	15 38	1 16						
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 15	12 07	11 35	1 53						
Arrive Tarboro			7 04								
Leave Tarboro	1 21										
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 07								
Ar Weldon	4 42		12 58								

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3 35 p.m., Halifax 4 15 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5 08 p.m., Greenville 6 57 p.m., Kinston 7 55 p.m. Returning leaves Kinston 7 50 a.m., Greenville 8 52 a.m., arrives at Halifax at 11 18 a.m., Weldon 11 33 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 20 a.m. and 2 30 p.m., arrive Parrale 9 10 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Parrale 9 35 a.m. and 6 30 p.m., arrive Washington 11 00 a.m. and 7 20 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday 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. and Sunday 9 00 a.m., arrives Tarboro 10 05 a.m., 11 00 a.m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 05 a.m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a.m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a.m.

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CHURCHES.

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.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL.—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent. Divine service and sermon every Sunday morning and evening. Evening prayer Wednesdays at 7:30 P. M., and Litany Fridays at 10 A. M., Rev. I. A. Canfield, Minister in Charge.

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.

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. E. E. Griffin, N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. Dr. W. H. Bagwell, Jr., C. C.; R. L. Carr, K. of R. and S.

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

Jr. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. G. J. Woodward, Councillor.

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. M. R. Turnage, Worthy Chief; D. S. Smith, Sec.

I. O. H.—Greenville Conclave, No. 540, meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. W. B. Wilson, Archon; D. S. Smith Sec.

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AN AUTHOR'S LETTERS.

He Doesn't Always Get Sympathy When He's Ill.

"John," said the sick author to the hired man, who was hanging on in the hope of getting his salary some day. "John, any callers this morning?"

"Three, sir—just three of 'em."

"Ah!" exclaimed the sick author, with evident satisfaction. "They're gradually finding out I'm sick! There'll be a great rush after awhile. I'm pretty well known, John—I'm pretty well known! Left their cards, did they?"

"Yes, sir—they left 'em. Shall I read 'em to you, sir?"

"Yes, John; read 'em, while I am reclining on this velvet cushioned sofa."

"The first one reads, sir, in this fashion, 'If you don't get out o' that bed and settle my bill, I'll give you something to be sick for when I see you again!' And the second one reads—"

"Never mind the second one, John," interrupted the sick author. "but go over to the restaurant man and see if you can stand him off for my dinner, and admit no more callers. John; they're a darned ungrateful set!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Couple of Rat Stories.

George Purcell tells some stories about mining coal that are interesting. Purcell says a rat, when caught in a trap, will cut off a limb to escape. He one day caught a rat with a blacksmith's pinchers. He had only time to fix the pinchers on the rat's tail, but with sufficient grip to hold the rat for a time. He intended taking the rat to a feed box in the barn, where its fighting qualities could be tested by a terrier. The rat, hanging by its tail, turned around to free itself from the pinchers. Finding that the pinchers were harder than its teeth, it turned its attention to its own tail. It cut with its teeth a ring around the tail and then made a jump. The skin peeled off the tail, leaving the tail covering in the grip of Purcell and the pinchers. It is needless to say that the rat escaped.

Miners believe that rats leave a falling mine. M. W. Kerrigan met a horde of rats one day when he was entering a mine. He attempted to kill them with a stick, but as fast as he knocked one out another took his place. He was accompanied by a dog, and the dog was so badly bitten by the rats that he sought shelter behind Kerrigan. Seeing that the dog was badly injured by the attack of the rats, Kerrigan took him outside the mine to have his injuries attended to. Kerrigan then returned to the workings, but was surprised to find that the entry in which he had met the rats had fallen in during his absence.—Pittsburg News.

Sextons In New York.

"Sexton and Undertaker" is the sign usually found affixed to or near the New York churches, but it does not mean that the sexton actually conducts an undertaker's establishment. He merely contracts for the funerals of the members of the congregation and sublets the work to what are known as wholesale undertakers, who attend to this class of work exclusively.

A 20 per cent commission is the sexton's share of the proceeds, and, taking into consideration the large membership of some of the New York churches and the elaborate funerals that take place almost daily, it can readily be seen that to be a sexton is an honorable calling—for it is a business that brings in the coin. The profits of a sexton in one of the large down town churches are estimated at \$10,000 annually from his funeral business alone. Weddings are not so profitable, but they do fairly well and are cheerful. He collects the pew rents and takes his habitual commission: he is paid for opening the church and for closing it and a few other things that keep him from starvation. But there is one thing he must look sharp after, and that is his collections. It is a peculiar fact, but people will stand off a funeral bill as long and as callously as any other.—Exchange.

The Two Admirals.

There are now only two admirals with their flags afloat, namely, Dewey and Sir John O. Hopkins of the British navy. France has no grade in her navy higher than vice admiral, and there is but one officer of this rank, who is now attached to the French admiralty office. Russia also does not recognize a higher grade than vice admiral, and none of her stations is now commanded by officers of higher rank than rear admiral. Great Britain has more admirals than all the other naval powers combined, although the majority of them are members of the admiralty board, one is in command at Portsmouth and another at another important home naval port.

An Unprogressive Settlement.

"Dill writes home," said the old citizen. "that he's only been in New York six weeks, and he's had appendicitis twice. An you moult live a lifetime in this here darned ole settlement an' 'bout all you could hope to have would be plain mumps or measles or slow fever!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Knew Him and Didn't Know Him.

A young couple called at a fashionable boarding house in the west end to engage board. They were from Chicago, and the husband had recently secured an appointment in one of the departments. The landlady, an amiable and pretty, if a trifle faded, little woman, showed the couple the vacant rooms, and one of them was finally accepted.

"Now, you'll want references, of course," said the young wife after the terms had been fixed. Then she mentioned the name of a Washington man of some prominence.

"You know him, or of him, I presume?" she inquired. "He is my husband's uncle."

"Well," replied the landlady, "I cannot precisely say that I know him. Nobody ever really knew him. He's something of a mystery. Now, I was married to him for 13 years, and at the conclusion of that period, when I secured my divorce, I don't think I could have conscientiously placed my hand over my heart and declared that I actually knew him. Some men are so difficult to get acquainted with, you know."

The situation was a bit embarrassing, but the young couple took the room they had decided upon anyhow.—Washington Post.

He Failed to Pass.

General Benjamin F. Dutler was one of a commission to examine young applicants for admission to the bar, and before him came a youth who failed miserably on all that pertained to jurisprudence, case law, civil law, sumptuary law, unwritten law and due process of law. Finally Dutler, who rather liked the chap and wanted to see him through, asked: "What would you like to be examined in? You have failed in everything we have suggested."

The reply came, "Try me on the statutes; I'm up on them."

Butler shook his head solemnly. "My young friend," he said, "I'm afraid you won't do. You may be ever so familiar with the statutes, but what is to prevent a fool legislature from repealing all you know?"

Kerosene on the Carpet.

If you spill kerosene on the carpet, don't leave it to "evaporate." Cover the place an inch deep with bran or cornmeal and set enough hot irons to cover the spot. Let stand until the irons are cool, then sweep off the meal, and usually there is no trace of the spot. If there is, repeat the operation. Unless the oil is removed the dust settles into it and makes a bad looking place in the carpet.

Financial Advice.

"Here's a man," said the old citizen, "who lost \$5,000 in a bank war he put it fer safe keepin. Bill, don't you ever take no risk like that. Ef ever you gits hold of any money, do like your father before you done—bury it, an spen' the rest of your life settin over it with a shotgun!"—Atlanta Constitution.

He Deals In Snow.

The Prince of Palermo is said to owe his wealth chiefly to the trade in snow, of which he has a monopoly. The snow is brought at night in baskets on mule back from the mountains to the coast and shipped to the Italian cities, where it is sold at 2 and 3 cents a pound.

A Maidenly Device.

Evelyn—So my nose broken off with Jack again.
Ella—Oh, yes, but I find of the old ring and he's got it on his nose when we see him.

Rheumacide is a thorough, permanent, constitutional cure for rheumatism. The acids in the blood which cause the disease are thoroughly eradicated. Is also the best blood purifier, laxative and tonic.

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THE DAILY REFLECTOR

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair and warm tonight, [Saturday] fair.

WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Maximum	76
Minimum	58
Mean	67
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	.10

HIGGS & TAFT'S LOCAL COLUMN.

Monday, April 16th we expect 40 rolls of Matting, special large shipment this season. Don't forget that we are the largest matting dealers in the county.

Monday, April 16th, we expect 500 pairs John Kelly's Slippers. These goods are too well known for us to talk about their merits.

Wednesday, 19th, we expect a large shipment of Hamburg edging, Ladies, wait and see them.

During the week we expect the most beautiful line of pictures ever seen in the city.

During the present month we will receive a car load of "Buck's Cook Stoves," said to be finest stoves in the world. Two small ranges will be given away as an advertisement. Condition will be published later.

We now have on hand the handsomest line Bed room suites, sideboards, tables, and chairs ever seen in Greenville. Crescent Chainless Bicycles for \$50.00.

Respectfully,

HIGGS & TAFT

THE PASSERS.

Catch a Glimpse as They Come and Go.

Deputy Sheriff J. J. Mason is on the sick list.

E. B. Ficklen left this morning for Danville.

W. T. Lipscomb returned from Newbern Thursday evening.

H. W. Holcombe left this morning for Danville to take a vacation.

Mrs. C. T. Munford left this morning for Wilson to visit relatives.

Rev. A. W. Setzer left this morning for Tarboro to attend the Union meeting.

Claude Hunter, of Henderson, came in this morning. Some of the boys keep a close eye on him.

Jarvis Sugg returned Thursday afternoon from a short visit to Washington. J. W. Wiggins went along as chaperon and both are telling on each other.

J. A. Dupree returned Thursday evening from Norfolk. Mrs. Dupree also returned from Margarettsville where she had been to attend the funeral of her mother.

Clerical Errors.

An evidence of the errors made by the clerks in copying bills passed by the Legislature can be found in the town charter of Greenville which we are now publishing. For instance in Section 7 at (14) it says the Aldermen shall have power to "contract" the sale or use of fireworks, while it was "control" in the original bill. Again in Sec. 23 it says that applicants for license to retail liquors must state the place and "charaction" of their business. No doubt this word should read "character," but we are printing it from a certified copy of the Secretary of State and give it just as it is. There may be other error; equally as bad.

OPENINGS.

New Display Here Every Day.

Sunday will wind up April.

Seed Peanuts at S. M. Schulz's.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

All sizes Ledgers at Reflector Book Store.

Vest pocket memorandums at Reflector Book Store.

Though the spring was late the flies got here on time.

Flower Pots and Flower Seeds at Zeno Moore & Bro's.

Another large lot of stationery at Reflector Book Store.

A little more of this weather and you will hear picnic talk.

Dessertine, different flavors, for pies, at J. S. Tunstall's.

Is anybody talking up that corn and flour mill for Greenville?

Don't drink impure water, get a Filter from Zeno Moore & Bro.

It was a year ago this morning, April 28th, that the big frost killed fruit and crops so badly.

Odd Fellows celebration takes place in the opera house tonight at 8 o'clock promptly.

More of that nice paper and envelopes, only 5 cents a box, at Reflector Book Store.

It is getting time for invitations to school commencements to begin taking their place in the mails.

Three boxes white school crayons, gross in each box, 25 cents at Reflector Book Store.

You have no doubt observed that the individual who knows how to do everything very seldom does anything.

The Washington District Conference of the M. E. Church will be held at Bethel, this county, instead of at Ocracoke. It meets in July.

Under the new town charter the town has five wards instead of four, and provides for eight Aldermen in place of six Councilmen heretofore.

JUST FOR FUN.

The corkscrew evidently believes in the motto: "One good turn deserves another."

The busy fly is no doubt a believer in the open door policy, but much to his disgust the screen door policy is being adopted.

A hard-hearted Frankford boarding house mistress has evicted one of her boarders who recently lost his position because she doesn't trust idle roomers.

"What is the meaning of this?" demanded the customer hotly, as by the aid of the mirror he detected a pucker across the back of his new coat. "Oh," replied the quick-witted tailor promptly, "that is—er—the last wrinkle, sir."

About the Same.

For a business man to say to the advertising solicitor: "Oh! goodness, no. It's too dull to advertise now. Wait until times pick up a little," is equivalent to a very sick person saying to a physician: "Oh! no, doctor, I can't take any of your medicine now. I'm too sick. Wait until I get better, and then I'll take it." When the patient gets well—if he ever does—he will not be in need of medicine. The best time to advertise is when the need of stimulant is the greatest, and that is when business is dull.—F. J. Haskin.

Not That Way Here.

The sound of the hammer will soon be heard on every hand.—Weldon News.

We have heard of people striking the nail on their thumb instead of the nail in the plank while using a hammer, but had no idea that users of tool had become so careless that every hand got a lick.

\$115 Lost.

Unless you get a Mozart upright Piano, for \$185, which will cost you \$300 from a Music House, Saturday 29th will be your last chance. B. B. SHAW.

Next door Tucker's Furniture Store.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

	Op'n'g.	High	Low	Close.
June	582	587	582	586
August	588	594	588	593
October	590	594	589	590

Receipts 16,000

LIVERPOOL.

April and May.

Opening.	Close.	Tone.
3.19	3.19	Quiet

CHICAGO.

Op'n'g. High Low Close.

Wheat.	Op'n'g.	High	Low	Close.
July	71½	72½	71½	72½
Sept.	70½	72	70½	72

STOCKS.

	Opening.	High	Low	Close.
C. B. & Q.	144½	144½	143½	143½
Po. Gas	127½	127½	127½	127½
B. R. T.	134½	136½	134	135½
Manhattan	121½	122	120½	120½
C. & G. W.	115½	115½	115½	115½

OPERA HOUSE.

One Week—commencing

Monday Night, May 1st.

THE FUN MAKERS CO.

Presenting the up-to-date Military Comedy

"Our Jonathan in Cuba."

Everything to amuse, nothing to offend. Change of play nightly. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Children's Matinee Saturday 3 P. M. Seats on sale at H. M. Hardee's Dry Goods store by Lee.

ALL THE POPULAR SUMMER DRINKS.

CAN BE HAD AT MY FOUNTAIN.

Ice Cream Soda with Fruit Flavors, Crushed Fruits with ice, Chocolate and Cream, Coca Cola on ice, Milk Shakes, Sherbets, Phosphates, &c. I have a complete line of Drugs, Perfumes, Toilet Articles, Cigars, and everything carried in an up-to-date Drug Store. Prescriptions promptly and carefully filled, J. W. BRYAN, Druggist. Phone No. 10. Rialto building.

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STATEMENT OF THE

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 5TH, 1899.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$71,205.95	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Overdrafts : : : : 3,019.56	Surplus Fund : : : : 742.81
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,540.85	Undivided Profits less
Cash Items : : : : 105.19	Expenses paid 5,563.96
Cash : : : : 26,464.66	Deposits subject to chk : 107,336.61
Due from Banks : : 35,728.34	Due Banks and Bankers : 42.54
Rev. Stamps : : : : 274.38	Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,653.01
\$138,338.93	\$138,338.93

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Have you a GUN, or a PISTOL, or a BICYCLE, or a LOCK, or most anything that needs fixing? IF SO, bring it to

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Greenville, . . . N. C.

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