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### JOHNSON'S MILLS ITEMS.

JOHNSON'S MILLS, N. C. Nov. 23 G. B. Kilpatrick went to Kinston Monday night.

Misses Sarah and Eliza Harding returned to their schools Monday.

Bishop Watson preached at St. Johns Sunday and confirmed three persons.

Flowers Seawell and sister, Miss Mary Lee, returned to their home at Jonesboro Monday.

L. H. Cox returned Tuesday from Kinston where he went on business.

Elisha Pittman, of Blount's Creek, and Mrs. Lizzie Bland, of this place, will be married next Tuesday at 7 o'clock a. m. at the home of the bride. They will make their home in Beaufort county.

Old Mrs. Grundy says Quinerly is going to have three marriages right soon. Old maids are thinning out.

### All Post Offices to Close Saturday Afternoon.

Washington, November 23rd.—The Postmaster General, in honor of the late Vice-President Hobart has ordered all the post offices in the United States closed from 2 to 4 in the afternoon Saturday.

### Remember The Orphans.

When the gratitude of your heart prompts you to make a thank-offering to God on Thanksgiving Day, don't lose sight of the work being done in our orphans' homes throughout the State. Don't overlook the claims upon you of these little destitute fatherless or motherless ones.

Send them a contribution or help to get up a box of provisions or clothing for them. The work appeals to all of us. No offering will be more acceptable and pleasing to God.

### OVER THE COUNTRY.

Women have organized the Lee and Wheeler movement, at Chicago, Ill., to purchase gift swords for Generals Wheeler and Fitzhugh Lee.

Nine skeletons of men who were killed in the Black Hawk war of 1832 have been found in Stillman Valley, 78 miles from Chicago.

Ill health has caused the resignation of the Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs, pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims, Brooklyn, after a continuous pastorate of 53 years.

A bill is urged for the New York Legislature, making marriage licenses mandatory in that State.

### Bishop Horner Misrepresented.

Asheville, Nov. 22.—Dispatches from Richmond, Va., yesterday stated that Treasurer Meade, of the Monumental church there, has received a letter from Bishop Horner, of the missionary jurisdiction of Asheville, in which the bishop told a startling story of the poverty and ignorance he had found in the country within a radius of 25 or 30 miles of Asheville. The bishop said today that he was at a loss to know how the story originated, as he had written no such letter to Treasurer Meade, and had said nothing to him that could be construed to mean any such things as he is credited with saying in the dispatch.

Syracuse, N. Y. has established a municipal lodging-house at which an applicant is furnished with a supper, bath, lodging and breakfast on condition that he works at street cleaning half a day. A meal is furnished for one hour's work. The system has put an end to the tramp nuisance.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER, 24, 1899.

It is safe to say that the Supreme Court of North Carolina "has gone Republican."

Since Dr. Abbott has been successful and won the suit reinstating him on the Corporation Commission it is said that S. Otho Wilson is contemplating bringing a similar suit to recover the seat on the Commission from which he was ejected.

We see the statement going around that a number of mosquitoes from some section along the Roanoke River have been sent to the Johns Hopkins' hospital, for a bacteriological examination. It is claimed that the bite of this particular mosquito is quickly followed by chills and fever. We suppose that if the examination substantiates the claim then war is to be declared upon the mosquito and steps taken to exterminate his tribe.

Says the Pittsboro Record:

It is amusing to hear Republicans talk about the purity of the ballot and election frauds, when the most outrageous election frauds ever perpetrated in this country were committed by the Republican party. The idea of a party that actually stole the Presidency denouncing the Democrats as ballot-box stuffers!

And the idea of the party that debauched the ballot by placing it in the hands of recently emancipated slaves talking about purifying the ballot!

It is rather a striking coincidence that the greatest election frauds are perpetrated in Philadelphia, a city that is completely controlled by the Republicans. In that strongly Republican city elections are a farce, so fraudulent are they. And this is not "a Democratic lie," but can be proved by other evidence. The Philadelphia Ledger is an independent Republican paper, and, in a recent issue, in speaking of the late election in that city, denounced it as "a gigantic, systematic fraud and criminal conspiracy, a flagrant debauchery of the ballot, and a means to the end of disfranchising honest voters. An election in this city is a crime against the most sacred right of the people, schemed, promoted and executed by public officials, and not detected, exposed, hindered or interfered with by that department of the municipal government the especial duty of which it is to detect offenses against the law."

One of the results of the late war with Spain will be the change in the furniture of war vessels. Formerly all the furniture, which was made of wood, had to be thrown overboard just before battle in order to lessen the chances of fire. Metal furniture will take the place of wooden, and the cruiser Atlanta is the first vessel to be equipped with it. The furniture, consisting of chairs, tables, sofas, beds, etc., is made of chilled steel tubing and light wire work.

There has not been, whereof the memory of man runneth to the contrary, such a favorable season for seeding wheat, making forage and doing other farm work. If any man in this section is short on wheat bread next year, it will not be chargeable to unfavorable weather for sowing. The indications are that the people generally have taken advantage of the fine fall weather and have put out an unusually large acreage of wheat. This is as it should be. It is a safer crop than either cotton or tobacco. With the production of wheat the improvement of land goes hand in hand.—Lexington Dispatch.

State Superintendent Mebane says he believes that when January 1st arrives Father Worth will pay the \$100,000 appropriated from the public fund for the public schools. If it is decided to be his duty to sue Father Worth he will ask for a mandamus, but he thinks the officials in the counties to whose order he will draw the warrants on the State Auditor are the persons to institute the suits.

A petition against the seating of Congressman Roberts comes all the way from Japan. It is signed by 135 American Missionaries.

Benjamin Hodson, who resides in Elwood, Indiana, has three children, two of whom are girls and one a boy. The names of the girls are Sunshine and Delight, while the boy is named Pleasant. When asked why he gave such names the father replied that he wanted to make things cheerful about the house.

Congress, when placed upon its own responsibility at the opening of the session next month, will doubtless have all the timidity of a school girl at her first ball, but the absence of Czar Reed will not be felt long, since the country will be safe so long as the great and only Grosvenor is to remain.

**How Will 45 and 15 Do?**  
Here is an odd little piece of doggerel which appeared in The Gentleman's Magazine 15 years ago, which gave rise to considerable discussion. Correspondents seem to have been pretty evenly divided between those who claimed that there were several answers and such as maintained that the problem was unsolvable:

When first the marriage knot was tied  
Betwixt my wife and me,  
My age did hers as far exceed  
As three times three does three,  
But when ten years and half ten years  
We man and wife had been  
Her age came up as near to mine  
As twice four is to sixteen.  
Now, tell me, Captain David Gray, I pray,  
What were our ages on the wedding day?

(David Gray was a noted writer on mathematical subjects who lived at that time.)

**Shakespeare's Father.**  
A paper entitled "Shakespeare and Sanitation" was read at the recent provincial meeting of the Incorporated Society of Medical Officers of Health at Stratford-on-Avon. Among other things the author related the following: "It is interesting to find that the name of John Shakespeare, the father of the poet, first appears in the records of the municipality as owing a fine of twopence for having made a dirt heap with his neighbors, Adrien Quincey and Henry Reynolds, in Henly street, and on another occasion he 'stood amerced' in fourpence for failing to keep his gutter clean."

### Doing Penance.

A member of the mining exchange tells this story of a man doing penance: "I had a wagon and was driving out of Denver, on my way to the mines. The roads were fetlock deep in dust, and the weather was hotter than hades. A young fellow halted me a few miles out and asked if I might walk behind my wagon. It was the strangest request I had ever heard, and I said:

"Walk behind? No! Get up here on the seat and ride." He wore a sort of sad look and replied:

"I don't want to ride, pardner. I ain't fitten to ride and I ain't fitten to get fitten. Just let me walk behind your wagon."

"I thought then he must be crazy and concluded to let him have his way. The dust rolled up in dense, suffocating clouds. I glanced frequently over my shoulder, but couldn't get a glimpse of him. As the team rattled on, however, I heard his voice repeating over and over again:

"Serve you right, confound you! Sell your claim for \$10,000, win \$1,500 at poker, go down to Denver, blow off the town and go dead broke! You blank blank blank! Ought to suffer! Got to go back and start all over again! Dust too good for you! Ain't half punishment enough!"

"At the end of the journey he was nearly dead, but still bravely anxious to do penance. I hired him, and he's here in New York now, doing well."—New York Press.

### Admitted It Himself.

A story is told of two prominent Chicago lawyers who several years ago were regarded as being among the brightest lawyers the state had produced for a long time. There was great rivalry between these men, and one day they were having a heated argument on the steps of the state-house at Springfield.

"I'll agree to leave it to the first man we meet," said one of the wrangling lawyers fiercely.

"All right, and that will settle it once for all. Ah! Here is Charlie—

"We'll leave it to him."

"Charlie," as the man spoken of approached within hearing distance, "we want you to decide who is the best lawyer in Illinois. We agree to abide by your decision."

"Well," replied Charlie, himself an old practitioner and well known in the capital city. "I plead guilty to being the best lawyer in the state myself."

"Why, Charlie, how can it be proved?" inquired the first of the two Chicagoans.

"You don't have to prove it," replied the Springfield man. "I admit it, don't I?"—Detroit Free Press.

### A Compliment.

Apropos of the late Lord Watson's predilection for interrupting counsel and the story of Lord Bramwell's exhortation to his learned brother to cease worrying a certain arguing barrister, a correspondent tells how on one occasion Lord Watson justified his inveterate habit of interruption.

"I ventured," he says, "once out of court to complain to him of his too frequent interruptions from which I had suffered in court."

"He answered: 'Eh? Man, you should not complain of that, for I never interrupt a fool.'"—London Globe.

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### An Unexpected Answer.

In the course of an address Dr. Conan Doyle told a quaint experience of his in the Sudan. Wishing to find out whether some of the black soldiers was a Mohammedan or a pagan, he asked him "Whom do you worship?"

"I worship my colonel," came the answer, pat.

The lessons of history would suggest to Sherlock Holmes that the man was a Mohammedan.

## WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. AND BRANCHES AND ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY OF SOUTH CAROLINA. CONDENSED SCHEDULE

### TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Table with columns: DATED July 31, 1899, No. 23, No. 25, No. 103, No. 41, No. 49, and departure times for various stations like Weldon, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, etc.

### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Table with columns: No. 75, No. 102, No. 22, No. 40, No. 46, and arrival times for various stations like Florence, Fayetteville, Selma, etc.

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a.m., arrives Fayetteville 12 12 p.m., leaves Fayetteville 12 25 p.m., arrives Sanford 1 43 p.m., returns leaves Sanford 2 30 p.m., arrive Fayetteville 3 41 p.m., leaves Fayetteville 3 46 p.m., arrives Wilmington 6 40 p.m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8 15 a.m., Maxton 9 20 a.m., Red Springs 9 53 a.m., Hope Mills 10 42 a.m., arrive Fayetteville 10 55. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4 40 p.m., Hope Mills 4 55 p.m., Red Springs 5 35 p.m., Maxton 6 15 p.m., arrives Bennettsville 7 15 p.m.

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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., arriving Halifax at 11 18 a.m., Weldon 11 33 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 10 a.m. and 3 30 p.m., arrive Farme 9 10 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Farme 9 35 a.m. and 6 30 p.m., arrive Washington 11 00 a.m. and 7 30 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.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9 30 a.m., 3 40 p.m., arrive Nashville 10 10 a.m., 4 03 p.m., Spring Hope 10 40 a.m., 4 25 p.m., returning leave Spring Hope 11 00 a.m., 4 55 p.m., Nashville 11 22 a.m., arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a.m., 6 00 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11 40 a.m. and 4 15 p.m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a.m. and 2 50 a.m.

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BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Thursday evening. Rev. J. N. Booth, pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. C. D. Rountree, 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.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

### 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. D. D. Overton, N. G. F. M. Hodges, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. J. L. Fleming, C. C.; S. C. 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. A. D. Johnson, Councilor.

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. J. Z. Gardner, 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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## A Tale of Flowers.

A unique entertainment, says the Baltimore Sun, was given recently at Eutaw Place Baptist church. It was called a "Floral Wedding," and cards were distributed on which were questions to be answered by the name of a flower. Following is a list of the questions and the successful answers:

Her name and the color of her eyes.—Black-eyed Susan.

Her nationality and appearance.—American Beauty.

Her father's name and the pen he used.—John Quill.

How did her lovers surround her?—In Phlox.

What did they think she was?—A Daisy.

What was her small brother's name?—Johnny Jump-up.

With what kind of candy did her lovers bribe her brother?—Mint.

What did her brother throw at her lovers?—Snow-balls.

The name and disposition of the unfortunate ones?—Sweet Williams.

To whom did she refer him?—Poppy.

What did he do when he proposed?—Aster.

What was her object in matrimony?—Marigold.

What did he think would no longer trouble him?—Bachelor's Buttons.

At what time was the wedding?—Four O'clock.

Who performed the ceremony?—Jack-in-the-Pulpit.

Who was best man?—Marechal Neil.

What did the bride wear on her head?—Bridal Wreath.

What music was played during the ceremony?—Narcissus.

How did he salute her after the ceremony?—Tulips.

What did she say as she left home?—Forget-me-not.

What did they leave behind?—Bleeding Hearts.

## A Smile in Each.

Sheer nonsense—clipped jokes. Many an Oriental hanging covers a crack in the wall.

About Thanksgiving time the turkey becomes a bird of prey.

Yeast is like truth. Crush to earth, it will rise again.

Alimony is the plaster that sometimes heals a broken heart.

It isn't fair to the elevator boy in a department store to call him a shop lifter.

A man sometimes makes a very pointed remark in an exceedingly blunt manner.

"Marriage," says the confirmed bachelor, "is a grindstone for sharpening wits, and Cupid turns the crank."

If a doctor refuses to take his own medicine you can't blame an undertaker for not wanting to attend his own funeral.

Even the honest blacksmith may be a forger.

The man who pays cash gets no credit for it.

Some fellows raise whiskers because they can't raise the price of a shave.

Nothing pleases a very young man so much as to have the girls call him cynic.

When a fellow loses in a bulet shop he can't be blamed for coming out a little pale.

You can't blame a half-starved actor if his work is bad. A poor liver always refuses to act well.

The claims of some women to intellectuality are based largely upon the fact that they only clean house about every three years.—Philadelphia Record.

You will increase your own joy at Thanksgiving by doing all the good you can to others. Don't forget the orphan.

## EVERY DAY FOLKS.

But Different Ones Each Day.

Ollen E. Warren went to Tarboro today.

Miss Alice Carson went to Bethel today.

J. C. Lamb, of Williamston, is in town.

Mrs. Ola Forbes returned this morning from Grifton.

M. H. Quinerly returned this morning from Kinston.

E. L. Dawson, of Washington, spent today here with Rev. J. N. Booth.

Jesse Rohr, of Philadelphia, is spending a day or two with his kinsman, H. P. Strause.

Miss Bessie Shields, of Scotland Neck, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Higgs, returned home today.

Mrs. Elizabeth Grimes, of Raleigh, arrived Thursday evening to visit her son, Walter H. Grimes, in South Greenville.

Miss Sudie Harding reached home Tuesday evening from the Normal college at Greensboro, having stopped enroute to visit friends.

B. F. Patrick has moved his family back to Greenville, after living for several years on his farm a mile south of town. They occupy their former residence, corner Fourth and Washington streets.

## Criminal Carelessness.

Raleigh, N. C., November 23.—Prof. W. F. Massey, who visited Greensboro to inspect the sewerage at the Normal & Industrial College says that the persons who did the plumbing there could be sued for criminal negligence, and intimated that there might be suits. He said his daughter had typhoid fever, and so did other students; that talk about its being malarial fever was all stuff. He says that the plumbers, being short of iron piping, used twelve feet of terra cotta pipe, from water closet, and that a steam pipe ran directly over this sewer pipe, over soil saturated with sewerage making it an ideal breeding place for germs. He says he never saw greater criminal carelessness.

## Twenty-two pounds from twenty-six stalks.

Mr. J. L. Pair has just twenty-six stalks of cotton in his garden. He made the land very rich and then cultivated the cotton carefully. The result was he picked out twenty-two pounds of cotton from the twenty-six stalks at the first picking. This shows what high cultivation will do and that in order to raise a crop of cotton it is not how many acres of land will the farmer plant in cotton, but how rich he will make a few acres and then cultivate them well. Mr. Pair's experiment is an object lesson in farming and should prove a valuable one to the farmers who read this paper.—Weldon News.

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We can repair your old ones! Agents for Clark's O. N. T. Cotton, Champion Mowing Machines and Rakes. In Boots and Shoes we cannot be undersold.

## Flour, Meat, Lime, &c.

We will match all competition for we sell stacks of them. DRESS GOODS and CLOTHING STOCK ARE COMPLETE

Call and see us. No trouble to show goods.

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# The Reflector Book Store

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Automatic Ink Stand that will not spill when upset. Absolutely non-exsperating.

THE MOST IMPORTANT INVENTION IN THIS LINE EVER ACCOMPLISHED.

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# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Increasing cloudiness tonight; rain Saturday.

WEATHER YESTERDAY.	
Maximum	71
Minimum	63
Mean	67
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	00

## ELMWOOD HEATERS

ARE THE BEST MADE, AND ARE FIT COMPANIONS FOR



We have just received a car load of this famous Heater and can fit any room whether 10-10 or 30-100.

Old folks watch the Red and White waggon, where others buy is a good place for you to buy.

**HIGGS & TAFT.**  
THE FURNITURE MEN

## COTTON MARKET.

As wired to Speight & Co., cotton and peanut buyers.

New York future quotations today are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
January	7 45	7 50
March	7 52	7 54
May	7 54	7 58
Oct	6 98	7 01
Receipts	29,000.	

## LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Jan & Feb	4 02	4 04

## CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May.	70 1/2	71 1/2
Ribs—May.	5 07 1/2	5 10

## LOCAL MARKET.

Spot cotton in Greenville 71.

The funeral of Vice-President Hobart takes place tomorrow, Saturday, and in respect to him all the exchanges have announced that they will close that day.

## GENTLEMEN!

We have a first class

**TAILOR,**  
**MR. HARRY F. WALLS,**

WHO WILL MAKE YOU

SUIT, PAIR OF PANTS  
OR FANCY VEST.

Prices and fits guaranteed.

Suits cleaned and pressed.

Greenville Tailoring Co.

V. J. LEE, S. V. PRIDDY.

## A SHOWER.

### Not Meteors But News.

Daughters of Rebekah meet tonight.

Fresh Mountain Butter at S. M. Schultz'.

THE REFLECTOR office for job printing.

There will be court at Snow Hill next week.

The dressmaker knows the seamy side of life.

The cotton market has been whooping today.

Try the Arab pen at the Reflector Book Store.

There was a regular thunder storm early Thursday night.

Ormond & Carr have their Wilson Heaters, go and see them.

When it comes to getting shaved every man carries his mug with him.

Fresh Mason's Standard and City Soda Crackers, at J. S. Tunstall's.

The weather has turned considerably colder since the storm Thursday night.

When a man has no enemies you can generally put him down as a dead one.

We hear that quite a number of houses will soon be built in West Greenville.

It is the time of year for Sunday schools to take on their Christmas attendance.

New assortment of the famous Parker Fountain Pen, at Reflector Book Store.

Colored crayons and all kinds of tablets and box papers at Reflector Book Store.

Some of the store windows are putting the little folks to talking about Santa Claus.

We believe people are glad to see the colder weather. They like to have it seasonable.

The fellow who predicted the end of the world probably forgot that it was round.

Double ruled tablets, the very thing for practicing writing, at Reflector Book Store.

Some people talk of the need of a cotton factory in Greenville but nobody puts forward to get one.

The cooler weather will bring hog killing time, when folks can feast on spare bones and chittlings.

Call on R. A. Tyson, J. S. Tunstall or J. A. Brady for choice sweet potatoes, raised by W. A. Darden.

A large number of colored people went from here to Ayden Thursday night to institute a colored Odd Fellows lodge there.

A Connecticut man named his five sons One, Two, Three, Four, Five Miles. This was certainly carrying the joke for enough.

The old telegraph line between Tarboro and Washington is being overhauled for the purpose of making it a through telephone line.

Jim Tillery, a colored man, who works about the depot, was painfully hurt Thursday. A door fell on his hand and nearly mashed off several fingers.

Work has commenced on the well on the Court House square that is being put down jointly by the town and county. It will prove a great convenience to the public.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. As the question of changing the time of meeting from Friday to Tuesday night is to be voted on there should be a full attendance.

A mighty good woman who saw that our turkey hen had strayed sent us a gobbler to take its place. And now with the hen back we have a pair and cause for Thanksgiving is proportionally increased.

FRESH OYSTERS.—We have just opened in Greenville and are prepared to furnish Oysters by the measure in any quantity. We have boats running to the sound to keep us supplied with fresh stock. We are in the store near Five Points, one door below REFLECTOR office. Send us your orders for Oysters. LEWIS & GASKILL.

## THE OPEN DOOR.

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## FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

We are in our new store, have opened our new stock, and are ready to serve you.

Just now we are making a superb display of the very newest style of

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YOU WILL ALSO FIND OUR LINES OF

Dress Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats,

Gents' Furnishings, Trunks and Valises, Complete and attractive. Our prices are always right.

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## BICYCLE REPAIRING.

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WE ARE BACK AGAIN AT OUR OLD STAND ON MAIN STREET AND ARE READY TO SERVE THE PUBLIC. WE HAVE ADDED NEW MACHINERY AND ARE BETTER PREPARED FOR DOING FIRST-CLASS WORK.

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STATEMENT OF THE

## BANK OF GREENVILLE,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1899.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$92,276.37	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured : : : 5,750.50	Surplus fund and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 4,621.67
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,550.85	Bills payable : : : 30,000.00
Cash Items : : : 14,443.12	Deposits subject to check : 108,953.92
Cash : : : : 22,098.77	Due Banks and Bankers : 678.79
Due from Banks : : : 31,808.31	Cashiers' checks outstanding 1,612.85
Rev. Stamps : : : : 434.31	
	\$168,867.23
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