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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings of December Meeting.

The December meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, being the beginning of a new fiscal year, gave them a large volume of business to transact in addition to regular monthly work.

The payments from the treasury were as follows:

For paupers \$126, Superintendent of Health \$25, County Home \$256.67, Sheriff Craven county \$20.50, Sheriff Lenoir county \$8.60, Solicitor \$30, Sheriff \$32.90, Clerk \$2.65, Register \$20.44, Medical expert \$10, Commissioners \$28.80, Court House \$12.77, witness tickets \$28.05, conveying prisoners \$3.40, bridges, ferries and lumber \$239.08, jail \$123.07, gallows and burying Elijah Joyner \$21.25, blank books, etc. \$11.12, Greenville stock law \$5.

Jesse Mumford, J. A. Briley, Robt. L. Moore, Ed. Stocks, Reuben Cobb, C. W. Exum, A'onz Allen, G. N. Baker, Richard Worthington, P. T. Crawford and F. S. Harris were exempted from poll tax for 1899.

E. D. Roberson was authorized to repair bridge on Contentnea swamp.

Alvania Gurganus was ordered discharged from County Home.

Clerk of Board was ordered to notify Commissioners of Beaufort county that Matilda Crandall, an insane person now confined in Pitt county jail, is a charge of Beaufort county and that she be removed.

H. V. Houston, a disabled Confederate soldier, was allowed peddler's license for six months.

The followed persons, having been charged with poll tax in two township, were released: H. J. Mills, John S. McLawhorn, L. M. Arnold, T. E. Hardy.

D. G. Moore was refunded tax on \$200 erroneously charged against him.

Lands of W. H. Porter, Chicod township, reduced in valuation from \$400 to \$150.

Lands of W. C. Gardner, Falkland township, reduced in valuation from \$600 to \$500.

Several delinquents were allowed to list taxes for 1899.

J. B. Cherry, Treasurer, presented his reports for the general county funds and stock law funds up to Dec. 3rd, 1899, which were approved and ordered recorded.

R. L. Davis, O. W. Harrington and A. L. Blow were appointed a

committee to examine reports of the several officers of the county and report at next regular meeting.

Lewis Nobles and wife were added to pauper list to receive \$1.50 per month, and Ellen Matthews to receive \$2.

Jarvis & Blow were retained as attorneys for the Board at the same compensation as before.

J. W. Smith was re-elected Superintendent of the County Home.

The Board examined and approved for the next year the bonds of the following officers: J. B. Cherry, Treasurer; G. M. Mooring, Sheriff and Tax Collector; D. C. Moore, Clerk Superior Court; T. R. Moore, Register of Deeds; C. O'H. Laughinghouse, Coroner; J. A. Harrington, Standard Keeper; J. D. Cox, Surveyor; also Constables of the several townships.

It is a waste of time to cry over spilled milk. The probabilities are that it has been pretty well watered already.

The Wood Trust.

The trust which has been formed among some of the local wood dealers is stirring up discussion among the people, and there is talk of having wood shipped in by train to supply the demand. From what we can learn not many of the country wood sellers have any part in the trust.

Episcopal Services.

The Rev. Francis Joyner, of Bunyan, N. C., will preach in St. Paul's church Sunday next at 11 o'clock. Holy Communion will be administered.

On Sunday night at 7 o'clock Mr. Joyner will make an address concerning work in his large missionary territory. The public are cordially invited to be present.

Did the Shock Kill Him?

This morning at the back of the warehouse at the boat landing at Old Sparta the body of a negro man named Fred Cobb was found stiff in death. He had been missing from home since last Saturday, and although his people had searched for him, no trace was found till this morning when his body was stumbled over by some one going for freight.

The theory is that the man died from heart disease; that he was in the act of stealing flour when some one went into the warehouse and he might be discovered. Where he was found and the half opened flour barrel head and the stains of the flour all indicate this.

The body showed no signs of decay.—Tarboro Southerner.

Never take a man at his own estimate. Lots of fellows who think they are world-beaters would balk if their wives should ask them to beat a carpet.

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Our stock is in style—new style—this season's style. When you buy here be assured of one certain fact—You are procuring the latest, you are wearing what was made to wear just at this time, and therefore the most fashionable to be had.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER, 7, 1899.

The President's message to Congress was a very long document. He did not fail to express himself in advocacy of a gold standard. He also stole some Democratic ideas and declared against trusts.

Congressman-elect Roberts, of Utah, the polygamist, was not allowed to take his seat. By a vote of more than ten to one he was made stand aside until the charges against him can be investigated by the committee to which the case was referred.

Mule Eats Chickens.

One of the most remarkable things heard of in many years in this section is found in a peculiar habit possessed by an old Union county mule.

The animal belongs to Mr. J. W. Killough, brother of Policeman Killough of Charlotte.

The mule in question has developed a wonderful capacity for eating chickens, feathers, feet and all, and seems to relish the food very much.

Mr. Killough says that he supposes the animal has eaten between one and two hundred chickens since he began this new custom of feeding himself.

The mule, which is thirteen years old, catches most of the chickens while it is eating. The birds come about the trough or rack where the mule is being fed and his muleship suddenly opens his mouth and has a chicken caught before the poor chicken can get out of the way.

Mr. Killough says that the mule seems to like the meat of the chickens exceedingly well. He says further that there are scores of other chickens which the mule has attacked but they were so fortunate as to get off with only a cripple wing or leg.—Charlotte News.

How it is in Winston.

"Fair exchange is no robbery." This is a truism that we are reminded of when we contemplate the fact that the newspapers are expected to whoop up the tobacco market without the tobacco market whooping up the newspapers. The papers take great pleasure in noting the growth of the market and in advising planters to avail themselves of its exceptional facilities and all that sort of thing, but we must confess that the manifestation of tangible appreciation for such services would create a just equilibrium. Consult all the newspapers published in Winston-Salem and you would not know there was a warehouse for the sale of leaf to

bacco in the city, except for the unpaid-for references to the market in the news columns. And yet we find, in a paper published some fifty miles away, advertisements of three of our warehouses. Let the band play "Home, Sweet Home."—Winston Sentinel.

Spanish War Pensions Coming in Lively.

Up to the present time there have been 25,045 claims filed in the Pension Office as a result of the war with Spain and the war in the Philippines. Of these 695 come from the navy. The faster the regiments are mustered out the greater are the number of claims for pensions filed. The average since the first application was filed has been about 50 a week. There has been no material increase recently, but with the expectation of a speedy cessation of hostilities in the Philippines the Commissioner of Pensions is making preparations to handle a large number of claims which it is thought will undoubtedly be made at that time.—Washington Dispatch.

The Pullman Palace Car company has secured an option on a large tract of land near Salisbury on the main line of the Southern railway. It is reported that the company will erect large shops there, to be used as repair shops for the cars that are used on the Southern roads.

Women to Be Employed as Census Enumerators.

Women will be employed both as enumerators and as clerks in the compilation of the census of 1900, and the bureau expects that numbers of them will apply for these positions. Women were first employed in this labor in 1880. At that time the head of the census bureau was the late Gen. Francis A. Walker. All the rules and regulations for the taking of the census of 1880 were so drawn that there was no discrimination on account of sex. As a consequence many women were employed throughout the country as enumerators, one woman in a western district making a record in the number of names she obtained in a thinly settled section. In 1890 women again found occupation as clerks and as census-takers, though the fact that women were eligible to those positions was not widely known.—Washington Dispatch.

Home Remedies.

For sore throat try a compress of cold water.
 For bilious colic try soda and ginger in hot water.
 For sick headache rub peppermint oil on the temples.
 For nervous headache bathe the back of the neck with hot water.
 For cold in the head try snuffing powdered borax up the nostrils.
 A hop bag wrung from hot vinegar is a quick relief for earache.
 Snuffing tannic acid is one of the best remedies for a serious case of bleeding at the nose. Dissolve the acid in water.
 If an artery is cut tie a small cord or a handkerchief tightly between it and the heart.
 For legache and the "growing pains" of which the children complain wrap the leg in salt water and then in flannel.
 For neuralgia try wet cloths of alcohol and water, or paregoric, or laudanum and water, laid on a hot water bottle and the effected part steamed over it.
 Tincture of arnica is the best application for sprains and bruises and equal parts of tincture of arnica and spirits of camphor make an excellent liniment for rheumatism.

And The Commonwealth again rises to say its little piece about the Railroad Commission, to-wit; That we believe the said Railroad Commission to be one of the greatest farces that North Carolina legislation has ever played. There has been more useless and unnecessary litigation over it than over any other question of as similar importance which we remember to have observed. All things considered, if there has ever come one scintilla of advantage to the State through the Railroad Commission we plead guilty to such obtuseness of perception as not to have discovered it. It has been the subject of contention from the very first, and one of the chief features of importance has been all the while, Who shall hold the office? We candidly believe that if there had been no Railroad Commission or Corporation Commission in North Carolina the State would be the better for it. After all, the expense it has been to the State has been only another means of wringing taxes out of the hard earnings of the people. And many a poor man who never rides on a railroad train or hears even a locomotive whistle has to bear his share of the burden.

The Commonwealth would like to see the next General Assembly, or the session of the present Assembly when it meets next June, abolish the whole thing and put railroads under law like individuals.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth

State Treasurer Worth is calling on the county sheriffs to hurry up collections and settlements with the State. The treasurer has figured it out that he will be called on to pay \$435,000 during the remainder of this month and in the month of January, and that there is not even a fourth of this sum in the treasury. Worth says his statement for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30th will show an actual deficiency during the year of at least \$184,000, and possibly \$200,000.

To my Friends and Patrons:

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DATED	TRAINS GOING SOUTH.			
	No. 23 Daily	No. 35 Daily	No. 103 Daily except Sunday	No. 41 Daily
July 31, 1899.	AM	PM	PM	AM
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 58		
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52		
Leave Tarboro	12 21		6 00	
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 38	6 37	5 40
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 35	7 16	6 20
Leave Selma	2 55	11 10		
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 29		
Ar Florence	7 25	3 24		
	PM	AM		
Ar Goldsboro			7 55	
Lv Goldsboro				7 01
Lv Magnolia				8 09
Lv Wilmington				9 40

DATED	TRAINS GOING NORTH.			
	No. 78 Daily	No. 102 Daily except Sunday	No. 32 Daily	No. 46 Daily
	AM	PM	PM	AM
Lv Florence	9 40	7 45		
Lv Fayetteville	12 30	9 45		
Leave Selma	1 58	10 56		
Arrive Wilson	2 55	11 33		
	AM	PM	AM	AM
Lv Wilmington			6 50	9 45
Lv Magnolia			8 20	11 19
Lv Goldsboro			9 27	12 30
	PM	AM	PM	PM
Leave Wilson	12 25	5 43	11 31	1 30
Ar Rocky Mount	12 30	6 25	12 09	1 11
Arrive Tarboro		7 04		1 58
Leave Tarboro	12 21			
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 09	
Ar Weldon	4 32		1 00	

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. Returning leaves Sanford 2 30 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 3 41 p. m., leave 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.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs & Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

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 2 30 p. m., arrive Parmele 9 10 a. m. and 4 00 p. m., returning leave Parmele 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. B. leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 35 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 10 a. m. and 4 15 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 2 50 a. m.

Train No 78 makes close connector. Weldon for all points North daily, all rail. a Richmond.

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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 service.

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, Councillor.

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.



Thanksgiving Time is a Busy one in our fancy grocery department, where you will find everything in delicacies for the table, as well as choice canned fruits, vegetables, of the best quality. Our extra large layer figs, layer table raisins, assorted nuts, plum pudding, mince meat, extra quality pumpkin in cans, choice blend of fancy coffees and teas, fine cigars at lowest price and 1A quality.

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- 25 boxes Sweet Florida Oranges.
- 15,000 Coca Nuts,
- 500 pounds Mixed Nuts,
- 500 pound Raisins,
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- PISTOLS, VASES, LAMPS
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Increasing cloudiness tonight; Friday showers.

WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Maximum	52
Minimum	27
Mean	39
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	.00

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

A Brief Summary of McKinley's Message Sent to Congress Tuesday.

The message of President McKinley, read in Congress Tuesday, dealt with more important matters than any message of recent years. Its salient phases are as follows:

It shows a deficit of the treasury of \$89,111,559.67.

It admits the need of more primary money.

It recommends more power to national banks.

Advices the support of the "existing gold standard" by the sale of bonds and the redemption of greenbacks to be paid out again only for gold.

It favors the passage of the Hanna-Payne ship subsidy bill.

It deals with the trust evil and recommends nothing save delay.

It endorses the Isthmian canal project.

Recommends the passage of a federal criminal law to punish the lynching of foreigners.

Deals in generalities only with regard to Cuba.

It advises, inferentially, that the Philippines be held, but makes no specific recommendation as to government.

It declares that the treaty with the Sultan of Sulu was not a recognition of slavery, and says it provides that freedom may be purchased "by paying the market value."

"Clemency" is promised the insurgents in the Philippines.

It recommends that Hawaii be made a judicial district and that a temporary government for Porto Rico be provided.

It defends the famous civil service order.

Recommends the observance of Washington's anniversary.

November Tobacco Sales.

Secretary H. P. Strause, of the Tobacco Board of Trade, reports the tobacco sales of the Greenville market for the month of November at 1,969,027 pounds. This makes 8,558,761 pounds for the four months since the season opened.

WANTED.—Six men to sell Sewing Machines in Pitt and adjoining counties. Good paying position guaranteed. For terms and contract apply to

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SEASONABLE SAYINGS.

A Mixture But Every One Valuable.

The Board of Aldermen meet tonight.

Highest cash price paid for cotton seed by S. M. Schultz.

Instead of the usual prayer meeting the Baptist church will hold its monthly church conference tonight.

Some of the pumps are feeling the effects of the cold weather and refuse to yield water early in these mornings.

If a girl accepts a man she may think she may some time be sorry, but if she refuses him she knows she always will be.

The passenger train got ahead of the freight train again Wednesday evening. Of late the freight is several hours behind time every day.

There were not enough 'bus accommodations at the depot for all the drummers who came in Tuesday night. They come along in large numbers now.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One set solid Walnut Furniture, marble slab on Bureau and Washstand, six Mahogany Chairs, one Center Table, one Stove, &c., &c. Apply to H. W. WHEDBEE.

NOTICE.—Check No. 51 of the Planters Warehouse, signed by Ola Forbes, for \$55.57, payable to Meekin Moye, has been lost. All persons are hereby warned against trading for the same.

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Respectfully,
R. B. SHAW, Hotel Macon.

A Boom That Never Fails.

A legitimately evolved advertising boom never fails. Many other booms are founded upon speculation, and their results are frequently unsatisfactory, not to say disastrous, to the speculator. The wideawake business man knows that money invested in clever advertisements brings sure and steady profits to the investor. But he must constantly invent new ideas and present these to probable patrons in the most convincing manner possible. A well constructed advertisement is beneficial to the intending purchaser and to the merchant, for it tells one that just what he wishes to buy the other has to sell.—Philadelphia Record.

DON'T WAIT.

Come and see our Christmas Goods. We call special attention to our Celluloid Goods—Glove Boxes, Handkerchief Cases, Necktie Cases, etc. We bought early and therefore have bigger values for the money than ever before—notwithstanding the heavy advance in all lines. But no order for Choice Holiday Goods can be duplicated, for the goods are not to be had at any price, so come at once or you may be disappointed.
ZENO MOORE & BRO.

COTTON MARKET.

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

New York future quotations today are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
January	7 38	7 42
March	7 44	7 50
May	7 49	7 52
Oct	6 98	6 97

Receipts 30,000.

LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Jan & Feb	4 05	4 07

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May.	69 1/2	69 1/2
Ribs—May.	5 25	5 25

LOCAL MARKET.

Spot cotton in Greenville 7 1/2.

TO THE TRADE.

We have just returned from the Northern Markets and added a great deal to our already large stock of goods. We can suit all. Those that want

CHEAP GOODS

Also nice ones. call and see our mammoth stock. LOOK AT OUR STOCK OF

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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.

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R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT.

H. A. TYSON, Vice-President. J. L. LITTLE Cashier.
RE-ORGANIZED JUNE 15TH, 1896.

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 chk : 108,953.92
Cash : : : : : 22,098.77	Due Banks and Bankers : 678.79
Due from Banks : : : 31,808.31	Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,612.85
Rev. Stamps : : : : 434.31	
\$168,867.23	\$168,867.23

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

Bryan's White Pine COUGH BALSAM

THE BEST REMEDY FOR COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, SORE THROAT, CROUP, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING COUGH AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG AFFECTIONS.

Full four ounce bottle 25c. Phone 57.

No Ghost Story

But all the same our store is an Eye Opener. You can not look at our splendid stock of

DRY GOODS
—AND—
GROCERIES.

and learn at what low prices we are selling such excellent goods with out being astonished.

But that is what we are here for, o please our customers and always give them big values for their money. Goods delivered free in any part of the city. Come to see us.

J. L. STARKEY & BRO

NEW ARRIVALS

BROADCLOTHS, CASHMERE, CREPONS, SUITINGS, WORSTEDS, OUTFITS, PERCALES, GINGHAMS.

Complete line of— TRIMMINGS,
and up-to-date SHIRTS, SHOES HATS, CAPS and TRUNKS.

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THE BIGGEST SALE

Ever Inaugurated in Greenville Will Begin

MONDAY DEC. 11th,

and Last 2 weeks

Prices Reduced from 10 to 30 per cent. All Goods Plainly Marked.

This Sale For Spot Cash Only.

Doors will be open at 8 o'clock, A. M.

HIGGS & TAFT,
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Selecting her Wraps

IN ANTICIPATION OF

Cold Weather

Is what Every Lady should
DO NOW.



We have a Splendid Line of
Jackets, Coats, Capes
and Collarettes,
and you can buy a

Fall and Winter Luxury

here at prices much below their value.

We have marked prices down very low
Come now while we can suit you.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

DEC. FRACTIONS.

Part of the People Passing This Way

Donnell Gilliam, of Tarboro, is here at court.

Jesse Speight returned Wednesday evening from Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Cuthrell, of Kinston, came over this morning.

Miss Pennington, of Wilson, who is a trained nurse, arrived Wednesday evening to attend H. W. Holcombe in his sickness.

G. A. Clute and bride (nee Miss Agnes Partrick) arrived Wednesday evening from Clinton where they were married that morning. They are making their home at the James Hotel.

War on the Bucket Shops.

Chicago, Dec. 5. —The board of trade of Chicago has taken the first steps in what is intended to be a concerted movement of commercial exchanges all over the country against the bucket shop system. Resolutions adopted by the board of directors calling upon the exchanges to combine against the encroachments of this form of speculation, have been circulated, by Secretary Stone, of the board of trade, and a number of replies have already been received, all of which indicate a feeling in favor of such a movement.

The chief purpose is to secure the aid of the New York stock exchange and the cotton exchange, which, in conjunction with the Chicago board of trade, form the basis of nearly all the bucket shop creations in the country.

The cabby who charges double rates when it rains believes in making hay while the sun doesn't shine.

IN THE BIG STORE.

I am now in my large new store and make this announcement that my friends and customers may know where to find me. All are invited to come and see the new store and its attractions. As usual I carry one of the largest and best lines of

Clothing, Dry Goods and Notions

to be found in this section, and now have also added an immense line of

FURNITURE,
CARPETS
AND MATTINGS

Come to the New Big Store when you want to find an elegant stock at Lowest Prices,

C. T. MUNFORD
Greenville, N. C.

BICYCLE REPAIRING.

GUN -:- REPAIRING,

General - Repair - Shop.

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.

BICYCLES MADE TO ORDER AND ANY PART FURNISHED.

S. E. PENDER & CO.