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NO. 1675

ICE CREAM.

I HAVE JUST PUT IN A Handsome Ice Cream Cabinet

and will have on hand at all times, day or night, the finest cream possible. Fruit Creams a specialty. When you want cream for dinner or supper send here and get it. Price per gallon \$1.25, 1 gallon 75c, 1 quart 40 cents.

NO ICE CREAM EQUALS THAT OF SHELburn'S

ED. H. SHELburn

The Old Reliable.

Not a Luxury, but a Necessity

Advertising should not be considered a luxury which tempts an occasional extravagance, but a necessity which must be provided for as carefully as are other business necessities. A recognition of this fact and a proper understanding of the advantages to be derived from continuous advertising will bring success to the enterprising merchant.—Philadelphia Record.

B. F. Sugg & Son, proprietors of the Washington Marble Works, have placed a very pretty monument to the memory of their dead in Cherry Hill Cemetery at Greenville. On opposite sides of the monument is the names of B. H. Sugg and Nancy Sugg, father and mother of Mrs. Henry Harding, Col. I. A. Sugg, B. F. and J. L. Sugg. On the other opposite sides are the names of Mittie E. wife of I. A. Sugg and Mamie A. wife of B. F. Sugg.

Necessity of Publicity.

People cannot purchase any commodity until they have been informed what it is and where it is; nor can they be expected to patronize any particular merchant until they have been enlightened as to where, why and how he does business. Publicity is as necessary to the growth of a business as are gentle rains, balmy air and generous sunshine in the propagation of flowers and fruits.—Philadelphia Record.

We noticed at the burial of Mr. Jacob Joyner Wednesday, the inscription on his father's tomb. It was just forty two years ago the 18th of May since the death of Mr. Aaron Joyner. Few men live to such an age of honor and merit as did Mr. Joyner.

H. M. HARDEE

New Oxfords,
New Opera Slippers,
New Baby Shoes,
New Baby Sandals,
New Misses Sandals,
New Shoes.

Umbrellas.

All colors Silk \$1.40
Ladies' good durable
goods 39 cents.

Ladies' White Parasols
Ladies' Black Parasols
Ladies' Plaid Parasols
Children's Parasols in
all colors.

Hamburgs.

Narrow, short lengths 41 cents.
6 in. fine quality 12 cents.

See them.
The whole line on display.

The Big Store.

H. M. Hardee.

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The Big Store.

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John Strootman's

FINE LADIES' SHOES.

Ribbons.
Ribbons wide, Ribbons narrow,
Ribbons dark, Ribbons fair;
Ribbons plain, Ribbons plaid,
Ribbons cheap, Ribbons that ought to be had.

CORSETS.

"Dowager" for stout ladies,
"Warners" for un-healthy ladies,
"C. & B." for the particular ladies,
R. & G. for all the ladies.

Organdies 20 cents,
Lawn plain 10 cents,
Lawn fancy 6 cents,
Piques plain 10 cents,
Piques fancy white 13 cents,
Imported dimities all kinds 20 cents,
Summer fabrics.

Gloves.

Le Triomphe Kid-
Glove the best for
ladies. Every pair
guaranteed. All
ors **\$1.00.**

H. M. HARDEE

The Big Store

Greenville, N. C.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Its Observance in Greenville.

To Singletary Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy is due the credit of inaugurating an observance of Memorial Day that we hope will be perpetuated through all coming years. Greenville has long been negligent in this particular, but as the observance is now revived it should be continued with increased interest.

This morning the members of the Chapter with a number of friends and school children visited the cemetery to decorate the graves of Confederate soldiers. At the cemetery the exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. N. M. Watson. Mrs. T. J. Jarvis then introduced Mr. W. F. Harding, who delivered a very beautiful address appropriate to the occasion.

At the conclusion of Mr. Harding's address the two graves containing the bodies of ten unknown soldiers, were covered with flowers, the stars and bars and the stars and stripes being planted side by side at the head of the graves. Flowers were also placed on the graves of others who served as soldiers during the war. The memory of these heroes should always be cherished.

End of the Century Book Club.

The lovely little home of Mrs. Hortense Moye was the scene of another charming evening to the End of the Century Book Club; on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Cotten, our distinguished president, was in the chair and as usual added interest to the occasion by her ever intelligent and varied conversation.

The subject under discussion was "Distinguished Literary Families of America." Members of the Beecher family were subject of discussion.

Mrs. Jarvis read an interesting paper on the writings of Henry Ward Beecher.

Mrs. Grimes gave a sketch of the phenomenal success of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe in the field of literature.

Mrs. Harry Skinner following with some eventful incidents in the life of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe.

Business being finished the young hostess afforded much amusement for the members of the club and various visitors by requiring each person to draw on a black board a representative of some book. Mrs. Jarvis leading off, to the amusement of all present, with a crayon sketch of "The Little Minister." Some 14 books were thus outlined. Mrs. Grimes guessing the whole number won the prize. Mrs. Skinner and Mrs. Laughinghouse coming next with 13.

The guests were then invited into the dining room, where delicious and elaborate menu was tastefully served.

The club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Chas. Laughinghouse.

At Dewey, thirty miles south of Coffeerville, Kan., a gigantic walnut log has just been cut for shipment to the Paris Exposition. The tree from which the log was taken was supposed to have been 400 years old. The trunk was sixteen feet in circumference, and the first limb grew forty-five feet from the ground.

I'm the Shoe Man, Too



High Grade.

We keep a variety of the newest styles, and make it a point to carry only such

SHOES

as will wear well, be comfortable and give satisfaction. And the prices are in easy reach of all, so that it is possible for the most economical to wear good, stylish shoes.



FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER

And this time will
I give you a talk on

Fine Footwear.

Don't spoil your appearance by wearing a shoddy shoe but come to me for a pair of these



This is a Winner

As you will find all the styles. And when it comes to low cuts you will find mine in the front of the procession of style and quality. Remember for anything in shoes come to

A MEAN LOOKING LETTER-HEAD

Has lost many a dollar for business men. If a man is judged by the coat he wears, he is also judged by the letter-head he uses. An artistic, nicely printed letter-head may be looked on as a good investment.

It will be done right.
The price for doing it
will be right, too.

Send your next order to
The Reflector Office.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT

R. 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 FEBRUARY 13TH, 1900

Resources.

Loans and Discounts : \$89,993.99
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85
Due from Banks and
Bankers : : : 37,090.45
Cash Items : : : 1,970.25
Cash : : : : 30,516.73
Rev. Stamps : : : 272.01

\$161,772.28

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 9,762.36
Deposits subject to check : : : 126,288.49
Due to Banks : : : \$10.45
Cashiers' checks outstanding 2,211.07

\$161,772.28

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D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

Y AFTERNOON [except Sunday

Entered at the Post Office at Greenville, N. C., as Second-Class Mail Matter.

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One month .25
One week .10

Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost. Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

We desire a live correspondent at every Postoffice in the county who will send in brief items of news as it occurs in each neighborhood. Write plainly and only on one side of the paper.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1900.

The strike of the telegraph operators of the Southern Railway has proved a failure and been declared off.

When it comes to jobs to rob the government, perhaps about the biggest one is this armor plate business, the projectile and gun makers coming in close seconds. Carnegie, the Cramps, Krupp, and others of their ilk, have pocketed millions and millions of Uncle Sam's gold for the stuff they make to put on our war boats to make them impregnable to attack. The manufacturers of the stuff have a sharp way to work their racket. They rush up to the government with a sample of plate that "will withstand anything," have it taken out to the testing ground and shot at a few times, and scoop a contract for a big pile of it. After delivering the goods and getting the cash they slip around and get some fellow to invent a gun or projectile that will knock a hole in that plate. This is announced with great alarm and gives them a chance to rush up with another kind of armor plate that the new projectile cannot puncture and another big contract is the result. And so it goes—first the armor plate and then the gun, and vice versa whenever they want to work off a job on the government for several millions.

Now just as the government is congratulating itself upon having a set of armor clad war ships that no nation in the world can lick, and the plate makers fearing they might be out of a job for sometime ahead, here comes the startling announcement that another fellow has put up a shell that will go right through any of the armor plate like it was so much wood, and the whole layout is declared worthless. And Uncle Sam's Senate has become so alarmed at the announcement, through fear that some other country will get a supply of this shell before we can make a cinch on it and knock the bottom off our boats, that secret sessions are being held to discuss the matter behind closed doors. You can look out for some more big appropriations and still more contracts for war ship trimmings.

No, Maude, dear, when a vessel lays to it has nothing to do with the hatchway.

The Country Printers Report.

The Latrobe, Pennsylvania, Advance accomplishes a very neat presentation of city competition with country job printing offices. It calls attention to the fact that the city offices have been canvassing Latrobe for job work, and offering prices that the local offices cannot meet; and says that it is easy to say to the local printer that his prices are higher than city offices demand. The Advance goes on to remark:—

"The furniture man in the city advertises goods away down, and we go to the local dealer, and ask him about it.

"And he truly says: 'Inferior articles.'

"The city dentist says he will make teeth at half the price charged here.

"The local dentist truly says: 'Inferior work and material.'

"The city tailor says he will make a suit for a whole lot less than the local man.

"The local tailor truly says: 'Not well made.'

"The city grocer, dry goods man and others quote prices the local men don't touch; but the local truly remarks: 'Not the same goods.'

"The doctor advertises to cure you for a small price, but the local physician simply and truthfully says:—

"Quack."

"With a daily paper before us just now, we see all these things advertised, so we know that printing is not the only commodity offered away down. Oh, no; not by a lot.

The moral is: 'The local printer is not the "only pebble on the beach" who doesn't compete with the cut-throat fakir.'

"Mr. Business Man, you don't compete successfully either; why do you expect your neighbor in the printery to do so?"

War has slain its thousands, but pestilence and famine are slaying their tens of thousands. The British casualties if the present war in South Africa have been, as we remember, not quite 20,000. Hardly a quarter of these, however, have been killed, the greater part being losses from capture and wounds. The number of men killed in battle in the Union armies during the civil war was 67,058, the number dying of wounds 43,012, dying of disease 199,720, with deaths from accidents and other causes 40,154. Total deaths in the Union army 349,944. The number of Confederate soldiers who died of wounds or disease was 133,821. These latter are terrible losses and yet the number of famine-stricken people in India today is 93,000,000 according to the Associated Press dispatch in Sunday's Observer, and with the most strenuous efforts of the English government and the sweet charity of the world at large there is hope for relief for only 5,000,000, of the 93,000,000 starving human beings. This statement is colossally appalling and pathetic.—Charlotte Observer.

Two Blacksmiths Killed on the Track.

Asheville, May 8.—Linch Jackson and his son, W. G. Jackson, commonly called "General Jackson," local blacksmiths, lying on the track, probably drunk, at Gash's Creek crossing, were run over by a Southern Railway freight train bound to Salisbury, this morning, at 8 o'clock. The bodies were mangled and the heads of both cut off. The coroner's jury adjourned till to-morrow to secure trainmen to testify.

Possible and Impossible Trust Remedies.

If Trusts could have been demolished by the promulgation of antagonistic party platforms the country would have been long ago rid of them. But the makers of Trusts and platforms are really members of the same joint stock company. They play into each other's hands. By properly using its power to regulate interstate commerce or by withdrawing the statutory inducement to monopolistic combination embodied in favoring tariff duties, Congress might give immediate relief. But the Interstate Commerce law has been stubbornly maintained in such an inoperative shape as to induce the formation of a great railway trust as a means of defence against ultimate destruction of the value of the properties involved; and no step has been taken to reduce the tariff rates that have no other purpose than to invite the spoliation of the consumer. Congress will not budge. In the White House and the Capitol at Washington is the place where the Trusts are most formidably entrenched.

It is now proposed, as a further means of staving off any effective legislation against Trusts, to set on foot a project to so amend the Federal Constitution as to forbid and abolish them. This is the most impudently transparent of all the devices so far put forward to etherize and stupefy the people of the United States in order that their pockets may be picked during a further term of years. There is no possibility for amendment of the Federal Constitution to deal with Trusts and there is no intention of amendment, and there is no necessity of amendment. Congress and the States have all the needed power for correction or abolition. The Trusts are only mischievous in so far as they enjoy special privileges conferred upon them either by Federal or State power. Take away these protective advantages and they are defenseless.—Philadelphia Record.

A battle royal is on between the Standard Oil Company and the Canadian government. The Standard Oil Company, pursuing the same line of policy which established its monopoly in the United States, bought up the Canadian refineries and afterwards made arrangements with the Canadian railroad companies to so advance the rates on oil manufactured elsewhere as to enable it to put up the price to Canadian consumers. In the United States this game was successfully worked. There was, in fact, a guilty complicity upon the part of some of the Legislatures. It is much to the credit of the Canadian authorities that they have prohibited the preferential rates collusively established by the Canadian railroad companies. The Standard company will have to find some new plan of levying special taxes upon the Canadian consumers.—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Bagley, mother of Worth Bagley, who was ensign on the torpedo boat Winslow, and killed off Cardenas, Cuba, during the Spanish war, has sent to the Bath Iron Works plans for a handsome memorial tablet, which will be placed on the torpedo boat now under construction at the Bath Iron Works in his honor. The tablet will be of bronze in the shape of a shield. The border will represent cannon balls, and on it will be the name "Worth Bagley." On the lower part will be an eagle surmounting a shield and sword, while in the center will be the dates of his birth and death. It will be placed on the conning tower of the oat.—Portland (Me.) Press.

Negro Suffrage.

North Carolina is moving to cure a great evil—the rule of the negro in political and governmental affairs. In Virginia the white folks are in action now and in two or three months will adopt a constitution for the state that will deal with negro suffrage in a repressive way. Louisiana lately held an election since the new constitution was adopted. In the last election the negroes registered some 125,000. This year they registered but 7,000. In the last election the whites registered not far from 120,000. This year 117,000. The new suffrage qualification set aside the hitherto negro rule that was such a curse and ruin to the state, as Senator McEnery so forcefully exhibited in the senate some months ago. In North Carolina probably 60,000 negroes will continue to vote and under enlarged educational facilities will yearly increase. With an amendment the white man's government will vote more money for the education of the negroes. With the Amendment defeated, there will be very little of the people's money expended hereafter for negro education. With the negro still on top white men will not bleed themselves to educate their enemies.—Wilmington Star.

Story of a Pass.

The following is the history of a railroad pass which, if true, is very good of its kind. When R. N. Rice, who was afterwards President of the Michigan Central Railroad, was the general manager of the New York central, he received by mail an expired pass, across the back of which the holder had written in red ink:

Bless my stars! no more on the cars

As a deadbeat I'll ride on the rail.

Unless Mr. Rice should take my advice

And send me a pass by the mail.

Without a moments hesitation Mr. Rice turned the pass over and traced in red ink on its face the following:

The conductor will pass this bundle of gas

From July till the middle of Lent,

Like another deadhead, without paying a red,

Let him ride to his hearts content.

The pass was never taken up, and is today kept in the family of the holder.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, having issued Letters of Administration to me, the undersigned, on the 7th day of May, 1900, on the estate of Thomas J. Sheppard, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims, properly authenticated, to the undersigned, within twelve months after the date of this notice, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This the 7th day of May, 1900.

JAMES R. CONGLETON, Admr. on the estate of Thomas J. Sheppard.

BARBERS.

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP. I have moved my Barber Shop to the shop in front of Munford's new big store. I have also associated with me Julius Fleming, who has been working with me for a long time. We have fitted up for the handsomest shop in the town, and offer the public the best service ever offered here. We appreciate highly the liberal patronage we have received in the past. We cordially invite all of our past customers and all others who desire first-class service to come to see us in our new shop. We intend to please you and will do so regardless of expense or labor. We are ready at all times to accommodate you with first-class shave or hair cut. EDWARDS & FLEMING. Opposite Munford's Big Store.

J. NOBLES, FASHIONABLE BARBER. On Main street, next door to post office. Good clean work guaranteed. Under white management.

B. PENDEK, FASHIONABLE BARBER, Can be found below Five Points. Next door to Reflector office.

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

CONDENSED SCHEDULE TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	Jan. 14, 1900.	No. 32	No. 33	No. 103	No. 41	No. 40
		Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
		A M	P M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 30	8 58				
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52				
Leave Tarboro	12 21		6 00			
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40		
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 30		
Leave Selma	2 55	11 03				
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 30				
Ar Florence	7 25	2 34				
		P M	A M			
Ar Goldsboro			7 55			
Lv Goldsboro				7 01	3	
Lv Magnolia				8 02	4 8	
Wilmington				9 40	6	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 78	No. 102	No. 32	No. 40	No. 41	No. 33
	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	A M	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M
Lv Florence	10 42		7 45			
Lv Fayetteville	12 20		9 45			
Leave Selma	1 50		10 56			
Arrive Wilson	2 35		11 33			
		A M	P M	A M	P M	
Lv Wilmington			5 00	6 50		
Lv Magnolia				8 1		
Lv Goldsboro				9 27		
		P M	A M	P M		
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	1 30		
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11		
Arrive Tarboro			7 04			
Leave Tarboro	12 21					
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 09			
Ar Weldon	4 32		1 04			

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12 05 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., leaves Fayetteville 3 46 p. m., arrives Wilmington 6 40 a. 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., Kingston 7 55 a. m. Returning leaves Kingston 7 50 a. m., Greenville 8 52 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11 15 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 Parmele 9 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 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 30 a. m. and Sunday 9 00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 10 10 a. m., 11 00 a. m. Train on Midland & C. branch 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 10 a. m., 3 40 p. m., arrive Nashville 11 10 a. m., 4 03 p. m., Spring Hope 10 40 a. m., 4 25 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11 30 a. m., 4 35 p. m., Nashville 12 15 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 32 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 2 50 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection. Weldon for all points North daily, all rail. via Richmond.

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Pass. Agent, J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager. T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.

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MAKE American Beauties



All Lengths.

On Each Box.

NEWEST MODELS.

FANCY and PLAIN.

KALAMAZOO CORSET Co.

SOLE MANUFACTURERS.

SOLD BY

J. C. COBB & SON

DIRECTORY

CHURCHES
EPISCOPAL.—Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent. Lay Services every 2nd and 4th Sunday morning.
BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Wednesday 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 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.
CHRISTIAN.—Services at the Opera House every 2nd Sunday morning and night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor.
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. R. L. Humber, N. G. E. E. Griffin, Sec.
K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. R. M. Moye, C. C.; T. M. Hooker, 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. J. B. White, 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.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

S. M. Schultz.

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Egg, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorrillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, Red Meat Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, American Beauty Cigarettes, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currents, Raisins, Glass and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, Standard Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

SAM M SCHULTZ
Phone 55.

J. F. KING,

IS BACK IN GREENVILLE AND IS AGAIN ENGAGED IN THE LIVERY BUSINESS

HIS OLD STAND, ON FIFTH STREET. HE WILL KEEP A GOOD LOT OF

HORSES & MULES

for sale and can always supply you with the kind of animal needed.

His livery is equipped with good comfortable vehicles and careful drivers.

Horses boarded by the meal, day or month.

J. F. KING
near Five Poin

SMALL CHAT.

Squibs Found Here and There

Fire was comfortable again this morning.
New Corned Beef at T. F. Christman & Co.
The showers left a cold streak in their wake.
Nice showers Wednesday afternoon and night.
Linen lawn at \$1 a yard at Pulley & Bowen's.
Vancamps Corned Hominy at T. F. Christman & Co.
Limeades at Wooten's Drug Store. Phone 68.
FOUND—Woolen homespuns at Pulley & Bowen's.
Up to date line of Pulley Bel's at Pulley & Bowen's.
Just received a new line of shirt waist silks at Pulley & Bowen's.
Chocolate Ice Cream Soda at Wooten's Drug Store. Phone 68.
Finest fruit cream, day or night, always hard at Bryan's Drug Store.
Nice mourning paper and other box paper at Reflector Book Store.
Try a can of Lalia Rookh, finest grade of roasted coffee at J. S. Tunstall's.
I have another lot of those beautiful Leghorns for \$1.25.
Mrs. L. GRIFFIN.
All of the leaves were not grown by today. They did not miss it much, however.
For the next ten days we will sell 50 cent sailors for 25 cents.
MRS. M. A. LEGGETT.
For ten days we will give a great reduction in our entire line of millinery. MRS. M. A. LEGGETT.
20 Standard Sewing Machines are run every day in Pitt county. Cheap at S. M. Schultz's.
The number of tobacco plants that have got in the ground since the rain came would make big figures.
We regret to learn of the death of the wife of Eld. Samuel Moore, near Bethel, which occurred Wednesday.
WANTED—To exchange one of the best gold watches in the county for an organ.
Address K. at REFLECTOR office.
DENTAL—My office will be closed on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.
D. L. JAMES, D. D. S.
Attention is called to the notice to creditors of the late Thomas J. Sheppard which appears in this issue.
We acknowledge an invitation to the commencement exercises of Louisburg Female College, May 25-30. Rev. N. M. Watson, of Greenville, will preach the annual sermon.
If the people of Greenville are in earnest concerning the cotton mill, it is their duty to add their names to the charter with as large amounts as possible. They can find the charter at the office of Mr. W. B. Wilson.

Do You Know

That you can get the best Porch Finishings, Stair Casings, Door and Window Frames and Casings, Store Fronts, Counters and Office Fittings, Church Pews, Pulpit Outfit, Mantels and in deed any thing to be made of Hard Wood or Pine, of

KINSTON MANTEL CO.,
Kinston, N. C.
Try them for what you need.

OUR NOMINEES

State Ticket.
For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK,
of Wayne.
For Lieutenant Governor:
WILFRED D. TURNER,
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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee held in Greenville on the 14th day of April, 1900, a convention for the nomination of Democratic candidates for the Legislature and the various county offices and for the appointment of delegates to the First Congressional District Democratic convention, was called to meet in the Court House, in Greenville, at 12 o'clock M., on Saturday, May 19th, 1900.
Township primaries, for the purpose of appointing delegates to said county convention, were called to meet at the usual places in each township on Saturday, May 12th, 1900, at 3 o'clock P. M. The said primaries will also elect an Executive Committee for each precinct, composed of five members, and also nominate candidates for Justices of the Peace and Constable. The number of delegates and alternates each township will be entitled to is as follows:

Beaver Dam	5
Belvoir	5
Bethel	9
Carolina	8
Chicod	20
Contentnea	21
Falkland	8
Farmville	7
Greenville	29
Pactolus	4
Swift Creek	11

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New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close
May	9 63	9 67
Aug.	9 29	9 30
Oct.	8 28	8 26
Dec.	8 05	8 04

Receipts 3,000.

LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close
May & June	5 17	5 19

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Ribs—July.	6 60	6 57½

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SPRING BLOSSOMS.

Pretty Weather Brings Them Out.

"Doc" Horne left this morning for Washington, N. C.

B. S. Sheppard returned this morning from a trip down the road.

Mrs. M. A. Leggett left this morning for Mildred to visit her daughter, who is quite sick.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan went to Washington this morning to attend the memorial exercises there today.

H. M. Hardee and J. S. Tunstall left Wednesday evening for Washington to attend the memorial exercises there today.

Mrs. G. E. Harris left this morning for Wilmington to attend the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society which meets there this week.

Mrs. Francis Joyner, after spending some time with her brother, J. A. Lang, returned this morning to her home at Bunyan, N. C.

Little Miss Nina Harris left this morning for Wilmington to attend the annual meeting of the Bright Jewels. She is a delegate from the Greenville Bright Jewels.

Fire at Mount Olive.

Sunday night there was a destructive fire at Mt. Olive in which several stores were burned. Mr. J. O. Highsmith, who moved there from Pitt county and keep a grocery store, was one of the parties burned out. His loss was \$700 with insurance for \$300.

The Meeting.

The crowds that attend the series of meetings now being held at the Methodist church is an evidence of the interest manifested by the people of Greenville. Rev. J. D. Bundy preaches strong and earnest sermons, and the interest and attention is gratifying. No appeal has been made to any one to manifest any excitement or unusual demonstration. We hope the people will continue to attend these meetings and great good may be accomplished.

John J. Mason for Sheriff.

GRIMESLAND, N. C., May 9, 1900.
 EDITOR REFLECTOR:

I see in your last week's issue where a Democrat from Pactolus advocates Mr. John Mason for Sheriff. We want to say that we endorse every word that our brother Democrat has said. No, John is not a politician. He is a farmer and has always been a hard worker for the Democrat party, and when we go to Greenville on May 19th, let us nominate him and it will mean victory. He has served us as deputy Sheriff and made a good officer and he is worthy of the office.

Brother Democrats we need a strong man to lead the ticket and he will do it. DEMOCRATS.

GRIFTON, N. C., May 7, 1900.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

We have especially noticed the many estimable gentlemen for our next Sheriff, which would be an honor to the county to nominate and elect them all, but only one of the number can serve the capacity of high Sheriff of Pitt. Such being the case, why not nominate the one that would make the "home run?" I wish to endorse a county gentleman, one who has graced the office as deputy for a short while and who has proven himself thoroughly competent to discharge the duties as Sheriff. He is a gentleman of doubtless integrity. He is a young man of an excellent character and has always proven faithful to his party. So lets "us" Democrats of Swift Creek township nominate John J. Mason, for he is the strongest man mentioned.

A DEMOCRAT.

A Smile in Each.

No matter how successful an undertaker may be he is always coming to grief.

The man who runs for office doesn't get out of breath. On the contrary, he usually acquires one.

This would be a hard world if we were obliged to do all the things we tell other people we would do if we were in their places.

It's peculiar that the hardest drinker drinks easiest.

"The" man in a million is pretty apt to be the man with a million.

It's only natural for a fellow to feel cheap when his salary has been reduced.

A frieze on the wall won't keep things cold in the refrigerator.

All men are prone to give advice except professional men. They sell it.

The man who has spent all his life in a boarding house seldom has to take anti-fat.

Many a fellow spends his summers in town in order that his wife may do the spending out of town.

Probably the greatest profit ever enjoyed by the Government as a result of the destruction of money was in connection with the fractional currency or shinplasters issued during the Civil War, says The Chicago Record. "The total amount issued was \$378,734,079, of which \$6,880,558 has has never been presented for redemption. A large amount has been preserved as curios by collectors, and occasionally even now it is offered for redemption. This was especially the case during the recent hard times. People who had the old shinplasters of war times in their cabinets and scrap books got hard up and sent them in for redemption.

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