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NO. 1687

## ICE CREAM.

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### Handsome Ice Cream Cabinet

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## ED. H. SHELURN

The Old Reliable.

#### STATE NEWS.

##### Happenings in North Carolina.

Ernest Britt, a 14-year-old boy of Tarboro, went swimming in the river Wednesday afternoon. When he started to dress he was taken with a fit, fell back in the river and was drowned.

Mr. James H. Ennis, of Raleigh, died Tuesday. He was 77 years old and for 33 years was publisher of Turner's North Carolina Almanac.

It is reported that an explosion occurred Tuesday night at the Cumnock mines, in Chatham county, and that fifty or sixty lives were lost.

Nature is not always kind. Poets are born and not made.

##### The Meeting.

The meeting in the Baptist church is still in progress. There was a good attendance Wednesday night notwithstanding the speaking in the Court House. Rev. Mr. Hutson announced that he would take up the same subject, "Religious Feeling," for tonight that he was discussing Tuesday night when he was interrupted by the fire alarm. Let every one come out to hear him.

##### Nose Hurt.

W. O. Barnhill received a right painful wound at the fire Tuesday night. He was assisting in getting the hose out of the wagon when he fell to the ground, the coupling to the hose struck him in the face and cut a very deep gash on his nose.

## 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.

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Narrow, short lengths 41 cents.  
6 in. fine quality 12 cents.  
The whole line on display. See them.

The Big Store.  
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The Big Store.

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FINE LADIES' SHOES.

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

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Lawn fancy 6 cents,  
Piques plain 10 cents,  
Piques fancy white 13 cents,  
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**Gloves.**  
Le Triomphe Kid  
Glove the best for pair  
ladies. Every col-  
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#### DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING.

##### Campaign opens at Ayden.

The campaign in Pitt county was opened Wednesday at Ayden by Gen. T. F. Toon, Democratic nominee for Superintendent of Public Instructions and Hon. R. D. Gilmer, Democratic nominee for Attorney General.

Notwithstanding the fact that the farmers were very busy with their crops, there was a large and enthusiastic crowd to hear them.

At 2 o'clock Gen. Toon began his argument in favor of better and more general education which alone can successfully solve all the problems.

Gen. Toon is an old Confederate veteran and the only man with one exception who entered the army as a private and rose to the rank of General. He spoke for nearly an hour and was followed by Hon. R. D. Gilmer, who spoke for more than an hour. Mr. Gilmer is a lawyer of fine ability and his close logical argument and his elegant portrayal of North Carolina's past and the hope of her splendid future won many votes for the candidates and our county ticket.

They spoke in Greenville Wednesday night to a large audience in the Court House. Many ladies attended the speaking and great enthusiasm reigned. The Osceola Band was out and made music for the occasion.

Everybody seemed delighted with the speaking and we feel assured their efforts in this campaign will help to roll up a large majority for the Democratic party in August. They Speak today at Bethel, and several from Greenville went over to hear them.

##### Plague in Manila.

Washington, May 22.—Mail reports from the Philippines show that there has been a steady increase in the number of cases of bubonic plague. There were thirty cases in Manila during January, forty-eight during February and fifty-six during March. During the three months approximately 100 cases of leprosy also were discovered. Excellent work is being done by the Manila Board of Health in improving the sanitary condition of the city and checking the progress of the plague. The work of disinfecting the houses was conducted so quietly and systematically that comparatively little opposition was made by the residents.—Wilmington Star.

##### A Fatal Rat Shooting.

Spauling, Ohio, May 21.—Simon W. Cramer, ex-representative of this State, accidentally shot and killed his wife yesterday. He and Mrs. Cramer were attempting to dislodge a rat from a pile of debris. Mrs. Cramer was on the opposite side of a woodshed from her husband, who held in his hand a loaded shotgun. He thought he saw the rat and shot, striking Mrs. Cramer full in the face. Death was almost instantaneous. Mrs. Cramer was sixty years of age.

When a man shaves himself he is justified in saying that his face is his fortune.

Although they have little else in common, the undertaker and the faro dealer both indulge in lay-outs.

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# Caught

# On.

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### NOW GUESS

What is the Population of Greenville?

June 1st the taking of the census will begin. THE REFLECTOR offers two prizes to persons who makes the closest guess to the population of Greenville as shown by the census returns.

1st. A subscription to THE DAILY REFLECTOR for one year to the person among its subscribers making the best guess.  
2nd. A subscription to THE EASTERN REFLECTOR for one year to the person among its subscribers making the best guess.

The only conditions of the contest are these: You must be a subscriber to either THE DAILY REFLECTOR or THE EASTERN REFLECTOR; you must cut out the blank below to make your guess on; you must send or bring your guess to THE REFLECTOR office on or before the 10th day of June.

My Guess at the Population of Greenville is.....

Name.....

I am a subscriber to THE\*..... REFLECTOR.  
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## H. M. HARDEE.

The Big Store

Greenville, N. C.

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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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 24, 1900.

Out of seventy-nine applicants for licenses before the State Board of Medical Examiners, at Tarboro, fifty-two were successful. Four ladies were among the number, and two of these, Miss Sallie Borden, of Goldsboro, and Miss Elizabeth Dixon, of Raleigh, made the highest grade in the class.

The Supreme Court has decided that Governor Beckham is entitled to the office of Governor of Kentucky. In consequence of this Governor Taylor, who was usurping the office and who has been a factor in the recent troubles in that State, has withdrawn and given up the fight. May we hope that the situation will become quiet in Kentucky once more and peace be restored.

Mr. F. C. Harding has been appointed by the county executive committee organizer of White Supremacy Clubs for this county. This is a most excellent appointment. Mr. Harding is thoroughly qualified for this work and will give it his personal attention. He has already appointed sub-organizers in each township and the work of organizing the clubs all over the county will be pushed at once. In no other way can the organization of the white vote be made so perfect and we are sure that, with the assistance of the local leaders, our county organizer will have this county thoroughly organized. We hope that the attendance in the different townships will be large, and that representative men will be put in charge of this most important work. During the last campaign these clubs were a very important factor and, wherever they were organized, very effective work was done. The purpose of the clubs will be to see that all voters are registered and that they attend at the polls and vote. They will also be the means of seeing that persons not entitled to vote are challenged, and do general campaign work. The club meetings will be addressed from time to time by our local speakers, as well as by speakers from a distance. A large quantity of literature on the subject of the amendment will be distributed by the different clubs. Later on in the campaign it is proposed to hold at the county seat a meeting all the clubs

of this county, when distinguished speakers from a distance will be present and address them. We heartily endorse this work and urge upon the white people of the county the necessity of joining the club in their neighborhood.

## A Night in Winterville.

The editor of The Commonwealth spent a night last week in Winterville. It being the occasion of the closing of the Winterville High School, of which Mr. J. L. Jackson is principal, the writer made some remarks before the audience that gathered despite the rains.

Winterville is known as Mr. A. G. Cox's town. Some years ago when the railroad was continued from Greenville to Kinston, it cut through a fine body of land belonging to Mr. Cox, and soon with his characteristic spirit of enterprise he had started a town on his land. He commenced to sell off lots and to build it up. He located there his manufactory for the famous Cox cotton planter; and with other industries added, the town now numbers about three hundred people.

Among the many things manufactured by Mr. Cox and his partners in various enterprises are the Cox cotton planter, buggies, carts, wagons, coffins, plow saddles, cart saddles, guano distributors and cigars. He also has a grist mill from which he turns out good corn meal and good wheat flour. Mr. Cox also runs a farm and pays attention to stock.

The town of Winterville is a model town for morality. There is not a drop of liquor sold there nor is it likely that there will be in a long time to come—certainly not as long as Mr. Cox lives—for in every deed made to a purchaser of a lot he incorporates a clause prohibiting the sale of liquor on the lot for ninety-nine years. There is a good church in the town, a good and flourishing school of more than 100 pupils this year. Mr. J. L. Jackson, the principal, is doing good work and pleasing the people.

One of the most remarkable things connected with the town is its supply of mineral water. When Mr. Cox placed his plant for manufacturing his cotton planter. He shoved a pipe down in a soft wet place, and commenced to pull water out of the ground. To his surprise it proved to be mineral water of good quality. The analysis shows eight different parts in the composition. The supply is inexhaustible, the pump running over all the time supplying a large tank, boilers for all his work and drinking water for the town.

We spent the night in Mr. Cox's home and greatly enjoyed the pleasant entertainment given by him and his interesting family. We enjoyed the visit to Winterville, liked the people, for they all are clever; and we expect to hear of even greater developments for the town in the future.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

## A Thief in Congress

Mr. Richmond Pearson was not elected to congress and he knows it. If he had been somebody else and had merely consented to take the seat, without struggling for it, we should have passed the matter off, but of him better things might have been expected. For the money in it he does not need to have thieved a seat in congress and to his occupancy of it attaches personal disgrace, for he was not elected and he knows it.—Charlotte Observer.

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## The Amendment an Educator.

As soon as the amendment to the Constitution was proposed, whereby men would be required to read their ballot to vote, The Commonwealth said that such a measure would be the greatest impetus even given to education in North Carolina.

And now, three months before the election, which will almost certainly declare for the amendment, we see our prediction coming true. This morning we saw and old colored man whose hair and beard are heavily frosted with gray, carrying in his pocket a "blue back speller." The conclusion was ready that he perhaps was going to do his best to learn to read, or see to it that some one else should do it.

And in all candor and kindness of feeling we say to the colored people that this old man's example is worthy their emulation. No use to waste time and money against the amendment. It will be carried with a big majority, and the wise colored man will have nothing to do with the fight against it.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

## Woman Abducted

A story has come to light from Hot Springs, which is thoroughly in keeping with the wildness of the surrounding mountains. Anderson Collins, a half-witted man, has been living on Mountain Island, between Hot Springs and Ivy, in the French Broad river. It is high and its sides are steep and covered with trees. Collins went to the mainland by wading, although he had an old scow. He made his living by doing odd jobs, and was also helped by charitable people. A fisherman named Williams discovered a few days ago that a woman also lived on the island. She is supposed to have been there about three years. Collins had always been careful that no one went to the island, and when they tried to get on were unable to. On the pretext of giving him work he was taken to town and an investigation made. A woman about 35 years old, giving her name as Alice Gunter and her home as Tennessee, was found. A child about three months old and another about three months old were also found. They were all practically naked, the little baby entirely so. The hut was rude and they must have lived very poorly. The little baby was very thin. It is thought that Collins abducted the woman. She and the children were taken to the poor house at Marshall Thursday and he will probably be taken to the State Asylum.—Asheville Gazette.

Pitt county renominated its old legislative ticket, and will re elect them. Senator James has twice before represented Pitt in the Senate. He is a wise, safe, prudent man whose character and ability are recognized at home and abroad. Mr. Nichols is a bright and growing young man who is very popular. Rev T. H. Barnhill who voted against the submission of the amendment because he had made personal pledges to that effect, is a hearty and ardent supporter of the amendment and made a telling speech for it in the convention on Saturday. The white folks are becoming united, and the black and tan party may as well pack up to "git."—Raleigh News and Observer.

The greatest pen success of the age is the Parker jointless lucky curve fountain pen. Just what every business man ought to have. Get them at the Reflector Book Store.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 30th, 31st and June 1st, 1900, the Registration Book for the First Ward of the Town of Greenville will be opened at Colored Odd Fellows Hall on First street, from 9 A. M. to 5 o'clock, P. M., for the registration of all legal voters of said Ward who have not registered.

On Monday the 4th day of June, 1900 an election will be held at the same place for one Alderman to represent said Ward for the ensuing year.

This the 18th day of May, 1900.  
 J. B. JARVIS, Registrar.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday May 30th, 31st and June 1st, 1900, the Registration Book for the Second Ward of the Town of Greenville will be opened at the Clark office, corner Greene and Third streets, from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 5 o'clock, P. M., for the registration of all legal voters of said Ward who have not registered.

On Monday, the 4th day of June, 1900, an election will be held at the same place for two Aldermen to represent said Ward for the ensuing year.

This, 18th day of May, 1900.  
 CHAS JOHN O'HAGAN, Registrar.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 30th, 31st and June 1st, 1900, the Registration Book for the Third Ward of the Town of Greenville will be opened at the Town of Greenville will be opened at the Court House, from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 5 o'clock, P. M., for the registration of all legal voters of said Ward who have not registered.

On Monday, the 4th day of June, 1900, an election will be held at the same place for two Aldermen to represent said Ward for the ensuing year.

This, 18th day of May, 1900.  
 L. W. LAWRENCE, Registrar.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 30th, 31st and June 1st, 1900, the Registration Book for the Fourth Ward of the Town of Greenville will be opened at The Reflector Office, from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 5 o'clock, P. M., for the registration of all legal voters of said Ward who have not registered.

On Monday, the 4th day of June, 1900, an election will be held at the same place for two Aldermen to represent said Ward for the ensuing year.

This, 18th day of May, 1900.  
 D. J. WHICHARD, Registrar.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 30th, 31st and June 1st 1900, the Registration Book for the Fifth Ward of the Town of Greenville will be opened at the Farmers Warehouse, from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 5 o'clock, P. M., for the registration of all legal voters of said Ward who have not registered.

On Monday, the 4th day of June, 1900, an election will be held at the same place for one Alderman to represent said Ward for the ensuing year.

This, 18th day of May, 1900.  
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DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No 23 Daily		No 35 Daily		No 103 Daily ex. Sunday		No 41 Daily		No 49 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 58	12 55	9 52						
Ar Rocky Mount	12 21	10 00								
Leave Tarboro	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40						
Ar Rocky Mount	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 20						
Leave Wilson	2 55	11 03								
Leave Selma	4 30	12 20								
Lv Fayetteville	7 25	2 24								
Ar Florence										
Ar Goldsboro			7 53						7 01	3
Lv Goldsboro									8 09	4 8
Lv Magnolia									9 40	6
Wilmington										

## TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No 78 Daily		No 102 Daily ex. Sunday		No 33 Daily		No 40 Daily		No 46 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Lv Florence	9 45	7 45								
Lv Fayetteville	12 20	9 45								
Leave Selma	1 50	10 50								
Arrive Wilson	2 35	11 33								
			A M							
Lv Wilmington									6 50	
Lv Magnolia									8 1	
Lv Goldsboro									9 27	
			P M							
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	10 0						
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 35	12 09	11						
Arrive Tarboro			7 04							
Leave Tarboro	12 21									
Ar 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, 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 05 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 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 10 a m, 11 00 a m, 4 55 p m, 6 25 p m, 12 15 a m, arriving Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 55 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 55 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 02 p m, returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a m and 2 50 p m.

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**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, 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.

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20 Standard Sewing Machines are run every day in Pitt county. Cheap at S. M. Schultz's.

Several Greenville folks went over to Bethel today to attend the speaking.

W. R. Parkers horse ran away down Evans street this morning. No damage was done except the shaft of the wagon was broken.

### How a Man May Be Cured of Rheumatism.

We do not know of any sure cure for rheumatism in a woman; but we know of a sure cure for it in a man, viz: for him to lose his wife. We never knew a widower, whose wife had been dead a year, to show any signs of rheumatism. Sometimes all rheumatic symptoms disappear in six months, and even less. We knew a preacher once who was a great sufferer from rheumatism, and had been for years; but, in six months after the death of his wife, he showed no signs of ever having had a rheumatic symptom.—Western (Baptist) Recorder.



THE REFLECTOR.

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**J. BRYAN GRIMES,**  
of Pitt.

For Treasurer:  
**BENJAMIN R. LACY,**  
of Wake.

For Auditor:  
**B. F. DIXON,**  
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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 26TH, 1900

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$89,993.99	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85	Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 9,762.36
Due from Banks and Bankers : : : 37,090.45	Deposits subject to check : : : 126,288.40
Cash Items : : : 1,970.25	Due to Banks : : : \$10.45
Cash : : : : 30,516.73	Cashiers' chks outstanding 2,211.07
Rev. Stamps : : : : 272.01	
	\$161,772.28
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Careful attention given to business entrusted to us

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

## WEATHER BULLETIN

Showers tonight, and Friday.  
 Maximum 81  
 Minimum 55  
 Mean 68  
 Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.) 0.25

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 Pretty line toilet sets.  
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## COTTON MARKET.

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

New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close
July	8 88	8 43
Aug.	8 45	8 40
Oct.	7 83	7 73
Dec.	7 70	7 59

Receipts 2,000.

### LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close
May & June	0 00	0 00

### CHICAGO MARKET.

	Opening.	Close.
Wheat—July.	67	67½
Ribs—July.	6 57½	6 57½

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## CANDIDATES ALL.

Some for One Thing, Some for Another.

H. A. White went up the road this morning.

W. S. Atkins left this morning for Scotland Neck.

E. L. Clark returned Wednesday from Fayetteville.

Sanford Christman came Wednesday from Washington.

W. F. Sutton and wife returned Wednesday evening to Kinston.

Judge M. L. Eure came Wednesday night from Norfolk and returned this morning.

Dr. and Mrs. John A. Drake, of Clarksville, Va., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Lee.

Mrs. W. H. Grimes left Wednesday for Washington to attend the Episcopal Diocesan Council.

Little Miss Bettie Gray Sutton, who has been visiting at H. L. Carr's returned to her home in Kinston Wednesday.

Richard White, Charlie James and David James returned Wednesday evening from Oak Ridge, where they have been attending school.

### Ricks-Harriss.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Ruth Ward Harriss, of Wilmington to Mr. John Addison Ricks, of Greenville, in the First Presbyterian church at Wilmington on Wednesday morning, June 6th, at 9 o'clock.

### rowing.

The circulation of THE EASTERN REFLECTOR (our twice-a-week edition) is growing rapidly. Many new subscribers have been added during the past week. Every Democrat in the county should help to increase its circulation. Tell your neighbor he can get it from now until Jan. 1st, 1901, for 50 cents.

### Lawn Party.

Prof. L. L. Hargrave's school closed its Spring term today. The school will have a Lawn party tonight at the school grounds. Several out side of the school have been invited, each pupil inviting one friend, and if the weather is good, it promises to be a very pleasant time for them all. The next session of this school begins September 1st.

### The Hen's Genius.

A duck which had laid several dozen eggs during the season, complained that while her working record was better than the hen's, the latter had books and poems written in her honor, while no one had a word of praise for the duck. A wise old rooster standing by said: "You lay an egg and then waddle off without saying a word, while that sister of mine never lays one without letting everyone in the neighborhood know about it. If you want to cut any ice around here, you must advertise."—Rural New Yorker.

### Terrible Diaster.

Raleigh, N. C., May 23.—News has just reached here of a terrible diaster at Cumnock mines, this State. Fifty men are reported killed.

Asheville, N. C., May 22.—It is reported here at midnight that an explosion occurred in the Cumnock mines tonight. The news comes that between fifty and sixty miners were killed, but this is not confirmed. It is hardly probable that the report can be verified before morning as the telegraph offices in that part of the country are closed.—Wilmington Star.

## THE END OF THE CENTURY BOOK CLUB.

Mrs. C. O'H Laughinghouse was the hostess on Tuesday afternoon in a reception given by her to the End of the Century Book Club.

Mrs. Laughinghouse only entered the Club at its last meeting, and thus added another lovely and gifted woman to the charming coterie, which about winds up the limit of membership, and opens another delightful home for the Club.

The literary program will be lightened for the summer months, running chiefly on oral criticism of books and authors.

Mrs. Skinner furnished a sketch of Mrs. Burnett and her writings. Mrs. Jarvis gave a brief account of that most brilliant of many Southern women, Mrs. Patavia Walton Le Vert.

In the contest in naming the familiar faces of illustrious men and women, Mrs. Harry Skinner won the prize, a lovely picture. Refreshments were served, as has become an invariable custom with the Club.

The next fortnight meeting will be held with Mesdames W. F. and F. C. Harding.

### Colored Excursion.

An excursion from Kinston brought up a large crowd of colored people this morning. They had a picnic here and this afternoon were to have a game of baseball between the Kinston and Greenville clubs.

### Card of Thanks.

I wish to return my sincere thanks to all the firemen and citizens who labored so faithfully in saving my building, the Farmers Warehouse from being destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

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