

W. T. LEE & CO.

Desire to wish you one and all a happy and prosperous New Year, and return thanks for your past liberal patronage.

On January 5th, 1901,

We will be in OUR NEW QUARTERS in H. C. Hooker's old stand, next door to Bryan's drug store, with an increased stock of new and desirable goods, at prices which will not fail to please you.

We extend you a most cordial invitation to come and see us in our new store.

W. T. LEE & CO.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Fair much colder tonight and Tuesday. Freezing temperature Tuesday night to the coast.

Happy New Year

WE WISH TO EVERY ONE.

We are very happy because of the splendid patronage accorded us during the fall and holiday season just passed, and wish to return our sincere thanks to every customer, large or small.

While others are moving all about us, the New Year will find us going right on at the same stand with the largest and best stock of

Groceries

to be found in Greenville. Come to see us and you will be cordially welcomed and treated right every time.

J. L. STARKEY & BRO.

— ESTABLISHED 1875. —

S. M. Schultz.

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, 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, Currants, 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.

S. M. SCHULTZ
Phone 55.

R. Hyman,

Real Estate & Rental Agent,
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Real estate bought and sold. Property rented and exchanged. Prompt attention to business, and returns made at end of each month. Your patronage solicited.

Store Robbed.

Sunday night robbers made a raid on the store of Z. V. Johnson & Co. taking a large quantity of goods. Two efforts were made to get in the store. A brace and bit were used to bore holes through the wood shutter to a rear window, but the fastenings to the window could not be reached from the opening thus made. Then a large section of the door was cut out in the same way, and through this the lock could be reached and unfastened. Mr. Johnson says a large quantity of goods were stolen. He has missed several overcoats and suits of clothing, boxes of jewelry, gloves, neckwear, shoes and other things that could be easily carried away. There is no clue to the robbers.

Mayor's Court.

Mayor J. G. Moye had the following holiday cases to dispose of in his court since last report:

Len Wilks, Joe Wilks and George Dudley, riotous and disorderly and assault, all guilty and bound over to January term Superior Court.

Jas F. King and Jas H. Cox, affray, fined one penny and half costs each.

Ed Cooper, riotous and disorderly and assault, fined one penny and costs \$2.76.

Robt Paisley, drunk and disorderly, fined one penny and costs \$1.96

Laura Sutton and Lucy Sutton, riotous and disorderly conduct and disturbing neighborhood fined \$1 and cost each, \$3.75 each.

Christmas German.

On Monday night December 24, a very enjoyable German was given in the Perkins opera house by the U. S. R. Club. It was a festive occasion and the following couples were initiated into the Christmas holidays:

W. H. Dail with Miss Mary Blow, J. D. Garden with Miss Louise Latham, C. B. Mayo with Miss Mabel Mosely, C. T. Lipscomb, of S. C., with Miss Pattie Skinner, M. I. Fleming with Miss Bertha Patrick, W. B. Wilson, Jr., with Miss Nell Skinner, S. B. King with Miss Nina James, J. H. Adams with Miss Emily Higgs, B. E. Patrick with Miss Lottie Blow, Durwood Wilson with Miss Ethel Skinner, Charlie James with Miss Winnie Skinner, Dr. Greene, of Snow Hill, with Miss Betsy Greene, J. Ben Higgs with Miss Bessye Patrick, Z. V. Johnston with Miss Lillian Cherry.

Stags—R. C. White, Dr. R. L. Carr, C. S. Forbes and Frank Wooten, of Norfolk.

GETTING HOME.

Holiday Movers Facing The Other Way.

Lee Bland went to Ayden Saturday evening.

Josh Turnage left Saturday evening for Kinston.

W. C. Dancy went to Ayden Saturday evening.

E. T. Forbes came in this morning from New Bern.

T. C. Alligood and family have returned from Washington.

Miss Lossie Alligood, of Bunyan is visiting T. C. Alligood.

Miss Lillian Paschal, of Durham is visiting friends here.

J. A. Thigpen, Jr., left this morning for Scotland Neck.

Mrs. A. M. Moore left this morning to visit relatives at Avoca.

Miss Janie Brown returned Saturday evening from Tarboro.

Miss Eula Quinn has returned from a visit to Roanoke Rapids.

Miss Annie Beddard returned Saturday evening from Fremont.

W. M. Ward has taken a position with the Bank of Greenville

W. P. Edwards returned Saturday evening from his holiday trip.

Mrs. Ed. Best, of Hyde county, is visiting the family of I. C. Hardy.

J. R. Moore left this morning on a trip to Burgaw and Wilmington.

Miss Maud Lassiter, of Greene county, is visiting the Misses Starkey.

Henry Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, is visiting his father, John Jenkins.

Judge A. M. Moore left this morning for Fayetteville to hold court.

A. A. Andrews and family returned Saturday evening from Durham.

H. A. Wolfsohn, of Atlanta, spent a portion of the holidays here and left Friday morning.

E. A. Buck, a native of Pitt but now of Tifton, Ga., is spending a short while here with relatives.

J. D. Gwynn returned Saturday evening from Reidsville where he had been spending the holidays.

Miss Bessie Summerell, who has been visiting Miss Myra Moore, left this morning for Washington.

V. J. Lee has gone to Norfolk to take a position with the wholesale firm of Winston, Hardee & Whichard Co.

Miss Nannie Richardson, of Selma, spent the holidays here with the Misses Patrick. She returned home today.

Jesse Speight returned Saturday evening from Wilson and other places where he had been spending the holidays.

T. S. Ragsdale and wife, of Smithfield, spent part of the holidays here with his brother, W. H. Ragsdale, and returned home Saturday.

Miss Della Erwin left Friday morning for a trip to points in the western part of the State. She will probably be away until the spring.

Attention Masons.

There will be a special Communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A. F. & A. M. tonight. Work in the third degree. Members requested to be present. Visiting brethren invited.

R. L. Carr, W. M.
J. M. Reuss, Sec.

Leave your laundry at J. S. Funstall's store. Best work guaranteed.

FRANK SKINNER,
Ag't. Wilmington Steam Laundry

1901.

New Century!

New Year!!

Everything NEW but our way of doing business.

You Know Them.

CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS, HIGHEST GRADE
OF FURNISHING GOODS FOR BOTH SEXES.

At Lowest Prices.

WINTER IS NOT HALF OVER,
YOU'LL NEED AN OVERCOAT.

We've Got "Em"

ALL GRADES, ALL SIZES, ALL
STYLES. ONLY ONE PRICE,

The Lowest of them all.

THE OLD STAND.

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

Happy New Year.

Reasonable and Right.

If our prices are reasonable then they are bound to be right. If our merchandise is right then it is bound to be reasonably priced. Fair pricing is a basic principle in this store. To buy the right thing at the reasonable price is better, far better and more economical than the wrong thing at most any old price. The poorly priced is meanly made, got a wrong twist in it somewhere, you can't depend upon it.

When you want good dry goods you don't want to be shown makeshifts apologies for good dry goods. We cannot too strongly emphasize the goodness, the reasonableness of the following items:

MEN & LADIES' VESTS.

Some right good values in Winter Wear. Heavy Fleece-Lined Vests for Men & Ladies 25c

HOSIERY.

A big markdown in hosiery. They were 15c now 10c, 20 now 15, 25 now 20.

CAPES AND JACKETS.

We come to the front with special lots of nobby garments at prices that would be suicidal earlier in the season, and yet wearing time has just begun. They have been reduced from \$4.00 to \$2.75, 5.00 to 3.25, 6.00 to 4.00, 7.00 to 5.00, 8.00 to 6.00. These jackets are new.

SHOES! SHOES!!

Shoes for men and ladies. We will cut the price more than half to push out some of these goods. They were \$1.00 now 60c, 1.25 now 70c, \$1.50 now 90c, 1.75 now 1.00, 2.00 now 1.20.

KID GLOVES.

Kid gloves for ladies and misses. These are the best grade always \$1 they will go the next ten days at 79c, all sizes and all colors.

CLOTHING.

Men and youth's clothing will go for the next few days at hal price.

Youths were \$4.00 now \$2.25, 5.00 now 3.00, 6.00 now 4.00

Mens were \$4.00 now \$2.25, 5.00 now 3.25, 6.00 now 4.25, 7.00 now 5.00, 8.00 now 6.00

RICKS & WILKINSON.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

EVERY AFTERNOON [except Sunday]

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

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One year \$3.00
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.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1900.

IN NEW QUARTERS.

The Reflector to Have a Home of Its Own.

THE REFLECTOR greets its readers today from new quarters in the Rialto building. We have purchased from Messrs. Elliott Bros., through their agent, Mr. W. H. Long, the two-story corner portion of this building for the purpose of making it a permanent home for the paper, but at present only our business office is in the portion of the building included in the purchase. The Masonic and Pythian lodges occupy the hall in the upper story, and rather than cause them to move out with no other convenient which they could occupy, we agreed that they should remain and have placed our printing department in the store three doors from the corner.

The editor can be found in the business office on the corner, and the printing room will be in charge of our efficient foreman, Mr. T. W. McBryde. Either will take pleasure in serving the wants of our patrons. Everything is not yet in good shape, but already many compliments have been received upon the excellence of our new quarters in both the office and printing departments, and we are beginning to feel very much at home.

While we have made the purchase above referred to, we are frank to confess that it is not paid for. Yet the liberal patronage THE REFLECTOR has received has encouraged us to make this venture of getting a building of our own, and we believe our friends will show their appreciation of this enterprise by continuing their patronage. We believe they had rather see their home paper prosper and be able to make improvements than to merely eke out a hand-to-mouth existence.

With THE REFLECTOR the past year has been one of its best, and we wish to thank every patron for the part each has contributed to the success of the paper. We hope to find the first year of the new century better still.

Mr. E. E. Griffin, the jeweler, Messrs. Harding & Harding, attorneys and Mr. J. L. Sugg, insurance agent, will continue to occupy their former quarters in the building purchased by THE REFLECTOR. Altogether we are going to make it a very busy corner and invite our friends to come to see us.

Kentucky had a regular old popping time Christmas. There were thirty killings reported from that State and all the precincts haven't been heard from yet.—Wilmington Star.

SERMON ON ADVERTISING.

An Iowa Editor's Views on How to Attract Business.

Recently the editor of the Cresco (Ia.) Times gave an instructive talk to his patrons through the medium of his columns. He said in part:

"It may gratify the vanity of the citizen to have his business ability and his success eulogized, but it will never add a dollar to his fortune to pay a transient, travel-stained pencil pusher to write a few paragraphs of praise concerning himself and his business. His neighbors, who are associating with him daily, know him too well to believe anything that is not true about him.

"What the merchant needs to help him sell goods is not a picture or write up in the publication of some smart 'foreign' advertising fakir, but a regular advertisement in the local papers of what he has to sell and then to invariably adhere as to price and quality to the specifications of the advertisement.

"Editors have an opportunity to scan pretty closely the effect of different kinds of advertising and to see the effect of neglecting to advertise in the local papers. The observant editor might be dropped down into a dozen stores in a town in which he was an entire stranger, and he could determine in half an hour any pleasant week day which of the stores advertise judiciously.

"Merchants who advertise attract strangers; those who do not, keep a few old customers until they begin to learn through the advertising columns that cheaper and more up-to-date goods are sold at other stores. The merchant who does not advertise cannot afford to renew his stock with up-to-date goods, for he has not sold his old stock, so he loses his old customers and keeps his old goods, and all because he will not advertise."

The Supreme Duty.

"Whatever else you do or do not do for children, brethren, educate them. God has given me three sons, and I do not expect to leave them a home or money, but I do expect to give them an education. I never expect to live in a home of my own, but I am going to educate my boys. They are all godly young men, and if I stay out of the ground a few years longer they will be educated young men."—Bishop Morris at Methodist Conference in New Bern.

Herein is summed up the Supreme duty of parents, excepting of course the religious training of their children. There has never been a time when education was not equivalent to sharp tools, but at no time in the history of the world has the necessity for education been so apparent as now. The competition is greater, the chances for building up an independent business are smaller, the combinations of wealth are more powerful, and the young man who forges to the front needs to have the best tools well sharpened. Education of the right kind will alone furnish him this equipment. Therefore, the Supreme duty of the parent is to give his children the capacity to win in the strenuous competition that lies before them.

It would be a blessing to this Commonwealth if the wise and mighty words of the good bishop could impress every father and mother with the same ambition and purpose which the bishop says influences and controls him in his thoughts about his children.—Raleigh News and Observer.

RECORD OF 1900

Review of the Chief Events of the Year.

END OF THE CENTURY.

Diary of the South African War and the Startling Events in China—Destruction by Fire, Storms and Accidents—Personal, Political and Miscellaneous Items—A Classified Summary.

The year 1900 closed a century of marvelous material development and striking social and political changes. During the last 100 years the principle of republican government has been firmly established and the liberties of people living under monarchical rule enlarged by the increase of power in the hands of representatives. By the aid of steam and electricity the civilized nations of the earth have been brought into close communication, with the result that social progress has been well nigh universal.

At the close of the nineteenth century the United States ranks second among the great world powers in point of population, whereas in 1800 it held the eighth place and was at the bottom of the list. The progress of the states in commerce, industry, education and social advancement has been extraordinary.

FIRES.

JANUARY.

1. The Merchants and Planters' warehouse burned at Richmond; loss, \$400,000.
2. The dwelling of Joseph E. Pulitzer, editor of the New York World, burned in New York; loss, \$300,000.
3. A \$100,000 fire at the F. M. Davis Iron works in Denver.
4. 13 blocks of dwellings and a famous church burned at Honolulu; 4,500 people made homeless.

FEBRUARY.

1. Fire caused a loss of nearly \$500,000 by the destruction of two stores at Youngstown, O. At Little Rock the Dickinson Arms Co. burned out, with a loss of \$150,000.
2. An entire block of business buildings burned at Dayton, O.; loss, \$500,000.
3. Three blocks in the retail district of St. Louis partially destroyed by fire; loss about \$1,000,000.
4. A \$250,000 blaze at Little Rock.
5. Loss of \$250,000 by the burning of a wooden-ware plant at Escanaba, Mich.
6. Pittsburg Glass Co.'s works damaged to the extent of \$135,000 by fire.
7. \$500,000 loss by the burning of the Novelty Straw works, Philadelphia.
8. The Metropolitan hotel and a business block burned at Birmingham, Ala.; loss, \$160,000.
9. The Masonic temple and other properties burned at London, Ont.; loss nearly \$2,000,000.
10. A \$200,000 fire at Minnetto, a suburb of Oswego, N. Y.
11. A department store and other properties burned at Newark, N. J.; loss, \$500,000.

MARCH.

1. A \$400,000 fire in the business district of Youngstown, O.
2. Loss of \$300,000 by the burning of Shoneman's dry goods store in Philadelphia.
3. 40 buildings burned at Lead, S. D.; loss, \$500,000.
4. The famous Theatre Francaise burned in Paris.
5. The county courthouse burned at Clarksville, Tenn.; loss, \$125,000.
6. Davenport, Ia., suffered a loss of \$150,000 by fire.
7. A clothing manufactory burned at Indianapolis; loss, \$150,000.
8. The Mohawk Valley hotel and Opera House block burned at Mohawk, N. Y.; loss, \$100,000.
9. Cotton compress burned at Port Gibson, Miss.; loss, \$100,000.
10. Flames destroyed Moore's wire factory in Philadelphia; loss, \$300,000.
11. Clinton Liberal Institute burned at Fort Plain, N. Y.; loss, \$100,000.
12. The Columbia theater burned in Chicago; loss nearly \$200,000.

APRIL.

1. A \$500,000 fire at Newport, Ark.
2. A \$100,000 fire at Orange, N. J.
3. Convention hall, the intended meeting place for the national Democratic convention, and other buildings burned in Kansas City; loss, \$400,000.
4. The physical laboratory of Lehigh university, at Bethlehem, burned; loss, \$300,000.
5. A \$200,000 fire at Ballston Spa, N. Y.
6. Herne & Co.'s dry goods store burned in Pittsburg; loss, \$500,000.
7. Fire swept over 9 acres of ground in Brooklyn, destroying stables, lumber yards and factories; loss, \$300,000.
8. Fire destroyed 2,000 buildings and \$15,000,000 worth of property at Ottawa and Hull, Canada.

MAY.

1. A \$1,000,000 fire on the Mallory line pier in New York city.
2. Loss of \$400,000 by the burning of the pier and sheds of the Jere & Sturge Co. at Constable Rock, New York harbor.
3. Furniture factory and 40 houses burned at Atlanta; loss, \$450,000.
4. A \$175,000 fire in the central portion of Camden, N. J.
5. Fire destroyed a large portion of the business center of Greenwich, Conn.; loss, \$400,000.

JUNE.

1. The docks of the North German Lloyd and the ocean steamers Saulte, Bremen and Main burned; deaths, 322; property loss, \$10,000,000.

JULY.

1. Principal business portion of Prescott, A. T., burned; loss over \$1,000,000.
2. A \$100,000 fire at Newcastle, Cal.

AUGUST.

1. Fire destroyed \$1,000,000 worth of property in the lumber district of Ashland, Wis.
2. The Kelly Ax Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Alexandria, Ind., destroyed by fire; loss, \$500,000.

SEPTEMBER.

1. Narragansett Pier swept by flames; loss over \$400,000.
2. Disastrous fire at Spring Lake, N. J.; loss, \$350,000.
3. Nunda, Ill., wiped out by fire.

OCTOBER.

1. Port Limon, Costa Rica, nearly destroyed by fire; loss about \$2,000,000.
2. Hinman & Co.'s packing house burned at St. Paul; loss, \$450,000; 4 firemen killed and many injured.
3. Fire and explosion destroyed Tarrant & Co.'s drug warehouse in New York; 43 people killed and missing and over 100 injured; property loss about \$1,500,000.

NOVEMBER.

1. The Press-Knickerbocker-Express, a very old newspaper, burned out at Albany; loss, \$135,000.
2. Biloxi, Miss., swept by fire; 7,000 people made

- homeless and \$300,000 worth of property destroyed, including 300 buildings.
3. The car barns of the Norfolk (Va.) Street Railway Co. burned; loss, \$150,000.
4. Burned to death and many injured, 3 fatally, in a fire at the Gifford House, Poplar Bluffs, Mo.
5. The Virginia College for Young Women at Roanoke, Va., burned.
6. The business section of Philippi, W. Va., swept by fire; loss nearly \$1,000,000.
7. Deaths in burning of the McGonigal House at Oswayo, Pa.

DECEMBER.

1. 20 concerns burned out in Frankfort, Ky.; loss, \$250,000.
2. The Saxton block in Canton, O., destroyed by fire; loss, \$200,000.
3. Prospect hall, devoted to the use of secret societies and the largest building of the kind in the borough of Brooklyn, destroyed by fire; loss on the building over \$300,000.
4. 7 deaths in the burning of the State Normal school at Fredonia, N. Y.

A good way to start the twentieth century is to pay the printer what you owe him. That is if you owe him anything. If you do not then you might subscribe for the paper and have it sent to a friend. It would be a weekly reminder of your thoughtfulness all the year round.

The Commoner

ISSUED WEEKLY.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN,
Editor & Publisher,
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA.

TERMS—Payable in Advance.
One Year \$1, Six Months 60c,
Three Months 35c, Sing. Copy 5c.

No traveling canvassers are employed. Subscriptions taken at THE REFLECTOR office. The Semi-Weekly REFLECTOR and "The Commoner" will be sent together one year for \$1.75 or THE DAILY REFLECTOR and "The Commoner" one year for \$3.50 payable in advance.

CAROLINA & VIRGINIA Telephone Company, Henderson, N. C.

The following toll rates will be in effect on and after December 3, 1900, subject to change and correction: From Greenville to

1. Burlington	65:16. Mercer	20
2. Chase City	55:17. Nashville	30
3. Clarksville	50:18. Oxford	45
4. Dunn	45:19. Raleigh	45
5. Durham	50:20. Rocky Mount	30
6. Enfield	30:21. Scotland Neck	30
7. Franklinton	45:22. Smithfield	40
8. Greensboro	75:23. Spring Hope	35
9. Greenville	24. Tarboro	25
10. Goldsboro	30:25. Wake Forest	45
11. Henderson	45:26. Warrenton	45
12. High Point	30:27. Washington	20
13. Hillsboro	55:28. Weldon	40
14. Littleton	40:29. Wilson	30
15. Lenoir	40:30. Winston	90

F. C. TOEPLERMAN,
Gen. Supt.

NERVITA PILLS

Restore Vitality, Lost Vigor and Manhood

Cure Impotency, Night Emissions, Loss of Memory, all wasting diseases, all effects of self-abuse or excess and indiscretion. A nerve tonic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pale cheeks and restores the fire of youth. By mail \$1.50 per box, 6 boxes for \$3.50, with our bankable guarantee to cure or refund the money paid. Send for circular and copy of our bankable guarantee bond.

Nervita Tablets

(YELLOW LABEL) Immediate Results

Positively guaranteed cure for Loss of Power, Varicocele, Undeveloped or Shrunken Organs, Paresis, Locomotor Ataxia, Nervous Prostration, Hysteria, Fits, Insanity, Paralysis and the Results of Excessive Use of Tobacco, Opium or Liquor. By mail in plain package, \$1.00 a box, 6 for \$5.00 with our bankable guarantee bond to cure in 30 days or refund money paid. Address

NERVITA MEDICAL CO.

Clinton & Jackson Sts., CHICAGO, ILL.

For sale by J. L. WOOTEN, Druggist, Greenville, N. C.

R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

RE-ORGANIZED JUNE 15TH, 1896

STATEMENT OF

BANK OF GREENVILLE

GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 5TH, 1900.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts \$131,007.02
Over Drafts : : : : 5,261.76
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85
Due from Banks and 22,707.14
Cash Items : : : : 9,606.90
Cash : : : : 17,814.96
Rev. Stamps : : : : 132.88

\$188,459.81

Care ul attention given t all busi ss entrusted to us

DIRECTORY

CHURCHES.

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. H. M. Enre, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. L. H. Pender, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday-school 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.

EPISCOPAL.—Rev. L. H. Harding, Minister. Morning and evening prayer with sermon every 1st and 3rd Sunday. Lay services every 2nd and 4th Sunday.

Sunday-school 9:45 a. m., W. B. B. Brown, superintendent. Litany every Wednesday 10 a. m.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. L. Carr, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. F. M. Hodges, N. G. E. E. Griffin, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. C. S. Carr, 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.

\$500 REWARD

We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation or Costiveness we can not cure with Liverita, the Up-to-Date Little Liver Pill, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely vegetable and never fail to give satisfaction. 250 boxes contain 100 pills, 10c boxes contain 40 pills, 5c boxes contain 15 pills. Beware of substitutions and imitations. Sent by mail. Stamps taken. NERVITA MEDICAL CO., Cor. Clinton and Jackson Streets, Chicago, Ill. For sale by J. L. WOOTEN, Druggist, Greenville, N. C.

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP.

have moved my Barber Shop to the shop in front of Munford's new big store. 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 a first-class shave or hair cut.

EDMUNDS & FLEMING.

Opposite Munford's Big Store.

J. NOBLES,

FASHIONABLE BARBER.

On Main street, next doorto pos

office Good clean work guaran-

teed. Under white management.

A. B. PENDER,

FASHIONABLE BARBER,

Can be found below Five Points

Next door to Reflector office

A STEP AT THE TIME.

Begin With the Shorter Ones
and They Get Longer.

Here we are again.

Let us turn over a new leaf to-morrow.

This is the last day of 1900 and of the 19th century

Cheap 25 barrels of Apples, 25 boxes of Oranges at S. M. Schultz.

As an all around rainy day the last Sunday of the year was a success.

The Masons will hold a special meeting tonight for third degree work.

The old year and old century have moonlight to take their departure by.

The telegraph office and express office are now in the corner opposite the post office.

Greenville was very quiet during the holidays and there was very little disturbance.

New Goods, Dates, Figs, Raisins, Nuts, Citron, Mince Meat, Pork Sausage at S. M. Schultz.

Masonic Hall School will reopen Monday, Jan. 7th. All pupils are requested to be present at opening.

Just arrived—Seedless Lemons, seeded Raisins, Nuts, Apples, Bananas, Oranges and Canned goods of all kinds.

T. F. CHRISTMAN.

THE REFLECTOR wishes every reader a happy new year and a prosperous beginning of the new century.

We are glad to hear our advertisers say they never had a better holiday trade than in the season just passed.

How many will make THE REFLECTOR glad on the first day of the new century by coming in and subscribing tomorrow.

The Episcopal Sunday school will have a Christmas tree Wednesday night in the store next door to Ricks & Wilkinson.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the residence of Mrs. Wiley Brown Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

While most people were taking holiday for a few days THE REFLECTOR force was hard at work moving the office and getting ready to begin the new century in new quarters.

There will be watch night services in the Methodist church to night beginning at 10:30 o'clock and closing with the coming of the new year. There will be addresses by Rev. F. A. Bishop and Gov. T. J. Jarvis.

PAY YOUR TAXES—LAST CALL. All who are due for taxes had better see me at once and pay, otherwise I shall be compelled to collect by distress. My office is now at the Court House, 3rd door on right. C. D. ROUNTREE, Town Tax Collector.

North State Lodge No. 181, I. O. O. F., Pariaie, N. C., held its Semi-Annual Election on the 26th of December, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: J. H. Bryant, N. G.; L. Jackson, V. G.; W. C. Buhman, R. S. and F. S.; Dr. L. E. Ricks, Treasurer.

OSTEOPATHY.—E. S. Willard, D. O., graduate of American School of Osteopathy Kirksville, Mo., has located in Greenville, coming here from Greensboro, and has opened an office in the Henry S. Clark House, first house north of Baptist church. Examination and consultation free.

TO WOOD BUYERS.—If you want your wood split fine say so when you give your order and it will be filled accordingly. My pine wood is green but when split fine will season in a very short time. If you will let me know exactly what you want I will please you and save you money. O. L. JOYNER.

Employment for Families.

Wanted—Families to work in a cotton mill and learn the business. Good wages paid after learning. Write to editor of this paper—if you have a family wishing such employment. 12-22-1m.

MUNFORD'S BIG NEW STORE.

Well may the good people of Greenville and surrounding country be thankful and proud of their Big Store and the wonderful bargains that come from that great institution. For the third time this season has the buyer been north, picking and scouring the New York, Boston and Philadelphia markets and quickly snapped up all the "Juicy Plums." This was securing a leading manufacturer's fall shipment of fine clothing for men and boys intended for a clothier in Galveston, Tex., but which was countermanded on account of the flood. The result is, we can offer mens and boys highest grade clothing at just one-half the old time clothier's price. They will be ready and placed on the tables on

Wednesday Morn., Dec. 12, 8 o'clock

Four Car Loads of Merchandise Bought

MENS SUITS.

Dark colors, double and single breasted, wool chevot, \$9 kind now \$6.37.

BOYS WOOL SUITS.

\$1.25 kind now 69c. Boys wool pants \$1.50 kind now 79c.

MENS SHOES.

\$1.50 kind now \$1.19, 3.50 kind now 2.98, 4.00 kind now 3.48.

MENS PANTS.

\$2.75 kind now \$1.58, 1.50 kind now 98c. About 100 pairs left.

OUR STORE GROWING.

What has made our store such a busy place? What we advertise we do. The throngs that daily fill the store is the very best evidence that we rather understate than otherwise the remarkable value we have to sell.

Our Popular Store.

We leave it to you if there is not a snap, vim or go, about this business not perceptible in any other business in Greenville. It is no secret. The "old foggy" dry goods and clothiers are sleeping, waiting for you to come in and pay them their 50 per cent. profit. Will you do it? Or will you trade with a live, hustling, progressive concern that is working like a Trojan and making your dollar buy two dollars worth. We have doubled the business since we are in our new building already, and now want to tripple it.

Holiday Goods.

Over 2 car loads of fancy goods suitable for Christmas presents. The entire store presents a big Bazaar. Everything you can think of is right here. And the

Price is One-Half.

LADIES' TAILOR MADE SUITS \$10.00 kind now \$6.45.

LADIES' HOSE.

10c kind now 5c, 18c kind now 10c, 25c kind now 18c.

LADIES' SKIRTS.

\$7.50 kind now \$3.98, 5.00 kind now 2.69, 3.00 kind now 1.37.

LADIES' SHOES.

\$1.50 kind now 69c, 2.00 kind now 1.39, 2.50 kind now 1.98, 3.50 kind now 2.98.

Greatest of All

BARGAIN REVELATIONS.

Every price is so low that it establishes a record for itself and is positively beyond the reach of the strongest competition within three hundred miles.

3rd Northern Trip Successful.

MENS OVERCOATS.

\$7.50 kind now 4.98, 12.50 kind now 7.68, 18.00 kind now 11.78.

LADIES' COATS and JACKETS

All kinds and prices.

BLANKETS.

10-4 wool bed blankets, \$3.50 kind now \$1.82.

CORSETS.

75c kind now 42c, 50c kind now 24c.

BEDSTEADS.

All styles, all prices.

OUTING CLOTH.

Good and heavy 5c.

DRESS GOODS.

10c to 20c per yard on all line.

PLAID DRESS GOODS.

15c kind now 9c.

COUCHES, SIDE BOARDS, CHIFFONNIERS.

SHEETING.

5877 yards to select from.

Everything Imaginable Here. Our Big Store a growing plant, increasing every day. Truth telling and truth selling always go hand in hand here. Our sole aim, desire and ambition is for your interest. For you we work.

C.T. MUNFORD.

Big New Store.

Open Nights.

Greenville, N. C

DISSOLUTION.

Our Firm Will Be Dissolved

On January 1st, 1901.

We desire to sell out our entire stock of

DRY GOODS SHOES

NOTIONS

FURNITURE.

Stoves and Heaters

WE WANT EVERY MAN, WOMAN, BOY AND GIRL TO
BUY FROM US. PRICES WILL BE MADE LOW ENOUGH
TO CLOSE OUT EVERY DOLLAR'S WORTH OF GOODS IF
YOU WILL JUST COME TO SEE US.

HIGGS & TAFT

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Attention Ladies!

We have just received a nice lot of

LAMBS
WOOL
SOLES
FOR
CROCHET
SLIPPERS
ALL
SIZES
FOR LADIES.

BLACK
CLOTH
OVERGAITERS
OR
UPPERS
ALL
SIZES
FOR LADIES.



Beautiful Fur Trimmed Quilted Satin Shoes,

Soft Soles For The Baby.

COME AND SEE THEM.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Of Days of Old.

How often persons who are engrossed with the cares of business life find themselves in the quiet moments going back to the scenes of childhood, and how they long to go back over those days again. Sometimes these scenes come in review unbidden; again they are called to mind by hearing some one tell their experiences; but come as they may, they long to again go over the play ground, the fields, the forest and once more be a free, untrammelled child again, to wade the branches, catch minnows, go swimming or chase the hare and squirrel. The impressions of these things come into the mind when young and pliant, and nothing short of insanity can efface them from memory. Such things bring mingled joy and sadness; joy, as one imagines they are going over the scenes again, sadness, on maturer reflection, bringing the knowledge that those scenes have changed. The open field may now be a forest, the grove a thicket, and on going to the old home they find few objects that remind them of other years, and the return does not give the pleasure expected. But it is all a dream, and only a short rest for a weary mind, and cares crowd in and engross the mind again.—Orange Va. Observer.

NOTICE.

NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County.

In Superior Court, Jan. Term, 1901.
Addie Foreman vs. Daniel A. Foreman.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county to obtain an absolute divorce and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the first Monday in January, 1901 at the court house of said county in Greenville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This December 28, 1900. D. C. MOORE, clerk Superior court, F. G. JAMES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The Shoe on The Other Foot.

A man walked into a country printing office the other day, and said to the editor:

"Say, if you want something to fill up your paper with, you might say in your next issue that I have just started a shop to make and repair wagons and carriages, and would like to have everybody to call and see me."

"All right," replied the editor, "do you want an advertisement in the paper, too?"

"No," said the man; "just an item of news in the local column."

"Do you want to subscribe for the paper?" asked the editor.

"Well, no," said the man. "I am taking two or three city papers, and some story papers from Chicago; I haven't got time to read any more. Maybe I'll take your paper when some of the others run out."

"All right," said the editor; and he smiled to himself.

Next day the editor sent his carriage around to the shop. He wanted two spokes put in the wheel, and told him he had a little job for him, just to fill up his time and keep him busy.

The man looked it over, and said:

"Well, the spokes will be 50 cents each, and the dashboard \$1; that will be just \$2."

"Oh," said the editor, "I didn't mean to pay for it. I just brought it around, same as you brought that item yesterday, just to fill up your time. It's only an item, you know."

Then the wagon repairer saw the point, and the editor went back to his office, and deftly pitched the item into the wastebasket.—Newspaperdom.

Mrs. J. B. Cherry will entertain the Book Club at her home on New Year (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

C. S. FORBES

Wishes all of his friends a

Happy New Year,

and at the same time thank them for their liberal patronage during

1900.

DURING 1901 HE WILL, AS HE

HAS IN THE PAST, CARRY

THE MOST UP-TO-DATE

LINE OF GOODS TO BE

FOUND ANYWHERE.

C. S. Forbes
GREENVILLE, N. C.

GRIFTON ITEMS.

GRIFTON, N. C. Dec. 31, 1900.

Joel Patrick and wife left Thursday for New Bern where they will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Rodolph Taylor is here to spend the holidays. He is attending the A. & M. College at Raleigh.

Prof. Fred Johnson, of LaGrange is here visiting friends and relatives.

Walter Dawson, of Conetoe, has been here on a visit to Jack Dawson.

We were glad to meet our old friend J. B. Bender, of Trenton, here during the holidays.

Mike Joyner, of Portsmouth is here on a visit.

Two Caned.

There were many delighted people at Christmas over tokens of remembrance and esteem received from friends and relatives, but there were not two better pleased men to be found than Mr. W. B. Wilson and D. J. Whichard. Both of these were caned in a manner that they will not forget. Mr.

Wilson's six boys presented him with an elegant gold headed ebony cane and THE REFLECTOR office force presented the editor with a beautiful silver headed ebony cane. The recipients in both instances are very proud of their canes.

New Officers.

Covenant Lodge No 17 I. O. O. F. has elected the following officers for the next term:

F. M. Hodges, N. G.
L. H. Pender, V. G.
Z. V. Johnson, Recording Sec.
J. E. Corey, Financial Sec.
D. W. Hardee, Treas.

There was so much coming and going of people during the holidays that we could not keep up with all the names for this issue of THE REFLECTOR.