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Attention - Please.

PINE APPLE
TISSUES,
LAWNS,
ORGANDIES,
SHIRT
WAIST
SILK
PERCAL.



DIMITIES,
PERSIAN
LAWNS,
INDIA
LINON
FIGURED
DIMITIES,
PIQUES.

Our white goods are the prettiest and cheapest.
See us before buying. We won't be undersold.

W. T. LEE & CO.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Rain tonight. Rain Colder Fri day.

R. Hyman,

Rental Agent,
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Real estate bought and sold. Property rented and exchanged. Close collections and prompt returns. Nice building lots for sale. Vice house and lot for sale.

Wanted to buy 40 or 50 acres of well wooded land near Greenville.

Another Tax Suit Compromise.

In the compromise of the railroad taxation cases, the fact that the Western Union Telegraph Company has on the docket of the Federal court a similar case, seems to have been almost overlooked.

But still that is a fact, and now the State finds itself up against another proposition for a compromise. The proposition comes from Mr. R. C. Strong, attorney for the telegraph company, and is made to the Corporation Commission which spent yesterday considering it.

The property of the Western Union in this State was first put on the tax books at a valuation of \$300,000, and was raised until it reached \$750,000. The tax was paid on this valuation under protest but without suit. Then the Commission increased the valuation to \$1,000,000, whereupon the telegraph company appealed to Judge Simonton. He granted it an injunction and reduced the valuation to \$600,000. On this amount taxes have been paid for the past two years.

Now the telegraph company, of its own motion and through its attorney, Mr. Strong, offers a compromise. This compromise, it is said, is to pay for the past two years and until there is a new assessment in 1903, on a valuation of \$750,000 and all costs in the case.

It is understood that this compromise will be accepted by the Commission as soon as Commissioner Rogers, who is now out of the city, returns. He is expected today.—Raleigh News and Observer.

The fellow who is always kicking must expect to stub his toe once in a while.

SLICK THIEF.

Gets \$40 Out of a Safe.

Tuesday a sharp thief stole about \$40 in bills out of a safe in the office of Smith & Hooker. There are two safes in the office, in one of which Mr. Hooker keeps his individual valuables, the other being for the use of the firm. Mr. J. A. Lang, book keeper of the firm, having to go in this safe frequently, kept what is called the day lock on during the day. There were four drawers in the safe, different parties having keys to three of them. Only notes and papers were kept in the fourth drawer, and for convenience the key to this drawer was kept in the lock so any of the firm might have access to the papers when wanted.

When Mr. Lang returned from dinner Tuesday he discovered that some one had been tampering with the safe during his absence and thrown off the lock combination. He unlocked the safe at once and found that the key had been taken out of the lock to the drawer containing the papers and was sticking in the lock to the drawer in which he kept money. He took hold of it and the drawer easily came open, when he discovered that \$40 in bills had been taken from the drawer. There were several dollars in silver also in the drawer but the thief did not bother the hard money.

Strange as it may seem, as long as the safe has been in use it was never discovered sooner that the same key would unlock more than one of the drawers.

Getting Ready.

The Board of Aldermen at a special meeting Wednesday night, took the preliminary steps relative to putting in the improvements authorized by the bond election. The Clerk was ordered to correspond with a civil engineer relative to getting him to make a survey and drainage map of the town and prepare plans and make estimates for putting in the improvements. The City Attorney was also instructed to prepare for publication all the matters pertaining to the bonds that would give the information desired to contemplated purchasers.

To be a good critic is to be a bad liar.

ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Voters of the Proposed Graded School District of the Town of Greenville.

Whereas, the General Assembly of North Carolina did on the 9th day of March, 1901, ratify an act entitled "An Act to Establish Graded Schools in the Town of Greenville, N. C.," if the qualified voters living within certain limits and constituted in said act as the Greenville Graded School District No. 1 shall vote to establish the same:

And whereas, the Board of Aldermen of said town at a meeting held on the 17th day of April, 1901, did, in accordance with said act, call said election to be held in said district on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1901, and did designate the Court House as the voting place for said election, and did appoint L. W. Lawrence Registrar, and J. G. Bowling and R. Hyman Judges of Election to conduct said election.

And whereas by said act a new registration of the qualified voters within said district is required to be had, notice is hereby given that the registration book in said district will be opened for the registration of the qualified voters at the voting place herein before named, from 2 o'clock p. m. to sunset on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday preceding said day of election, but such registration may be made on any other days previous at any other place in said district.

At said election all persons whose names are found upon the registration book shall be entitled to vote for or against establishing said graded schools. Those desiring to vote for it shall vote a written or printed ballot with the words "for school" upon it, and those desiring to vote against it shall vote a written or printed ballot with the words "against school" upon it.

Now, therefore, I, Joseph G. Moye, Mayor of the town of Greenville, in accordance with said act, do hereby issue this notice or proclamation calling said election to be held and conducted on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1901, for the purpose and in the manner prescribed in the aforesaid Act of the General Assembly.

Given under my hand at Greenville on this the 18th day of April, A. D. 1901. J. G. MOYE, Mayor.

The Governor Has Gained Nothing by Appointing Winston.

Mr. Winston is a well known politician. In his appointment [as judge] the Governor was evidently indifferent to the elements supposed to be essential to that quality designated as judicial. Mr. Winston was a member of the General Assembly increasing the number of judgeships. Ordinarily this should debar one from being appointed. We cannot avoid the impression that the Governor suffers a distant loss of prestige by this appointment.—Biblical Recorder.

When a fellow drops an unpleasant remark some other fellow is apt to pick it up.

Whether or not a fellow is crusty depends largely on how he has been bred.

Our Clothes Line

Never looked so good to us. No wonder I like to talk about it. But after all it is what you said about it, not what we have said.

Suits

for boys,
for youths,
for men,

Suits to suit the season and purse. Suits and single garments for all ages and sizes.

You know who sells the best

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

He sells Neckwear, Shoes, Hats and Ladies Shoes.

B. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT

R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

J. L. LITTL & Cashier

RE-ORGANIZED JUNE 15TH, 1896

STATEMENT OF

BANK OF GREENVILLE

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At close of business February 5th, 1901—Condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts \$152,623.83
Due from Banks and 56,284.93
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,921.85
Cash Items : : : 3,757.39
Cash : : : : 32,295.93
\$246,883.93

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Surplus and profits, (net) 10,024.34
Deposits : : : : 209,680.63
Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,334.46
Due Banks : : : : 794.50
\$246,883.93

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us

new goods arrived

We are now ready to serve you to your advantage in Dress Goods and Trimmings, White Goods, all kinds of Laces and Embroideries. Foulard Silk Dress Patterns from \$7.50 to \$10.00. Silk Waist Patterns from 75c to \$4.80. We have a complete line of Wash Silks which are beautiful.

See us for cheap Lawns and Wash Fabrics of all kinds from 5c to 25c per yard. Grass Linens in plain, striped and pocatot. For Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods we are up-to-date and rock bottom. Come to see us. Yours for business

RICKS & WILKINSON.

A STEP AT THE TIME.

Begin With the Shorter Ones and They Get Longer.

Early Acme Tomato Plants for sale by D. R. King.

The graded school election will be held on Tuesday, May 21st.

Letter copying books and carbon paper at Reflector Book Store.

We had better weather today than the forecast yesterday promised.

J. H. Dudley has moved into the Johnson house on Washington street.

Another lot of that nice paper in pound packages, cream and azure, at Reflector Book Store.

Attention is called to the notice to creditors by R. L. Davis, administrator of Mrs. L. T. Lang.

FOR RENT.—One room in the house where I reside.
W. F. HARDING.

Don't borrow your neighbor's paper. Subscribe for yourself and let us send you THE REFLECTOR.

The Parker manifold fountain pen is a new style of this celebrated make. They are at Reflector Book Store.

The Carolina Cafe will be reopened tomorrow under new management. Patronage of the public solicited.

The meeting that has been in progress in the Methodist church for more than two weeks closed Wednesday night.

The highest praise has been given me by those to whom I have sold the Standard Sewing Machine. S. M. SCHULTZ.

W. L. Cooper, representative of J. Van Lindley Nursery Co., of Pamona, N. C., is in Greenville making his headquarters at Hotel Macon. He will be in this section the next few weeks taking orders for all kinds of fruit and ornamental trees and flowers. Parties wishing to get the best stock should see him. A card left in postoffice or at the hotel will bring him to see you.

Lost the Whole Battery.

Wednesday night somewhere between his office and residence, the editor lost a three section leather pocket, for carrying pens and pencil, etc. A Parker fountain pen, pair of pocket scissors and two short pencils were lost in the pocket. The pen has been found, but the other articles are yet missing. The finder will do us a favor by returning them to THE REFLECTOR office, as it is an indispensable outfit for our work.

Graded School Election.

Wednesday night the Board of Aldermen, in compliance with the graded school act for this town adopted by the recent Legislature, ordered the election provided for in said act to be held on Tuesday, May 21st. L. W. Lawrence was appointed Registrar, and J. G. Bowling and R. Hyman Judges of the election, and the Court House was selected as the polling place.

The act defines certain bounds to comprise a graded school district, and a new registration of the qualified voters residing in said district is ordered.

Dr. Buckley thinks that Christian Science is the most dangerous heresy of the time. He is right, except that it is not very dangerous.—Raleigh Times.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having duly qualified before the Superior court Clerk of Pitt county as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. L. T. Lang deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned. And all persons having claims against said estate must present the same to the undersigned within twelve months from the date of this notice, or the same will be plead in bar of recovery.
This 17th day of April 1901.

R. L. DAVIS,
Administrator of Mrs. L. T. Lang.

GREAT SPRING SALE.

Read This.

The balance of the J. Boyer & Co., Media, Pa., stock of high grade

Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes, are placed on department tables and the prices will astound the commercial world. Nothing held back. Everything plainly marked and must go,

Read This.

\$10,000 WORTH of NEW

Spring Goods, just in and are thrown in this tremendous sale. We must have room & low prices will move them.

The sale now going on.

Corsets.

J. Boyer price 50 and 60
THIS Sale **29c**

Men Shoes

J. Boyer price \$2.50
THIS Sale **\$2.24**

Calicoes.

J. Boyer price 6c
THIS Sale **4c**
Only 12 yds to customer.

The Grandest Display Ever Seen Here.

Munford's Big New Store.

Artistically arranged, with color-blended with color, showing the prettiest and largest store Greenville has ever had. THE PROFITS NOT THOUGHT OF.

Remember this big sale is now going on at

Munford's Big New Store.

Men Hats.

J. Boyer's price \$2 to \$3
THIS Sale **98c**

Ladies Shoes.

J. Boyer's price \$1.50
THIS Sale **69c**

Sheeting.

J. Boyer's price 6c yard
THIS Sale **4 1-2c**
Only 19 yds to customer.

A Grand Chance For Genuine Bargains.

Mens Suits.

Worth \$5.00
THIS SALE **\$2.19**

Mens Pants.

Worth \$1.50 THIS SALE **79c**

Mens Neckties.

Worth 50c THIS SALE **25c**

Bedsteads.

\$3 kind THIS SALE **\$1.79**

Percalé Cuffs.

5c kind THIS SALE **1c**

Attention.

Everything Marked in Plain Figures.

Make no mistake but come and get the rare bargain offered you.

Our Terms

Goods sold for cash. Nothing sent out on approval. Spot cash over the counters. This sale for consumers only. Polite and attentive clerks.

Percalé Collars.

10c kind THIS SALE **3c**

Ladies Shoes.

\$1 value THIS SALE **49c**

Table Oil Cloth.

Worth 25c THIS SALE **15c**

Linen Collars.

4-ply worth 15 and 20c
THIS SALE **10c**

John J. Clarks Spool Cotton 2c
George A. Clarks 4c
To consumers only.

The Entire stocks, the J. Boyer stock and our immense stock of Spring Goods just received, are now

Thrown Together and Being Sold at a Low Cost.

Every department crowded and jammed and we have cut the prices to move them. They are going and you want to be among the first before they are picked over.

C. T. MUNFORD,

Big New Store. The Money Saver. Greenville, N. C.

A Picture Gallery



isn't more pleasing than our show of

white goods, embroideries and laces,

shining with snowy whiteness, and it costs but a small sum to possess a good share of them. It will be a pleasure to show them to you.

Truly,

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

IT TAKES NO TALK.

TO SELL A LADY A HAT WHEN SHE SEES THE EXACT

STYLE AND COLOR

SHOW HER THESE AND THE HAT SELLS ITSELF. THAT IS JUST WHAT I AM PREPARED TO DO. MY STOCK OF MILLINERY (THE LARGEST EVER BROUGHT TO GREENVILLE) IS NOW IN AND YOU WILL FIND THE STYLES

ABSOLUTELY - CORRECT.

Mrs. M. T. Cowell is in charge of my millinery department and if the hat you desire is not on hand one will be trimmed to suit your tastes while you wait.

Hats, Silks, Braids, Ornaments, Flowers, Ribbons, and everything in the milliners line.

H. C. HOOKER.

CAROLINA & VIRGINIA Telephone Company, Henderson N. C.

ESTABLISHED 1875. S. M. SCHULTZ.

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	85
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. Louisburg	40:30.	Winston	30

F. C. TOEPLERMAN, Gen. Supt.

L. H. Pender, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Tobacco Flues, Tin Roofing, &c. Expert Gunsmith employed. All kinds Gun and Locksmith work first class. Re-stocking of guns a specialty.

Agent for The Oliver Typewriter

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. Larrillard 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. Com to see me.

S. M. SCHULTZ Phone 55.

PERTAINS TO PEOPLE.

Those Coming and Going These Spring Days.

R. Greene went to Bethel today.
J. C. Lanier went to Tarboro today.
E. W. Pace, of Richmond, was here today.
W. A. West left this morning for Delaware.
J. B. Starkey has been quite sick for a few days.
Ed. H. Shelburn went up the road this morning.
A. J. Outerbridge returned this morning from Kinston.
J. J. Smith, Coast Line agent at Ayden, spent today here.
W. L. Cooper, representative of the J. Van Lindley Nursery Co, came in Wednesday evening.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina

Jacksonville had a \$40,000 fire Tuesday morning. The most of the business portion of the town was burned.

Hon. Dan Hugh McLean, of Harnett, will deliver the memorial address at Washington on the 10th of May.

There is one case of scarlet fever among the pupils of the A. & M. College at Raleigh. The case was promptly quarantined so that no other cases are feared.

Changes Too Frequent.

After all the fuss about the new revenue act some points seem to have remained in doubt. With a new revenue act every two years there will always be confusion. We would like to see a fairly good act in operation long enough for the people to learn something about it. As it is the taxpayer is kept in the dark nearly all the time, and doesn't know half the time if he isn't bamboozled out of more than his just share of the expenses of government.—Wilmington Dispatch.

More Pitt County Enterprise.

The Secretary of State has issued letters patent to the Ayden Milling and Manufacturing Company of Ayden, the purpose of the company being the ginning of cotton, handling grain, manufacturing and merchandising. The incorporators are Joseph W. Dixon, J. S. Hart, W. T. Summerell, E. G. Cox, J. J. Stokes, W. M. Forest, Charles Spicer, J. M. Dixon, J. J. Dail. The capital stock is \$10,000, with privilege to increase to \$25,000.

Summer Goods.

Today Mr. P. M. Johnson showed us some wire doors and window screens that are being manufactured by Mr. F. M. Hodges and himself and can be seen at the store of Ormond & Carr. The window screens are so made that they fit perfectly and can be raised or lowered as desired. They can be furnished at a lower price than other makes of these goods.

Mr. Johnson also had an electric fan on exhibition at J. L. Wooten's drug store. It will add comfort to the home, office or store to have one of these. Mr. Johnson can furnish these fans, door bells or any other electric supplies.

It has been decided that the Cramp ship building company will launch the new battleship Maine on Decoration Day. The survivors of the original Maine and widows and orphans of the sailors killed in Havana harbor will attend the launching.

New lot of nice tablets, ruled and unruled, at Reflector Book Store.

A. H. TAFT & CO'S Local Column.

New arrivals by every train and boat.
40 Rolls Chinese and Japanese Matting.
Pretty Lace Curtains 40c to \$4.00 pair.
Beautiful line Rocking Chairs just in.
New line Pictures on today's boat.
Beautify your dining room with one of our new Sideboards.
We have anything you want in Bedroom Suits.
It is conceded that we are the cheapest furniture men in N. C.
Want a Cook Stove? Want the best made? Then buy the famous Buck Stove, the best on earth, fully guaranteed.

We also have a good line of Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, &c at bottom prices. Respectfully,

A. H. TAFT & CO.

Look IN YOUR WARDROBE

and see if Your Suit need Cleaning or Repairing before coming out for spring wear. Now is the time to have this work done, and you may save the expense of buying another suit.

Paul Metrick, The Tailor.

Leave your laundry at J. S. Tuntall's store. Best work guaranteed. FRANK SKINNER. Agt. Wilmington Steam Laundry

No Excuse

Fashion is not everything, but there is no excuse for any woman wearing out-of-date clumsy footwear, when the

Queen Quality

Shoe For Women

is to be had at the same price. The most up-to-date and the finest fitting shoe made

Our Price Always Boots \$3.00,



Oxfords \$2.50.

See our new line of Oxfords. We have some "Fetching Styles."

Sold Exclusively by

C. S. Forbes GREENVILLE N. C.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED THE

Reflector Book Store

As one of the depositories for Public School Books in Pitt County. We handle the books designated on the State List for the public schools and can supply whatever you need. We also have

COPY BOOKS,

slant and vertical double ruled practice writing books tablets, fool's cap paper, pens, pencils, slates, white crayons, colored crayons, inks, companion boxes, etc.

The Famous Parker Fountain Pen

Writes Right Every Time.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TAKEN TO ALL

MAGAZINES.

And when it comes to

JOB PRINTING

The Reflector Office Can't Be Beat.