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This is Greenville's
Fastest Growing Store.

WHY?

BECAUSE no other store Anywhere is so diligent in the interests of the buying public to which it looks for support.

BECAUSE nothing but absolutely reliable merchandise is admitted here at any price--that point is of vital import.

BECAUSE the prices we ask are the lowest known to the merchandise world for goods of the quality we sell.

BECAUSE every sale that we make is backed by an absolute personal guarantee of satisfaction to the smallest detail.

BECAUSE every thing is done to promote your personal comfort while shopping, and to fulfill the most exacting requirements.

And so we might continue to name reason after reason almost without end. No really careful buyer will pass the offers we make without investigating them. Look at this double column full of Economy opportunities for this week:

White India Linen, White Persian Lawns, White Piques. The prices start at 54c and by an easy rising scale run up as high as 75c.

French, Austrian and Japanese Fans in all the latest new creations in Crepe paper, Silk Gause and all floral designs 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

Zephyr Dimities.

Something entirely new this season, and just as pretty as they are new. We could offer them as a bargain at 124c, but this week we say 84c.

American Made Percals.

Full 36 inches wide, new and attractive designs. No better American Percals to be found anywhere. Worth 124c. This week 8c

Burham Chaleys.

2,000 yards Chaleys that was never such pretty styles and designs at 10c. This week we say 8c.

National Lawns.

In 15 new and attractive designs such as never was put in anything but 15 and 20c lawns before, in natural linen color with red, blue, green and black stripe and dots. We can't buy any more this season at any price. As long as they last 6c.

As well be out of the World as out of Fashion.

For earliest knowing and possessing of authoritative things of fashion, keep yourself familiar with

Ricks & Wilkinson.

Winterville Department.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., May 14.

Mrs. Maggie Butts, from near Chocowinity, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary (aunt Polly) Smith this week. She is accompanied by her two little daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fair are spending the day in Greenville.

James Dawson, of Grifton, was here yesterday exhibiting a lock which he has recently invented and for which he proposes to secure a patent. The lock is rather complicated but no doubt a very useful article for certain purposes.

Everything is on the quiver preparatory for the commencement which begins tomorrow night by a sermon from the Rev. Livingstone Johnson. Large crowds and a good time generally is expected.

One of our Vanceboro customers came up Monday night and carried twenty sets of flues away Tuesday morning. He will have to repeat this several times before the season is over to move the many orders he has with us.—A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

Fannie Highsmith and wife, who have been visiting at Stokes, returned home Saturday evening. They were accompanied by Miss Dora Fleming, who is here in attendance of the commencement.

G. A. Kittrell, one of our young progressive truck farmers, is making daily shipments of cabbage to the northern markets. Friend George is a hustler, and don't you forget it.

Jno. Peele, of Roxobel, was here yesterday on his sixty day round. Very shortly after his arrival he was called to Ayden by telegram to sell a stock of goods in place of these recently burned out. This shows the popularity of our young friend as well as the house which he represents.

Walter Barfield, of Ayden, was here yesterday and purchased a new canning outfit of Mack G. Bryan. The canning industry seems to be exciting right much interest and is a growing industry among our people.

Miss Bessie Chapman went to Greenville Saturday and returned the same day.

G. W. Evans, one of the painters in the Hunsucker Carriage Company's shops, was taken sick last week and had to leave for his home in Greenville. We have not heard from him but hope he is better.

Hunsucker Carriage Company have received notice of an order for a car load of buggies to be shipped within the next sixty days.

Parties who have been notified through mail that their tobacco trucks are ready should either come at once or notify us promptly what action we shall take.—A. G. Cox Mfg Co.

New Postoffice.

A new postoffice to be known as Alwood has been established in the upper end of Carolina township, just beyond Grindel Creek on the Bethel road. The new office will begin operation about June 1st. Mr. J. E. Page will be postmaster.



We Shall Be Pleased
to See You. You Are
Always Welcome Here

About that Spring Suit. Of course you read the clothing advertisements in the newspapers, and you get in a quandary as to where you will buy the suit. We want all the patronage we possibly can get. We would like it if we had a cinch on all the clothing selling in Greenville. We certainly sell more clothing than any other store in town, and the only reason

we do not sell it all is because all the buyers do not come to see our goods and ascertain the real saving in prices. We are not offering \$18 suits for -7.50, nor \$15 suits for \$6, and we never advertise any such false inducements. This we do: WE SELL YOU A BETTER SUIT OF CLOTHES FOR \$7.50, \$10, \$12 or \$15 than you can buy anywhere else for the same price.

By comparison you will find this to be true. The same ratio of saving applies on our Boys' and Children's Clothing. You will find our prices on Furnishings much more reasonable than others, while in Hats we save you 50c to \$1. If you investigate, we will add one more customer to our growing trade.

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

R. L. DAVIS, President

R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

J. L. LITTLE, Cashier

Bank of Greenville, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business April 30th, 1902, condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$113,931.14	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	1,041.98	Surplus,	10,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	2,093.85	Undivided Profits less	
Due from Banks	104,232.57	Expenses Paid	8,275.69
Cash Items	421.78	Deposits	201,604.69
Cash	23,159.06		
	\$244,880.38		\$244,880.38

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Writes Right Every Time.

D. J. WHIGHARD, Editor.

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One year \$3.00
One month .25
One week .10

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Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

We desire a live correspondent in 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.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1902.

Mr. Dennis Simmons, of Williamston, died Tuesday morning in St. Vincent's hospital, at Norfolk, where he had gone for treatment. He was 75 years old and had been a man of great use to his section and State.

Elsewhere in this issue appears an endorsement of the Greenville Bar of Hon. L. I. Moore for Solicitor of this district. Mr. Moore has served as Solicitor for four years and has in every way proven a most acceptable officer, faithful to every duty and always looking for the best interest of the State. Pitt is the only one of the old counties in his former district that is in the new district, and in presenting him to other counties as a candidate it is done with the belief that no better man for Solicitor can be found. The only other probable candidate we have heard suggested is from New Bern, but as that city already has the Judge of this district, a Congressman and also the President of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad, it could well afford to withdraw in favor of Greenville's candidate, especially since we offer a man who has been thoroughly tried and found capable and worthy to the highest degree.

Our Only Volcano.

Omaha, Neb., May 12.—After a silence of thirty years Mount Iona, the only volcano in the United States, is today sending out smoke and steam, and some of the people in the surrounding country say low grumbings can be heard. These reports are brought from Cedar county, Nebraska, where the little mountain is situated, by travelers who say that the settlers in the neighborhood are panic stricken and are hurrying to leave. The mountain is situated on the Missouri river, 150 miles above Omaha, and while not of great height is high compared with the surrounding country. It has been for years a sacred place with the Indians, and it was near there that the last big sun dance was held in 1878. No Indian will go to the mountain itself, as it has long been known to them as the hill of fire.

Lewis and Clarke, in their exploring expeditions in 1807, landed at the place and reported to the government that they had discovered a small volcano on the banks of the Missouri. Geologists have said that the smoke is caused by water sweeping through the limestone formation of the mountain, but the people are fearful of an eruption and are preparing to move.

WE WERE ON
the right side of the flour market. The quality of our leading brand will please you--the price will tickle.

We carry heavy and fancy groceries.
HEARNE & COMPANY,
GROCERS.

L. I. MOORE FOR SOLICITOR.

To The Democracy of the Third Judicial District:

The undersigned members of the Pitt County Bar beg leave to present their fellow county man, the Hon. L. I. Moore, to the Democracy of the Third Judicial District, for the nomination of Solicitor of the District to succeed himself.

Mr. Moore was nominated and elected Solicitor of the third District in 1898, then composed of the counties, of Martin, Pitt, Wilson, Nash, Franklin and Vance. His administration of the office was so acceptable we have reason to believe that he would have been re-nominated without opposition if the District had remained as it was.

The Legislature of 1901 in changing the Judicial Districts of the State, found it necessary to disconnect Pitt from the other counties with which it had been associated and to group it with Greene, Craven, Pamlico, Carteret and Jones. In this way Mr. Moore was taken away from the counties in which his work had been done, and in which he had made hosts of friends and acquaintances, and his re-nomination made to depend upon people who were comparative strangers to him.

We know the people of the counties with which Pitt is now associated, and we know them to be a noble, generous and just people, and we think we risk nothing in submitting the claims of our fellow county man to their sense of justice. Mr. Moore has held the Fall and Spring Courts in these counties and we feel confident that he has so demeaned himself among them as to win their confidence.

We therefore appeal to the Democracy of his new District to give him what he would unquestionably have received in his old District a renomination to the office of Solicitor of the District.

THOS. J. JARVIS,
F. G. JAMES,
WM. H. LONG,
ISAAC A. SUGG,
ALEX. L. BLOW,
HARRY W. WHEDBEE,
WM. F. HARDING,
F. C. HARDING,
JAS. L. FLEMING,
B. F. TYSON.

BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., May 13, 1902.

C. H. James left Monday for up the road on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carson of this place left Sunday to visit friends in Rocky Mount this week.

Dr. R. J. Nelson and wife of Everettes spent Sunday here.

Dave House, of House, spent Saturday night and Sunday in town.

Miss Bennie Mooring, near Greenville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Perlie Edmondson.

Misses Lizzie and Minnie Moore spent Monday night with Miss Maggie Nelson.

Rev. Mr. Whiteside, of Wake Forest, held services here Sunday

and Sunday night in the Baptist church. He will preach for us the remainder of the year. His sermons did much good Sunday and Sunday night. We hope he will remain longer and may much good be accomplished from his sermons.

Rev. Samuel Moore left here Monday for a trip. He will return in about a month.

J. M. Lloyd left Monday for Pinners Point, Va.

Russell Barnhill, of Newport News, passed through Tuesday morning.

Miss Effie Grimes and little sister, Addie Lee, spent Friday in Tarboro.

Miss Lill Whitehead, of Conetoe, spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Mayo.

W. J. Whitehurst and family spent Sunday in the country.

J. W. Thomas left Sunday for Mt. Olive on a visit.

Harry Freeman spent Sunday in Tarboro.

W. C. Nelson spent Sunday in Tarboro.

W. R. Bullock spent Sunday in the country.

Miss Nina Grimes spent Monday night with Misses Rella and Lela Rose.

W. J. Smith, of Parmele, spent Sunday here.

Falling in love is much more pleasant than to have a falling out.

The people who look out for their own rights seldom get left.

Base Ball.

Tuesday's games in the State league resulted as follows:

At Raleigh:
Raleigh 8, Greensboro 0.

At Wilmington:
Charlotte 8, Wilmington 7.

At Durham:
New Bern 8, Durham 0.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Raleigh	7	1	.875
Charlotte	5	3	.625
Greensboro	4	4	.500
New Bern	4	4	.500
Durham	3	5	.375
Wilmington	1	7	.125

— 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. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, Henry George Cigar, 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, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

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Freckles

show more plainly than a brunettes, but these discolored spots greatly mar the beauty of either.

HAGAN'S
MAGNOLIA
BALM

will effectually remove Freckles, Sunburn, Tan, undue Redness, Sallowiness and all other blemishes to beauty.

IT IS A LIQUID

for the face, neck, arms and hands.

Can be easily and quickly applied.

Others cannot detect its use.

It leaves no sticky feeling.

Harmless as water.

At all druggists.

Price 75 cts.

DIRECTORY

CHURCHES

BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. J. N. Booth, pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. M. A. Allen superintendent.

METHODIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. H. M. Eare, 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. F. 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.

CHRISTIAN.—Preaching second, and fourth Sundays in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor. Sunday school 3:00 P. M., W. R. Parker, superintendent.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services

LODGES

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

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. L. H. Pender, N. G. W. S. Atkins, sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. C. S. Forbes, C. C.; C. L. Wilkinson, K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council, No. 1696, meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, Secretary, J. S. Tunstall, Regent.

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.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

AS WIRED BY

J. W. PERRY & COMPANY,
Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va.

COTTON:

Closed Today. Yesterday

Strict Middling	9½	9½
Middling	9½	9½
St. Low Middling	9½	9½
Low Middling	9	9½

PEANUTS:

Fancy	3½	3½
Strictly Prime	3	3
Prime	2½	2½
Low Grades	2½	2½

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL
FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY
Cotton Buyers and Brokers,
Norfolk, Va.

New York Futures:

	Closed	Today	Yesterday
May		9.19	9.08
July		9.05	8.88

Liverpool Futures.

May & June	4.56	4.61
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Chicago Markets:

July Wheat	75½	76½
May Ribs	9.80	9.70
May Corn	62½	62½

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.
Today. Yesterday.
Middling 9 9

Brick For Sale

We are making a large quantity of good Brick, and will fill orders as cheap as they can be had.

GARDNER & BRO.
Bethel, N. C.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

For N. C.—Partly cloudy and cooler tonight, probably showers in Eastern portion. Thursday fair.

A STEP AT THE TIME.

Begin With the Shorter Ones and They Get Longer.

Daisy Letter Files at Reflector Book Store.

Kingan's breakfast strips at Hearne & Co's.

Cooking butter 20c per pound at Hearne & Co's.

Beeswax—High Cash Price paid by Sam'l M. Schultz.

New lot nice Tablets and Box Papers at Reflector Book Store.

Don't wait, go now and get a good seat to see Santiago at Burch's.

I am going to see Santiago, are you? Why certainly. Seats at Burch's now.

Santiago is the best play that has ever been produced on the American stage.

Miss Mabel Palmer, the clever little actress, will sing and dance in Santiago. Go see her

Farmers in all sections of the county say tobacco plants are suffering for want of rain.

The Greenville Steam Laundry is doing good work. Try it and help support a home enterprise.

Hearne & Co. sell provisions and family groceries.

The usual prayer meetings will be held in the Baptist, Christian and Methodist churches tonight.

When in need of anything in the tinning or plumbing line write to Moore & Parrott, Kinston N. C.

Hello! Where are you going Thursday? to see Santiago. Tickets are now on sale at Burch's and are going fast.

We want a good large fire-proof safe and some show cases. No objection to second hand ones. J. R. Smith & Bro., Ayden, N. C.

Mrs. J. A. Davis, whose millinery store at Ayden was burned Sunday morning, has opened for the present in the Gardner store with J. R. Smith & Bro.

The Greenville and Chocowinity teams will play a game of baseball here next Monday at the new ball grounds. An admission of 25 cents will be charged.

Hardy Harrington, the colored man who was shot by his son at Parker's Cross Roads, Saturday night, died Tuesday morning. The boy has disappeared.

BLACK JACK ITEMS.

BLACK JACK, N. C., May 13, 1902.

Mrs. Linier Dixon and little son spent Saturday night with Mrs. L. H. White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark left Friday for Conetoe and Tarboro to be gone several days.

Quite a number of people attended church at Union Chapel in Beaufort county last Sunday.

Dr. Ricks and the proprietor of the Hotel at Shelmerdine were here a short while Saturday.

Our Literary Society had its election Friday night the following officers were elected: President W. H. Wynne, Vice-President, Jesse Smith, Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Dixon.

Mrs. Joe Laughinghouse (formerly Miss Sudie Spain) died here Sunday morning. She leaves a husband, mother, a sister and one child to mourn their loss. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. L. C. Mills and little son has gone to visit Mrs. Mills' sister on Clay Root.

Miss Maggie Smith, attended church at Red Banks last Sunday.

Little Amie Wilks has been quite sick for the past few days.

Mrs. J. A. Gaskins and Mrs. J. S. Hardee spent Saturday and Sunday in Winterville.

Be Sure to See our SUPERB LINE SPRING AND SUMMER Grand and Gorgeous

White and Dress Goods, Laces and Embroideries, Silks, &c. Everything New up to Date

THREE STORES FULL OF BARGAINS.

C. T. MUNFORD'S.

The Big Store.

Greenville, N. C.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

At present in the H. C. Hooker store, Mrs. M. T. Cowell in charge. Big line choice Pattern Hats just from New York. New goods arriving daily.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We are now ready for an inspection by the ladies. We have a complete and up-to-date line in Dress Goods, Fine Trimmings, Silks, Satins, Laces, Embroideries, Velvets, Ribbons, White Goods, &c., Etamines, Minstrel cloth, Grenadines and all the newest

Skirt Goods.

Have you seen those superb

Lace Curtains

s not come in and look. Those at your window are nearly worn out, come before the newest patterns are sold. Prices attract, Quality decides. Look as closely to quality as you do to prices. Measure your purchases by the satisfaction they yield and you will say this is the best place in Greenville to buy goods.

J. B. Cherry & Co.

The Only Department Store in
GREENVILLE.

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	80:27.	Washington	20
13. Hillsboro	55:28.	Weldor	40
14. Littleton	40:29.	Wilson	30
15. Louisville	40:30.	Winston	90

F. C. TOEPLERMAN,
Gen. Supt.

Low Rates to Charleston Exposition via Atlantic Coast Line.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company announces the following low rates to Charleston S. C., on account of the South Carolina inter state and West Indian exposition. Charleston, S. C. Dec. 1st, 1901 to June 1st 1902.

The following rates apply from Greenville, N. C.

\$11.35 Tickets to be sold daily until and including May 31st 1902. continuous passage final limit ten (10) days in addition to date of sale.

\$15.45 Tickets to be sold daily until and including May 31st 1902. continuous passage final limit June 3rd 1902.

For tickets, Pullman reservation and any further particulars write or call on

H. M. EMERSON,
Gen. Pass. Agt. Wilmington, N. C.
J. R. MOORE,
Ag't. Greenville, N. C.

J. S. HARTSELL,
Trav. Pass. Ag't. Tarboro. N. C.

J. E. Francis,

Boot and Shoe Maker,
Greenville, N. C.

Boots and Shoes made to order on short notice. All kinds of repair work done promptly. Shop in rear of Forbes building, on Fifth street, opposite Hotel Bertha

Spring Coming.

And you will soon want lighter clothing. How about that

Last Spring Suit

you placed away for another season? Get it out now and bring it down for a cleaning and overhauling. Can make it look like a new suit. Don't wait until warm weather brings on the rush but come while you can be served promptly. Any kind of tailor work done.

PAUL METRICK,
The Tailor.

Brick For Sale

I have plenty No. 1, hand made brick. I can furnish at Greenville at short notice at reasonable figures.

S. LUCAS.
Wilson, N. C.

Electric Bells a Convenience

I am prepared to put in electric door and call bells. Parties desiring them can obtain prices by applying to Central Telephone office.

H. P. HILL.

S. J. NOBLES,
FASHIONABLE BARBER.
On Main street, Opposite J. B. Cherry & Co. Good clean work guaranteed.

THE UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP

has moved from Five Points and located next door to Ed. H. Shelburn's. Come give us a call, we think we can please you.

J. H. DAVIS.

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 to 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.
EDMUNDS & FLEMING
Opposite Munford's Big Store.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Those Who are Passing This Way.

R. L. Smith went to Norfolk today.

W. L. Wooten went to Fremont today.

H. W. Whedbee left today for Tarboro.

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

Jesse Speight returned Tuesday evening from a courting trip.

J. L. Sugg and little daughter Minnie, went to Farmville this morning.

U. S. Attorney Harry Skinner returned Tuesday evening from court at Wilmington.

Mrs. W. R. Smith, of Hassell, who has been visiting friends here, returned home this morning.

E. L. Tate, of Greensboro, came in Tuesday evening to take a position as foreman of THE REFLECTOR.

Revs. F. G. Bishop and H. M. Eure left this morning for Fremont to attend the District conference that will be held there this week.

Mrs. W. F. Burch and little son Ferrell, left this morning for Baltimore, where she was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Williams, who is very sick.

Dr. Hyatt, of Kinston, who has been here a few days, returns home this evening. He tells us that he intends to visit Greenville regularly hereafter, perhaps as often as four times a year. He has many friends and patients in this section.

BID ON A HORSE.

And Thought he Had One Too Many.

Dr. Charles Laughinghouse was riding down the street, Tuesday afternoon, and stopped in front of one of the stores. Messrs. A. L. Taft and Will Hearne began admiring the doctor's horse, and jocularly saying how much they would give for the animal. They got to bidding against each other, and just as Mr. Taft raised Mr. Hearne to \$142.50, Dr. Laughinghouse, who had become a silent listener to the bidding, stepped out of his buggy and said "that bid gets the horse."

Mr. Taft thinking this was taking a rather serious turn remarked "I didn't think you wanted to part with such a nice horse as that."

"Never mind about that," said Dr. Laughinghouse, "I have another and can part with one. I will carry the buggy home and send the horse around to you and call back for a check," and before Mr. Taft could reply the doctor had stepped back in the buggy and driven away.

When Mr. Taft went home to supper the horse was tied in front of his gate. The situation now began to look so serious that he put off in haste to find the doctor and explain that the bidding on the horse was all a joke. Dr. Laughinghouse knew it was a joke, but humored it just far enough to make Mr. Taft quite uneasy that he had a horse on his hands.

Commencements.

THE REFLECTOR acknowledges an invitation to the decennial commencement of the State Normal and Industrial College, at Greensboro, May 25-27.

Miss Ada L. Tyson, a member of the graduating class, sends us an invitation to the commencement exercises of Claremont College, Hickory, May 17-21.

Back From Wilson.

The Osceola Band returned Tuesday evening from Wilson where they had been to make music for the Memorial exercises and unveiling of the Confederate monument. The boys received much praise for their excellent music and report a delightful trip.



Oxford Ties and Strap Sandals

Our Spring and Summer line has caught the town. There is no fashionable shape or color, no idea of newness in shoes that is not first found in our line. We ORIGINATE—others imitate—and while they copy appearance and price they cannot approach our "Fetching Styles."

We have all styles, all leathers and all prices at
75cts, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, and \$2.50.

Attractive Styles, Fashionable Shapes and Low Prices are three essentials that you will always find at our Store.

CSJ. Forbes
GREENVILLE, N. C.

A. H. TAFT & CO.

Furniture Department

Complete in every line.

Best and largest line of Side Boards on the market.

Prettiest line of Suits in town.

Hall Racks all prices.

Best line of Chairs ever offered on this market.

Big line of Matting just arrived.

Lace Curtains all prices.

Curtain Poles all kinds.

We sell the Celebrated

Buck Stoves and Ranges.

Best Made. Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded. Call on us for any of the above and we will please you.



Mr. Flanagan Responds.

Mr. E. G. Flanagan is in attendance upon the Undertakers Convention at Raleigh. In the News & Observer's report of the proceedings of the convention we find this interesting item about our townsman:

"Mr. E. G. Flanagan, of Greenville, responded to Mr. Broughton's welcome in a beautifully worded and most appropriate speech, expressing the grateful appreciation of the delegates of the kind and hearty hospitality extended."

Died.

Jimmie Forbes, aged 11 years, son of Mrs. Nannie Forbes, three miles from Greenville, died of meningitis at 4 o'clock this morning. He had been sick only a few days.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, Jr., of Ayden, died last night and was buried today.

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