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LETTER TO W. M. SMITH.

Greenville, N. C.

Dear Sir: The late president of the Croton River bank, at Brewsters, N. Y. built the finest house in all that region, in 1884, and painted it with lead-and-oil at a cost of \$400—the house cost \$31,000.

In 1887—three years—he repainted it with Devos at a cost of \$350. In 1897 this paint was in good condition.

Lead-and oil, \$400, three years. Devos \$350, ten years.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOS & Co.

P. S. H. L. Carr sells our paint.

Recital.

Miss Eva Miller, an elocutionist of wide reputation, will give an entertainment in the graded school chapel, Tuesday night, for the benefit of the school equipment.

The program will begin at 9 o'clock. Seats on sale at Sheppard's, prices 35, 25 and 15.

THE MEETING.

Sunday a Day of Great Interest.

Sunday was a day of rejoicing to many Christian hearts in Greenville. Rev. J. E. Hutson, who is conducting the meeting in the Baptist church, held three services in which great interest was shown. He talked to the young people of the Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preached at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. There was a large number of professions at the meeting in the Sunday school, and also some at the other services.

Twelve persons were received into the membership of the church and nine of these were baptised by Rev. A. T. King in the afternoon, a very large crowd gathering at the river to witness it.

The meeting continues this week with morning and night services in the church, and a cottage prayer meeting for women at 3 o'clock each afternoon.

Painting the Capitol.

No piece of exterior painting during the past decade has attracted more favorable attention than that which is soon to be completed on the National Capitol. Some fifteen hundred gallons of paint will be applied by a force of eighteen men working about two months. The job is fraught with dangers and difficulties owing to the very irregular contour of the architecture. It is said that one or two of the popular magazines are to print feature articles, showing how the work was done. If such is the case no master-painter should fail to study the methods employed. The paint used is of the ready-mixed order, and was specially prepared by Messrs. Harrison Bros. & Co., Inc. It is said that the firm was aided in securing this valuable contract by the fine reputation enjoyed by their "Town & Country" brand of ready-mixed paints. That the Capitol looks much better than it has in many years is a matter of comment in Washington. It is said that one of the best known architects in the country was so impressed by the improved appearance of the Capitol that he sent congratulations to the Messrs. Harrison on the excellent quality of the paint—From the Paint, Oil and Drug Reporter, July, 1903.

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TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.

The Best Meeting of The Year.

The Pitt County Teachers Association met Saturday morning in the graded school building. The opening exercises were conducted by Rev. W. E. Powell who spoke very impressively of the teacher's work.

Model class work was conducted as follows:

Primary work, Miss Annabel Moore; language lessons, Miss Mattie Moore; arithmetic, Miss Eula Cox.

Prof. G. E. Lineberry spoke briefly of a teacher's duty in daily preparation.

"Hints on teaching geography" was the subject of a paper read by Miss Mary Hodges.

A paper on the art of questioning was read by Prof. B. T. Cowper, principal of Williamston graded school.

"What do I get from these meetings?" was responded to by Misses Mattie Grimes, Tessie Speight and Deelia Smith and Prof. W. P. Cameron and F. C. Nye.

The class work was excellent as were also the papers read, and very happy and thoughtful were the short talks at the close, especially those of the ladies. This was admitted to be the best meeting of the year.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

Mrs. Dora Quinn is quite sick. Ollen Cobb went to Washington Sunday.

J. F. Smith spent Sunday in Tarboro.

D. C. James went up the road Sunday.

S. V. Priddy, of Durham, is in town.

W. S. Atkins went to Tarboro Sunday.

E. G. Landis went to Ayden Sunday evening.

V. J. Lee, of Norfolk, came in Sunday evening.

B. L. Tyson returned this morning from Kinston.

C. V. York left this morning for Morehead City.

S. W. Chamberlain, of Kinston, spent today here.

Mrs. J. A. Brady left this morning for Wilmington.

E. A. Taft, who has been sick a few days, was out today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith spent Sunday at Robersonville.

C. T. Munford returned Sunday evening from Edenton.

Miss Irma Cobb returned today to Peace Institute at Raleigh.

Miss Lela Tripp returned Saturday from a visit to Washington.

Miss Nancye Coward left Saturday evening for a visit to Ayden.

Miss Donie Abrams returned this morning from a visit to Winterville.

Mrs. W. L. Bilbro and Miss Delia Smith, of Ayden, spent Saturday here.

W. H. Dail, of Snow Hill, came over Sunday to visit his son, W. H. Dail, Jr.

E. A. Coward returned this morning from a trip over in Greene county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Harris returned Sunday evening from a visit to Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynster Davis, of Fort Barnwell, spent Sunday with Mrs. L. H. Rountree.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, came in Saturday evening to be here a few days.

Miss Ethel Lincoln, who is attending school at Kinston, came over Sunday to visit her father.

Mrs. J. F. Smith came up this morning from Winterville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abrams.

Misses Lena and Georgia Anderson left Saturday evening for Ayden and returned this morning.

Miss Sallie E. Cox, of Grifton, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Saturday evening.

Misses Kate Chapman and Helen Galloway, of Winterville, spent Saturday here and returned on the evening train.

Mrs. Lucy Abbotte, of Grifton, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Rountree, returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Mollie Bryan, of Winterville, spent Saturday here with Mrs. W. O. Barnhill, and returned home on the evening train.

Miss B. M. Prince, Jr., of Ellore, S. C. and Miss Nora Smith, of Ayden, who has been visiting Misses Lena and Georgia Anderson, returned home Saturday evening.

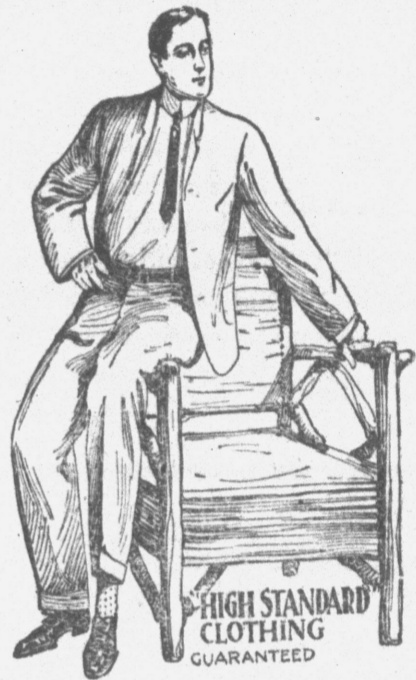
Attention Masons.

There will be a special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M. tonight for work. WILEY BROWN, Sec.

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Many new and pretty styles are seen in the gathering of Lawns and Prints. Indeed it would be more correct to say that every one of them are new and pretty. They are from the leading manufacturers and their quality is fully equal to their beauty. All the standard Dress Goods in Lawns, Percales and Prints are shown. The patterns are dainty, the colors rich and lasting, the prices are wonder workers.

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MONDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 11, 1904.

It looks more and more like Parker will be the man.

These people who invested 10 cents per share in Mr. Vife's gold mine, with the expectation of getting \$1 for it in 30 days, are not yet letting the public know how fast they are getting rich.

The Durham Herald says "All are good men but of course the man who wins will be the best." Not necessarily. Haven't you heard the old jingle. "There are just as good fishes that swim in the sea as ever we manage to take?"

Mr. Roosevelt says "there is nothing in the republican record to defend." Right there is where he and many other people differ. If there ever was a party on the defensive it looks like the republican party is now in that position, with many department frauds, graftings and such on its hands to explain.

The Raleigh Times condones the fact that arrangements with the railroads to take the North Carolina Press Association to the St. Louis exposition are about to fail. In that case the brethren can stay at home, walk, or "pay the price," which ever suits them best. If any of them decide to walk it would be advisable to start early.

The Maple Sugar Industry.

Judge Neal returned a few days ago from Boone, where he had been holding court. He spoke of the maple sugar and maple syrup industry in the mountains. It seems that the sugar maple thrives in high altitudes in North Carolina and if the subject was given some attention by our merchants, it is probable that a very good business could be developed in the production of maple sugar in this state for the markets. Judge Neal saw a number of boxes of maple sugar for sale at very cheap prices and said that it was a very common thing for the people about Boone and Blowing Rock to make maple syrup for their own use. Attention was called some time ago to the extent to which buckwheat was raised in the mountains of North Carolina. The buckwheat and the maple syrup would naturally go to the same markets. There are probably a great many people who don't know that maple sugar, maple syrup and buckwheat are common farm products in our mountains and if a knowledge of the subject could be better disseminated our own markets might be supplied with purer articles than we import from other states, and a good business might be developed in shipping these products. It would be very advantageous to the mountain population, if, through the merchants of Lenoir, Blowing Rock, Boone and other places the demand for these articles could be made by orders sent to the home producers instead of having all orders sent to Vermont, or other distant points. The probabilities are that any merchant in one of the mountain towns could take an order for execution for any one or all of these three things.—Charlotte Chronicle

The Relations of Boys and Girls.

In the May Delinicator there is a paper by Lillie Hamilton French contains much sensible advice to which mothers of marriageable

sons, and to mothers in law. The following paragraph on the antagonism that is fostered between boys and girls in childhood is worth quoting.

"Just like a boy," or "just like a girl," one or the other is perpetually told, and always in the way of reproach. When the boy displays an undue feeling, some one says to him: "Your mother ought to put you in petticoats." When the little girl tries to throw a ball, she is told that the boys will laugh at her. The war of the sexes begins then and goes ceaselessly on. Why should these things be so? Boys and girls are in this world to grow up together, to take their places side by side, as parents and as guides to the generations coming after them. You perhaps, afraid to say so to your children, afraid of putting ideas into their heads. You find it easier to leave them to be taken unawares by newly awakened emotions, which plunge them into matrimony before they even know what its responsibilities entail, leaving them, as unhappy married people, to flounder away, as best they can, out of their own mistakes."

The physicians of Pitt county in Convention assembled announce that their Black List will be placed in the hands of the publishers by May 1st. Any one indebted to a physician for medical service not best settle their account prior to this date and avoid being placed upon the list. D-Sw-24 to 1.

If a young man has money some girl is sure think him clever.

When a man gets stuck on a porous plaster the parting is naturally painful.

No Gloss Carriage Paint Mad. will wear as long as Devoe's. No others are as heavy bodied, because Devoe's weigh 3 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by H. L. Carr.

Best Cough Medicine for Children

When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. It is also a certain preventive and cure for croup, and there is no danger whatever from whooping cough when it is given. It has been used in many epidemics of that disease with perfect success. For sale by Wootens Drug Store Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros. Farmville.

NOTICE.

Partition Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

Pursuant to an order of the Superior court of Pitt county rendered on the 22nd day of March, 1904, in an action therein pending entitled C. T. Langley vs Seldon Langley and C. D. Poundtree Guar. ad Litem for Seldon Langley, for partitions of the lands herein after described, ordering a resale of the said lands. The undersigned commissioner will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Greenville, N. C. on Monday the 25th day of April, 1904, at 12 o'clock, M.; it being the first day of a term of the Superior court of said county, the following described lands to wit: Beginning at a stake on the Tarboro road, corner of lot No. 5 in the Thos. Daniel division running south 84 W. 147 poles with the line to a stake in the Davenport line, then with said Davenport line south 24 W. 164 poles to a pine on Youngs Ridge, thence with the Daniel Hill line 128 poles to Whichards Road thence with said Road North 83 E. 60 poles to a pine stump on south edge of the Tarboro Road, thence up North 24 W. 66 poles and 9 inches, to the beginning. Containing 83 acres more or less. March the 25th 1904, H. L. Gibbs, Commissioner.



Here's the New Millinery for Spring

Nothing but admiration---nothing but praise is heard of the Hats and Toques we've assembled. It's distinctly unique, this remarkable collection, first, because of the striking and exclusive styles, again, since the world's most famed artists are liberally represented. The creation of our own workroom, in style and quality, equal to that any exclusive milliners would charge twice as much.

Dress Goods. EVERY WEAVE KNOWN TO WOMANKIND IN WOOL, SILK AND WOOL, COTTON FABRICS. WE HAVE THEM

4300 Yards Sea Island Percales 36 in wide, 10c

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We have this to say to the man who has been paying \$40 to \$65 for a Sack Suit made to his order: "Come to our Custom Tailoring Store, and we will make you a Spring Suit from equally handsome, distinctive materials, with just as much and as correct style and as good fit, for \$25 to \$35."

Take Thought for Your Spring Footwear

And remember, while doing so, that it is but the beginning of a long season, and that the shoes you buy now should be bought with a long look ahead. Look as far as you like, if Munford shoes are your starting point. Comfort and style, to begin with, both important factors, and, in addition, the satisfactory lasting qualities that are emphasized by continued wear. Whether you pay \$1.90 or \$5, you don't get any variation in sturdy durability, its mainly the material used.



CARPETS! Reversible Carpet. The Sultana Carpet. A brand new idea. Never before shown in Greenville. Sultana Carpet is unlike most floor covering, in that it is reversible, with carpet effect on one side for winter and matting effect on the other side for summer. Absolutely non-fadable, vermin and moth proof sanitary, in fact

this carpet will wash, color fast, colors absolutely warranted not to run. Enough said. Challenge price.

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A Thoughtful Man. M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind. knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at Wootens Drug Store.

Saved His Leg. P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cts. Sold by J. L. Wootens Drug Store

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Factory situated by the railroad just North of the Imperial Tobacco Factory. All kinds of dressed lumber, mouldings, turned and scroll work. All machinery new and up to-date and of the best make. Plans furnished and contracts taken for erection of buildings. Tinning, Slating, Guttering and all kinds of sheet metal work. Our Tin shop is next door to Shelburn's Mr. R. L. Wyatt has charge of our tinning and slating department. You will find him a master of his trade. We ask for our share of the public patronage and will do our best to give satisfaction. 'PHONE 159.

The Best Family Salve.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel gives instant relief from Burns, cures Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Eczema, Tetter and all abrasions of the skin. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's and a cure is certain. There are many cheap counterfeits on the market, all of which are worthless, and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Coward & Patrick was this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. A. Coward selling his interest in the business to B. F. Patrick, and all interest and liability of E. A. Coward in said business is assumed by B. F. Patrick. This 14th of March, 1904.

E. A. COWARD.
B. F. PATRICK.

Having purchased the interest of E. A. Coward in the firm of Coward & Patrick, I will be associated with my son, B. F. Patrick, and we will continue the business at the same stand under the firm name of B. F. Patrick & Co. Thanking all for their patronage to the old firm, we hope with the best goods and prompt attention to merit a continuance of your favors.

B. F. PATRICK

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Phone 55

A Great Sensation

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind. when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store. Trial bottles free.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful ointment." For sale by Wooten's Drug Store Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros. Farmville.

A Cure for Headache.

Any man, woman or child, suffering from headache, biliousness or a dull, drowsy feeling should take one or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers night and morning. These famous little pills are famous because they are a tonic as well as a pill. While they cleanse the system they strengthen and rebuild it by their tonic effect upon the liver and bowels. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

Makes A Clean Sweep

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Sores, Bruises, Cuts, Blisters, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by Wooten's Drug Store.

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J. L. O'Quinn & Co
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A TENDERFOOT'S SCARE

(Original.) Down in the southwest there was a noted desperado named Billy the Kid. He was a real character and had a record more remarkable than anything that could very well be conjured up in fiction, though he came to the same end as all desperadoes. Long after Billy had been put out of the way it occurred one evening to Ben Hicks, who was a good deal of a practical joker, to play the part of the famous bandit. Ben got a number of hangers on in the town where he lived, the scene of some of the Kid's most famous operations, men who would do almost anything for the drinks, to play the subordinate characters to his "leading man." The coach had just come in; a gentleman from the east alighted and after supper lit a cigar and strolled about the town. One of the confederates approached him and entered into conversation.

"Like the country, stranger?"

"Like it? Oh, yes, so far as I have gone. I haven't seen much of it as yet."

"Fine country, but some of the people are mighty tough. See that feller over there with his corduroys tucked in his boots and his sombrero pulled down over his eyes? Sulky lookin', ain't he? Well, that's Billy the Kid."

"Is that Billy the Kid?" exclaimed the stranger. "I thought he was dead."

"Don't you believe it," replied the informant. "They reported him shot to keep strangers from stayin' away from here, but Billy's too quick and too dangerous to be caught."

"Good gracious!" said the stranger, paling.

"I tell you what you do," said the informant. "If you want to be sure of bein' let alone, just treat him, that's all. Billy is a man of honor in some ways and has never been known to meddle with a man he has drank with."

The result of this advice was that the stranger invited Billy to drink, who said he never drank except in a crowd, and the gang was included in the invitation.

The ruse worked so well that it was kept up occasionally for months with other arrivals, and in some cases the stranger was induced by various devices to keep the crowd supplied with liquor for a whole evening. One day a young tenderfoot arrived and was "coached" about Billy, as usual. He looked at the sulky desperado with a good deal of curiosity.

"Would he fight fair, do you think?" asked the tenderfoot.

"Fair? Oh, yes; he would with a gentleman like you, but ordinary people he'd shoot in the back."

"Well," said the tenderfoot, "I think I'll go in and get something to eat."

The steerer went to Billy and the gang and reported that the stranger needed prodding. So when he came out Billy went up to him with a swagger and asked if he was the man who had said that he wouldn't fight fair. The tenderfoot stated the matter right, but his statement was not accepted, whereupon the stranger told him that he would give him an opportunity to show that he could and would fight fair. "I'm not much of a shot," he added, "but I wouldn't mind a trial of skill with long knives. The bowie would suit me, though it's rather a short weapon."

By this time the crowd had gathered round.

"Look at his nose," said one, referring to a scar on the stranger's right nostril. "Reckon he's had a fight with a catamount."

"He's had erysipelas," said another, noting that the stranger's face was quite covered with small marks.

It was plain that the tenderfoot was bluffing. Billy concluded to meet bluff with bluff and agreed to fight him then and there with bowie knives. A ring was formed, the principals were searched for concealed weapons, and when all was ready Billy, who didn't care to go any further, said:

"See here, young feller, I don't want to kill you. Set up the drinks and call it square."

The stranger replied by a quick movement. His knife glittered in the air, and Billy's left ear lost its upper edge.

"Whew! You air quick, ain't you?" said Billy, stupefied. Before he could put himself in position the tenderfoot's knife made a slit in his right nostril.

By this time Billy was frightened. "Hold on, stranger," he said. "I fight fair, and I expect you to fight fair. I want time to keep the blood from gettin' into my eyes."

The tenderfoot waited while Billy wiped the blood from his nose and ear. By this time the Kid had become very angry. Suddenly lunging, he made straight with his knife for the stranger's throat. His adversary drew away on his left foot and gave a quick turn with his wrist. Billy's knife went up in the air, described a circle and, coming down, stuck in the ground thirty feet away.

"Stranger," said Billy, "gimme your hand. You bent anything with the bowie that's ever been seen in these parts. Come and have a drink."

The crowd broke into a gasp, and the tenderfoot replied:

"You drink with me and the crowd too. I've been more frightened than I've ever been in my life. Nothing scares me so much as to fight a greenhorn. A skilled man has all he can do to keep from killing a man who can't fence. I'll pay the drinks and glad to get off so easy."

When they were all lined up the Kid asked the tenderfoot where he had learned to handle the bowie knife.

"I learned to handle the small sword at Heidelberg. I was champion there in my time. I'm Dudley Armsby of Kentucky. Gentlemen, drink hearty!"

RALPH STANTON.

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I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's and Liver Tablets cured me — Mrs. T. V. WILLIAMS, Lainsburg, Mich. These tablets are guaranteed to cure every case of stomach trouble of this character. For sale by Wooten's drug store Greenville R. L. Davis & Bros., Farmville.

North Carolina, } In Superior Court.
Pitt County. }
George W. Caraway and wife, Inez B. Caraway, and George M. Lindsey, administrator d. b. c. t. s. of S. V. Whitehead.

vs
Godfrey A. Stancill, S. V. Joyner, administrator d. b. n. of B. S. Atkinson, L. C. King, Peyton T. Atkinson, John E. King and wife, Alice S. King, Samuel A. Watkins and wife, Helen V. Watkins.

The defendants, L. C. King, Samuel Watkins and wife Helen V. Watkins above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county, relating to, and for the recovery of, certain real property situate in Pitt county, North Carolina, and known as the Bensboro Plantation. The said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Pitt county to be held on the 7th Monday after the first Monday in March, 1904, it being the 25th day of April, 1904, at the Court House in said county, at Greenville, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 23rd day of March, 1904.
D. C. MOORE,
Clerk of the superior Court of Pitt C.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court, in partition of land, in re Richard Wingate, guardian, of Alouzo and W. G. King, the undersigned commissioner will sell at the court house door on Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1904, that piece or parcel of land lying and being situated in Contentment township, Pitt county, and described as follows: Beginning at the last corner of lot No. in the division of land between Joyner wingate and Alouzo and W. G. King, and runs north 79° west to a lightwood knot, at the public road, then north 15° east 11 poles and 23 links to a lightwood knot; J. B. Pierce's corner, then north 79° east 139 poles to Harrington's line to the beginning, containing 1068-100 acres, more or less. Terms of sale cash.
April 1st 1904,

ISAAC A. SUGG,
Commissioner.

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE.

The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county having this day issued to me letters of administration upon the estate of M. M. Galloway, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me duly authenticated, on or before the 8th day of March, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me. This the 7th day of March, 1904.
JOHN B. GALLOWAY,
Adm'r of M. M. Galloway.
Jarvis & Blow, Attorneys.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT
R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.
J. L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Report of the condition of

The Bank of Greenville

Greenville, N. C.

At the close of business March 28, 1904.

Resources:

Loans and Discounts \$158,537.29
Overdrafts 1,030.09
Furniture and Fixtures 3,618.57
Due from Banks 183,023.76
Checks & other cash items 1,002.32
Gold Coin 5,093.50
Silver Coin 3,289.59
N't'n'l'b'k & other US notes 27,871.00
\$383,466.12

Liabilities:

Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Surplus, 20,000.00
Undivided Profits less
Expenses Paid 8,875.03
Deposits 327,756.15
Cashier's checks outstanding 1,824.94
\$383,466.12

State of North Carolina, } ss.
County of Pitt. }

I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAMES L. LITTLE,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of April, 1904.
JAMES C. TYSON,
Notary Public

Correct—Attest:

J. G. MOYE,
R. A. TYSON,
J. A. ANDREWS,
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Danville, Va.
Lynchburg, Va.
Nashville, Tenn.
New York N. Y.
New Orleans, La.
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Greenville, N. C.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have levied on a d. will, on Monday, 2nd day of May, 1904, sell at the Court House door in Greenville, the following described real estate for taxes due the town of Greenville for the year 1903.

This April 1st, 1904.
D. S. SMITH,
Town Tax Collector.

W J Cowell and wife, Pitt st \$ 9 43
Ed Fleming, Higgstown 5 88
Ed Harriss, Clark st 6 38
B J Jenkins, Evans st 6 59
Lorenza McLawhorn, Washington st
Greene st
" " 4 vacant lots 34 35
B E McVey, Hardee and 12th st 7 00
Nettie Peyton, Flood 2 32
Chas Peyton, Cotanch st 5 12
Mrs M A Rous, Pitt st 2 32
C T Savage and wife, Forbest'n 6 38
Mrs A A Sheppard, Pitt st
Barnyard
" " Clark st 13 00
B F Tyson, Patrick
" " Henraband
" " Washington
" " Vines
" " Lucas
" " Hodges
" " Chas Peyton 96 02

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Attorney-at-Law,
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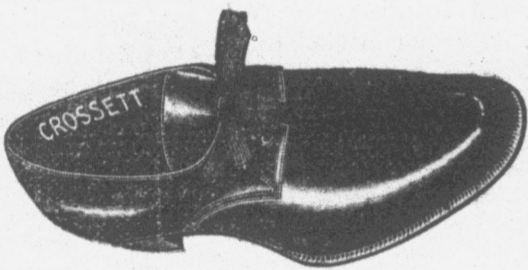
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New line of Persian Lawns, Dimities, Shirt Waist Linen.
New Line of Pearl Buttons.
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Just received cellery, red apples, bananas and oranges. S. M. SCHULTZ

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Early radishes have appeared. The shirt-waist girl is in bloom. The white-washing season is near at hand. The country is now delightfully fresh and green. Greenville Volunteer Fire company meets tonight. Furnished room for rent, desirable location. Apply this office. You do not hear much complaint of this kind of weather. The organ grinder is liable to drop in upon us at any time. This week Tarboro is taking a second dose of street carnival. The warm sunshine now breeds freckles on the schoolgirl's nose.

The picnic days are almost here, the most delightful of all the year.

No woman is proud of it when she has a new wrinkle to exhibit.

The cigarette smoker never smells himself; as others smell him.

You needn't be in such a hurry now—the days are more than an hour longer.

The moon was full on the last day of March, being the second time it got in that condition during that month.

One person united with the Christian church Sunday and was baptized by Rev. W. E. Powell this afternoon.

Every "steady" should keep away from his girl certain nights in the week to allow her to get a taste of Spring onions.

Duncan Clark's Female Minstrels appear in the opera house Wednesday night. Seats go on sale Tuesday at Sheppard's.

About twenty of the members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. went to Falkland Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Bennie Pierce, who died Saturday.

The marvellous Lycosite, instantly relieves neuralgia, toothache, headache, backache, rheumatism, and any and all pains. See W. P. Edwards and get one. They are selling like wild fire. 49 tf

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TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.) Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts AS WIRED BY J. W. PERBY & COMPANY, Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va.

COTTON:	Today	Yesterday
New York Futures:		
Strict Middling	15 1/2	15 1/2
Middling	15	15
St. Low Middling	14 1/2	14 1/2
Low Middling	14 1/2	14 1/2
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	4 1/2	4 1/2
Strictly Prime	4 1/2	4 1/2
Prime	4 1/2	4 1/2
Low Grades	4 1/2	4 1/2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS, AS WIRED BY JOBB BROTHERS & COMPANY Bankers and Brokers, NORFOLK, VA.

Closed	Today	Yesterday
May	14.52	14.77
July	14.80	15.02
Liverpool Futures.		
May & June.	7.92	7.69
Chicago Markets:		
May Wheat	93 1/2	95 1/2
May Corn	52 1/2	53 1/2
May Ribs	6.35	6.70
July Ribs	6.62	6.85
May Lard	6.50	6.75
July Lard	6.65	6.82

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET, REPORTED BY J. B. CHERRY & CO. Middling 18 1/2 18 1/2

END OF THE CENTURY CLUB.

Reported for Reflector.) A very pleasant and interesting meeting of the End of the Century Book Club was held at the home of Mrs. Richard Williams on the afternoon of April 5th, 1904.

The literary program consisting of a sketch of the wives of Henry VIII by Mrs. Wooten and Mrs. Williams was most heartily enjoyed and some of the current events given were decidedly unique.

Among the visitors present were Mesdames Larry Moore, W. B. Brown, Harry Galloway, of Mt. Airy, and Misses Lizzie Blow and Betsey Green.

After the most delightful refreshments were served by the hostess the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr., on April 19th, 1904.

Marriage Licenses.

Last week Register of Deeds B. Williams issued licenses to the following couples:

WHITE

G. W. Baker and Lina Sheppard.

J. T. Flanagan and Laura Crawford.

Frank Parker and Katie Bryant.

COLORED.

Octavius Mewborn and Clemmie Allen.

Grant Phillips and Patience Burney.

Henry Browne and Liddie Staten.

Original Observations.

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