

DO
U
NO
That the place to
Buy your
BOOKS
AND
STATIONERY
IS
AT
Reflector Bookstore.

BOOKS
FREE
BOOKS
BOOKS
FREE
BOOKS

People must read
and they want
nice, good Books.

If they can be had

FREE
It is all the better.

The question is
HOW?

Can books be had for nothing?

Just read on and
you will learn how
to get your own
selection from the list
of splendid books printed
below, or as many
of them as you want

ABSOLUTELY FREE.

Here is our offer:

Any one who is already a subscriber to

THE
EASTERN
REFLECTOR

and will bring or send us one
NEW subscriber (not a re-
newal) for a year, will be
given one of the following
books. Two subscribers for 6 months
or four subscribers for 3 months counts
the same as one yearly subscriber.
Get as many as you can and
receive a corresponding number
of books. Remember
they must be new subscribers.

Here is a list of the books from which
to make your selection:

- Under Currents.
- Milions.
- Soldier's Three.
- Preachers.
- Lord and Lady.
- One Maid's Mischief.
- Earl's Error.
- Majors Daughter.
- Crown of Shame.
- Mine Host's Daughter.
- Jet.
- Eve.
- A Rogue's Life.
- Carmen.
- Art of Travel.
- All Sorts and Conditions of men.
- Fast Existence.
- The Lament of Dives.
- Way to the Heart.
- Misled.
- Chall.
- Little Rebel.
- Tom of the World in 80 Days.
- Almost Persuaded.
- Affair of Honor.
- R. E. Mystery.
- By Night.
- Original Mr. Jacobs.
- Nemesis.
- Pioneer.
- Beautiful Influence.
- Mexican Mystery.
- House on the Marsh.
- Oliver Twist.
- Doris' Fortune.
- Dear Life.
- Avatar.
- Willy Reilly.
- Society.
- Beyond the End.
- The Gambler.
- On the Stage and Off.
- His Last Passion.
- Yagrant Wife.
- Story of a Crime.
- Matron or Maid.
- At the World's Mercy.
- Guildery.
- Blind Fate.
- Heroes and Hero Worshipers.
- Angle or Devil.
- Jane Eyre.
- For Mummies Sake.
- Yellow Mask.
- Master of His Fate.
- Cleverly Won.
- Nurse Revels Mistake.

Bear in mind these are not shoddy books
but every one of them is beautifully
bound in cloth and worth 50 cents to
\$1. You can examine the books at the
REFLECTOR office and see just what
you are getting.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Owner
TRUTH IN PREFERENCE TO FICTION.
TERMS: \$1.00 per Year, in Advance.
VOL. XIII. GREENVILLE, PITT COUNTY, N. C., WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1894. NO. 16

Near
Five
Points!
Is the place to find the
REFLECTOR OFFICE
Bring along ONE DOLLAR and
get your HOME PAPER a year.
This Office for Job Printing

TRIBUTES TO VANCE.

Below the REFLECTOR publishes the speeches that were delivered at the memorial meeting in Greenville in honor of the late Senator Z. B. Vance, on Saturday, April 21st:

MAJOR L. C. LATHAM.

When Mr. Chairman, the Pallid Messenger, whose summons admits of no denial, and brooks no delay, beckoned with inverted torch the junior Senator of North Carolina from the scenes of earthly life to the glories of a limitless future, the State that loved him and that he loved so well, suffered an irreparable loss. Would that it had been possible as in the days of the Passover to have sprinkled his door posts with blood, that the Angel of Death might have passed them by! But an All-wise God, from whose edict there is no appeal, and to which we must bow in humble submission, had decreed otherwise and Senator Vance has passed the shoreless sea which separates what we know of Time from what we dream or dread of Eternity.

There is a belief existing among the people of the East that from the hour of our birth to the moment of our dissolution, the Angel of Death, stealthily in our footsteps, sometimes distant, sometimes near, but always pursuing; and we may well believe that the Senator had long rested in the very shadow of the fate that finally overtook him and that his quick ear had detected the ominous footfall behind him. But nevertheless the blow falls heavily upon the hearts of our people.

The life and services of Senator Vance are a part of the history of the State. Ever since he entered public life, now nearly forty years ago, his name has been intimately associated with almost every important event that marks her progress. On whatever post of duty he has been placed, he has proved a faithful sentinel. In every position to which he has been called, he has guarded the honor of North Carolina and his own.

Unawed by power, undismayed by threats, deaf to hostile or adverse criticism, and unassailable by corruption, he remained from first to last, true to the principles of the Constitution and the rights and liberties of the people. It is for this reason, Sir, that the people of North Carolina loved him as they loved no other man within her borders; it is for this they mourn him to-day as they have never mourned any of his great predecessors; for this, that the sounds of grief and the trappings of woe are not confined to the West where he was born, nor to the Centre where he long lived, but are co-extensive with the limits of his State.

It had not been my purpose, Mr. Chairman, to dwell upon the life and public services of the great man whose loss we are met to deplore. But I should be remiss if I were to let the occasion pass without referring to the humanity with which he cared for the soldiers of North Carolina in the late war. Those who took no part in that great struggle, and who know of it only through histories that treat of it in general terms have no conception, and can have none, of the terrible hardships endured by the soldiers of the Confederacy in the closing scene of that great contest, comparable only to the sufferings of Vendie in her resistance to the French revolution. But ragged, unshod, and half starved they were still asserting and demonstrating the unconquerable heroism of the Anglo-Saxon race. It was the foresight, prudence and humanity of Governor Vance, that partially at least supplied the needs of the veterans of North Carolina and enabled them to make that record of glory and devotion that no history can falsify and no time can dim.

Mr. Chairman, the biographer of Mr. Disraeli has remarked that the great error of that eminent Statesman was in leaving the English Commons and entering the House of Lords. The same can be well said of Senator Vance. He loved the noise and strife of active political warfare and in them he bore "the sword of the Lord and of Gideon." The House of Representatives presented an arena where his ac-

knowledgeable ability would have won him pre-eminence and made him the foremost man of his day. Had he been a member of that body during the stormy scenes that resulted over the consideration of the Federal Election law, the Civil Right Bill and the Tariff his leadership would have asserted itself and there would have been no limit to the possibilities of his future. Senator Vance was essentially a brave man. Stricken with incurable disease and with the shadow of death falling around him, he was as firm and undaunted in the discharge of what he believed to be his duty as in the days of his youthful health and vigor, and although he saw the approach of the grim and terrible monster I doubt, whether, aside from the natural shrinking from pain, that is in-born in our humanity, he trembled at the approach of the King of Terrors. His course run, every duty of a long and laborious life faithfully preformed, he laid it down with the dignity befitting the great man and great statesman he was.

"After lives fitful fever he sleeps well" All that was mortal rests in the bosom of the mountains that saw his birth, guarded by the forests whose whispering breeze, were his first lullaby and sentinelled by the stars that watched over his magnificent career. Some day not far distant a suitable memorial will be erected by a grateful people to his memory, but no citizen need inscribe thereon his deeds and his virtues. They are the heritage he has left us and are inscribed upon our hearts and the hearts of those who will come after will there remain to long after the marble that marks his last home shall have crumbled into dust.

E. A. MOYE.

The great and peerless Vance, whose devotion to his State and her people was attested by his grand and noble life now lies cold and lifeless in death, his inanimate form has been consigned to the lonely recesses of the tomb, all that is mortal of him will soon be known to us no more, but his immortal spirit soaring aloft to that home of the blest in the great beyond, leaves behind an example that the highest and best of the land can follow with profit.

His memory will live forever in the hearts of his people, and generations yet unborn will be taught to respect and revere his memory.

Soldier! Patriot! Statesman! his service to his State can never be fully appreciated. In peace or in war his love of country ever stood out in bold relief and no man lived for whom the people of this native State entertained so high regard, such unbounded admiration and respect.

No State ever had a more loyal citizen, a more faithful officer, thoroughly in sympathy with his people, untiring in his efforts to promote their material welfare and prosperity and guarding with a jealous eye the rights that belonged to each and every one of them however humble they might be.

I remember as it were but yesterday so deeply was it impressed upon my mind, when in the prime of his young manhood he stood in the Western portico of the capital of the State and took the oath of office for the first time as Governor of the proud old commonwealth of North Carolina.

The flag of the gallant 26th Regiment of North Carolina troops, stained and battle scarred, the flag of the Regiment of which he was the loved and gallant commander, floating proudly over his head as he stooped and reverently touched his lips to the Holy Bible, sealing the oath that he had taken to bear true allegiance to the Constitution and laws of North Carolina; and his loyalty to his State and his care and anxious regard for his people both citizens and soldiers, won for him their everlasting gratitude and love, and the proud title of "The Great War Governor of North Carolina."

great pleasure to be one of those by whose votes he was elected as Senator from North Carolina in 1879, a position to which he had long been formerly elected but not allowed to fill on account of the sectional feeling against him in the North growing out of his unselfish love and devotion to his own Southland, and standing before those who had again honored him and in honoring him had honored themselves and the State that gave him birth, with his hair whitening as he himself expressed it "with the snow that never melts," he renewed his vows of fealty to North Carolina and it can now be said and truly said that he was faithful to every vow, true to every promise and mindful of every interest of his people. Zebulon B. Vance's course in life is one that needs no apologists no defenders. He is gone but his influence will ever be felt and although he is dead "he still lives in the hearts of his countrymen" and to-day he is mourned by thousands of his fellow citizens who meet together to honor his memory. The greatest Statesmen North Carolina has ever produced now sleeps his last sleep, has fought his last battle. May his example be followed by this and other generations. May the recollections of his noble life inspire every one to work to promote the best interests of the whole people.

ANDREW JOYNER.

Twenty years ago I spent a month at a mountain hotel with Senator Vance and his first wife. She was then in feeble health. I was charmed with his tenderness to her. Captivated by his genial conversation and witty repartee, instructed by the universality of his information, have loved him ever since, and in common Mr. Chairman, with all North Carolinians, I grieve to-day over his death.

And when I think of what he has been to the people of this State. How through the storm of war, the tempest of reconstruction and the sunshine of peace; his stainless hand guided and his staunch heart sustained us; how he literally wore himself out in our service and died with the harness on; it seems that language is inadequate to express our emotions.

"For I sometimes think it half a sin To put in words the grief I feel: For words like nature half reveal And half conceal the soul within."

Vance was a man of sterling patriotism, and altho' devoted to North Carolina yet the fountains of his heart did not congeal as he passed beyond her border, for he loved the whole country as well.

This was testified to by the unprecedented respect paid to his memory in the Senate hall last Monday. When the great Ransom of North Carolina paid a magnificent tribute to his dead colleague. When the most eminent Divine of Virginia breathed a prayer of repose for his soul. When the President and Cabinet, the representatives of the crowned heads of Europe and the Supreme Court assembled to do honor to this royal representative of the people.

He was an earnest advocate of Democratic principles and policy, because he believed these principles to be founded upon the firm basis of justice and right, and that the continued supremacy of a pure Democracy was essential to the peace, prosperity and well being of the American people. Yet he judged not unkindly those who conscientiously differed from him in opinion, because he was possessed of a big brain and a big heart and his sympathies were with the masses always. Oppression and wrong wherever or by whomsoever exercised, he denounced with honest indignation. Incapable himself of wrongfully depriving any one, even the humblest and most obscure of the rights bestowed by Providence or guaranteed by law he could idly brook to see others do so and was unable to understand how any one possessing the instincts of an honest man could reap the fruits of a crime or enjoy an office obtained by false pretenses and retained by an outrage upon the sacred rights of the people. He desired to see our Government in truth and in fact as it is in name a government of the people by the people and for the people. It is not greatness simply to

have held important trusts. Greatness lies in the faithful performance of all duties committed to us. That man is not truly great who does not display homely, honest nobility in the smaller affairs of life, in his daily intercourse with his family and his fellow-man.

"Kind hearts are more than Coronets And simple faith than Norman blood."

We judged by this standard alone our dear departed stands out grandly great for the admiration of the ages.

"Pity for thee shall weep her fountain dry. Mercy for thee shall bankrupt all her store; Valor shall pluck a garland from on high And honor twine a wreath thy temples o'er."

There is a fragrance and a perfume that lingers about the name of the good that lasts beyond their lives. We bless them because the influence of their lives has given us confidence in the present and filled us with hope for the future.

The beloved dead rests to-day amid the shadows of his dear loved mountains, where the murmuring waters of the lovely Swannanoa lave the flowers that envelope his tomb, where from his lofty eminence, when the last day shall come, the first light that dawns upon his opening eyes will be the light of the East; and the first star in the heavenly galaxy of North Carolina's celestial firmament, will blaze out to eternity and to all the assembled hosts of earth the name of Zebulon B. Vance.

COL. HARRY SKINNER.

Mr. Chairman, I cannot permit this memorial service to cease without adding a sincere, simple and plain tribute, to the memory of Zeb Vance, the late idol of North Carolina.

If I possessed the power to clothe my thoughts suggested by this solemn and impressive occasion otherwise than in plain language. I should nevertheless from choice employ the simplest words at my command to convey to my people my personal sorrow and my country's grief at the loss of so good, so wise and so great a man.

Zeb Vance, as he was familiarly known to us, as you know was averse to ornament in dress or speech, he lived, acted and died what he was, the plain, honest man and the faithful public servant. Clean in private and in public life, considerate and loving in social and home relations, the peer of the greatest, the idol of his people and the best loved man that North Carolina has ever produced. His death has been marked with more distinction by his State and Nation than has been accorded any Southern since our late civil war. The solemn funeral in that august presence, the Senate of the United States, the speaker and Congress, the President and his cabinet, diplomatic circles, those high in church and State, were marks of distinction seldom rendered over the body of man. The outpouring of the people of North Carolina, in city, town and hamlet, the flowers that have been strewn and kept green and fresh around his bier, the processions in death through the streets of Washington, the capital of the Nation, Raleigh, the capital of his State, and Asheville, the mountain city, his home, are the spontaneous evidences of the love the people bore for him and the manifestation of their anxiety to do his memory, honor and respect.

It is well that these manifestations of love and remembrance should be rendered. We should honor those who honor us. Distinguished services by whom ever rendered should be gratefully recalled and exalted talents are entitled to universal respect. When one of our countrymen like Zeb Vance, by the force of his own genius and virtue, has arisen from poverty, not only enriching his own name but adorning and illustrating that of his country, no personal jealousy or political prejudice should chill the homage of that country's undivided heart. His name needs not our panegyric, the carver of his own fortune, the founder of his own name, with his own hands he has built his own monument and with his own tongue, his own pen and with his own peculiar characteristics he has stereo-

typed his autobiography indelibly upon the brow of his country.

He leaned alone on providence, the prayers of a widowed mother and the talents and industry with which God had been pleased to bless him they always, as with him prevailed, and soon pointed out to him a high and bright career which none but the good and great can ever run with honor and success. The State, the Nation, the forum, and the senate have been adorned and exalted by the graceful displays of his own genius, of his over-whelming humor and eloquence. Always and everywhere this Carolina has been distinguished for lofty, comprehensive, patriotism. Democratic sympathy, practical wisdom and self-sacrificing independence.

The whole reading world admires him as the Carolina American statesman, patriot and orator, whose moral force and self-devoting patriotism served his State and country for his country's sake and distinguished valor, ability and fidelity in field and hall, in war and peace, and finally when over-worn in service falls with armor buckled on, bright and burnished with face to the enemy, battling for the people, against the entrenched power of influence and money.

He needs no orator to exaggerate or emblazon his deeds or to apologize for his mistakes, such as they are, are written in the history of his country and will sound down the ages without the assistance of oratory, poetry or song. With hopeful trust North Carolina consigns his fame to justice of the history and to the judgment of the ages to come. His ashes bequeathed through his eloquent lips have by his desire been deposited in their Carolina mountain home and will there rest until judgment day. His fame will descend as the common heritage of all citizens of the State whose genius and value are so beautifully exemplified by his great and model life.

Unlike Burke "he never gave up for party what was meant for mankind," and like Gladstone, home rule was ever close to his heart. Country commanded his first love and the only use he had for party was to make it an instrument in accomplishing the principles he conceived, to stand for the best interests and welfare of the people. His intrepid nationality, his lofty patriotism and his comprehensive philanthropy is illustrated in his State and national annals for more than a third of a century they better than any words that I employ magnify him among statesmen and endear him to all classes, ages and sex, and make his name like that of Washington the property of no party, no section, or no time. His public life illustrates the difference between the statesman and the politician, between the enlightened patriot who risks all for the welfare and honor of his country regardless of considerations, of personal ease or party success. Ambitious, I know he always was, not of office, nor fleeting fame which follows and hallows noble deeds. His ambition totally unlike the unprincipled egotist resembles rather the noble mould of a Cato or more like the type of Curtius who leaped the yawning gulf to preserve the liberties of his people.

The pathway of such a patriot will ever be beset with the Cloas and Clodii of the day as lately we have seen our loved Vance maligned and sharply criticized, but these arrows spent their poison in their flight and fell harmless at his feet, while the noble Carolinian poised on eagles pinions soared to the pure sky and with eyes fixed on the sun which shines for all and in its flood of light carries the power to create, and warm all, he sublimely studied for the interests of all, until dazed and fatigued in the light, his spirit was in a position to make its easy flight and become part of the eternal bright, while his body dropped into the arms of loving countrymen who under impressive, solemn and universal ceremony have laid it to rest on the slope of the mountain washed by the waters of the French Broad, overlooking the plains in search of the waters further east whose harvest of waves, and harvest of plains, and

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

harvest of mountains and the people who produce these harvests have always commanded his executive and legislative love and care.

Though we feel assured that his renown will survive our State and national capital he so long brilliantly graced, yet North Carolina (and I am sure when the time comes Pitt county will contribute her proportion) will rear to his memory a magnificent monument to mark the spot where sleeps his relicts, to testify to succeeding generations how we cherished in grateful remembrance our idol in life, now our dead patriot, who dedicated his life with rare ability, heroic firmness and self-sacrificing constancy to the cause of patriotism, liberty and truth.

SENATOR RANSOM'S TRIBUTE.

The honors paid to Senator Vance in Washington Monday were unusual and the expressions of sorrow and sympathy were sincere. After Senator Ransom had offered the usual resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, he said:

"Mr. President: It is my melancholy duty to announce to the Senate the death of the Hon. Zebulon Baird Vance, late a Senator from North Carolina. He died on Saturday night last at 45 minutes past 10, at his residence on Massachusetts avenue, in this city. Though his long continued and serious illness ought to have prepared all of us for the sad event, still, becalmed by his own hopeful and cheerful spirit, none of us had dreamed that the white horses were coming so rapidly to his door. His death shocks us to the depths of our hearts. It is a calamity, a sorrow, a deep public and personal bereavement. A great man has fallen in our midst—a great patriot, a great statesman, a great speaker, a great thinker, a great actor has passed away from our sight for this life.

He died at his post of duty, with his complete armor on, with his face to front—courageous, hopeful, useful, to the last. Suffering did not break his proud spirit nor dim his noble intellect nor shake his fearless fortitude. Full of years, but still in the strength of his eminent faculties, crowned with exalted honors, but still animated with yet higher aspirations and promise of doing good a physical wreck and overcome with an incurable malady, he stood firmly in the line of his comrades and at the last moment serenely gathered his robes around him and stepped with the dignity of a Senator and the faith of a Christian from earth into eternity. It looks as if by some prophetic intuition he had returned from the spring flowers and genial skies of Florida to lay down his sword and shield on the very altar of his country. This is not the time for the analysis of his character, for eulogies of his virtues, for the history of his illustrious services. On some fitting day I shall ask the Senate to do justice to his honored memory. But, sir, I should commit a very great wrong not to say now with what unspeakable pain and infinite grief the death of Senator Vance smites the people of North Carolina. For more than 40 years, in peace and in war, he has been the most beloved and the most honored son of that great State. From the overflowing ocean, across the hills and plains and valleys to the majestic mountain tops he was a familiar and most dear object to the hearts and homes of all our people. Language cannot describe the admiration and love and gratitude of all ages, of both sexes, of every class condition and race, of the whole people of North Carolina, for this great and good man, their benefactor and bulwark in prosperity and adversity. Standing by his lifeless form to-day, it is my sacred duty, representing

a Commonwealth of nearly two million souls, to shed upon his mortal ashes the tears of their affection and the deepest sorrow. He seemed, sir, as if by destiny to hold in his hands the hearts of the people and at this moment the throbbing breasts of thousands are following his silent march to the tomb. If he had faults they were bold, brave, open faults, and are forever eclipsed and forgotten in the splendor of a great and glorious life and the magnanimity of a noble nature. As I think of the short interval at which he follows the beloved Georgian from the folding doors of this chamber to his last rest, it looks as if two tall oaks which stood over and shaded our heartstones had fallen in the early evening after the storm and heat of the day had passed over and before the shades of night and winter had fallen upon their autumnal leaves. Colquhoun and Vance had done their duty to their country and their fellowmen.

But I must not trust myself further. At the hour of 9 to-night the committee of the two houses of Congress, the entire delegation of the State of North Carolina and the special committee from the State, with the sad family and friends, will leave the capital of the star spangled republic and bear the remains of Senator Vance through the sister State of Virginia to the beautiful capital of North Carolina and thence take them to his burying ground on the mountain side overlooking the blue torrents of the French Broad and in the sight of lovely Asheville, and there leave them in the shade of the evergreens, and in the mirror and melody of flowing waters to sleep with his patriotic fathers; and as the clouds at evenings hang upon the bosom of the eternal towers of Black Mountain, so will a shadow of sorrow rest upon the bosom of his people; but the light of his life, with the early days of morning, will dispel the gloom from the mountain and from their hearts.

"And now, I can only venture in the name of the stricken Senate, with gentle sympathy to send to the noble and devoted woman, who for months by vigilance and with unwearied day and night stood by him like an angel of light and love, our heartfelt condolence and tenderness, and to hold up to his brave sons the everliving beacon of their father's life. He expired solaced in the arms and affections of his wife and children; and may our Almighty Father in His supreme and infinite goodness, bestow upon them His strength and comfort."

- ### Professional Cards
- DR. D. L. JAMES
DENTIST,
Greenville, N. C.
- H. F. PRICE,
LAND AND ENGINEERING SURVEYOR
Greenville, N. C.
Office at the King House.
- JAS. E. MOORE, L. I. MOORE,
Williamston, Greenville.
MOORE & MOORE,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.
Office under Opera House, Third St.
- J. L. FLEMING,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
GREENVILLE, N. C.
Prompt attention to business. Office at Tucker & Murphy's old stand.
- F. G. JAMES,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.
Practice in all the courts. Collections a specialty.
- THOS. J. JARVIS, ALEX. L. BLOW
JARVIS & BLOW,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.
Practice in all the Courts.
- L. A. SUGG, B. F. TYSON
SUGG & TYSON,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.
Prompt attention given to collection
- L. C. LATHAM, HARRY SKINNER
LATHAM & SKINNER,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.

THE REFLECTOR. Greenville, N. C.

D. J. WICKARD, Editor and Proprietor

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2nd, 1894.

Entered at the postoffice at Greenville, N. C., as second-class mail matter.

There are one hundred and fifty-two thousand miners on a strike in this country. When we have no such thing down this way.

The "hotel special" train on the Florida Central and Peninsula road, made a run of 1,000 miles in twenty-five hours, twenty-seven minutes, from Jacksonville to New York, beating all previous records by nearly six hours.

The REFLECTOR makes no apology for devoting its entire first page to-day to eulogies to the late Senator Vance. Too much in praise of a man of his worth cannot be said.

Senator Thos. J. Jarvis was presented to the United States Senate last Thursday and duly sworn in as a member of that body. When the oath was administered he had to hold up his left hand, his right arm having hung useless by his side since the wounds received on the battle field in 1864.

Governors and ex-Governors have the luck of getting senatorial seats. Mr. Jarvis, of North Carolina, affords the latest instance of this. Zeb Vance was another ex-Governor. And the New York Sun furnishes the following list of senators who have been Governors:

Senator Berry, elected Governor of Arkansas in 1882; Senator Hawley, elected Governor of Connecticut in 1866; Senator Gordon, elected Governor of Georgia in 1886; Senator Collum, elected Governor of Illinois in 1876; Senator Palmer, elected Governor of Illinois in 1868; Senator Hill, elected Governor of New York in 1885 and re-elected in 1888; Senator Harris, elected Governor of Tennessee in 1857, 1859, and 1891; Senator Bate, elected Governor of Tennessee in 1882 and 1884; Senator Coke, elected Governor of Texas in 1876, and Senator Squire, Governor of Washington in 1883.

The Tarboro Southern mentioned last week the farewell sermon of Dr. J. D. Huffham, as pastor of the Baptist church of that town. He leaves this week to go to Shelby, in the western part of the State. Dr. Huffham has lived and labored in the Roanoke and Tar river sections for sixteen years and there are thousands of people in these sections who regret exceedingly that he makes his home in another part of the State. Many churches throughout the bounds of his labors stand as monuments to his zeal.

THE APPOINTMENT OF EX-GOV. JARVIS TO SUCCEED SENATOR VANCE, and his being from the eastern part of the State, the same section in which lives Senator Ransom, recalls some history which may be familiar to many of the old inhabitants of not only Durham, but the State. The year 1840 was a presidential year and it was made memorable by the Whigs and Democrats by the "log cabin and cider campaign." That year there were two Senators to be sent from this State. Both of these Senators were selected from Orange county, of which Durham county was then a part. These Senators were W. A. Graham and Wiley P. Mangum. The Congressman from this district was Dr. William Montgomery, and he was also from this same county of Orange. Another remarkable incident about it was that Jimmie Carmichael, tailor living at Hillsboro, took their measures at the same time, and made all three of them a suit of clothes apiece, to wear to Washington. These are incidents that many of our people have probably forgotten.

LETTER FROM GOV. JARVIS.

GREENVILLE, April 24, 1894.

Capit. S. A. Ashe, Editor News and Observer-Chronicle.

Sir:—I beg, before leaving the State to enter upon my duties in Washington, to again trespass upon the courtesy of the press. It is my habit when I have anything to say to the people of North Carolina to say it to them direct.

In my letter declaring it to be my purpose not to be a candidate before the legislature for the place made vacant by the death of Senator Vance, I simply said that if the people desired to keep up the Senatorial divisions, so to speak, I would not be in their way, that I did not intend to be a candidate for the short term. I did not intend to declare war upon any one or to throw down the gage of battle to any one, and I humbly submit that there is nothing in the letter to justify such a construction.

It is true I have for months entertained the purpose to become a candidate before the legislature to succeed Senator Ransom, and I have not concealed this purpose. I felt that I had a right to do this, and I still think so. It must be remembered that Senator Ransom is now nearing the end of his fourth term. He has been continuously in this high office more than twenty years. I did not feel and I do not now feel that I am infringing upon any one's right in becoming a candidate for this position, and I have no idea that the Senator, after his long term of service, will for a moment, undertake to question the right of any gentleman to succeed him. There certainly is no occasion for any undue excitement or asperity over the matter. I have never been a disturbing element in the Democratic party and I will not be now. I will say in advance that I am willing to leave it to the Democratic voters at a ballot to be taken in the primaries, under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the State Committee, to say whether I shall be a candidate at all or not, and I will abide the result. Or, I am quite as willing for the State Convention of our party to determine that question. This is the people's business, and I am willing for them to settle it, and in their own way. I will go still farther, and say that if at any time it shall appear that my candidacy will lose to the party a single county I will be ready to retire.

I say this because in my humble judgment it is of the first importance to the people that the State Government shall remain in the hands of the Democratic party. Under the administration of this party the people have had tranquility, peace and all the prosperity that a good State government could give. It is far better, in my opinion, that both Senator Ransom and myself should pass out of public life than that the State government should pass from under the control of the Democratic party. I know it is better that I should never be heard of again than that the legislature should cease to be in the hands of the Democrats.

I notice with regret that it is insinuated that the Governor has paid off a private obligation with a public trust. This charge was made, I am sure, in ignorance of the facts in the case. I beg to state the fact, and then I believe the unjust insinuation will be withdrawn. The facts are these: Just as soon as the Executive Committee was organized I wrote to its chairman, the Hon. F. M. Simmons, tendering my services to the party and agreeing to be subject to his orders till the election was over. About the 18th or 20th of July I received a telegram from Mr. Simmons asking me to come to Raleigh. I obeyed his summons and on my arrival there I was told by him that there would be no joint canvass and that I had been selected to travel and speak with our candidate for Governor. I repeated that I was ready to go anywhere he chose to send me. All he had to do was to make and publish the appointments and that I would be there to fill them.

I assisted him, at his request, in making the first few appointments beginning at Whiteville, on August 1st, but after that I did not know where I was going, or with whom I was to speak till I saw the appointments published. From the 1st day of August till the day of election I was subject to the control of our chairman, and he could have sent me, as he in fact did, where he pleased. I now recall the fact that he required me to make sixteen speeches in one Congressional district. I did it without a murmur. In fact I am sure Mr. Simmons will say I was working under his orders all the time. If these facts be true, then I was in the service of the Democratic party working for its success, and the candidate of the party was the recipient of the benefits of my labors if they were worth anything to any one. It therefore follows that I was not working for Mr. Carr, but for the Democratic candidate for Governor. Then how absurd and unjust it is to him to say that in selecting me to fill a temporary vacancy in a high office, he is paying off a personal obligation with a public trust.

WHAT bright, dainty creations of beauty the new style Spring Hats are! What skill, what taste, what industry our milliner artist has displayed! What combination of leathers and flowers and ribbons and straws can be seen at

MRS. M. D. HIGGS' EMPORIUM. Everything to please. Call and examine and see for yourself. Prices to suit the times.

THE ROANOKE UNION of the Tar River Association met in the Baptist church at Tillery last Friday. Introductory sermon preached by Rev. D. McLeod, of Washington. The Union organized with Rev. W. S. Ballard moderator, and D. J. Whickard clerk. The roll called showed nineteen churches represented.

leader has fallen at a critical period in our history. He was always true to the people and the people were always true to him. His name and opinion may still serve us as magic words to unite and enthuse those who have followed his lead in many a hard fought battle. We must win the legislature, or another party will settle the Senatorial question. We must elect our candidates for Congress and judges and legislators, or else the State will be the sufferer. In this crisis let those be chosen as leaders whom the people prefer to follow. In fact, it is not better to let the people choose their own leaders this year?

THOS. J. JARVIS.

UNION MEETING.

The Roanoke Union of the Tar River Association met in the Baptist church at Tillery last Friday. Introductory sermon preached by Rev. D. McLeod, of Washington. The Union organized with Rev. W. S. Ballard moderator, and D. J. Whickard clerk. The roll called showed nineteen churches represented.

Prayer and praise service Saturday morning was led by Rev. J. K. Howell. The topics discussed during the second day were: "Our purpose in Sunday School work," by Revs. J. R. Pace, E. J. Edwards, J. K. Howell and J. W. Powell. "How for may the State be educated?" by E. E. Hilliard, J. W. Powell and J. D. Huffham. "The present policy of the State in orphan work contrary to the Baptist idea," by Revs. J. H. Lambert and J. D. Huffham. "The Bible the only rule of faith and practice," by Revs. J. W. Powell and D. McLeod.

Information reaching the Union of the death of the wife of Mr. G. W. Harman, at Weldon, a telegram of condolence was ordered sent him. The church at Tillery was organized Sunday morning and the building just completed was dedicated, the sermon being preached by Dr. J. D. Huffham.

Bethel Items.

April 30th 1894.

Hon. F. G. James was in town last Tuesday. Ex-Register of Deeds, D. H. James is in town to-day. Mr. Edwin Whitehead, of Halifax county is in town to-day visiting his niece Mrs. T. T. Cherry. Mrs. Dr. J. D. Bullock and little daughter have been on the sick list the past week.

Sale of Land.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a deed of record in the name of M. B. Brown and wife to the undersigned, recorded in book V, page 185-7, Register's Office of Pitt county, I will sell at the Court House door in the town of Greenville, N. C., on Tuesday the 14th day of May 1894, at noon for cash, at public auction to the highest bidder the following described tracts of land situated in the county of Pitt, and in the following townships. One tract known as the late Warren land, adjoining the lands of Fetsy Phillips, Benj. Cobb, John A. Cobb, O. B. Hathaway and others, containing 120 acres, more or less. F. G. JAMES, Mar. 25th, 1894. Commissioner.

Several of our Bethel people attended the Primitive Baptist Union at Great Swamp Sunday. Rev. W. A. Forbes preached at Shiloh Sunday. He will preach there again next Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. Mrs. James I. Barnhill gave a social entertainment to several invited guests last Friday night, which was very much enjoyed by those present. A convention of the voters of the town has been called to meet Thursday night to nominate candidates to be voted for at the election next Monday. Mr. Geo. H. Andrews had a cultivator stolen from his field one night last week. We have heard of several plows being stolen in the same way this year.

Messrs. Ward and Barnhill, our enterprising mill and lumbermen are erecting a large dry kiln at their mill recently located here. We wish them success in this enterprise.

Mrs. Candrilla Manning did last Wednesday at the residence of Mr. Joseph Manning, in Carolina township. Funeral services were conducted there Thursday evening following, by the Rev. W. A. Forbes. She was buried near Grindool at the family burying ground.

Parale Items.

April 30, 1894.

'Tis said that a matrimonial "silk-kone" has struck Parale and that few will be left to tell the story. Mr. T. F. Whitley has returned from Fairfield. He says the matrimonial fields are ripe unto harvest with some of the finest. The fields of Boaz were never a circumstance. Mr. E. F. Burch returned to his home in Baltimore after spending several days with us. Mr. John E. Kilpatrick, of Portsmouth, Va., spent a few days here last week. Mr. F. S. Gardner, of this place, was married to Miss Maggie Gordon, of Edgecomb county. Miss Bertha Whitley has returned from a visit to Williamston. Madam Rumor says that Mr. C. F. Bland will soon take unto himself a life-long companion. Our vocalist, in tears, now declares that after the first of May, he will be on the retired list. Because so much courting don't pay. Our poet, too, with weary soul, is tearing a despairing look, and says that he will soon retire. On account of an MT pocket-book.

Johnson Mills Items.

April 30th, 1894.

Mr. L. C. Quinley went to Gifton yesterday. Miss Mary Lee Seawell of Jonesboro came down Saturday to visit her sister Miss Nannie Seawell. Somebody's glad. Misses Annie and Martha Harding returned home last Wednesday after spending sometime in Kinston visiting relatives. Miss Nannie Seawell's school will close May the 31st. Her brother Mr. A. F. Seawell will deliver the annual address.

Cotton and Peanuts.

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Co., Commission Merchants of Norfolk:

Table with columns for Cotton and Peanuts prices. Cotton: Good Middling 7 5-16, Low Middling 6 9-16, Good Ordinary 5 5-16. Peanuts: Prime 18, Extra Prime 2, Fancy 2, Spanish 2, Tone—steady.

Land Sale.

By virtue of two decrees made, one at December term, 1893, the other at March term, 1894, of Pitt Superior Court, in the case of Susan Kincaid vs. J. P. Brown and others, the undersigned Commissioner will sell for cash before the Court House door, in Greenville, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1894, the following described tracts of land situated in the county of Pitt, and in the following townships. One tract known as the late Warren land, adjoining the lands of Fetsy Phillips, Benj. Cobb, John A. Cobb, O. B. Hathaway and others, containing 120 acres, more or less. F. G. JAMES, Mar. 25th, 1894. Commissioner.

Sale of Land.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a deed of record in the name of M. B. Brown and wife to the undersigned, recorded in book V, page 185-7, Register's Office of Pitt county, I will sell at the Court House door in the town of Greenville, N. C., on Tuesday the 14th day of May 1894, at noon for cash, at public auction to the highest bidder the following described tracts of land situated in the county of Pitt, and in the following townships. One tract known as the late Warren land, adjoining the lands of Fetsy Phillips, Benj. Cobb, John A. Cobb, O. B. Hathaway and others, containing 120 acres, more or less. F. G. JAMES, Mar. 25th, 1894. Commissioner.

By order of Board, H. H. HARRING, Clerk of Board.

As Town Tax Collector I have levied on the following lots in the town of Greenville owned by the following parties who are delinquents. And on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1894, at 12 M. I will offer the same for cash, to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the Court House, in the town of Greenville to satisfy the taxes and costs there on.

Advertisement for Wheeler & Co's Sewing Machine. Features: THE ONLY PERFECT SEWING MECHANISM FOR FAMILY USE. For sale by BOSWELL, SPEIGHT & CO.

A Mother's Story

Hor Boy's Suffering After Diphtheria



"Hood's Sarsaparilla has done so much for my boy that I wish to say a few words in praise of this wonderful medicine. Clifford was very ill with diphtheria and it left him suffering with Bright's disease. He was very weak, poor in flesh and could hardly walk. Malaria fever soon overtook him and together with trouble with his liver.

He was in much misery. At last, almost discouraged, I decided to have him try Hood's Sarsaparilla. He has taken only a few bottles, and yet it has done him more good than all the previous medical treatment.

Hood's Sarsaparilla CURES and medicines combined. It has regained strength and flesh and looks quite healthy. It will always give us pleasure to tell others that a valuable medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Mrs. G. W. Manly, Carrollton, Kentucky. N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers.

Whereas sales of land for non-payment of taxes made by J. A. C. Tucker Sheriff of Pitt county on the 5th day of May, 1894, 4th day of May, 1891, 2nd day of May, 1892, and 2nd day of May, 1893, many tracts or parcels of land were bid off by the county, notice is hereby given that the parties who own said lands will be permitted to redeem the same by appearing before the Board of Commissioners and paying to the County Treasurer all amounts due on account of same.

Table listing delinquent tax payers and amounts. Includes names like Elizabeth Pittman, Louis McLawhorn, Francis Nichols, Jesse Braxton, R. A. & J. Whickard, Riley Jenkins, Bryant Taylor, Wiley Pierce, John Sheppard, Austin Atkinson, Louis Kilpatrick, Noah Joyner's heirs, John Hopkins, Frederick White, etc.

Town Tax Sale.

As Town Tax Collector I have levied on the following lots in the town of Greenville owned by the following parties who are delinquents. And on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1894, at 12 M. I will offer the same for cash, to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the Court House, in the town of Greenville to satisfy the taxes and costs there on.

By order of Board, H. H. HARRING, Clerk of Board.

Who is it that has a beautiful line of Neckwear? With one on, as your girl passes you, she will stare, And call you her duckling, darling, dear? BOB MUNFORD.

Who is it that has a beautiful line of Neckwear? With one on, as your girl passes you, she will stare, And call you her duckling, darling, dear? BOB MUNFORD.

Table listing real estate sales. Includes names like Miller Joe town lot No. 8, Register R. W. & Co., Co. 9th St., and Dickerson Ave.

Tax Sale.

Pursuant to provision of Chapter 218 of the laws of 1889, I shall, beginning Monday, May 7th, at 11 A. M., in front of Court House door in Greenville, sell the below described land and town lots for taxes due for the year 1893, and unpaid thereon and cost for advertising the same.

Table listing tax sale lots. Includes names like Anderson, J. J., 35 acres, Blount, Amos, 40 acres, Joyner, W. C., 74 acres, Parker, E. S., 212 acres, etc.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers.

Whereas sales of land for non-payment of taxes made by J. A. C. Tucker Sheriff of Pitt county on the 5th day of May, 1894, 4th day of May, 1891, 2nd day of May, 1892, and 2nd day of May, 1893, many tracts or parcels of land were bid off by the county, notice is hereby given that the parties who own said lands will be permitted to redeem the same by appearing before the Board of Commissioners and paying to the County Treasurer all amounts due on account of same.

Table listing delinquent tax payers and amounts. Includes names like Elizabeth Pittman, Louis McLawhorn, Francis Nichols, Jesse Braxton, R. A. & J. Whickard, Riley Jenkins, Bryant Taylor, Wiley Pierce, John Sheppard, Austin Atkinson, Louis Kilpatrick, Noah Joyner's heirs, John Hopkins, Frederick White, etc.

Town Tax Sale.

As Town Tax Collector I have levied on the following lots in the town of Greenville owned by the following parties who are delinquents. And on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1894, at 12 M. I will offer the same for cash, to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the Court House, in the town of Greenville to satisfy the taxes and costs there on.

By order of Board, H. H. HARRING, Clerk of Board.

Who is it that has a beautiful line of Neckwear? With one on, as your girl passes you, she will stare, And call you her duckling, darling, dear? BOB MUNFORD.

Who is it that has a beautiful line of Neckwear? With one on, as your girl passes you, she will stare, And call you her duckling, darling, dear? BOB MUNFORD.

J. B. CHERRY & CO. ASK IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN LOOKING FOR BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Gen'l Merchandise. From which genuine bargains can be had. We buy for Cash. We sell for Cash, or on approved credit. We carry the stock. We do the business. We fear no legitimate competition. We dread no comparison of stock, quality and prices.

Look here did you know that you could buy from us almost any article you may need in the following lines: Dry Goods, Notions, Hats, Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Caps, Shoes for Everybody, Ladies, Misses and Childrens Oxfords, Men's Fine and Heavy Shoes, Crockery and Glassware, Tinware, Hardware, Cutlery, Plows and Castings, Groceries, and Flour, Mattings, Curtain Poles and Lace Curtains.

Furniture, Cheap and Medium Grades, Chairs, Bedsteads, Lounges, Tables, Sideboards, Tin Safes, Mattresses, Bed Springs, Children's Beds, Cradles, Bureaus and Full Suits of Bed Room Furniture.

Come One. Come All. ESTABLISHED 1883. J. A. ANDREWS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. GROCER. GREENVILLE, N. C.

500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00. 500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00. 500 barrels Ballard's Obelisk Flour \$4.00.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES IN TOBACCO - HOGSHEADS! To my Friends and Customers of Pitt and adjoining counties: I wish to say that I have made special preparation in preparing HOG HEAD MATERIAL and propose giving you HOGSHEADS with inside dress smooth which will prevent cutting or scrubbing your Tobacco when packing.

Scroll Sawing, Making Mouldin, And Turned Trimmings for Houses a Specialty. I am prepared to do any kind of Scroll Sawing for Brackets or anything in the line, or turning Ballustrades for Piazza, Pickers for Stairways, Mouldings of any kind, including Piazza Moulding, and would be pleased to name you prices on anything in the above upon application.

GENERAL REPAIR WORK. done on short notice. Thanking you for your past patronage, I am willing to arrive to meet your future patronage, and kindly ask you to give me a trial before ranging elsewhere. Respectfully, A. G. COX, Winterville, N. C.

COBB BROS. & CO., COTTON FACTORS, AND Commission Merchants, FAYETTE STREET NORFOLK, VA. Consignments and Correspondence Solicited. ALFRED FORBES THE OLD RELIABLE MERCHANT OF GREENVILLE, N. C.

THE REFLECTOR

Local Reflections

May.
First Month.
New moon on the 3th.
One-third of the year is gone.
The race is on between the potato and the bug.
Blank tax listers' notices for sale at REFLECTOR office.
The colored people here are preparing for a big time on Friday.
Latest spring Hats at Frank Wilson's.
Oblique Penholders 5 cents at Reflector Book Store.
For Good Reliable Shoes go to Wiley Brown.
Sunday's showers gave us a cooler atmosphere Monday.
Fifty cents will get the REFLECTOR for the campaign.
Standard Music only 10 cents a copy at Reflector Book Store.
The REFLECTOR and Atlanta Constitution both a year for \$1.50.
Mr. Cam Nobles is building a residence just beyond the college.
MONEY TO LOAN—on improved Real Estate in sums from \$500 to \$3,000. Apply to F. G. JAMES.
Services will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday night.
Everything is cheap—Granulated Sugar 5c, best Coffee 22 1/2c, best Flour \$4.00, at the OLD BRICK STORE.
The colored people of Washington have an excursion here to-day.
For a nice Suit of Clothes go to Frank Wilson's.
The rain Sunday started the farmers to setting out tobacco plants in earnest.
Buy your Cotton Seed Meal at the Old Brick Store.
One second hand Bicycle in good condition for sale by L. H. Pender.
New assortment of Bibles from American B. S., just received. WILEY BROWN, Depositor.
Five Tuesdays, five Wednesdays, five Thursdays and five REFLECTORS this month.
Coffee 20 cents, Snuff 25 cents. BOSWELL SPEIGHT & Co.
Gentle Sleight, Atlas, Boy Dixie, Stonewall and Climax Plovers and Castings for sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.
Next Monday will be a big day—County Commissioners meeting, town election and tax sales.
For reliable Shoes any style go to Frank Wilson's.
The largest and best assorted line of General Merchandise in Pitt county is offered for sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.
Mr. W. R. Smith received a Ben Hur bicycle last week and added one more to the number of wheelmen here.
Sewing machines from \$15 to \$50. Latest improved New Home \$35. WILEY BROWN.
Farmers, Mechanics and Laborers of all professions, when in need of goods of any kind, call on your friends, J. B. Cherry & Co.
New line Negligee Shirts, pretty styles at Frank Wilson's.
Lumber is being placed on the grounds to build the new tobacco warehouse for Messrs. Moyer & Forbes, and the new prize house for Messrs. Bernard & Hooker.
Just received a new lot of Children Carriages and Cribbs. J. B. Cherry & Co.
When in want of good shoes go to J. B. Cherry & Co.
March gave us no winds worth talking about and April got in very little of her old time showery business. But as April done the blowing this time perhaps May is going to do the raining.
L. M. Reynolds Mens and Boys shoes are the best. For sale by J. B. Cherry & Co.
A. G. Cox can furnish you good Potato Barrels at low prices and you would do well to send in your orders as early as possible.
Go to J. B. Cherry & Co when in need of Furniture, they keep a full stock and sell at prices that will please you.
New line Spring Clothing arrived this week at Frank Wilson's.
A large stock of nice Furniture cheap at the Old Brick Store.
Remember I pay you cash for Chicken Eggs and Country Produce at the Old Brick Store.
For A. G. Cox's celebrated Back Bands call on J. B. Cherry & Co.
You just ought to see the big 1 cent Tablets at Reflector Book Store.
Complete line of Dry Goods at Wiley Brown's.
The Rambler Bicycles are for sale by S. E. Pender & Co. The Rambler holds 13 world records for speed and took 5 of the highest awards at the worlds fair.
Mr. R. B. Cotton, who is one of the most successful modern agriculturists in Eastern North Carolina, says that he never knew how to appreciate the advantages of the Bemis tobacco planter until this year. During the dry weather he is setting right along and having no trouble in getting a stand. Mr. Cotton says too much cannot be said in favor of the planter.

Personal.
Mr. J. L. Grimmer is quite sick.
Mrs. H. F. Price, of Wilson, is visiting here.
Mr. W. L. Cobb left last week for South Carolina.
Mr. J. N. Gorham, of Richmond is spending a few days here.
Mr. E. A. Moyer, Jr., returned Friday night from Philadelphia.
Mr. J. E. Langley, of Richmond, is visiting his parents here.
Eld. A. J. Moore, of Whitakers, is visiting his son Mr. L. I. Moore.
Miss Lizzie Hargrove, of Wilson, is visiting her sister Mrs. W. F. Morrill.
Mrs. R. M. Hearne, of Washington, is visiting her father, Mr. Allen Warren.
Mr. J. C. Tyson has moved his family to the new house built for him one mile above town.
Mr. W. H. Ricks left yesterday for Macon, Ga., to take a course at a business college there.
Mr. Alex L. Blow was able to be cut Saturday after being confined at home with sickness for a week.
Revs. G. F. Smith and J. C. McCall left for a meeting at Salem church, in Chicod township, next Sunday.
Col. J. Bryan Grimes, of Grimesland, was in town Monday and took the evening train for Kinston.
Mr. Walter Pender came down from Tarboro, Monday, and will spend the summer with S. E. Pender & Co.
Miss Jennie James arrived home Saturday night from Wilmington, to the delight of her many friends.
Messrs Jesse Speight and Larry Moore attended a union meeting Sunday at the Meadow, in Greene county.
Rev. R. D. Carroll, of Ayden, and Rev. J. H. Lamberth and D. J. Whichard attended the Roanoke Union at Tillery.
Young John H. Saunders, of Pitt county, is a member of the graduating class of this session at the A. & M. college.
Dr. D. L. James left yesterday morning to attend the meeting of the Dental Association at Durham. He will return Friday evening.
Miss Mittie Williamson, of Suffolk, Va., arrived last week to visit her brother, Mr. J. D. Williamson, who has been sick for several days.
Mr. James O'Hagan, of Renovo, Pa., accompanied by his wife and daughter, has been spending some days with his brother, Dr. C. J. O'Hagan.
Daisy, Daisy, give him your answer, do, We're half crazy hearing him sing of you just set the date for the marriage, We'll all chip in for the carriage, And we'll stand treat If you'll put in a seat For Coot and Bronson too.
Mr. A. G. Cox tells us he has completed manufacturing the Cox cotton planter for this season. He has made and sold a few over six hundred planters this season and had several orders that could not be filled because his supply of timber for them was exhausted.
The Primitive Baptists held their Union meeting at Great Swamp church, four miles from Greenville, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Several prominent ministers of the denomination were present and the attendance was large. A great many people from town went over Sunday.
All interested in good town government should attend the ward meetings Friday night and help select men as candidates for Councilmen who have the welfare of the town at heart. They follow this up by going to the polls Monday and electing the men who are nominated by the ward meetings.
Orinoco Tobacco Guano.
Complete for my cash premium of \$100 in Gold. For the highest price obtained for two hundred pounds of tobacco raised exclusively from Orinoco tobacco guano the present year, and sold in any market in North Carolina—area planned to be not less than three acres—offer the above premium. For terms and conditions apply to local agent, F. S. ROYSTER, April 23rd, 1894. Tarboro N. C.
Ward Meetings.
The Meeting voters of the Second and Third Wards of the town of Greenville are requested to meet on Friday, 4th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for Councilmen to be voted for at an election to be held on the first Monday in May, and to select a member of the Executive Committee for each ward. The meeting for the Second Ward will be held in the Court House and for the Third Ward in the Mayor's office.
A. L. FLOW, G. B. KING.
They Return Thanks.
A note received from Mr. S. C. Hamilton, Monday, tells us that he and Mr. Hines left early that morning for Goldsboro and Newbern, that they will make every effort to rebuild at once, and that in the near future hope to have a larger business than before the fire. They request the REFLECTOR to thank all our people for the timely aid and words of encouragement given them. In Mr. Hamilton's own language "they worked like heroes to save the kiln and mill, and success crowned their efforts."
It is not what its proprietors say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit. Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

Boiler Explosion.
Report reached here that the boiler of a mill at Williamston exploded Monday morning, wrecked the plant and did much injury to the operatives. One man named Isaac Bright was killed outright and fifteen others so badly wounded that several of them will die. More definite particulars were not learned.
For Gapes in Chickens.
Fanny Field says—Put several chicks affected in a box, tie a piece of coarse sacking of cheese cloth over the sack, spread some fine air-slacked lime on the cloth, and jar it so that the fine lime will sift down among the chicks. The lime inhaled by the chicks affects the gape wounds so that their hold on the windpipe is loosened, and also causes the chicks to sneeze and cough and throw up the worms.
Marriage Licenses.
During April Register of Deeds Harding issued marriage licenses to the following couples, five white and ten colored:
White.—James Arnold and Elizabeth Smith, H. J. Williams and Augusta Forbes, M. H. Quinerly and Rosa W. Forbes, G. P. Venters and Maggie Haddock, G. M. Baker and George E. Norris.
Colored.—George D. Pugh and Henrietta Mewhorn, Hoyt Daniel and Manda Spellman, Jordan Moore and Mary Knight, James Barney and Louisa Barney, Arch James and Mary Jane Speight, Fred Venters and Siddle Gardner, James Hardy and Lucy Barrett, Frank Perkins and Nellie Belcher, John H. Williams and Annie Chapman, G. L. Spall and Niecey Wooten.
Odd Fellows Celebration.
On last Thursday Covenant Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., of this place celebrated the 75th Anniversary of the establishment of Old Fellowship in America. The day was all that could be asked and everything seemed propitious for the success of the occasion. Many visitors from the surrounding county and villages were present. All the neighboring Lodges had been invited to participate in the festivities and the Lodges at Bethel and Robersonville were present en masse. The Lodges all assembled at Odd Fellows Hall at 10:30 o'clock from here they marched to the Opera House in the following order: Covenant Lodge, Bethel Lodge and Robersonville Lodge. After assembling in the Opera House the officers of the day, S. T. Hooker, N. G., W. H. Bagdsdale, V. G., E. A. Moyer, Chap., D. L. James, Sec'y., with P. Grands J. White and Harry Skinner returned to the Hotel Macon to accompany the speaker of the day, Dr. J. J. Hall, of Norfolk, Va., to the hall. They returned promptly at 11 o'clock and were seated on the rostrum. The meeting was then called to order by the N. G. and the beautiful and impressive Anniversary ceremonies were gone through with participated in by the N. G., V. G., Chap. and Sec'y. Col. Harry Skinner then came forward and in neat, well-timed, well delivered words, introduced Dr. Hall. The speaker's appearance and movement at once fastened the attention of the audience upon him and there was no abatement either of attention or interest until the last words had fallen from his eloquent lips. Dr. Hall after expressing the pleasure it afforded him in being among our people delivered an address upon the principles upon which Odd Fellowship is founded.
1. It is founded upon the sacred scriptures.
2. Upon the defenselessness of man.
3. It recognized the value of a man.
4. Upon the universal brotherhood of man.
5. Upon friendship, love and truth.
The Lodge here had been fortunate in the selection of its speaker for Dr. Hall delivered an address which for elegance and eloquence, for the pathetic and the grand, and for nobleness and beauty of illustration has rarely if ever been equalled in this town. This was truly illustrated by the evident effect produced upon the audience. The music arranged in the ceremonies was furnished by Miss Bessie White, presiding at the organ, C. D. Rountree with violin, Mrs. Georgia Pearce, Miss Annie Foley, and Messrs. R. L. Humber and Leon Evans. All parts were well rendered and added much to the interest of the occasion. Just before the closing prayer by the Chap. P. G. J. White announced that a barbecue had been prepared and was in waiting at the Greenville Warehouse to which all Odd Fellows, widows and orphans, the Masonic Fraternity, the Clergy and the Press were invited. The procession formed at the Opera House door and marched to the warehouse, where everything was truly found in readiness. The dinner was beautiful and well prepared and was indeed enjoyed to their heart's content and satisfaction by at least three hundred people. We learn that too much cannot be said in commendation of Mr. G. M. Tucker for his untiring effort in the securing and preparation of this most elegant barbecue. Thus passed and closed this anniversary day of Odd Fellowship and we hazard nothing in saying that no occasion has passed more pleasantly or profitably than this one—there was not the slightest jar or hitch from the beginning to the close of the exercises, and Covenant Lodge is to be congratulated upon its success which it so well deserves, being largely composed of our best and most respected citizens.
Mr. G. F. Evans has rented the Greenville warehouse property for another season.

Tillery.
The editor spent two very pleasant days at Tillery, last week, attending the union meeting. While there we were the guest of the splendid home of Mr. B. F. Tillery, a very prosperous merchant. Tillery is as yet only a small town, having four stores, but they do a very large business and it bids fair to become a place of much importance. The main industry of the town is the plant of the North Carolina Lumber Co., in fact this company owns the entire site of the town, have laid out nicely and built a number of handsome houses, and have a capital of \$250,000 invested there. They have one of the best equipped lumber mill plants we have visited in the State, and their shipments are immense. Mr. W. H. Hook, the chief engineer, was very pleasant in giving us information about the work. We are also indebted to Mr. E. L. White head, Co. Lumber agent, for favors shown us while at Tillery. The town is located about half way between Scotland Neck and Halifax.
Fire at the Mills.
On last Friday evening, just as most of the citizens were at supper, 6:45 o'clock, the long continuing blowing of the whistle of the Greenville Lumber Co.'s saw mill, Messrs. Hines & Hamilton, proprietors, was heard to vibrate through the town and the longness of it attracted attention and inquiry disclosed the fact that the mill was on fire. Everybody was startled and hasty steps soon brought a throng of citizens to the scene. It was found that the planing mill had caught from sparks that came from the smoke stack of the saw mill and ignited the roof near the sky-light and it was before you could tell it, it was one mass of flame. It burned very rapidly and the heat was intense. It was seen at once that nothing could be done to save it, and attention was directed to the office, stables and Boswell, Speight & Co.'s warehouse, where was stored a large lot of guano. The hostler at once went to the stable to release the dumb animals, he found the horse and mule were not there, but a yoke of oxen were tied in their stalls. He cut one loose and it ran out, getting all burned off and pieces of flesh, either dropped off or he must have struck against something and tore it off. The other ox, when the hostler stepped in a light blaze as the heat was intense, he saw at that moment began to rear and plunged, and fell upon him, it being so hot the hostler crawled out from under the ox and ran to the door and escaped with no damage, while the poor ox swayed and fell and was burned up. The mule was hitched to a post between the planing mill and several box cars on the switch and was consumed. Willing hands were, in the meantime, assisting Mr. Boswell in removing the guano from the warehouse, the fire communicating from the planing mill soon leveled it to the ground. Boswell, Speight & Co., only saved a part of their guano and their loss estimated about \$175. The dry kiln was in imminent danger, being situated between the planing mill and the saw mill, and saw fire at least twenty times, but was put out by citizens, both white and colored, who worked as men never worked before. It was by superhuman effort that the kiln was saved. Mr. Hamilton remarked in our presence, that he had seen people fight fire all his life, but for sticking qualities the Greenville folks beat them all. He says fire can't run these people here. The water supply was inexhaustible, two streams flowing from the boilers and a large reservoir near by. The office where all the books, papers, &c. were kept was also destroyed, but the effects were saved. Mr. Hines was severely cut by glass in bursting in the front window, but is getting along well. The planing mill, stables and office were consumed in a few minutes, and a large lot of dressed lumber in the planing mill, besides several car loads standing on the side track. The saw mill was not damaged, but the dry kiln was damaged, some by tearing up a portion of the roof to get to the fire on the inside.
The Atlantic Coast Line's loss was heavy. Four box cars standing on the side track in front of the planing mill were consumed also a car load of hay and one of lime. The side track was burned in several places. Their loss will be about \$7,000. The passenger train had just arrived and did good work, running box and flat cars away from the fire. They carried the car of lime down the track and left it to burn up, it being impossible to save it, then took several cars to House's station. In the meantime the wrecking train from Conetoe had been telegraphed for and arrived, removing the debris of the car of lime from the track and coming up to Greenville about eleven o'clock cleaned the track in front of the mill and the passenger train went through to Kinston about one o'clock.
Our people rejoice, that even though the loss was heavy, enough of mill plant was saved for operation to continue. They sympathize truly with Messrs. Hines & Hamilton who recently purchased the plant and had just got it to working successfully. In rebuilding and getting their plant in good shape again they should be given all possible encouragement. Messrs. Hines & Hamilton will lose about \$10,000 and had no insurance. They express their gratitude to the citizens of the town and if the latter could hear the genuine heartfelt thanks poured upon them by the firm they would feel amply repaid for all they did. They intend to rebuild at once.

Grimesland Items.
April 30, 1894.
John Warren Jr., of Conetoe, spent Thursday night with Dr. Jones.
U. S. Marshall George Hill, of Washington, spent last Wednesday in our town.
Elias Carr Jr., of Edgecombe County, spent last Sunday at Mrs. General Grimes.
W. E. Proctor contemplates putting a gasoline tug-boat on the river this year.
Times are a little dull just now, still our merchants have as good trade as any in the county.
Mrs. W. M. Moore left for Scotland Neck to-day, to visit the family of Mr. George Daniel.
Mr. J. Bryan Grimes has returned from a recent trip to Bladen county on official business.
Mr. W. B. Grimes, of Raleigh, was here this week looking after his farming interest at "Avon."
Bud Moore and Lige Proctor attended the Odd Fellows celebration in Greenville last Thursday.
J. O. Proctor and John B. Galoway are our champion piscatorialists. On a recent trip they caught eight chub, weighing twenty-four pounds.
Mr. Tom Beck's little two year old child accidentally took a large dose of morphine, to-day, Dr. Jones was called and after several hours of hard work the little fellow recovered.
Our town election comes off 1st Monday. Not many aspirants for office. It looks now as if the present town officers will be re-elected. Our town government is very efficient. We have good order, not a case before the Mayor for two months.
The sentence for May in the Atlanta Constitution's missing word contest is "The five hundred pounds of gold which he had received in exchange for his treasure had been conveyed to the hiding place in the... field." You can get the Constitution and REFLECTOR both a year for \$1.50 and be entitled to a guess.
Notice.
To whom it may concern: My wife Patsy A. White having left my place without my consent and refuses to return to my bed and board, this is to forbid all persons whatsoever not to furnish her in house or in any way harbor her; in order that she may return to her home. JOHN WHITE. This April 13th 1894.
Comfort & Durability
—USE—
Horn Springs
W. S. GREEN, Southern Agent.
DR. FRANK PITT, SPECIALIST.
Now readers to the public his professional service in curing Cancers, Tumors, &c. Address, DR. FRANK PITT, WAYNESVILLE, N. C.
JOHNSTON COUNTY, N. C.
I, Lynn Johns, a citizen of the aforesaid State and county hereby certify that I have been treated by Dr. Frank Pitt for two cancers, one on my head and one near my eye. And after being treated by him I pronounce myself cured and now well of said cancers. This March 12th 1894. LYNN JOHNS. Witness T. B. YOUNG BLOOD, J. P.
I, W. S. Stephens, Clerk of Superior Court, do hereby certify that I am acquainted with Lynn Johns and believe him to be a man of truth and what he says may be believed. W. S. STEPHENS, Clerk Sup. Court. J. P. ELLINGTON, Sheriff. J. W. OLLIVER, Register of Deeds.
Sale of Land for Taxes.
ON MONDAY, the 7th day of May, 1894, I will sell before the Court House door in Greenville, the following land in Farmville township, for payment of the taxes one incursion for the year 1888:
L. J. Barrett, 768 acres, \$29.33
J. A. K. TUCKER, Sheriff and Tax Collector.
SPRING —AND— SUMMER.
FRANK WILSON.
LEADER IN Styles and Prices.
We have just received and are opening the largest stock of— FINE CLOTHING EVER BROUGHT TO GREENVILLE.
Suits for Men, Youths, Boys and Children. in Round Cut, Square Cut, Double Breasted, Prince Albert, London Sack and Dove Tail Cutaway.
In connection with the above I have purchased a lovely line of Gents Furnishing Goods! Dry Goods, HATS AND SHOES. A call from everybody appreciated. No trouble to show goods. FRANK WILSON. HARNES & WHIPS.

Comrades.
This beautiful drama, in three acts, was played in the opera house here last Thursday night by the Greenville Amateurs.
There were seven characters as follows: Royal Manning, Mr. Harry Wheelbee; Matt Winsor—a tramp, Mr. Laughinghouse; Marcus Graves, Mr. Larry Moore; Simon Stone—a jack-of-all-trades, Mr. R. Hyman; May Manning—Roy's wife, Miss Carrie Cobb; Bessie Bradley, Miss Belle Greene; Nancy Nipper, Miss Annie Perkins.
The excellence of the entertainment far surpassed expectations. Indeed the Amateurs' acting was better than most of the professional shows that have visited our town in a long time. To attempt to specially notice the acting of the various members would necessarily do injustice to some, where all was so good. There was "nothing shabby about Simon" or any of them. It was top all the way through.
The house amounted to between \$33 and \$34. We are sorry that the audience was not larger, and hope to have another visit from the Amateurs when they visit here will be greeted by a fuller house.
Music between the acts was furnished by the Kinston orchestra, composed of Messrs. Adolph, Frigen, Ed Weinstein and Claude Frigen. We had no idea the boys could make such nice music. It was very pretty.—Kinston Free Press.
THE LAST CONVENTION.
Held in Greenville, N. C., Adopted the Following Resolutions.
GREENVILLE, N. C., April 3rd, 1894.
Resolved 1st, That while we entertain due respect for the several existing political parties, we are convinced that now is the time and that our necessities demand that there shall be a Fourth party, that the interest of the general public may be protected.
Resolved 2nd, That every man, woman and child in the State to better their condition must adopt the CASH SYSTEM and shop economically, and you cannot do this at stores where 100 per cent. profit are put on goods you need in every day life, you must single out the merchant who sells for cash and cash only.
Resolved 3rd, That for a merchants to do a credit business it is necessary to make large profits on customers who will pay, so as to cover the extra expense of doing a credit business, and the bad debts which are the natural results of this system.
Resolved 4th, That while it is very convenient to have goods charged, we have to pay for it.
Resolved 5th, That we, the people of Greenville, Pitt county, and adjoining counties, having adopted the above resolutions do hereby elect, that BOSWELL, SPEIGHT & Co., shall be our headquarters, where the best goods for the least money can be obtained.
Resolved 6th, That Boswell, Speight & Co. have on hand a full line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Trimmings, a specialty, which they are offering at very low prices and ask you to examine before purchasing.
CASH, Chairman. BOSWELL, SPEIGHT & Co., Clerks.
Spring Millinery. ESTABLISHED 1876.
S. M. SCHULTZ.
AT THE OLD BRICK STORE
FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BUY
ing their year's supplies will find their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches.
PORK SIDES & SHOULDERS, FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR, RICE, TEA, &c.
always at LOWEST MARKET PRICES.
TOBACCO SNUFF & CIGARS
we buy direct from Manufacturers, enabling you to buy at one profit. A complete stock of
FURNITURE
always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all brought and sold for CASH, therefore, having no risk to run, we sell at a close margin.
Respectfully, S. M. SCHULTZ, Greenville, N. C.
M. T. Cowell & Co.
Notice to Farmers.
All persons who will want CANE MILLS and EXAPORATORS next fall will file their orders with me at an early day. I will be able to get the Mills at a liberal discount by ordering all at once and will give the purchaser the benefit of the discount.
H. HARDING, Manufacturers' Agent.

MARVELOUS VALUES!
THROUGHOUT OUR ENTIRE STOCK.
IN COLORED DRESS GOODS we've got everything that's new, stylish and desirable.
OUR WHITE GOODS & WASH FABRICS give pleasant commentaries on all sides. Everything that is dainty and beautiful can be seen in this department.
OUR UMBRELLA & SUNSHADE Department complete with everything to protect one from heat or rain.
OUR CLOTHING Department is unsurpassed in styles and prices. All we ask is an inspection before buying. The latest thing in Head Gear for gentlemen and boys.
OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT is all one could ask. Could you not be suited we take your measure and have them made to order.
— Come and look at our stock, such as —
Mattings, Domestic, Laces, TICKINGS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, &c.
Prices beyond reach of all competition.
C. T. MUNFORD.
NEW GOODS
—I HAVE RECEIVED A COMPLETE LINE OF—
SPRING GOODS!
NOVELTIES, &c.
and would earnestly solicit your examination.
SHOES! I always make SHOES! a specialty.
Embroideries, White Goods and Laces.
I need not say anything about except that I have received a new line. Prices are lower than ever. I thank you for your past favors and if close prices will avail me anything I will merit a continuance. Sewing Machines from \$15.00 up. New Home latest improved \$35.00
Respectfully,
WILEY BROWN, New Home Sewing Machines and Depositor for American Bible Society.
J. L. SUGG, Life and Fire Insurance Agent, GREENVILLE, N. C.
OFFICE AT THE COURT HOUSE.
All kinds of Risks placed in strictly FIRST-CLASS COMPANIES
At lowest current rates.
AM AGENT FOR FIRST-CLASS FIRE PROOF SAFE
Spring Millinery.
IT PAYS TO BE WISE. CALL AT OUR STORE. —Why? Because you can buy—
MILLINERY, FANCY GOODS, Notions and Trimmings, at reasonable prices.
A T prices not forced down by competition but made low from the start by judicious purchasing of stock and contentment with small profit. Our new Millinery has arrived. A call will convince you.
M. T. Cowell & Co.
Notice to Farmers.
All persons who will want CANE MILLS and EXAPORATORS next fall will file their orders with me at an early day. I will be able to get the Mills at a liberal discount by ordering all at once and will give the purchaser the benefit of the discount.
H. HARDING, Manufacturers' Agent.

