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THE NEWS CONDENSED.

A new hotel is to be built on Wrightsville beach. Eleven hundred more Spanish troops have arrived at Cuba.

Four men were killed in a street fight at Newberne, Tenn. Mrs. Oscar Wilda has filed a suit for divorce from her husband.

Charlotte and Wilmington ministers are becoming fond of bicycles.

The Charlotte Observer is developing into an illustrated paper. It had good pictures of the late fire there.

A police census of the city of New York, just completed, shows a population of 1,843,866, an increase of 139,151 since 1890.

The Record says the local Odd Fellows of Greensboro are working hard making preparation for the meeting of the Grand Lodge.

The grand jury of Buncombe county returned a true bill against the Standard Oil Company for violating the North Carolina anti-trust law.

Sunday morning Harlan Shelton shot and killed Solomon Hensley, on Shelton Laurel, in Madison county. Shelton shot Hensley five times.

The governor has offered a reward of \$20 for the capture and delivery of John Council to the Sheriff of Gates county. Council is a murderer.

The Southern Baptist Convention will hold its session in Washington City, beginning May 10th. We have heard some people in this section speak of attending.

A wreck occurred on the R. & G. R. R. about two miles from Weirton. It was due to the breaking of an axle in a freight train. Several cars were derailed.

Mrs. Martha Wallen, of Blackwater, Lee county, Va., stabbed Mrs. Jane Wallace to death with a pitchfork. The killing was the outcome of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Wallen.

H. I. Kimball proprietor of the Kimball House, Atlanta, and a prominent man in the development of several Southern enterprises, died at the home of his brother in Boston.

The Boston Herald says Gen. Grant did not hesitate to say that he believed the position held by this Government was fully three times as large as it ought to be. The General was right.

A prisoner in the Ohio penitentiary hung himself with a string. He fastened the string to the bed post in his cell and lay down, his weight tightening the string and strangling him.

Arch Brown, son and private secretary of Governor Brown, of Kentucky, and a Mrs. Gordon were both shot and killed by the enraged husband of the woman who caught them in criminal intimacy.

One hundred and twenty-nine ballots for United States Senator have been taken by the Delaware Legislature with an election no nearer in sight than when the voting for Senator began fifteen weeks ago.

A Georgia goldbug editor says "silver makes him laugh." This is a great truth. It brings a smile to the faces of millions of people. The faintest glint of it puts us in a roaring good humor.—Greensboro Record.

A Jacksonville, Fla., negro shot and killed his wife because she did not make soup to suit him. While being conveyed to prison he was taken from the officers by a mob of masked men who put him "in the soup" by filling him full of bullets.

The latest about Madeline Poland is that she is to go abroad for four years as the traveling companion of a wealthy lady who has taken an interest in her. The latest from her friend, W. C. P. Breckinridge, was that he is trying to climb over Joe Blackburn into the United States Senate.—Wilmington Star.

Superintendent Bradshaw, of one of the State farms near Weirton says that his oat crop was seriously damaged by the recent freshet in Roanoke river. He has 300 acres in oats, and would have made 10,000 bushels, but the freshet will cut this down considerably. The other farms on the river were also quite seriously damaged.

A Household Treasure. D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it; that he procured it, G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is unobtainable in the best; cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to trial that is claimed by it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested, trial bottles free at J. L. Wooten's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and 1.00.

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LOADING ON A WHEEL.

You may talk about your street cars and your 'film' on the train. But I'll take mine out in 'cycling' when there is no snow or rain: 'Cause a feller then goes glidin' just like the air was greased. And it fills you with a ticklin' just like before you've sneezed. Then it draws out all the sweetness and the vigor in the air, and it sticks it in your system and just simply leaves it there: And if you're sick and trillin' from pleasure, work or sin, That sorter takes and lifts you from the hole that you've got in.

THE YOUNG AND THE OLD.

The young grow old as the days grow dim, The aged lose their sight; He young may live to see a morn, That old age dies with night. We think as we rise with the morning sun, Of the beautiful eventide. Of the beautiful youth and maiden fair, As they glide on side by side. We think of the gossamer moonlight glare, As the moonlight mingles in, And we think of the moonlight glare, Of what we might have been. And oftentimes when the shades of night, Have clouded old age's eye, We think of the morning, noon and eve, And see the darkness near.

A VERIDAL MELODY.

She stood like an angel just wandered from Heaven, A figure beamed away from the skies, And little we deemed that to mortals were given Such visions of beauty as came from her eyes. She looked up and smiled on the many glad faces, The gleams of her childhood, who stood by her side; But she shone o'er them all like a queen of the races, When whispering she whispered the vows of a bride. We sang an old song, as with garlands we crowned her, And each took a kiss on her delicate brow, And we prayed that a blessing might ever surround her, And the future of life be clouded as now.

A BORN EDITOR.

He jest knew all about it—just laid 'em on the shelf, Could see the paper better than the editor himself, Could write the blame to best stories and tell the biggest tales— For he was born for editin', and not for splittin' holes. "Put this here in yer paper," he sez, "I'll make her hum; Just cut a slice of paper, and the cash is bound to cum!" Here's what'll tear the people—I've wrote the very piece— "I'll stir the whole blame village as slick as axle grease!" An' so the editor resigned an' put him as boss, An' the feller rode the paper like he would a Texas hoss; Jest pitched into 'em lively—they couldn't make him cease— He stirred the whole blame village, an' they lynched him slick as axle grease!

THE QUEEN OF THE SEASONS TO THE QUEEN OF MAY.

I come to greet thee, Queen of May, To yield my vassals to thy sway, First Winter, rough and stern erewhile, Now shed of snow and hail, Comes asking with thy graceful smile Forgiveness of the past. Then light and gladness—Queen of May, With bursting buds, young sprigging, In foliage green and colors gay, Her tribute hastes to bring. And p. offering with exultant mien Her fields red-ripe with grain, Comes Summer, too, to claim, fair Queen, A place among your train. And Autumn, gay in spite of sadness, Presses close with eager gladness, To bring her wreath of russet leaves, 'Mid Spring's fair flowers and Summer's sheaves.

THE INEVITABLE.

I like the man who faces what he must, With step triumphant, and a heart of cheer; Who fights the daily battles without fear; Sees his hopes fail, yet keeps unflinching true; That God is God; that somehow, true His plans work out for mortals; not a tear Is shed when fortune, which the world holds dear, Falls from his grasp; better, with love, a crust Than living in dishonor; envies not, Nor loses faith in man; but does his best. Nor ever murmurs at his humbler lot, But with a smile and words of hope, gives zest To every toiler. He alone is great Who by a life heroic conquers fate.

What is Sound Currency?

The Philadelphia Bulletin seems to think that this is a question of which aspirants to the presidency fight shy. They are ready enough that paper says, to tell what would constitute a bad currency, but not so ready to tell what would constitute a good currency. Some of these distinguished gentlemen who won't enlighten us as to what would constitute a good currency will no doubt be found to be advocates of what the western papers style a "red-dog, wild-cat" currency. That is to say, they denounce the 50-cent silver dollar, holding that they would of themselves constitute an unsound currency. So also, they denounce as unsound currency greenbacks, silver certificates, national bank notes, and all sorts of national currency except gold and silver.

Now who will be the first of the aspirants to the presidency to tell us what sort of currency would satisfy him? What would be a "sound currency"? Would it be a currency based upon nothing? That is to say, circulating notes such as we had before the war between the States, which were based upon specie and credit? In those ante-bellum days are "independent" banks, as they were called, were allowed to issue circulating notes upon specie to the amount of two or three dollars of the bank's notes to every specie dollar it had in its vaults. You don't believe that anybody favors this sort of currency now? Well, inform yourselves in the premises, and you will find that the whole question is opened when the affirmation is made that the National Government must have nothing to do with furnishing any other currency than gold and silver.

Let some presidential aspirant clear up this matter.—Richmond Dispatch.

A CHICAGO VIEW.

On the subject of Southern development the Chicago Tribune says: "The most attractive field for investment this year is the South, according to the statements of those who have shown their faith by their works, as well as by the testimony of financial men who have recently visited that section.

Not only has the attention of visitors been attracted to the South, but a tide of immigration has set in that direction greater than in any year of its history. It is said to equal Western immigration in the days when the mining sections of the Rocky Mountains and the agricultural States of Kansas and Nebraska were passing through the period known as the 'boom.' "Much of the capital heretofore seeking investment each spring in the mines, lands and cattle of the West is being diverted to the South this year, financial observers say, and they give numerous reasons for the change. In the first place of the South, they say, are making a greater effort this year to attract capital and immigration than ever before. The Southern railroads have extended their more assistance than formerly in advertising the advantages of their territory and by making unusually low rates to immigrants. Silver mining is no longer an attractive industry for the investor. The partial failure of crops in many of the far Western States has temporarily checked the tide of immigration in that direction, while the fencing of ranges and the consequent depression in the cattle-growing industry has made live stock investment the least attractive of all.

The Gulf coast of Florida and Texas has been the heaviest beneficiary of late investment and immigration, as shown by the statements of financiers and investors, but Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina and some points of Arkansas have received a share of Northern capital and now blood. A considerable portion of this capital has been drawn from New York, but Chicago has also furnished a large amount.

Two sisters of Petersburg, Va., were handling a pistol when it was discharged and one of them fatally wounded in the temple.

NORTH CAROLINA GOVERNORS.

- From 1710 To Date—A List Worth Preserving. Statesville Landmark. The following list of Governors of North Carolina was copied from the records of the town of Eleonor, Chowan county, by Mr. J. H. McElwee of Statesville, while on a visit there: 1710. Charles Eden. 1729. Sir Richard Evarard, Bart. 1734. Gabriel Johnson. 1753. Mathew Rowan. 1768. Arthur Dobbs. 1766. William Tryon. 1774. Josiah Martin. 1777. Richard Caswell. 1780. Abner Nash. 1782. Thomas Burke. 1784. Alexander Martin. 1785. Richard Caswell. 1788. Samuel Johnson. 1790. Alexander Martin. 1793. Richard D. Spaight. 1796. Samuel Ashe. 1798. William R. Davie. 1799. Benjamin Williams. 1802. James Turner. 1805. Nathaniel Alexander. 1807. Benjamin Williams. 1808. David Stone. 1810. Benjamin Smith. 1811. William Hawkins. 1814. William Miller. 1817. John Branch. 1820. Jesse Franklin. 1821. Gabriel Holmes. 1824. Hutchins G. Burton. 1827. James Iredell. 1828. John Owens. 1830. Montford Stokes. 1832. David L. Swain. 1835. Richard D. Spaight. 1837. Edward B. Dudley. 1844. John M. Morehead. 1845. William A. Graham. 1849. Charles Manly. 1850. David S. Reid. 1855. Thomas Bragg. 1859. John W. Ellis. 1861. Warren Winslow. 1861. Henry T. Clark. 1862. Zebulon B. Vance. 1865. William W. Holden. 1866. Jonathan Worth. 1868. William W. Holden. 1871. Tod R. Cladwell. 1874. Curtis H. Brogden. 1876. Zebulon B. Vance. 1880. Thomas J. Jarvis. 1884. Alfred M. Scales. 1888. Daniel G. Fowle. 1890. Thomas M. Holt. 1893. Elias Carr.

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Smoking a Ground for Divorce.

The record of anti-tobacco legislation has been broken by a Minnesota legislator who has introduced a bill making it possible for a woman to obtain a divorce from her husband on the ground that he uses tobacco to excess. It will be a difficult question to determine what excessive smoking is, and if many of the court-rooms are placed in evidence, with their air clouded and heavy with fumes from cigars and pipes, and the floor covered with the expectation of the jurors, even the judge and the lawyers, to say nothing of the spectators and jury members, you will find that they are liable to lose their wives as the defendant in the action. Cigar manufacturers in other States can enclose divorce coupons in their boxes, and in place of prizes with smoking or chewing tobacco or cigarettes, guarantee against proceedings, a copy of the Minnesota divorce laws, and the address of a lawyer, whose services are paid for by the year by the manufacturers will be an acceptable gift to the consumer. The next step in anti-tobacco legislation is awaited with anxiety.—Tobacco Leaf.

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A Batch of Odd Items.

Half of the world's product of quinine is used in the United States. A ton of good coal is said to yield about 8,000 feet of purified gas. The feeding expenses of the animals in the London Zoo are \$900 weekly. The world's population increases at the rate of 1 per cent per annum. The field of Waterloo is covered with a crop of crimson poppies every year. A few grains of borax put into milk will prevent it from becoming sour. According to Marie Tempest, the finest opera house in the world is in Duluth. Fifteen of the 45 prisoners of the war of 1812 are over 100 years old. A lady in Acheson has a poodle dog which has just been fitted with a glass eye. Scientists predict that in a century's time there will be no disease that is not curable. The engine of an express train consumes twelve gallons of water for each mile traveled. Coal is dearer in South Africa than in any other part of the world; it is cheapest in China.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Head-aches, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts and \$1.00 per bottle at John L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Always Say Grace.

A clerk and his country father entered a restaurant Sunday evening and took seats at a table, where sat a telegraph operator and a reporter. The old man bowed his head and was about to say grace, when a water flow up, saying: "I have beefsteak, pork chops, and codfish ball." Father and son gave their orders, and the former again bowed his head. The young man turned the color of a blood red beet, and touching his arm, exclaimed in low, nervous tone: "Father it isn't customary to do that in a restaurant!"

"It's customary for me to return thanks to God wherever I am," said the old man.

For the third time he bowed his head, and the son bowed his head, and the telegraph operator passed in the act of carving his beefsteak, and bowed his head, and the journalist put back his fish ball, and bowed his head and there wasn't a man who heard the short and simple prayer that didn't feel a profound respect for the old farmer than if he had been the President of the United States.

"Let Us Pray," He Said.

A minister wished to ascertain what influence the hard times had upon his congregation, and said, at the close of his sermon: "I would ask every one who is still able to pay his debts to rise from his seat." The whole congregation arose with the exception of one man. The parson then asked that all who were unable to meet their bills should rise. Thereupon the afore-mentioned solitary individual got up, a hungry-looking, poorly-dressed man whose features revealed the terrible struggle of one fighting helplessly against the vicissitudes of this world. The minister regarded him attentively, yet kindly "How is it, my friend," he said, "that you are the only one among all these people who cannot pay his debts?" "Sir," answered the man hesitatingly, "Sir, I publish a newspaper, and these my brothers who rose just now are all my subscribers, and—" But the minister interrupted him hastily. "Let us pray," he said.

Walling to Be Lined.

"Good morning, Uncle. You don't look as if you were feeling first class this morning." "Reckon a man who done got de shakes hain't never feelin' lak dey's much sunshine in de world!" "Got the shakes, eh? Well, cheer up, old man. Every cloud must have its silver lining." "Tanke, sah! (Holding out his hat.) Ef yo'll jus' drop de necessary siller in yer fo' ter git de linin' I'll trot down ter de 'potter-carys' an' pour in de whiskey an' quinine so quick dat ef yo' come up wid me ergin befo' shotey yo'll flatter yo'self yo'ar a profiek."

Lady Churchill Declines.

Lady Randolph Churchill has said that she does not want to give any more letters of introduction to English people coming to this country, because she finds it finally increases the flood of Americans who descend upon her as a channel to English high life. "An Accomplished man." "Grandma, may I take that piece of chocolate you left on the table? I will be so good!" "Yes, you may take it." "The little girl does not move." "Why don't you go and get it?" "Oh! grandma, dear, I ate it first!"—L'Annunziatore.

CONSULTING THE SIGNS.

In This Particular Instance They Did Not Fail. They Encouraged a Mountain Farmer to Ask the Girl of His Choice to Share His New Home—An Easy Bet. I was sitting on a log in the shade of the Cumberland company's summer one June afternoon, when Jack Frazee, a mountain farmer, pretty well to do and a bachelor, came by, and observing my very evident comfort, invited himself to sit down on a part of the log not occupied. I was glad enough to have somebody help me loaf for the hour or so I had to spare, and greeted his proposition with applause. We talked awhile about politics and hard times, and then Jack became scattering in his ideas, and I was pretty certain wanted to talk to me on something more important to him than the general affairs of the country at large. I let him get around to the subject himself so as not to confuse him, and it wasn't long before he was ready to present his case. "Colonel," he hesitated, "do you believe in signs?" "Well, Jack," I replied, "it depends on what kind of signs. For instance, if I see a sign over a building—'Sawmill'—don't go in there to buy dry goods."

"I don't mean that kind," he said, with a nervous laugh. "No?" I looked at him just a bit curiously. "No, I mean the other kind. Those that are signs as signs. You know what signs is, don't you?" he explained, lucidly. "Superstitions, you mean?" I ventured. "Yes," he answered, with a gleam in his face. "Them's them. Do you believe in them?" "That depends, too. Have you been seeing any?" He blushed sheepishly, and changed his seat on the log. "Well, that's what I wanted to ask you about," he said. "You know Mandy Milser, don't you?"

I nodded, for I had seen Mandy, and she was the best specimen of young womanhood in that neck of woods.

"Well," he went on, "I've been kinder sparkin' Mandy for better'n a year now, and she ain't very incurridin'." In course, I hain't ever mentioned the subject right to her, but I've been beatin' the devil around the stump mighty close for some time, and I don't know whether I've got much hopes er not. When I got my new house about done, I ast her one day if she thought that ort to be a porch in front uv it, and she said she thought they ort. So I put one that. Next time I see her I ast if that ort to be a palin' fence er a post an' rail across the yard, and she said they ort. So I put one that. Then, after that, I ast her if the house ort to be painted white or pink, and she said she thought it ort to be white. So I painted it white. One day I was at her house talkin', and I ast her if the well ort to have a windlass er a sweep, and she said a sweep, fer the sweep was so picturesque—what's picturesque, colonel?" and he stopped a moment.

I explained what it was to be picturesque, and he went on. "Well, I didn't know," he said, "but I put up the sweep. Then I ast her if I ort to set out peach trees or apple trees in the yard, and she said they ort to be both, 'cause they would come handy for family use. So I set out both kinds. Last week I moved into the one room I've got fixed up, and I've been kinder lonesome and thinkin' like Yistiddy Mandy came by, and I was settin' on the porch, and she stopped at the gate a minute and said she was mighty glad to see what a nice house I had, and she hoped I'd be powerful comfortable in it, and I ast her if she didn't think I ort to have a wife to take keer uv it, and she said she thought I ort."

Jack stopped his story to mop his brow, for his exertion or interest was making him warm. "What did you do then?" I inquired, with a smile. "Not a darn thing, colonel," he said, "in a tone of disapproval of myself, and that's what I want to ast you about. If that's any truth in signs, don't you believe I could come nigh gittin' Mandy ef I was to take her, say this very evening?"

Jack's whole heart and soul were in his question, and I promptly slapped him on the back and offered to bet him four dollars that he could.

And I didn't lose my bet.—Detroit Lady Churchill Declines.

The mean man occasionally overreaches himself in a way that is delightful to those who have no use for stingy people. A journal tells a story of one of this class of person, which is most amusing. The man went into a butcher's shop, and inquired the price of a soupbone.

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

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CASHIERS GONE WRONG.

Raleigh, Wilmington and Charlotte. These three, but the Greatest of These is Charlotte—Foust, of Salisbury, and Jones, of Roxboro.—Only One Escaped.

North Carolina is getting up a reputation on its bank cashiers. Cross and White, the Raleigh bankers, whose drunken flight towards Canada, and the fright of the negro porter whom they carried with them, vested their escapade, serious as it was, with a tinge of humor, stand at the head of the list. At the head, in so far that they opened the ball in this State. They duly served time in the chain gang. Their flight, arrest, trial and conviction created a great sensation in the State. They donned striped suits and were soon forgotten.

Then came the smash of the First National bank of Wilmington and the flight of Cashier Bowdon. He didn't wait for the storm to break, but put out before the people fully realized what was the matter. It is said that the money he handles now is worth only 55 cents on dollar, for he is living in Mexico.

The next thing to shake up the State was the failure of the Bank of New Hanover and its branch banks, but the officers of this institution made the best of a bad situation. The State had \$15,000 on deposit in this bank at the time of the smash, put there by Col. Tate, then State treasurer. Action is now pending against the directors of the bank to hold them individually responsible for the loss of the money. The complaint charges that the directors, through carelessness and indiscretion brought on the failure of the bank and are therefore responsible, and that they had secured the deposit by misrepresentation. Treasurer Worth, succeeding Col. Tate, is now the plaintiff in the action.

Closely following this came the defection of Cashier Foust, of Salisbury. He embezzled \$20,000 of the bank's funds. Rev. J. F. Mardock uncovered him one morning quite unexpectedly. When Foust saw that Mr. Mardock meant business, he made a grab at a package of bills amounting to \$1,000 and tried to bolt, but he was detained in the bank and in ten minutes the escapee came. He is still serving his term in the State penitentiary, in the capacity of bookkeeper of the penitentiary farm near Weirton.

Since the arrest of Foust nothing out of the way in banking circles had occurred in the State until the Holland exposure, and Charlotte added to the list the king of all cashiers. And now comes Roxboro, with its little \$18,000 capital stock bank, and its enterprising cashier in jail. His name is Jones and they say he got away with \$5,000. "It is believed," says the published report, "that the depositors are not in danger, but the stockholders will lose heavily."—Charlotte News.

Driving a Bargain.

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LOCAL DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Superior Court Clerk, E. A. Mays. Sheriff, R. W. King. Register of Deeds, W. M. King. Treasurer, J. L. Little. Coroner, Dr. C. O'H. Laughlin. Surveyor. Commissioners—C. Dawson, chm'n, Leonidas Fleming, T. E. Keel, Jesse L. Smith and S. M. Jones. Supt. Health, Dr. W. H. Bagwell. Supt. County Home, J. W. Smith. Board Education—J. R. Congleton, chm'n, F. Ward and R. C. Cannon. Supt. Pub. Ins., W. H. Bagdale.

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Baptist. Services every Sunday (except fourth) morning and night. Prayer meeting Thursday night. Rev. C. M. Billings, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Supt. Catholic. No regular services. Episcopal. Services every fourth Sunday morning and night. Rev. A. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Supt. Methodist. Services every Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. G. F. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. B. Ellington, Supt. Presbyterian. Services every third Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Tuesday night. Rev. C. W. Hines, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. B. D. Evans, Supt.

LODGES.

Greenville Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday night. Dr. W. H. Bagwell, N. G. Greenville Lodge No. 281 A. F. & A. M., meets first and third Monday nights. W. M. King, W. M.

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Men and Boys CLOTHING, HATS, Gents Furnishing Goods, DRY GOODS, Notions, Boots & Shoes.

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## THE REFLECTOR

### Local Reflections.

Men orial Day comes this week on Friday.

Just received a car load of Cal. Lily Flour. It is going at \$3.40. J. L. STARKLEY & Co.

Not so many shad now, the season is almost over.

Cotton Seed wanted for Cash at the Old Brick Store.

The recent heavy rains have badly cut up the streets.

Sheriff King says the tax sales Monday were pretty dull.

Remember I pay you cash for Chicken Eggs and Country Produce at the Old Brick Store.

Those "develing" whistles are the biggest nuisance in town.

The White Mountain is the only Ice Cream Freezer that has three motion. D. D. Haskett has these from 3 to 8 quarts.

A pump has been placed in the new well near Pender's store.

A large stock of nice Furniture cheap at the Old Brick Store.

The colored people had a big baptizing at the river Sunday morning.

I have taken the agency for the New Home Sewing Machine and will keep a supply of machines, needles and attachments at H. C. Hooker's store. JAMES BROWN.

You will save money by cutting feed for your horses and cows. D. D. Haskett has a fine line feed cutter for \$3.50.

This month will have five Wednesdays, five Thursdays and five Fridays.

Needles and Attachments for all makes of Sewing Machines kept by James Brown at H. C. Hooker's store.

Messrs. Hardin & Ellington have opened their tobacco flue factory and machinery warehouses in the old Marcellus Moore store on Five Points.

Kainit, Kainit, just arrived at Washington. See us and get prices. SPEIGHT & FORBES.

TOBACCO GROWERS ATTENTION.—We have just received a large quantity of tobacco flue iron of good quality and clean. Parties who have ordered flues from us can get them now at any time. S. E. PENDER & Co.

NOTICE.—We have just received our machinery and are expecting several car loads of first class flue iron in a few days. We are prepared to make any and all kinds of flues and will guarantee first class work at reasonable prices. Yours very truly, O. L. JOYNER, OSCAR HOOKER.

## THESE FOLKS

Come or Went and Their names Got in Print.

Mrs. Sallie Marshall is sick.

Mr. W. R. Parker is very sick.

Mr. W. T. Lipscomb went to Raleigh Saturday.

Mr. R. J. Proctor returned from Kinston Saturday.

Mr. B. E. Parham left Saturday to visit his parents (?)

Miss Pearl Hornaday, of Wilcox Green, is visiting Mrs. B. F. Sugg.

Mr. S. C. Hamilton reached home from Newbern Saturday morning.

Miss Addie Johnson, of Grifton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. D. Rountree.

Mrs. Ricky Moore has been spending a few days with Mrs. S. B. Wilson.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan, has gone to Baltimore to attend the American Medical Convention.

Misses Carrie Bland and Ellen Hines, of Ayden, are visiting Mrs. Laura Anderscr.

Governor and Mrs. T. J. Jarvis returned home Friday night from their visit to Curriuek.

Mrs. John Matthews and son, Edward, went to Kinston Tuesday evening to visit relatives.

Rev. R. W. Hines, of Parmele, filled Rev. G. F. Smith's pulpit in the Methodist church Sunday night.

Rev. G. F. Smith left Monday for Washington to assist in a meeting in the Methodist church there.

Mr. A. P. Marrav, superintendent of Riverside Nursery, has gone to Nash County to spend a month.

Mrs. J. W. Goodwin and children, of Philadelphia, who have been visiting relatives here left Monday.

Ex Governor T. J. Jarvis will deliver the commencement address at the University of Tennessee, June 11th.

Mrs. J. B. Cherry returned home Friday evening from Baltimore, where she has been spending a few weeks.

Mrs. Henry Harding, of this town, has been appointed one of the marshals for the Memorial Day exercises in Raleigh on the 10th.

Rev. L. H. Joyner is conducting a meeting at Bethlehem church nine miles from town. He is assisted by Rev. P. S. Beckwith, of Grifton.

Mrs. S. M. Schultz and children returned home Monday evening from Rocky Mount. Her sister, Miss Mattie Abrams, accompanied her home.

Rev. Archie McLaughlin, of Robeson county, who comes to this field to assist Rev. R. W. Hines, preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday night. He will locate in Greenville and our Presbyterian friends will have services hereafter the first and third Sundays in each month, morning and evening.

Mr. E. J. Proctor, who for a long time was with the REFLECTOR and went to Washington to be foreman of the Watch-Tower when that paper was moved there, and later took the management of the telegraph office at this town, is now on the Evening Messenger force.

We thought Ed was too good a printer to keep his fingers out of ink long.

For sale one Rambler Bicycle, apply at Post Office.

Rev. B. H. Hearne, will preach at Gam Swamp the 2nd Sunday in May by request.

S. Ball Croquet sets at D. D. Haskett's.

My! the Salisbury Herald has moved the country up to May, 1885, just one thousand years ahead.

There is talk of a telephone line being built from down town to the depot, with branch phones at the tobacco warehouses.

The Grifton Guide has made its appearance with E. B. Wilcox editor. It is quite a newsy sheet and we hope will meet with success.

Last year America killed and packed 21,619,000 hogs, which sold for \$232,000,000. These are figures which no one will grunt about.

Remember I can take your measure and have you a suit of clothes made to order. Fit guaranteed. Frank Wilson.

Messrs. J. L. Cherry and W. B. McLawhorn finished setting out their tobacco plants on Tuesday. They are the first to finish in the county, most farmers have just commenced.

Thermometers are higher now than they were in February. They will be still higher in July. D. D. Haskett has a large lot bought while they were low.

Would it not pay to run an excursion from Greenville to Washington and return on Memorial Day, May 10th? What says "Uncle John" Cherry and the Old Dominion people?

Larry Heilbronner resigned the position of weather observer for this station and M. R. Lang was appointed as his successor. The signals will continue to be displayed and telegrams posted at the same place, Lang's store.

A Pitt contain who is doing a prosperous business in New Orleans, in sending his renewal to the REFLECTOR says "It is like meeting an old friend from home each week."

## Words Unnecessary.

Woman does all she can to render herself irresistible, and then orders man to keep his distance.—Galveston News.

No orders in that particular are now needed, her sleeves giving sufficient warning that he must not approach too near.

Taken to Mr. Olive.

The remains of Benjamin Griswold Hall, aged 8 years, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hall, whose death occurred Saturday afternoon, were taken to Mt. Olive Monday for burial, the family leaving on the morning train. Many of our people accompanied the corpse and the bereaved family to the depot. Mr. Hall and his family expect to remain at Mt. Olive a week.

Mr. Frank Speight Dies.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. J. F. Speight which occurred Saturday at 3 o'clock. He had been sick about three weeks during which time he suffered intensely with hemorrhagic fever. Mr. Speight was in his 40th year and was a good citizen. He leaves a wife and six children who have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

All Needed is Water.

The fire engine is unquestionably a great success so far as the water test is concerned, and if the fire test proves as successful as did the water test Thursday evening there should be no hesitancy on the part of the Councilmen to close the contract. Then they should proceed at once to secure a good and plentiful supply of water which is very greatly needed for the protection of the property of the town.

Mr. Speight's Funeral.

The funeral services over the remains of Mr. J. F. Speight took place in the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, the attendance being very large. The services were conducted by Rev. C. M. Billings assisted by Rev. G. F. Smith. The pall bearers were Messrs. H. A. Sutton, W. J. Cowell, Robert Belcher, G. E. Harris, W. C. Hines and H. C. Hooker. The burial was near the church.

Fishing in Her Garden.

Mr. B. H. Hearne the mail carrier says there is a woman living between here and Tarboro who planted her garden about two weeks ago. Saturday when passing by he saw the woman sitting out in the garden on a log with a fishing rod in her hand. The water had backed up from the river and submerged the garden. She said the fish had eaten up everything in her garden and as she must have something to eat she tried her skill at angling. Mr. Hearne said she had a nice bunch of fish when he passed.

The Fire Test.

At the test of the new engine on Friday evening, the engine came fully up to expectation, doing its work quickly and effectively. The house was filled with goods boxes and other material that would burn rapidly, kerosene oil was thrown all over it and the match was applied. After allowing the fire to gain considerable headway the engine was started and in a brief time the fire was out. This was repeated three times, the building being allowed to burn longer at each test, the last time so long that none of the spectators thought the fire could be put out. But it was extinguished quickly, every test proving thoroughly satisfactory. The Councilmen accepted the engine and closed the contract.

St. Paul's Mission Band.

On Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. A. Ricks, St. Paul's Mission Band had another of their pleasant teas in which they so often participate. The following programme was beautifully rendered.

Scripture reading: Letters from Brazil and Japan.

Instrumental Duets—Misses C. Cobb and Irma Cobb.

Reading—Miss Lucy Cox.

Essay on Missionary Work in Western N. C.—Miss M. Lee Joyner.

Instrumental Duets—Blue Danube Waltzes—Misses Greene and Cobb.

Next in order cake and cream were served, the remainder of the afternoon being spent in social intercourse. Before leaving the committee tendered a vote of thanks to Mrs. Ricks and niece, Miss Cobb, for the charming manner in which they were entertained, declaring it was by far the most enjoyable tea yet had.

The Sporty Five.

Did the REFLECTOR readers know that there was a band of five young ladies in our midst that meet every Friday afternoon? And what a happy, jolly time they do have. They called themselves "The Sporty Five," and each one has the name of some novel. They are Trilby, Imogene, Marcella, Jane Eyre and Doa Thorne. They meet at each other's home and the strangest thing about it is they don't allow a boy at one of their meetings. They have pass words and signs and it is really amusing to hear them. It came across them a few evenings ago when they were out strolling, and heard a noise like the babble of a cart load of monkeys. When we stopped and enquired what all that fuss was about we were politely told that "We are the Sporty Five." We don't like to be cut down by such a bevy of girls and remarked that they should certainly be given away. If we were not married we would be one of five young men to either break up that band or make them let us meet with them and enjoy the happy hours that they spend so pleasantly.

## THE FIRE ENGINE.

It is Given a Water Test and Proves a Success.

The new fire engine which the Board of Councilmen contracted for and was accepted in case it came up to what was guaranteed for it, was brought down from the depot Thursday evening and given a thorough water test. The first test was made in front of the Market House, the suction hose being lowered into the well there and a stream of water was thrown over the Court House steeple, 90 feet high. The engine was then placed at the well near Pender's store and the hose was run out to C. T. Munford's residence two blocks away, but the well did not afford sufficient water to make this test. Then the fire company took the engine to the river bridge, placed it near the draw, lowered the suction to the river, ran the hose up the hill and on nearly to second street, and from the street threw a stream of water over the Masonic Lodge. This was as severe a test as the engine could well be subjected to, and it did all that could be expected of it. We believe the engine is a thoroughly good one and if an adequate water supply is now provided the town will be well protected against fire.

The engine will be put to a fire test this evening in the old field near the College. For this purpose a rough structure 15 x 20 feet and 15 feet high has been put up. This house will be filled with combustible material, the whole saturated with oil and fire set to it. If the engine puts this out there will be no room to doubt that it will do everything guaranteed for it.

TOWN TAX LEVY

Total Increase of 66 2/3 Percent.

The Board of Councilmen, five of the members being present, met Tuesday afternoon, April 30th, for the purpose of making a levy of town taxes for the coming fiscal year.

The tax on real and personal property was increased from 25 cents to 33 1/3 cents on each \$100 valuation, and an additional special tax of 84 cents was levied.

The poll tax was increased from 75 cents to \$1, and an additional special tax of 25 cents on each poll was levied.

This makes a total increase in regular and special taxes of 66 2/3 percent over last year. The increased amount of revenue from this levy will be about \$500 on the regular taxes and \$300 on the special taxes.

In making the special levy of 84 cents on each \$100 valuation and 25 cents on each poll, the Board passed an order that the proceeds raised from this special tax shall apply, first, to tiling and drainage; second, water supply; third, street improvements, and can be used for no other purpose.

All the schedule or privilege taxes remain the same as for last year with the exception of lawyers, the last Legislature passing a law relieving them of municipal privilege tax. These schedule taxes are as follows:

Retail liquor licenses, \$37.50.

Billiard Tables \$10 each.

Bowling Alleys, \$10 each.

Drays, \$5 single, \$10 double.

Livery stables, \$5.

Horse dealers \$10.

Banks, \$10.

Boarding houses, \$5.

Opera houses \$25.

Theatrical companies, \$5 per day.

Circuses \$25 per day.

Peddlers \$3 per day.

Bring your cotton seed to Henry Sheppard, and buy your Meal and Hulls. Car load of each just arrived for sale cheap.

A horse belonging to Moses Williams fell in a ditch near the depot Tuesday evening, and was gotten out with much difficulty.

Bad weather makes bad health. The Iron Drive Pump will give you pure water. D. D. Haskett keeps the best.

At the recent debate by the Learner Society of the A. & M. College, at Raleigh, Mr. W. G. Jackson, of this county, won the debater's medal.

Mr. Asa Garbis, of Littlefield, tells us that his boys killed a large moccasin snake, on Sunday, and cutting the snake open found twenty frogs that had been swallowed by it.

Ben White a negro who recently escaped jail at Kinston, and the negro who killed a constable in Edgecombe county a few weeks ago, were both arrested near Washington Monday.

A boy named John Lockamy, living about six miles from town, split his right foot open with a hatchet, this morning, and cut one of his toes entirely off. He was brought to Greenville and Drs Bagwell and Warren dressed his foot.

Sunday School Convention.

The County International Sunday School Convention for Pitt county is hereby called to meet at Ayden at 3 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, June 3rd. There will also be a session on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

All the Scholars in the county are earnestly requested to be represented by delegates.

A programme of the exercises will be published later. Delegates are to be selected at this meeting to represent us in the State Convention. A full meeting is desired.

This meeting will be held in connection with the present convention of this section which will convene at 10 o'clock on Saturday, June 3rd, at D. D. HASKETT, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

The undersigned having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of Wm. H. Hopgood, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same before the 8th day of May, 1886, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 5th day of Mar. 1886.

LORENZO McLAWHORN, Admr. of D. W. Hopgood

## LET US HAVE WATER.

Editor Reflector.

Now that the Town has a fire engine, and the first step is taken towards the care and safety of the town from fire, the second and most important step should at once be taken by making the water supply sufficient to meet the most stubborn emergency. This in my opinion should be done in the best way, and that way is to make a large reservoir at the west side of the walk bridge going to Forbestown, and one at the bridge going to Skinner ville on 4th street, and one in the ravine at the east end of 4th street, below Dr. Wm. B. Brown's. These locations are almost within reach of the length of hose, and for the protection of the north part of the town the river will furnish an inexhaustible quantity, and for the protection of the Tobacco Warehouses and other property in that section of the town a reservoir could be made back of the foundry and near the street going by the warehouses. This is the most inexpensive way to get plenty of water and without water the town has no use for an engine. When this is done and the property owners and citizen generally have solemnly and earnestly made up their minds to work harmoniously and in full concert of action, being willing to be commanded when a fire is on us and will work for the best good of the town, the fire bngs will not be able to do much toward destroying the town and property therein. The fact is very clearly evident that the cost of an engine is a useless waste of money if there is no water, and in order that this end shall be met the above proposition is in my judgment the best and most economical expenditure that can possibly be made to get all the water necessary. B. F. SUGG.

The streams all over the county are full and many bridges have been washed up.

A Strong Fortification. Fortify the body against disease by Tutt's Liver Pills, an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, jaundice, biliousness and all kindred troubles. "The Fly-Wheel of Life" Dr. Tutt; Your Liver Pills are the fly-wheel of life. I shall ever be grateful for the accident that brought them to my notice. I feel as if I had a new lease of life. J. Fairleigh, Platte Cannon, Col. Tutt's Liver Pills

## BAD SANITATION.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

It is the prerogative of every citizen to insist upon the public servants looking after the health of the town. We have had an unprecedented winter and spring and the earth has been saturated with water until it has polluted the very atmosphere. This old town is becoming more powerful, and the tobacco world has an eye upon her. It is being cussed and discussed, and while the spirit of improvement is going on and the hot summer days are approaching and with it disease, why can not our citizens see and feel the necessity of a thorough cleansing of the streets, lanes and back yards. I say without fear of contradiction the sanitary condition of this town is awful, and somebody is responsible. Now Mr. Editor, the people look to you and have a right to ask, why you have not "stepped upon" somebody's toes, in this matter? Do it, and you will merit and receive the plaudits of the community, and so will I, although I am a NEW COMER.

[If "New Comer" had always been a reader of the REFLECTOR he would have seen that coming at the sanitary condition of the town and urging the cleanliness of premises has been chronic with us. Ed.]

NOTES FROM TARBORO.

Tobacco Market.—Big Fresh—New Bank, &c.

TARBORO, N. C., May 6, 1895.—Our people here appreciate very highly, the most complimentary article in the DAILY REFLECTOR concerning Tarboro as a tobacco market, and thank the editor very kindly for it. The REFLECTOR is broad gauged, willing to assist others as well as build up the industries of its own town. Long may such a paper live.

Our tobacco market here is now a certainty. Everybody is enthusiastic and Tarboro is only gathering her forces for the opening in the fall.

The Bank of Tarboro has been organized with a capital stock of \$25,000 and will commence business as soon as the outfit arrives. It is one of the strongest corporations in the State, representing more than a million of dollars.

Tar river has been and is now on a big swell. It was rising all day yesterday.

A petition was circulated here this week for a continuance of the appropriation for dredging Tar River. Nearly everybody signed it.

I will write more some other time. CITIZEN.

## ASSIGNEE SALE

The big Dry Goods and Notion concern of E. J. Jaffrays & Co., of Broadway, N. Y., went into the hands of a receiver about 10 days ago and

# C. T. MUNFORD,

the lucky buyer, happened there just in time to pull in the great plums, always having the interest of his patrons at heart he is now able to offer some of the greatest bargains ever heard of under the sun, such as

## SAXHAMS, CASHMERES, WHITE, GOODS SILKS,

Silk Warp Henriettas, Embroideries, Laces, &c. He is none lacking in the

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These are stubborn facts and all we ask is a trial for your spring trade.

# C. T. MUNFORD,

Next Door to Bank.

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## The Leaders Say!

The eyes of the people are upon the merchants who can and will sell goods cheap, cheaper and cheapest in these times of depression and anxiety for the future condition and prosperity of our people. We claim to be the merchants of Greenville for you to trade with, for the following reasons: We buy largely and buy for the cash, we buy at close figures because of these two facts. We sell for cash, we sell on credit. We help hundreds of our friends who appreciate it and in turn help us by telling their friends of our honest goods and honest business methods in dealing with all. We carry the the largest and best selected line of

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

to be found in our county. We invite your inspection. We invite comparison, dollars worth with dollars worth, quality against quality, with any other stock in Pitt county. The signs of the times point out plainly those merchants with whom you should spend your cash. Do not be led away with what some other man has to tell you, but come to us and buy our

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Sale of valuable land.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as administrator of Eliza James, deceased, in a special proceeding before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, I shall offer for sale at the Court House door in Greenville on Monday the 6th day of May, 1895, the following described tract of land: situated in Pitt county containing one hundred acres more or less and adjoining the lands of J. J. Gray and Brier Swamp and known as the Eliza James tract. Terms of sale one-third cash balance in two equal installments six and twelve months after date with interest after date. Title retained until payment in full.

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SPRING!

Gentle spring comes with all the sweet songs of the birds and lovely flowers and so does our our pretty—

# New Dress Goods, Trimmings

—and fine line of—

# CLOTHING!

Our goods are prettier and cheaper than ever and they are going fast. Come quick.

# HIGGS BROS.,

Leaders of Low Prices,  
Greenville, - N. C.

# RICKS, TAFT & CO.,

WISH TO NOTIFY their friends and the trade that they have bought out the Furniture & Racket Store and will engage in the general DRY GOODS, NOTION, SHOES and Clothing business. We are receiving NEW GOODS DAILY.

Everybody invited to all and see us.

Respectfully,  
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This 5th day of Mar. 1886.

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