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GENERAL NEWS.

The Wilson Advance has changed its form to an 8-page paper

Rev. Alex Walker and wife, of Durham, have just celebrated their golden wedding.

Mr. J. M. Leach of this place made 950 gallons of blackberry wine last month--Pittsboro Record.

A young man named J. V. Jones committed suicide in Durham by hitting his head against a post.

The Goldsboro Headlight is making arrangements to publish an afternoon daily. Roseover is a hustler.

In Baltimore a mother and three children, all girls, were terribly burned by a gasoline explosion. Two of the children cannot recover.

The Governor has transferred to the school fund, to be distributed among the counties in accordance with the laws of 1895, the balance of the direct tax fund, amounting to \$27,000.

Mr. Wm. Black, of Union county, has a bale of cotton in his warehouse which is ten years old. He is keeping it, he says, for hard times. Times have never gotten so hard yet as to force the sale--Charlotte Observer.

Miss Myrtle Beaver, daughter of Mr. David Beaver, of the Organ Church neighborhood, met with a terrible accident Monday. She was helping make preserves out in the yard when her dress caught fire and was entirely consumed. Her body was burned so badly that her life has been despaired of--Salisbury Herald.

Hawthorne, N. J., has a lady bicyclist who wears cardinal red bloomers. She is the sensation of the village, and her husband recently tried to get an injunction from a court restraining her from wearing such a costume. He failed and his wife continues to keep Hawthorne stirred up.

At last the extreme limit in the apparel of the New Woman seems to have been reached. According to a Detroit newspaper, several bicycling girls of Coldwater, Michigan, have already outgrown the bloomer stage, and now ride on the streets and suburbs of that great city clad in complete masculine costumes--knickerbockers, golf stockings and short jackets.

Statistics show that the average annual loss of life by lightning in the United States is 224 persons, and this out of a population of nearly 70,000,000. This means that about one person out of 312,000 is killed every year in the United States by lightning. And yet some people act during a little thunder storm as if one person out of every baker's dozen were killed every year.

George J. Dowell, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. George J. Dowell, happened to quite a painful accident. He was attempting to mount his father's horse when the horse turned suddenly around and kicked him square in the face. At first it was thought that he was seriously wounded, but a later examination proved that no bones were broken. An ugly wound was made, beginning at the nose and encircling the left eye--Durham Star.

Mr. Charles B. Rouss, the well-known New York millionaire wants to put up a memorial building for Confederate veterans at the Cotton States and International Exposition. He proposes to make it a meeting place for lectures and speeches by veterans and for the sale of Confederate relics. Mr. Rouss, who is himself a Confederate veteran, and who went to New York without a dollar at the close of the war, recently gave \$100,000 for the erection of a Confederate memorial building to be located in some large city and made a repository for Confederate history and archives.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh, Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CENEY & CO. Sold by Druggists 75c.

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You Need THE Reflector this year It will give the news every week for \$1 a year.

WEATHER CROP BULLETIN.

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina State Weather Service for the week ending Saturday, August 3, 1895, are generally favorable, except from the eastern portion of the State. The temperature has been below normal the entire week, the deficiency averaging from two to four degrees; the days have been warm, but nights quite cool, at least retarding growth if not otherwise injuring crops. The precipitation has been very deficient, especially in the Western and Central Districts, where droughty conditions are beginning to prevail over large sections. The average rain fall for the week in the Western District was only 0.10 inch; in the Central about 0.25, in the Eastern nearly 1.00. The east is not suffering for rain. The lack of rain is at present affecting chiefly vegetables and smaller crops, but if continued much longer will lessen yield of corn.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

There has been more rain in this than in other districts; hence reports are generally favorable. The days have been quite warm with abundant sunshine, but several cool nights occurred, which were not favorable. Prolific rains occurred July 30th and Sunday August 4th; still it is a little dry in some places. Cotton has a fine healthy weed, but has not yet done much fruiting. Where matured it is bolting well. Caring tobacco progressing with good results. Corn is good, and earing finely as a general rule. Some complaints of firing on upland. In early corn, on high uplands, many barren stalks are seen. Turkeys being plucked. Peaches are small. Concord grapes ready to cut, but have been somewhat damaged by blight.

Says the Wilmington Messenger: "The people of North Carolina are too prone to look to the north for examples for light, for encouragement and indorsement. If an article praising the south a little bit appears in a northern paper it will be copied into nearly every southern public print. If a southern paper is praised that settles it. If educational institutions take both sexes, then of course the imitative south must do likewise. And so on without end. There is a want of self-confidence, of independent thinking, of belief in our own folks. A northern word of praise is a patent of nobility. If a young man in the south happens to be invited to do something 'up north, then the chirping goes all around how great he is since he is so honored. Let us rely upon ourselves more, especially in politics."

News comes from China of the massacre of a number of Christian missionaries in the interior of that great country, and there is talk of the going of an American man-of-war to see about it. The American government could, however, take summary steps to enforce punishment and secure indemnity if it had a better record than it has for the protection of Chinese in this country and the observance of its treaty relations with our Celestial friends--Statesville Landmark.

Denny Griffin, an old and respected citizen living West of Greensboro, is not expected to live. He will be 99 years old on the 19th of this month and he has got it into his head that he is going to die on his birthday. He appears to have no well defined disease, but is merely wasting away with old age. He served in the Mexican war and has been drawing a pension for years, says the Record.

To an old bachelor is attributed the discovery that "a woman keeps secret what she does not know." If men did the same thing there would be a good deal less lying and running down false reports of sundry kinds. It is the man who tells what he doesn't know that always creates the racket.

Be your own competitor. Take man who is not constantly breaking his own record is tending to ward that point where he can make no record at all--Young Man's Era.

FREMONTION IN ANIMALS.

We all know that there are many things withheld from the wise and prudent which are revealed unto babes; and may it not be true, likewise, that things invisible by human eyes are sometimes seen by brutes, and that knowledge of impending events, withheld from human beings, is given to the lower order of creation? The fact that Baalam's ass saw the angel of the Lord though its rider could not, establishes the first of these theories in at least one case, and here is information which would seem to establish the second: It is related that during the earth quake at Laibach some persons kept their wits about them sufficiently to observe the extraordinary behavior of animals. Several minutes before the first shock an owl began to cry out as if for help, in an unearthly voice; sparrows and other birds fluttered aimlessly about and horses long before the shock occurred began to tremble violently, some falling on their knees. Dogs howled the whole night through, and when a shock was near their yelping was piercing and unnatural. That is an interesting statement. Was the knowledge of the coming of the earthquake revealed directly to the intellects of the animals or were there physical or atmospheric conditions, imperceptible to men but which the brutes felt, which warned them of an unusual and terrifying manifestation in nature? This is getting pretty far into the field of speculation, with little prospect of any satisfactory conclusion being reached, but it is sometimes interesting to speculate for speculation's own sake--Charlotte Observer.

The Old Silver Dollar.

The following from the Chicago (Ill.) Gazette, will be read with interest for its excellent sentiment if not the poetic inspiration it breathes: How dear to our hearts is the old silver dollar, when some kind subscriber presents it to view; the liberty bust without necktie or collar and all the strange things that to us seem so new; the wide spreading eagle, the arrows below it, the stars and the words which the coin of our fathers, we're glad that we know it, for some time or other 'twill come in right well the spread eagle dollar, the old silver dollar that we all love so well.

Encourage the Editor.

The editor can always write more cheerfully of the business interests of a town when his columns are liberally filled with the advertisements of the business houses. No editor can advocate the doctrine of buying from home merchants unless the home merchants in showing to the home trader by advertising in the columns of the local newspaper. It is depressing to the editor to find business men patronizing every advertising fake that comes along, and at the same time the names of those business men are rarely, if ever, seen in the advertising columns of the local news paper--Salisbury Herald.

Talk about your cycle lars fish prevaricators and snake falsifiers, but they don't hold a light to the following correspondent of the Wadesboro Messenger. Hear him:

"Mr. Will Hendly takes the cake on the egg question. He says he found one on his place six inches long and had two deep grooves around it, which made it in the shape of three eggs. He set the egg and it hatched out a chicken, a guinea and a duck. Come again, ye ink slinger of Goodman's."

A reliable lady of this town says a hawk caught one of her freelin chickens a few days ago, carried it to the woods, examined it closely and to her surprise, brought it back and eased it down in the yard and gently flew away. The North Carolina weather bureau puts the tobacco crop of the State at 86 for July, against 84 for June, and 73 for July of last year. The averages in the western and middle districts are about the same, both being a little less than 87, while the average in the east is 83.

THE PEANUT CROP.

Mess. Holmas and Dawson have given to the Norfolk Journal of Commerce a report on the growing crop of peanuts in Virginia and North Carolina. They set out the following enquiries concerning the crop between 10th and 30th of July:

1. What is the acreage planted in your neighborhood, as compared with last year? Is it more or less, and what proportion?

2. How is the stand?

3. Was the planting season favorable or unfavorable?

4. As the planting season is conceded to be late, will favorable seasons from now on bring the crop up to a good average?

To the first question 30 per cent of the answers said about same number of acres as last year; 8 per cent said a slight increase, and 62 per cent of the answers report a decrease in acreage averaging 27 per cent reduction.

To the second question 20 per cent of answers said but stand, 30 per cent said fair, 16 per cent said good, and 8 per cent said very good.

To the third question 85 per cent of the answers said unfavorable planting season and 15 per cent of the answers said favorable planting season.

To the fourth question 61 per cent of the answers said it is impossible for the most favorable seasons to bring the crop up to a good average, while 39 per cent of the answers say with good seasons the crop will come up all right.

Summing up the replies they say there is about 15 per cent reduction in acreage. The stand is only a fair one, and the crop looks to a good degree the favorable outlook of last year.

While the crop will not be so large the money value promises to be equal to that of last year. There will be less old stock carried over than in years; and the general quickening of activity in business circles gives reasons to expect better prices for peanuts this year--Scotland Neck Democrat.

The Effect of Pulling Fodder.

Stripping the leaves from the standing stalks of corn while in their best green condition is quite a common practice in some sections of the country. When properly cared and bound in bundles they make excellent winter fodder, and it is generally considered that the pulling of the leaves cause no decrease in the production of grain. To test the question of loss or gain, experiments were made on 16 plats at the Georgia station. From one half of each the leaves were stripped and the fodder carefully dried.

The plats from which the blades were stripped yielded 23.9 bushels of shelled corn per acre. The unstripped plat gave a yield of 27.3 bushels per acre, a loss of 3.4 bushels as the result of pulling the fodder. But the yield of fodder was 270 pounds per acre, at a cost for pulling and curing of 81 cents. In other words there was a loss equal to 190.4 pounds of corn and a gain of 270 pounds of fodder.

From the above and a similar trials preceding it, the conclusion is reached that the strongest argument against the practice is the meagre results in fodder compared with the amount of labor involved. The same labor employed in mowing grass or any good forage crops, even without the use of improved harvesting machinery, would yield vastly greater results.

Mr. J. M. Mewborne, of Lenoir county, while in Raleigh recently, told a newspaper correspondent that he thinks the Populists hold the key to the situation and that they are the "mountain" to which "Mahomet"--that is the Democrats--must come. He says he regards ex-Senator Jarvis as a "back number," but thinks Lieutenant Governor Doughton the strongest man the Democrats could nominate for Governor.

The Free Press observes that the Populist politicians are doing their best to injure Jarvis. This indicates that they fear him. Kinston Free Press.

That Wonderful Baby Boy.

The proud young mother had come to pay her visit, accompanied by the infant heir and his nurse.

"I don't wish to appear in any way partial," said she, "but really for a child of sixteen months I consider Algernon a marvel of intelligence. He understands every word that is said and joins in the conversation with a sagacity that almost alarms me at times. Speak to the lady, Algernon."

"Boo-boo," said Algernon.

"Listen to that!" cried the delighted mother. "He means, 'How do? Isn't it wonderful?'"

"Now, Algernon, ask the lady to play for you. (He adores the piano.) Now, Algernon, dear, (very anxiously)

"Boo-boo!" said Algernon.

"He means 'Music' by that: 'Boo-boo'--'music.' Isn't he too smart for anything? Now, love tell the lady mamma's name?"

"Boo-boo?" said Algernon.

"That's right. 'Boo-boo'--'Louise!' My name's Louise, you know. Oh, dear, I do hope he isn't too clever to live! Now, say by-by to the lady, precious."

"Boo-boo!" said Algernon.

"Boo-boo" --"by-by." Why, upon my word there's hardly any difference. Bless his little darling heart! Isn't he a wonder?"--Chicago Evening Post.

Master or Slave.

There is all the difference in the world between being master or slave. And this difference is manifest in every phase of life, and in every sphere of power. Every man has nervous, but one man controls his nerves, and we speak of him admiringly as a man of nerve, while another man is controlled by his nerves, and we speak of him pityingly as a nervous man. In the one case the man is master; in the other case the man is a slave. It is a good thing for a man to have a strong temper and to control it. It is a very bad thing for a strong temper to have a man and to control him. A man is worth little in ordinary life who has no appetite, and a man who has his appetite in control is master of it for efficient service; but a man who is a slave to his appetite has neither happiness nor power. He is despised as the most abject of his race. The choice is before us, in God's providence, to be master or slave. And we are responsible for our choice.--Sunday School Times.

Willing to Oblige.

They are willing a story at the expense of a young North Carolina girl. The girl is charming, but like a great many other charming people, she is poor. She never had more than two evening gowns in a season, and the ruin of one of them is always a very serious matter to her. She went to a little dancing party last week and she wore a brand new white frock. During the evening a great, big red faced perspiring man came up and asked her to dance. He wore no gloves. She looked at his well-meaning but moist hands despairingly, and thought of the immaculate back of her waist. She hesitated a minute, and then she said with a winning smile:

"Of course, I'll dance with you, but if you don't mind, won't you please use your handkerchief?"

The man looked at her blankly a moment or two. Then a light broke over his face.

"Why, certainly," he said.

And he pulled out his handkerchief and blew his nose.--Life's Calendar.

It Covered the Ground.

"The late editor's wife is something of a humorist."

"Indeed?"

"Yes; took a line from his original salubrious and placed it on his tombstone."

"What was it?"

"We are here to stay."--Atlanta Constitution.

From the many instances appearing in print of serious consequences and often death resulting from giving a wrong dose of medicine, it looks like it is becoming almost dangerous for anybody to administer medicine but the attending physician.

DISMAL SWAMP.

A Strange Region Full of Oddities Not Found Elsewhere.

Some Things Told by Dr. A. K. Fisher, an Ornithologist in the Federal Employment. Who Went for the Purpose of Investigation.

"I have just returned from a visit to the Dismal swamp," said Dr. A. K. Fisher, ornithologist of the department of agriculture, to a Washington Star writer.

"It is a strange region, full of oddities that are not to be found elsewhere. The purpose of my expedition was to investigate the fauna of the locality, and of rare mammals and birds I secured quite a number. Snakes are abundant, and are alleged by the natives to be venomous, but all that I saw were harmless. When I picked up a good-sized one from a log and held him by the neck, the negro who was paddling for me shuddered so that he nearly upset the boat."

"I found about fifty species of birds breeding in the swamp. One of them is Swainson's warbler, which is very rare. I trapped several species of small mice--lemming mice, field mice, golden mice and rice mice. The lemming mouse is hard to catch, because it will not take any sort of bait. The only way to capture it is to set a trap in its runway. I set my traps in dry places out of water. Among other things I got two rare shrews."

"There are plenty of cattle in the swamp--small, dark, and very wild. They are the progeny of animals that have strayed from domesticated herds. Hunters stalk and shoot them like deer. Bears are numerous. In the autumn they feed greedily on the fruit of the sour gum. Wildcats, opossums and raccoons are not scarce, while squirrels are remarkably abundant. The squirrels have discovered an easy way to get a living, by going along the shore of Lake Drummond and picking up the nuts and berries which have fallen into the water and drifted in windrows. They trot along the logs and fish them out with their paws. Deer are common, but hard to get. In the fall hunters run them into the lake and catch them with dogs."

"There is fine fishing in Lake Drummond, which contains plenty of perch, black bass, two kinds of pickerel, three species of sunfish, and other panfish. There is no dry ground in the swamp, and no slips at every step to his knees in mud. The cane which forms brakes all through the south is abundant. Together with a varied undergrowth, it is tangled with vines that run up into the trees, so that half a mile an hour is a good rate of progress. One must carry a knife to cut the vines, walking being further impeded by the cat-brier, whose thorns are in the clothing and hold on like hooks."

"The boats used in the Dismal swamp are all dug-outs, made from cypress logs, twelve feet long and very narrow. To shape such a craft properly is a nice piece of work. The novice who steps into one of these boats is apt to go out on the other side, but the native stands up and paddles with security. The water is darker than amber, and excellent to drink; it is said to be a sure cure for malaria. There is no malarial disease in the swamp. The swamp is full of magnolias from the size of bushes to trees sixty feet high. When I was there they were full of flowers. The cypress trees are cut for shingles. The best trees for the purpose are those which fell from twenty-five to fifty years ago, and are now covered with moss. The negroes waded in and cut off the moss and rotten bark. Then they cut up the log into shingles on the spot. The best tree is one that is the next fallen, and the third quality is the tree that has to be felled."

Double Duty.

A capital story was once told of Rev. Thomas Hunt, the veteran temperance orator, who was well known in the early history of the Wyoming valley. He was a somewhat eccentric man, but possessed of remarkably quick wit, which stood him in good stead on many occasions.

During the civil war he enlisted in one of the regiments of infantry raised in the valley, and served as chaplain. One day in the very fiercest of the battle a major rode up in front of the regiment, and seeing Father Hunt at the head of the ranks, inquired, in great astonishment:

"Chaplain, what are you doing there?"

"What am I doing?" repeated the staunch old minister, quickly. "I'm cheering the hearts of the brave, and watching the heels of the cowards."

"He was evidently performing this double task so well and thoroughly that the major could find no fault with him, and left him to his self-appointed charge. Youth's Companion.

How He Did It.

"I understand that your son went west intending to rise with the company," said the neighbor.

"Yes. Ah! he did what he started out for."

"How?"

"He hadn't been there a week before a cyclone struck the town."

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THE NITRATE KING.

An Englishman Makes a Fortune in South America.

How Col. North Became a Multi-Millionaire--Wealth Taken Out of Chilian Guano Deposits--A Fortune Made.

In the course of an interview with a representative of the St. James' Budget, Col. North gave a short summary of the circumstances that led to his settling in Chili. "I was chief of the mechanical construction department in the firm of Fowler Brothers, of Leeds," said the colonel, "and went to Peru to put up some machinery for them. But when I had done this, after looking over the country a bit and being struck with the enormous value of its resources, I determined to remain there at my own expense."

"The great difficulty there was the inadequacy of the water supply. I was in the province of Tarapaca, where there is little or no rain. The springs flow underground, and the water is brackish and not fit to drink. I had an interview with a member of the government, a very intelligent man, and he obtained for me certain privileges in exchange for my services in supplying that region of country with drinkable water. These privileges were the foundation of my fortune."

"The water was obtained by the simplest means in the world, often employed in Europe with success. Simply the evaporation and condensing of the water. That was all; and no one had thought of applying it there. With the money thus obtained I built a number of tank ships and carried water from Arica, where there is a plentiful supply of excellent water, to Iquique, whence it was distributed through the country."

"Then came the war between Chili and Peru. All kinds of property in Peru fell in value, but especially the land certificates the government had issued to meet the expenses of the war. I knew the value of these certificates better than anyone, for I had made extensive surveys and had seen the now famous nitrate beds. I felt quite sure, you see, that if in the war Chili came out victorious, which seemed almost certain, she would respect the title of bona fide purchasers from the Peruvian government of land that had passed under her flag."

"When the Chilians needed transports, they, in spite of my protests, seized vessels of mine lying at the docks of Iquique and Pisagua. To indemnify me they promised me £40,000 as compensation in case of their success. pledging to me for that amount the guano deposits in the islands. Chili was the victor, and the guano deposits realized for me not £40,000, but £160,000. My land, too, increased enormously in value as soon as Chili guaranteed the title to it."

"And the Nitrate rally? I joined some friends in purchasing the controlling interest in it. I have managed it fairly successfully, I think. A dividend of 25 per cent. is a pretty good result."

Col. North makes two distinct impressions on the observer. First, that of enormous prosperity, and, secondly, one of great reserve power; a curious character to study, and the type of man who carries English aims and methods into every known (or unknown) country of the globe.

Held by a Hair.

In a gathering of officers, after the Franco-Prussian war, a French officer claimed that the French nation is the most artistic nation on the earth; and that her artisans can make a thing of beauty out of anything, however ordinary or crude.

The great Prussian general, von Manteuffel, who was present, plucked a hair from his shaggy beard, remarking: "Let them make something beautiful out of that."

The French officer sent the hair to a friend in Paris, telling him the circumstances, and urging that, as the Prussians had defeated the French in the late war, they should not be permitted to defeat them in the claim to artistic supremacy. Giving the hair to capable artisans, with proper instructions, the result was a beautiful scarf pin, representing a Prussian gip, artistically wrought in gold, standing on a rock, and depending from his neck was the single hair, at the ends of which were two beautiful gold medallions, on one of which was inscribed "Alsace" and on the other "Lorraine."

Thus, the artistic scarf pin aptly described the political situation: Prussia, as the eagle, with its conquered provinces dependent, but held by a hair; for the temper of the people of Alsace and Lorraine was bitter towards the Germans, and the tie which held them was very slight.

The school census of Wilmington just finished shows the population to be 22,027, of these 9,482 are white and 12,545 are colored. There are 8,859 school children in the city.

LOCAL DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Superior Court Clerk, E. A. Moye. Sheriff, R. W. King. Register of Deeds, W. M. King. Treasurer, J. L. Little. Coroner, Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse. Surveyor, Commissioners--C. Dawson, chm'n, Leonidas Fleming, T. E. Keel, Jesse L. Smith and S. M. Jones. Sup't. Health, Dr. W. H. Bagwell. Sup't. County Home, J. W. Smith. County Examiner of Teachers--Prof. W. H. Ragsdale.

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CHURCHES.

Baptist. Services every Sunday (except second morning and night. Prayer meeting Thursday night. Rev. C. M. Billings, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Sup't.

Catholic. No regular services. Episcopal. Services every fourth Sunday morning and night. Rev. A. G. Greaves, Rector. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Sup't.

Methodist. Services every Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. G. F. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. A. H. Edington, Sup't.

Presbyterian. Services every 1st and 3rd Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting Tuesday night. Rev. Arnie McLatchlin, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. B. D. Evans, Sup't.

LODGES.

Covenant Lodge No. 17. I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. D. D. Haslet, N. G.

Greenville Lodge No. 281 A. F. & A. M. meets first and third Monday nights. Keno Moore, W. M.

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We see it stated that over one hundred canning factories have recently been established in this State. Greenville did not get one of them.

Justice H. E. Jackson, of the United States Supreme Court, died at his home in Nashville, Tenn., Thursday evening. He was in his sixty-third year.

The Raleigh News and Observer recently entered upon its forty-ninth volume. Since Joe Daniels took charge of that excellent paper it has gone rapidly forward and now ranks with the best daily journals.

There will be a meeting of Democratic leaders in Washington City, this week, to discuss freer silver and the best method for the silver men to adopt to insure a silver platform and a silver candidate in the next National Convention. Ex-Senator T. J. Jarvis will attend the meeting.

If the heat of the sun were produced by the burning of coal, it would require a layer 16 feet in thickness, extending over the sun's entire surface, to feed the flame for a single hour. Had the sun been a solid body of best anthracite it would have been utterly consumed within 45 centuries after the day it took fire.

The railroads have agreed on a uniform rate for visitors to the Atlanta Exposition. The price of a round-trip ticket from Raleigh will be \$10.45, good for ten days. The rates from other places in proportion. This is a lower rate than was given for the Philadelphia Centennial, in 1876, or for the Chicago Exposition in 1893, and will enable many thousands to attend.

COMMISSIONERS MEETING.

GREENVILLE, N. C., Aug. 5, 1895. The Board of Commissioners for Pitt county met this day, present C. Lawson, chairman, S. M. Jones, Leonidas Fleming, Jesse L. Smith and T. E. Keel.

The following orders for paupers issued:
Martha Nelson 2 00, H D Smith 2 00, Jacob McLawhorn 1 50, Susan Moore 3 50, Susan Briley 2 50, Lucinda Smith 1 50, Henry Harris 2 50, Kenneth Henderson 3 00, Eliza Edwards 1 50, Carlos Graham 2 00, J H Bibb 2 00, Henry Dail 2 00, Sam & Ann Cherry 4 00, Fannie Tucker 1 50, J O Proctor 5 00, Alice Corbett 3 00, Buster Times 1 50, Winifred Taylor 6 00, Alex Harris 2 00, Lydia Statten 1 50, W. H. Parker 2 00, G Nelson 1 50, Wm. Chapman 1 50, Polly Adams 1 50, Mrs. W. W. Cole 2 50, W. E. Williams 4 50, James Long 7 00, Edwin Hatlock 1 50, Matilda Thomas 2 00, Chas Joyner and wife 3 00.

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS FOR GENERAL PURPOSES WERE ISSUED:

B T Cox 6 00, J R Carson 17 85, T A Thigpen 2 00, Frank Cannon 9 00, D C Smith 2 50, G W Stancill 4 50, J B Little 5 70, J W Smith 146 28, S R Ross 26 17, J H Eubanks 2 10, D C Moore 2 95, R W King 56 90, R W King 145 19, F W Brown 1 50, F W Brown 12 45, D J Richard 89 71, Bagwell 22 75, W H Bagwell 7 00, Andrew Robinson 31 00, J H Dix on 1 80, Chas Longhouse 19 50, C Dawson 15 60, T E Keel 3 70, J L Smith 9 00, W M King 45 70, S M Jones 6 60, L Fleming 5 00.

Ordered that Frank Cannon be allowed \$9 for paupers.

Ordered that valuation of lands of Higges Bros, in Greenville township be increased \$500.

Ordered that lands of Richard Harris be increased to \$1,100.

Ordered that Bryan Buck be allowed to peddle without license.

Ordered that \$100 be allowed to build a bridge at Carney's ford across Grindle creek.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Board be allowed to list taxes.

Ordered that valuation of W T Knight's Piney Grove farm remain at present assessment.

Ordered that B. S. Sheppard be allowed use of room in Court House now occupied by him at \$1 per month.

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort county be notified to take into consideration the repairs on Gainer's bridge and send a representative from their Board to meet one from this county, time to be appointed by chairman of Beaufort County Board.

The following persons were allowed to list taxes for 1895:

Greenville—S D Bagley, John Peebles, Noah Moore, John H Stapell
Swift Creek—W L F Cory, W M Blount, T J Johnson, G W Wilson, J F Dixon
Contentnea—J W Quinley & Bros, West Pitt, John Hargett.
Bethel—A Cooper, W H Rodgers, B D Jarrett, agent.
Factsol—L G Bernhart, Mrs J A Telf.
Chico—Edward Worthington, Zephia Worthington.
Beaver Dam—E S Parker.
Carolina—Warren Peyton.

An eight story building in course of construction, collapsed in New York. Several workmen were killed and others injured.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our regular co. respondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12 '95. Senator Gorman is evidently letting the other fellows do all the worrying about the situation in Maryland. He has gone for his usual August stay at Saratoga. He was in Washington just before starting, and said: The ticket is first-class in every respect, and the democratic party is to be congratulated. The trifling objections that are being raised against it are no more than were to be expected. The truth is there is less objection than I expected, and much less than has often risen before when tickets were named, and the party majority has been larger than usual when the votes were counted. I anticipate no more than the usual amount of difficulty in carrying on the campaign, and look for a good majority for Mr. Hurst and the other nominees. There must always be disappointments in politics, but the party in the end will get together and win as usual. I have no fear whatever of the result in November. Long before that time all real democrats will be united for the common cause.

Secretary Morton has more than once shown that his ideas on public affairs are of a good, old Thomas Jefferson, Andrew Jackson sort of democracy. He has just given another instance of it. Sometime ago he said to a newspaper man in regard to a proposition to pay a government bounty on agricultural products: If it will pay to raise and export agricultural products, there is no bounty needed. And if it will not pay to raise and export agricultural products no bounty should be given. This did not please the editor for whom the interview was secured. He fixed up an answer to the Secretary's words and this week Mr. Morton received a proof of it. In reply Secretary Morton has written him a short letter, from which the following paragraph, which is a nutshell statement of the whole bounty question, is taken: Be kind enough to explain to your readers how the bounty is to be raised to pay the producer of agricultural products for his exports, except by taxation upon the people. Has the government of the United States a single dollar that is not taken from the pockets of its citizens by means of taxation? The bounty system is merely a milder application of robbing Peter to pay Paul, and there is no doubt of its being class legislation of the most vicious kind, although it is difficult to convince those temporarily benefited that it is.

The September number of *Tobacco*, issued August 1st, is the handsomest fashion magazine we have yet seen. Formerly books so fashion at this season of the year contained but little that was either instructive or attractive. *Tobacco* certainly does not travel on the same road with others of its class, for each issue appears to excel all preceding ones for the beauty of its illustrations, the simplicity and elegant taste displayed in the selection of its numerous costumes. And the clear and concise articles on the styles that are and that are to be, written by its many correspondents abroad, place a stamp of authenticity and refinement upon the magazine that every lady of taste appreciates.

OAKLEY ITEMS.

OAKLEY, N. C., Aug. 12th, 1895

Mr. W. E. Fleming went to Bethel Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Powell, of Parmele was here Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Bellflower, of Parmele was the guest of Mrs. R. F. Gainer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Williams returned home Saturday after spending several days in Grifton and Ayden.

We regret to announce that Mr. Walter Whichard, who has been quite ill at the home of his father, Mr. W. R. Whichard, is no better.

Our tobacco farmers are wearing a smile. They have stopped sending their tobacco to other places and are now selling at Greenville. They seem to be pleased with the prices.

Bethel Items.

Bethel, N. C., Aug. 9th '95.

Mr. Marion Cobb, of Tarboro, is in town today on business.

Mr. Greenleaf Johnson, of Baltimore, was in town Thursday.

Miss Harriet Lewis died Wednesday. She was buried yesterday.

Mr. A. B. Cherry left Wednesday morning to spend a few weeks in the mountains in and around Asheville.

Mrs. Jennette E. Rollins had a stroke of paralysis yesterday evening from which she died today about 11 o'clock A. M.

Mr. H. E. Gilliam, of Virginia, is in town today working in the interest of the "American Mutual Benefit Society," of Richmond, Va. He organized a local "Cabinet" here.

Queer Epitaphs.

A Williamsport (Mass.) correspondent writes: In the village of Pownal, adjoining this town, is an old cemetery, one of the oldest in the State of Vermont. Many of the stones have long since toppled over and are almost concealed by moss and overgrown grass. On many are quaint old inscriptions. At the head of one grave is seen:

"Here lies in silent clay,
Miss Arabella Young,
Who, on the 21st of May,
Began to hold her tongue."

Many are of a humorous nature as is shown by the following:
"Here lies the wife of Simon Stokes
Who lived and died like other folks,
Here I lie, and to wonder I'm dead,
For a wagon wheel passed over my head."

John Hill is referred to as follows:
"Here lies John Hill, a man of skill,
His age was five times ten,
He never did good, nor never would,
If he lived as long again."

A "Blue" Snake Story.

A Georgia drummer was talking to a crowd of the famous "blue snake" of Florida. The drummer said:
"I was workin' in the field one day with a nigger, and niggers are scared to death of blue snakes, when he give a yell 'Blue snake' and went flyin, I didn't know which way the durn snake was comin', so I took after the nigger, and we went out of that field like two streaks of lightning, leaving our hooves standing up in the furrow. What became of the snake I don't know, and I didn't go back to see until next mornin', and, by gum! what I found there surprised me about as much as anything I had met up with in Florida. The snake had hit my hoehandle plumb in the centre, and it had swelled up so that I got 1,000 shingles, 10,000 feet of weather boardin', four cords of fire wood, 100 fence rails, enough flour for the Baptist church and 500 barrels of staves out of it."

The listeners expressed their belief vigorously.
"And" concluded the drummer, when he could be heard, "that hoe handle was still swollen" when we got it to the sawmill."

Chuck Full of Soap.

A senator from the far west, new alike to congressional honors and the ways of society, was invited to a very swell dinner given by a wealthy man who wanted "influence." Here is a part of the letter the senator wrote home the day after: "It was the finest house you ever seed and the finest folks. The table set out in bang up style. Lace on the table cloth and such flowers as I never seed. But not a thing to eat on it, but some candy, some little nuts all shelled, and such things. But by and by one of the men standing round brought me some of the finest soup you ever et. And as I didn't see nothing else to eat I had some more and some more. And then—what do you think? Hang me, if those men didn't bring on the finest dinner ever you see, and there I sot, like a darned fool, chuck full of soap."

Prosperous and Progressive North Carolina.

Never before in North Carolina's history have so many industries and manufacturing been established or started as during this year. This is especially true in regard to cotton factories. All over the State old cotton mills are being enlarged and new ones constructed. Hundreds of thousands of dollars are being invested in these factories, and consequently paid out to laborers and wage earners and circulated among a class of people who need all they can get. And, of course, these factories are not only of great benefit to those directly employed in their construction or operation, but also to the entire community in which any one of them is situated. The farmers in the surrounding country are greatly benefited by a factory near them, because it affords them a home market for the products of their farms.

And while gratified at these practical proofs and substantial signs of reviving business and returning prosperity, let us not forget that all this is occurring within less than a year after the passage of the Democratic tariff law, which its enemies predicted would ruin the country and destroy all industries—Pittsboro Record.

"The good that men do lives after them," though it is seldom properly appreciated while they are actively engaged in the affairs of this mundane planet.

The fellow who predicted that there would be a change in the weather on the 13th can come forward and take the peanut.

The Tobacco Department.

Conducted by O. L. Joyner, Proprietor Eastern Tobacco Warehouse.

Tobacco sticks seem to be very much in dew and this year.

The primings that are coming now, generally show good colors. We hope they are true forerunners of the crop.

The first new tobacco sold on the up country tobacco markets was sold in Winston last week at 5 cents a pound average.

The woman's edition of the *Southern Tobacco Journal* was the recipient of many nice compliments from the State press.

Mr. T. J. Gentry, of Roxboro, N. C., came in Tuesday evening. He expects to deal in the weed on this market the coming season.

Kinston expects to have its first sale Thursday, 15th. The opening break will continue through Friday and Saturday, provided they get tobacco enough to keep them at it that long.

The breaks out at the warehouses Friday looked almost like fall times. There was between 15,000 and 20,000 pounds on the floors. The Eastern led off with the first and largest break, the others following well. Prices were good.

Tarboro will open the tobacco market there again Sept. 4th. We understand that the warehouse has been rented by good men and they expect to do considerable business there the coming year.

There is a strong demand for barn room now among tobacco farmers. Tobacco is nearly all ripe on the hill and powders to cure it. It would be well to remember this when the leisure days of winter come on and prepare plenty of barn room for the next crop.

The *Kinston Free Press* had a column last week on the tobacco market down there, which opens August 15th. Nearly all the merchants and business men of the town have offered premiums to farmers carrying their tobacco to Kinston on opening days, and the *Free Press* says that quite a number of premiums will be offered between now and January 1st.

The Greenville Tobacco Board of Trade will give a purse of \$2,000 and one year's subscription to the *EASTERN REFLECTOR* for the heaviest watermelon delivered to J. W. Morgan at his prize house opposite the Eastern Warehouse between now and October 1st, 1895.

J. W. MORGAN, President, Board of Trade.

Raleigh tobacco flue makers boast of having sold 100 sets of flues this season. The flue factories here (three) have sold up to date over 675 sets and are still making flues.—Louisburg Times.

And the Pitt county flue makers have sold over 1200 sets and are now as busy as bees in a tar bucket putting up sets daily. Come this way brethren, if you want to sell tobacco.

We were shown a letter last Saturday by Mr. G. M. Tucker from J. O. W. Gravely, of Rocky Mount, in which the writer says that Mr. Channey, the owner of the loop patent, was in Rocky Mount a few days ago and expected to come to Greenville, but owing to circumstances was prevented. He says further that he, Gravely, at one time expected to take the agency for the loop in Eastern Carolina, but since he has found that he would be antagonizing the interest of our good farmers he has abandoned that idea. Good! We are informed that Mr. Bill Wilkinson, from near Farmville, has the agency for Pitt county. Mr. Gravely says that Mr. Channey will hardly visit Greenville during the coming year.

Thursday Mr. A. L. Blow told the writer that right now there was inquiry being made about our town and county from three western men. One in Nebraska, one in California and one in Kentucky. The Californian wanted to exchange a \$10,000 farm for a Pitt county farm. He did not say what business the other two wanted to engage in, but said they were making inquiries about the country through the Greenville board of trade, letters directed to the board of trade. There is no better man to call the citizens to gether and organize a board of trade than Mr. Blow. He sees the necessity of it and knows what effect it will have toward developing the town. We call on Mr. Blow to start the ball to rolling.

A scientist who has been pondering through New Jersey estimates that there are forty distinct species of mosquitoes in this country, but they all present their bills in the same way; and are hushers when it comes to business.

In traveling around this year we notice that nearly everybody is priming tobacco rather than out the stalk. This may be the best way to get the most money out of the crop, but this writer does not believe it, and while we do not pretend to advise others as to the best method, frankly we believe that a wrapper crop will not sell for much over half primed of the stalk what it would have sold for had it been cut. We have written to the largest manufacturers of this country and as soon as we hear from them will publish just what they have to say about priming tobacco in their own words, then farmers can be their own judges as to the best method. We have heard a good many say they sold primings for more money than their stalk cut tobacco. This may be true in a few instances, but there is just no telling what primed tobacco would have brought had it been cut.

A New Theory About Tobacco.

D. V. Davis, of Fort Church Davie county, has discovered a new theory about tobacco. He says in the *Davie Times* the following: "Twenty-two years ago I discovered that there was a certain time to cut tobacco. But to find the exact time it has taken twenty-two years. There is a sap in tobacco as in a tree. When the sap rises in tobacco it runs the oil out and is very sorry. When the sap is out of tobacco there is nothing in the plant but oil, it seems to be fat, if then cut, would be very profitable. Tobacco continues to make these changes as long as it stands on the hill. You have experienced cutting one week when it may cure up all right and then cut off the same piece of land the next and it cures up sorry."—Winston Republican.

The Bloomer Girl.

What next? says the New York correspondent of the *Pittsburgh Dispatch*. The Bloomer girl has added a pistol pocket to her clothing—deavouring pantaloons, and carries a bullet hurler in it. The authority for the statement is none other than one of the oldest and most experienced cricoid outfitters in the country—a man who has made more plain and double skirts for devotees of the wheel than any other tailor of either sex. The new fad is not confined to the bolder bloomers, but instead has been boomed by the weak and modest wheelers who have been annoyed by receipt acts of ruffians on the road. When pistol practice becomes part and parcel of the wheeling course those who poke fun at the cyclones in "knicker" will take desperate chances. It has been demonstrated that a woman can fire a bullet straighter than she can throw a stone or a skillet.

A Hen With Teeth.

A poultry dealer near Pottstown Pa., has a hen without a beak or bill, but instead a large mouth with lips clearly defined and teeth which can be easily felt. She has a nose, forehead and extraordinary large eyes, which show intelligence, like those of a dog. The face resembles that of a monkey. The tongue is unlike that of any fowl, and she licks her chops like a cat. She bites off a piece of bread crust, holding it with one claw while she eats. When she sleeps she breathes like a quadruped, with a sound very much like a gentle snore.

Why Keep Open Late on Saturday Night.

The custom of keeping stores and shops open Saturday evenings until 12 o'clock is one that should be abandoned. It is a fact that in most towns and cities, especially in the South, this out-of-date custom prevails to the extent of exhausting the energy of proprietors and clerks, who are forced to keep on their feet from early morning until midnight, in all about eighteen hours, and by the time they can close up shop and prepare for rest it is Sunday. In such cases it is any wonder that the Sunday schools and churches on Sunday mornings are unattended by our merchants and their clerks? If the stores were closed by 9 or 10 o'clock just as much business would be done, and with more satisfaction and less waste of energy, less expense for lights, etc., than is the case now, and the salesmen would be better prepared for rest and worship on Sunday. The merchant who will inaugurate a new schedule for early closing Saturday night and succeed in getting the others to follow his lead, will have the everlasting thanks of the clerks, the pastors, and all other people who can rightly appreciate such a needed reform.—Suffolk Herald.

The reason a woman always carries her pocket-book in her hand is because she is never certain that she can find her pocket.

STATE NEWS.

Record of Matters of General Interest

Less than 5 per cent. of the population of North Carolina live in cities.

L. E. Wright & Co., large dry goods dealers of Oxford, have assigned. Liabilities \$17,000.

The preliminary trial of the notable graveyard insurance case at Beaufort has ended. All thirteen of the defendants are held to appear at the next term of the Superior Court.

Miss Fannie Knight, of Chowan county, who eight years ago went as a Baptist Missionary to China, died recently at her station in middle China.

Heavy rains, 90 pounds to the yard, will be put down within the next sixty days on the division of the North Carolina Railroad between Greensboro and Selma.

John C. Davis, who escaped from the asylum at Raleigh, a few days ago, was captured at Morehead and taken back. He said he was going to his mother's grave at Beaufort, and had walked 200 miles.

In the last report of the Labor Bureau the number of papers was given at 219. They are classified as follows: Democratic, 107, Populist, 10, Republican, 10, Alliance 8, Independent, 6, Educational, 8, Non-Political, 27, Religious, 30, Fraternal, 1, not classified, 7.

It is estimated that of all the children of school age (not over twenty one years) in North Carolina, sixty-six per cent. are in public schools and eight per cent. in private or denominational schools, that is, one fourth of the children in North Carolina are growing up in illiteracy. This will never do. We must have more schools, better schools and longer schools.—Biblical Recorder.

GENERAL NEWS.

Sluggers Corbett and Fitzsimmons had a row in a Philadelphia barroom, Saturday night. Sixty persons were drowned by the wrecking of the steamer Chatterthun off Cape Hawk.

Lightning struck a church at Quakertown, N. J. just at the close of services, and seriously injured twenty people.

While Peter Marchetti, of Richmond, was charging a gas generator to his soda fountain, the generator exploded, blowing his head off.

A trolley car between Norfolk and Ocean View jumped the track Saturday evening, killing two of the passengers and wounding several others.

The *Atlanta Constitution* tells a religious story of how when the preacher called on "Brother Smith to please lead in prayer" seven began to pray and all together. The preacher said hurriedly: "I mean Brother John Smith!" At this announcement one sat down and five more got up and began praying.

Perfect Health.

Keep the system in perfect order by the occasional use of Tott's Liver Pills. They regulate the bowels and produce

A Vigorous Body.

For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure TOTT'S LIVER PILLS

Acts Like Magic.

If you have Catarrh, Rheumatism, or any other pain Glorin Oil, which you can get at Dr. Wooten's will cure you.

Meeting of Physicians.

There will be a meeting of the Physicians of Pitt county at the Court House in Greenville on the first Monday in September, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of electing a Superintendent of Health, and other business.

TOBACCO FLUES!

Truck Barrels, Pumps

All Kinds of Machinery.

We have opened at the old Marcelins Moore store and are prepared to furnish any kind of Machinery you may want.

Special attention given to putting down and repairing PUMPS.

All kinds of Pipe work done and satisfaction guaranteed. Place your orders for Flues with

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Enterprise--Integrity.

GOVERNS every movement, every idea, every transaction at "The King Clothiers." It is the pulse of the great business. Its vibrations are felt in every department, every aisle, and on every shelf. For every cent expended Frank Wilson returns full value. No discrimination is made between the small purchaser or the great, the rich or the poor, the experienced or the inexperienced. All have the same advantages, and no one is given special concession, commission or discount. I must make room for my fall stock and will put prices down to a low notch so as to clean them out. My stock of Fine

CLOTHING,

must be cut down as I intend to have a beautiful line this fall and do not want to carry a suit over. In

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, SHOES, BOOTS HATS

Cents Furnishing Goods.

I have knocked the bottom clean out and will sell you if you will come and look.

FRANK WILSON, THE KING CLOTHIER.

To the Farmers.

I have rented the old Greenville Warehouse and prizeries and with Messrs. R. D. Evans and A. H. Critcher, under the firm name of Evans & Co., will be in the warehouse business the coming season. We earnestly solicit your patronage with the best light in the State for showing your tobacco, polite and competent assistants, plenty of prize room, experience and ample means to successfully conduct the business. We know we can get as much for your tobacco as any house or market in the State. Give us a trial and we will try to please you. Respectfully, L. F. EVANS, Greenville, N. C.

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Flues are Now Ready for Delivery

S. E. Pender & Co.

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Prices greatly reduced. Same price to all Terms Cash.

Opposite Wooten's Drugstore.

ESTABLISHED 5.

J. A. Andrews, Wholesale and Retail GROCER.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Just Received 2 Cars Rock Lime.

Table listing various goods and prices: 50 Cases Sardines, 50 Cases of Imported Bread Preparation, 100 Cases Soap, 50 Star Lye, 200 Boxes Cakes and Crackers, 50 Bbls Stick Candy, 100 Cases Matches, 100 Cases Good Luck Baking Powder, 100 Sacks Coffee, 25 Bbls Molasses, 25 Tons Shot, 100 Kegs Powder, 3 Cars Flour, 1 Case Meat, 2 Cases Hay, 50 Tons Lard, 100 Bbls Granulated Sugar, 50 Cases Gail & Ax Suet, 30 Cases R. R. Mills Sugar, 25 Cases Three Thistle Suet, 200 Boxes Tobacco, 100,000 Dukes V. M. P. Cigarettes, 50,000 Old Va. Cheroots, 100 Cases Oysters.

J. L. SUGG,

Life and Fire Insurance Agent!

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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 SAFES

H. C. HOOKER.

Am going NORTH in, about 10 days and am giving big reduction in Clothing Dry Goods, & Laces to make room for Fall Stock. Come and see for yourselves.

H. C. HOOKER.

THE REFLECTOR

Local Reflections.

Nice rain last night.
Plenty of thunder and lightning again last night.
Still a greater reduction in unmet goods at Lang's.
The water in the river is very low and muddy.
A bar room is being opened in the new building near the depot.
Some sections of the county have had fine seasons while others are dry and need rain.
Not a large crowd went on the moonlight excursion Wednesday night, but they had a good time.
Five hundred bushels of Corn for sale by J. J. Nobles.
To be ready for the fall trade merchants cannot begin advertising too soon.
A dead town is never heard from. Same way with a dead business.
Arrived New Sweet Mountain Butter 20cts. per lb, at Samuel M. Schultz's.
The number of martins in the vicinity of the depot seems to grow larger.
Better live in a house without windows, than in a house without a newspaper.
Master Hugh Sheppard sent the REFLECTOR a 22 ounce tomato.
A scolding woman is bad enough, but a scolding man is the curse of a home.
The scarlet fever scare has about subsided. There were only three cases, and they very light.
It is said that the Georgia peach growers shipped about 1,500 car loads of peaches this season.
We are indebted to Mr. J. W. Smith for a basket of nice tomatoes.
Mr. Alfred Forbes is having the building near his residence repaired and fitted up to be used by Miss Hortense Forbes for her music school.
Hair singeing has become a popular way of getting off the hair and moustache. We don't believe that style has struck Greenville yet.
Mrs. W. M. King gave a party at the King House, Monday night, complimentary to her grand daughter, Miss Rosa Winstead.

Rev. R. W. Hines tells us the Presbyterian church at Parmele is completed. It is a very neat building.
An exchange says ago seems to increase the value of everything except women and butter. How about eggs?
There is now no excuse for idleness, and we do not remember when less of it could be seen than at present.
About half past nine o'clock Thursday night, the dry kiln to Mr. J. Z. Brooks' lumber mill, at Grifton, caught on fire and was destroyed.
Advertising has always paid. Years ago when Sampson took two columns in the Philistine Temple, he actually brought down the house.
Mr. W. T. Lipscomb sent the REFLECTOR a cluster of tomatoes—four on one stem—that weighed 3 pounds and 5 ounces. They are hard to beat.
We have received a premium list of the next State fair, to be held October 22nd to 25th. The premiums offered are liberal and should secure large exhibits.
The Edgecombe Guards, forty strong, went down to Ocracoke Tuesday night to go into camp for a week or ten days. The Washington Light Infantry went down Friday.
Indications point to a good trade this fall. You can get your share of it by judicious advertising. Try the REFLECTOR.
With large quantities of fruits and vegetables going to waste at this season of the year does it not look like canning factories would be paying investments?
Mr. Frank Jackson lost a barn of tobacco by fire Friday night. He had just finished curing it when the barn caught on fire.
Mr. R. R. Cotten told us Friday that up to that day he had cured 122 bars of tobacco this season and only about half through with his crop.
A cow belonging to Mr. R. M. Starkey was tethered out in the rear of the tobacco warehouses, Saturday, and in attempting to jump a ditch beyond the length of her rope fell in the ditch and broke her neck.
Some women are stronger than some men, and some men are gentler than some women, but it still remains true that strength is the dominant characteristic of the one sex and gentleness of the other.
Messrs. J. J. Laughly, county and R. R. Cotten, of this county, are among those appointed by Gov. Carr as delegates to the National Farmer's Congress at Atlanta.
The Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges here have received invitations to a Masons and Odd Fellows picnic at Scotland Neck on the 15th. There are quite a number speaking of attending.
Messrs. H. Harding, T. A. Nichols and B. F. Sugg have been appointed a committee to secure an orator for the Confederate reunion and picnic, Sept. 5th. We are satisfied they will select a good one.
The Gazette reports a meeting to the Court House at Washington being broken up by fleas. The court room was alive with them. Some Judges ought to be given a chance to hold court there now so they could fine the fleas for contempt.
There was a large attendance at the State Democratic Free Silver Convention at Fort Worth, Texas, on Wednesday. Resolutions were adopted in favor of free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, and condemning the financial policy of the administration.
The many friends of Mr. Thomas McGee, of Mount Olive, who is well known here will be pained to learn of the death of his little son, which sad event occurred last Saturday. His little daughter Mabel is quite sick now.
If Greenville is to be the town it has the opportunity of being all our people must work together. Don't some try to pull down and hinder while others are trying to build up.
"The place for a young man, an old man, a rich man or a poor man willing to work, and anxious to improve his fortune," says Secretary Hoke Smith, "is in the South."
Sheriff R. W. King says it makes a man feel good to see the splendid tobacco crops all over the county. If no misfortune happens within the next two or three weeks Pitt will have cured one of the finest crops the county has yet known.
The bureau report placing the condition of the cotton crop at a much lower figure than last year, and even lower than for last month, has caused an advance of nearly fifty points in the price of futures since Saturday.
Agent J. R. Moore has gone to Wilmington to confer with the Coast Line authorities relative to enlarging the depot here. The railroad people have decided to increase their facilities for handling freights at this station.

PERSONAL.
Mr. J. W. Suidam is sick.
Miss Myra Skinner is sick.
Mr. J. S. Smith is sick.
Mr. J. B. Cherry is at Seven Springs.
Mrs. J. B. Cherry is visiting in Beaufort.
Hon. J. E. Moore, of Wilmington, is in town.
Miss Sue Kinsul is visiting in the country.
Mr. B. F. Sugg is attending Court at Snow Hill.
Miss Annie Moore is visiting relatives at Farmville.
Mrs. H. C. Hooker is visiting relative near Goldsboro.
Miss Mary Alice Mays has gone to Manly to visit friends.
Mr. W. T. Brickell returned Monday evening from Weldon.
Mr. H. B. Sledge, of Tarboro, has been visiting Mr. L. H. Pender.
Miss Pat Skinner has gone to Cottondale to visit friends.
Mr. S. V. King, of Falkland, has been visiting relatives here.
Miss Mary Bynum returned Friday evening from Litleton.
Mr. A. D. Johnson returned from Ocracoke Friday.
Master Vernon Haskett has returned from Beaufort.
Mr. S. V. Joyner, of Kenly, was here Friday.
Mr. J. H. Small, of Washington, spent Thursday here on business.
Mr. M. O. Bloom, of Bethel, was here Thursday.
Miss Carrie Dail, of Snow Hill, is visiting Mrs. R. W. King.
Dr. E. A. Mays came home from Philadelphia Friday evening.
Mr. E. A. Mays is attending the meeting of the State Alliance at Cary.
Mr. H. G. Jones has gone to Kingston to contract for some buildings there.
Mr. W. E. Patrick, of Ayden, has taken a position with M. R. Lang.
Master Bennie Higgs is visiting relatives near Farmville.
Mr. B. S. Wilson returned from Norfolk Tuesday evening.
Mr. Amos E. Brown left for Centerville Tuesday evening.
Little Misses Lizzie and Mary Higgs are visiting near Falkland.
Ca. C. A. White came home Thursday evening from Litleton.
Rev. C. M. Billings returned from Scotland Neck Thursday evening.
Mrs. H. C. Jackson and children of Wilson, are visiting Mrs. Aiden Warren.
Mr. C. M. Jones returned Thursday morning from Newbern. He has taken a position with J. B. Cherry & Co.
Mrs. A. L. Galloway took the train here Thursday morning to visit friends in Gaston county.
Mr. W. M. Lang, of Farmville, came in from Litleton on Friday evening's train.
Miss Annie Moore, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. J. L. Moore, returned to her home in Palmyra today.
Mrs. Dr. W. H. Bagwell and children have been visiting relatives near Paeolus.
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rawls and daughter, Miss Velma left today for Beaufort.
Mr. T. R. Moore has taken a position at H. C. Hooker's dry goods store.
Misses Hennie Sheppard and Gertrude Williams are visiting relatives near Farmville.
Mr. J. R. Moore, agent of the Coast Line, with Myra and Baily, has gone to Wilmington and Wrightsville for a vacation.
Mr. W. H. Brown, of the firm of Brown & Hooker has gone north to purchase new goods.
Mr. D. D. Haskett has moved to the house on Fourth street lately occupied by Mrs. Georgia Pearce.
Mr. J. B. Cherry, Jr., has taken up the yard stick again and can be found with J. B. Cherry & Co.
Miss Kate Harvey, of Kingston, who had been visiting Mrs. R. W. King, returned home Tuesday.
Mrs. Dr. F. W. Brown returned Tuesday from a visit to Plymouth. Her uncle, Mr. Nore, accompanied her home.
Master Frank Quinerly, of Kingston, who was visiting Master Fred Forbes returned home Thursday evening.
Mr. Walter Newborn, of Quinerly, came up this morning on his wheel, making the 20-mile run in an hour and a half. Pretty good for such a hot day.
Mr. C. L. Whitehead, of Norfolk, who is visiting relatives in the country, came over Sunday morning to spend a day with the editor.
Won the Scholarship.
Mr. J. M. Moore has received notice from President Holladay, of the A. & M. College that he had been awarded the scholarship from this county, having passed the examination. We congratulate our young friend upon his appointment.
Large Musk Melon.
There have been large water melons, of course, but the largest musk melon we have heard of yet was raised by Mr. Henry Harris, of Falkland. This melon was 22 inches long and measured 32 inches in circumference. Can anybody beat this?
A Short Sermon.
If you make a man a promise to perform an obligation at a certain time be sure that you keep it. On the strength of your promises other promises may be made, and failure to keep your word may cause others to fail also. Be honest in your dealings, and truthful in your promise, and the world will get along better.

PERSONAL.
Mr. William Outerbridge, son of Mr. A. J. Outerbridge, of Belvoir township, died Friday evening. He was well known in Greenville, where the family lived for some time, and there are many here who regret to learn of his death. He was about 18 years old and a very bright young man.
A Ring 24 Years Old.
Mrs. Wm. Plummer has a gold ring with a small red set in it which bears the following inscription on the inside: "L. R. W. to M. E. V., 1811." The ring has a history and has come down from generation to generation till it is nearly worn out, though the inscription is intact.—Burlington News.
More Room Needed.
The depot here is too small for the immense quantity of freight that is handled, and often the warehouse is so full there is no room for more. The tobacco men are getting up a petition to the railroad authorities to enlarge the warehouse sufficient to meet the requirements.
The Right Way.
The Kingston tobacco market opens next Thursday. The Free Press publishes a long list of premiums offered by the merchants of the town to farmers selling tobacco there. That shows the whole town to be interested in establishing the market.
Confederate Reunion.
The annual business meeting and picnic of the Bryan Grimes Camp of Confederate Soldiers of Pitt county will be held on Thursday, Sept. 5th, at the College grove in Greenville. Every old Confederate Soldier is especially invited to be present with a full basket of something to eat.
A good time is in store for the old Soldiers. Every one should be a committee of one to see some one else that all may get notice in time. The best speakers will be there to address the occasion.
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B. F. SUGG, Adj.
We Must Unite.
Washington, Tarboro, Scotland Neck and some other towns near to us are making efforts to secure electric lights, telephone exchanges, factories and other enterprises. In Greenville at this time there is no organized effort to secure any of these advantages. This will not do! Our people should be up and doing. Greenville has pushed ahead until she has the best tobacco market in Eastern Carolina, and the people should not allow her to be surpassed in these other directions. Come together in some organized way and do something.
Just Try Us.
There is not a family in Greenville who should be without the REFLECTOR. Greenville is not the largest town in the world, but we could make the DAILY REFLECTOR a much better paper than it is if every person in town would give it the patronage it should have from them. You may say this is idle boasting, but if every business and professional man in Greenville advertised regularly in the Daily, and every family in town subscribed for it, we would soon be giving you the afternoon press dispatches every day. You see what it is possible for this town to have if the people would give home enterprises the support they ought to.
A Good Shot.
Master Hal Sugg, 13 year old son of Col. I. A. Sugg, is the champion rifle shot of his age. He is not only good at shooting glass balls, but he can bring down game as well. Friday morning Mr. A. A. Forbes' dogs treed five coons. He went to Col. Sugg's house to get the Colonel to go down with his Winchester and kill them. The Colonel was not at home, but Hal remarked that he could do the job better than his papa. So he took the Winchester and went down and killed three of the coons, the dogs catching the other two. One of the coons was killed without being struck with the bullet, by a fancy shot which Hal calls "barking the coon." There is not a better shot in the county.
Some Pitt County People.
A friend at Grimesland sends us the following item which proves beyond doubt that there are centenarians in this section: Mrs. Lucretia Hodges was born in Chioctow township, Pitt county, July 12th, 1792. She is now living in Beaufort county near the line of Pitt and is in good health. She is the mother of seven children, has sixty grand-children, ninety three great grand-children and three great great grand-children. Her son, Mr. S. V. Hodges, who is next to her youngest child, is fifty-nine years old, has seventeen living children, fifty two grand-children and three great grand-children.
If any county can go ahead of Pitt the REFLECTOR would like to hear from them.

Trains Collide.
A special train made up at Greensboro on Tuesday, taking several fire companies to the convention at Newbern, collided with a freight train at Haw River. Several persons were injured, one thought to be fatally hurt. The caboose and two cars of the freight train were knocked into splinters. The collision occurred on a bridge and it is almost miraculous that the passenger cars did not leave the track and fall into the river, 60 feet below.
This is Good.
The rebuilding of the business portion of the burned district is progressing finely. Hotel Tall is nearly completed. Mr. J. T. Ball has moved into his new brick store. Mr. J. W. Collins' store is nearly finished. Work on the splendid building of Oattinger Bros. is going on rapidly. Mr. S. H. Lofton is having the foundation prepared for a brick building on the east side of Queen street. By the fall Kingston will be prettier than ever.—Kingston Free Press.
Not Good Logic.
We saw a man trying to sell some watermelons to a merchant. After examining them the merchant offered a certain price all around for the whole load, when the man remarked: "I will haul them back home and give them to my hogs before I will take that price for them." "Well," replied the merchant, "do you think they will be worth to your hogs as much as I have offered you?" "No," said the man, "but I had rather lose than to see you make a big profit on them." That struck us as a peculiar business idea—one man willing to lose money rather than see another man make a profit on a purchase from him.
Take a New Census.
Gastonia, Lenoir, Morganton and Asheville have recently taken a census of the number of inhabitants and the aldermen of Charlotte have ordered a census of that city taken. We are satisfied that within the past five years—since the last census was taken—there has been a large increase in the population of Greenville, and would like to see a new census taken so the exact number of people here could be known.
Wants a Goat Arrested.
We hear of a right amusing occurrence at Ayden. A little boy of that town had a pet goat with which he played about the streets. A citizen of that town sent word to the Mayor to have the goat arrested, that it had been to his house and run his folks up stairs. The next funniest thing to wanting the goat arrested is that the house in which the man lived, says our informant, does not have a stairs in it.
Peculiar Show.
The heavy rain cloud this afternoon seemed to divide right over town, and the difference was very noticeable even in a distance of two blocks. Up near the Court House the rain came down in torrents, while at Five Points it was light, and over about the Academy there was hardly enough to dampen the bride. It seemed strange to be standing out in the sunshine at one end of the street seeing it raining hard at the other end.
LOST.—A white and liver colored setter, named "Shot," was stolen from me July 28th. Will give \$5 reward for return of the dog.
E. M. McGowan.
A very pleasant sail was given complimentary to Miss Bessie Jarvis on Tuesday evening last. There were sixteen in the party, and the evening was much enjoyed by all. We went to the Small villa, and enjoyed a melon party.—Washington Progress.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.					
Dated July 31st 1895.	No. 22	No. 21	No. 20	No. 19	No. 18
Leave Weldon	A. M. 11:30	P. M. 12:30	P. M. 12:30	P. M. 12:30	A. M. 12:30
Ar. Rocky Mt.	12:30	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30
Lv. Tarboro	12:20				
Lv. Rocky Mt.	1:05	1:20	1:35	1:50	2:05
Lv. Wilson	2:03	2:18	2:33	2:48	3:03
Lv. Selma	2:33	2:48	3:03	3:18	3:33
Lv. Fayetteville	4:30	4:45	5:00	5:15	5:30
Ar. Florence	7:15	7:30	7:45	8:00	8:15

TRAINS GOING NORTH.					
Dated July 31st 1895.	No. 17	No. 16	No. 15	No. 14	No. 13
Lv. Wilson	P. M. 6:15	A. M. 6:30	A. M. 6:45	A. M. 7:00	A. M. 7:15
Lv. Fayetteville	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55
Lv. Magnolia	4:16	4:31	4:46	5:01	5:16
Ar. Wilmington	5:45	6:00	6:15	6:30	6:45

TRAINS GOING NORTH.					
Dated July 31st 1895.	No. 12	No. 11	No. 10	No. 9	No. 8
Lv. Florence	A. M. 8:15	P. M. 7:35	P. M. 7:35	P. M. 7:35	P. M. 7:35
Lv. Fayetteville	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55
Lv. Selma	12:32	12:47	1:02	1:17	1:32
Ar. Wilson	1:20	1:35	1:50	2:05	2:20

TRAINS GOING NORTH.					
Dated July 31st 1895.	No. 7	No. 6	No. 5	No. 4	No. 3
Lv. Wilmington	A. M. 7:00	P. M. 7:00	P. M. 7:00	P. M. 7:00	P. M. 7:00
Lv. Magnolia	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55
Lv. Goldsboro	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	1:05
Ar. Wilson	1:00	1:15	1:30	1:45	2:00

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:35 p. m., Greenville 6:37 p. m., Kinston 7:35 p. m., returning, leaves Kinston 7:20 a. m., Greenville 8:22 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11:50 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7:00 a. m., arrives Farmville 8:40 p. m., Tarboro 9:50; returning leaves Tarboro 4:50 p. m., Farmville 6:10 p. m., arrives Washington 7:35 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5:00 p. m., Sunday 3:00 p. m.; arrive Plymouth 9:20 p. m., 5:20 p. m.; returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:30 a. m., Sunday 9:30 a. m.; arrive Tarboro 10:25 a. m. and 11:45 a. m.

Running is one of the best of exercises for the whole body. It rounds out a hollow chest, drives the oxygen into the farthest air-cells of the lungs, wonderfully increases the capacity and develops the leg, thigh, stomach and waist muscles. But it must be learned, just as skating, swimming and bicycling have to be learned, and there are two things which must be kept in mind by the learner. The first is—whether in sprinting, distance or cross-country running—to run entirely on the ball of the foot, or, as they say on the track: "Get up on your toes!" By striking on the ball of the foot, the runner takes a longer stride, and the spring that he gets enables him to lift his foot more rapidly and repeat the stride more quickly than the runner who goes flat-footed. As length and rapidity of stride are what give speed in running, it follows that a flat-footed runner can never be a fast one. Another reason against pounding away flat-footed is that the delicate mechanism of the ankle, knee and hip is jarred and may in time be injured.

The second point for a runner to observe is his method of breathing. Breathe through both the nose and mouth. Nearly every boy when he first begins to run has the insane idea that all the breathing must be done through the nose. There was never a greater mistake. When a boy runs his heart beats much faster than it does ordinarily, and pumps out just so much more blood. All this must be aerated or purified by air from the lungs. The oppression that one feels when beginning to run is due to the lungs demanding more for the extra quantity of blood which the heart is sending out. Nature has looked out for this and provided a way by which air can be furnished to the lungs very rapidly. It is a very simple way, and consists of merely opening the mouth.

Breathe, then, through the nose in ordinary life as much as possible, but when you are running or exercising violently open the mouth and take in air in deep rapid breaths, not gulping it in through the mouth alone, but letting the mouth and nose have each their share.

Take as long a stride as possible, but without overbalancing the body. Bend the body slightly from the hips, for if it be held too erect the stride will be shortened. Let the bent arms swing easily and naturally a little above the level of the hips, swinging out and back with every stride. This keeps the muscles loose, prevents them from becoming tired so easily as they would if held rigid, and balances the body better. Take especial pains to keep the body from being stiff; let it swing as easily and lithely as possible. In sprinting the stride is shorter and more rapid than in long-distance running, and a sprinter usually runs with body thrown further back, in quite different form from the long, easy type of the distance runner.—S. Scoville, Jr., in St. Nicholas.

When the supreme court came to consult upon the case their unanimous opinion was favorable to the contention of the government, and one of the justices was instructed to prepare a decision in favor of the custom house. The justice, on returning home, told his wife of the case, and indicated the ground of the decision; whereupon the lady told him in plain words that the justices of the supreme court did not know what they were talking about, and had agreed upon an unjust decision. The lady was entirely clear that the article in dispute could not properly be called a sauce and openly ridiculed the court.

The perplexed justice, instead of preparing the decision in accordance with the instructions of his brethren, did nothing in the matter, but at the next opportunity unfolded to the other justices his wife's view of the matter and asked them to seek domestic counsel on the case and report at the next consultation of the court. When that consultation came round the justices, having taken feminine counsel, all reported against their original view that the article introduced in the case should be classed as a sauce, and accordingly the justice originally charged with the task of preparing a decision in favor of the government was now instructed to prepare one in favor of the New York lawyer's client. It thus happened that the lawyer won his first case before the supreme court because the wives of the justices knew more than the court itself.

It is somewhat strange that the new malady which has appeared in the American telephone exchanges is most prevalent in California, while being almost entirely unknown in the eastern states. The fatigue of listening continually at the receiver produces a humming in the ears, headache, and finally a sense of the tympanum. The employe has to rest every three or four hours, and sometimes to cease work altogether for some days. It is not yet explained whether the affection is due to defective apparatus or to overwork. Further light on this subject is especially desirable, as it may give most valuable suggestions to artists who are now treating certain ear affections by sound vibrations produced through the telephone. The idea is favored by some leading practitioners that in many cases abnormal tissue can be stimulated to healthy activity by the concentration upon them of vibrations of exactly suitable pitch and strength. In many of the best-equipped telephone exchanges a clever provision has been made for reducing the ear fatigue of the operator by the use of a small electric lamp, which, working in the call wires, indicates "through," and so obviates the voice calls, which are sometimes so irritating to the subscriber, as well as wearing on the "central," by their inevitable repetition.—Philadelphia Record.

These matrons accompany the visitors, not in order to prevent the girls from flirting with them (nothing could do that), but to see that no tobacco, pipe, or cigarette may disappear. Before entering each room a bell is rung to warn the girls, who are in great disarray on account of the sun, to put on their wrappers, and as the door opens scores of round arms and pretty shoulders are seen disappearing, while several hundred pairs of coal-black eyes are fastened on you.

The passages are lined with cradles and the young girl-mothers to whom they belong implore you with eyes and hands for a penny for the Murtlos of the future lying in them. These girls are more frank than subtle in their flirtations. There is not one in the crowd who will not be immediately conscious of a man's gaze fixed on her, nor will she be the first to turn her eyes away. Some will wink and even throw a kiss from a distant corner at the rich English (all foreigners are supposed to be wealthy Englishmen).

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