

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

In Charge of Wm. G. MORRIS

Authorized Agent of The Eastern Reflector for Winterville and Vicinity—Advertising Rates on Application

A new lot of men's and ladies' dress shoes just in. Harrington, Barber & Co.

To the people of Winterville and vicinity: If you know any items of interest, I would be glad to get them for the paper. If you have anything to advertise, I would like to furnish you rates. If you are not a subscriber to The Reflector, let me send you your subscription—Wm. G. Morris.

We wonder as Christmas approaches how many homes will be made-up on account of this key this Christmas; how many young men will take their first drink and become drunkards; a few of them will pray; and how many of them will be cared for if the money spent for whiskey were used to support the orphans.

International Clothing can be had at A. W. Ange & Co.

For good and comfortable school desk call or write A. G. Cox Manufacturing Co., Winterville, N. C. They have the right desk at the right price.

Rev. Mr. Snow was here Wednesday.

D. S. Rollins spent Thursday night here visiting his sister, Mrs. M. G. Bryan.

We are carrying a nice line of Coffins and Caskets. Prices are right and can furnish nice hearse service. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

We have just received a large lot of nice shoes for winter wear.

Mrs. Novella Banting Station, of Bethel, is visiting Miss Vivian Roberson this week.

"The Pitt County School Desk" manufactured by The A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company are cheap, comfortable, neat and durable. Terms are liberal. When in the market come to see us, we have the desk for you.

Miss Beva Dixon was in town Friday.

For jelly glasses, dried fruits of all kinds and butter and cheese see A. W. Ange & Co.

Zeno Lyon, of Greene county, was here yesterday.

We can give you a bargain in nice clothing.

Harrington, Barber & Co., F. V. Johnston, of Greenville, was in town yesterday.

We have just received a full supply of furniture. Give us a call.

A. W. Ange & Co.

Rev. T. H. King returned from Wadesboro a few days ago, where he attended the Baptist State convention. He reports a fine convention, and a good time in general.

Oysters? We have them Friday and Saturday nights.

R. D. Dail & Co.

The moving picture show in the W. H. S. auditorium Thursday night was very good.

Cooking and heating stoves and ranges just received. All of best material and up-to-date.

Harrington Barber & Co.

Services in the Baptist church tomorrow, (3rd Sunday.)

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Herod Hooks, of Goldsboro, came in Friday to spend Christmas with relatives here.

Just received, a nice lot of ladies and childrens shoes.

Harrington, Barber & Co.

O. W. Rollins and Eugene Cannon attended a basket party at Black Jack last night.

A new lot of dry goods and notions of all kinds just received at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Harrington, Barber & Co. bought a bale of cotton and paid \$112.86, and sold it to B. F. Manning. How is that for selling cotton?

Mrs. John Haddock and sister, Miss Alma Cannon, were in town yesterday.

Nice glassware, just in. Harrington, Barber & Co.

For nice oysters see B. F. Sutton. Barbecue on Saturdays. See me before you purchase your Christmas fruit.

E. F. Sutton.

For Christmas goods see A. W. Ange & Co.

We have just received a nice lot of glassware.

Harrington, Barber & Co.

Students of Winterville High School left here yesterday and today for their respective homes to spend Christmas. We hope to have a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Rev. T. H. King filled his regular appointment in the Baptist church last Sunday morning and night.

Henry Langston, a student of Wake Forest College, came in Monday to spend Christmas at his home near here.

Mrs. Mollie Fox left here Monday for her home at Handlman.

Mrs. W. E. Powell, of Goldsboro, spent Sunday night and Monday here visiting her brother, J. R. Johnson.

Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, the W. H. S. teachers and students assembled in the auditorium for a little extra enjoyment. A song was sung, and two instrumental solos were played. Rev. T. H. King and Mr. A. G. Cox made short talks. Then several nice presents, which students had bought for the teachers, were presented by Rev. T. H. King. The fall term closes today Dec. 22nd, and the spring term opens Jan. 3, 1910, with bright prospects.

C. S. Smith, of our town, who is contable of Swift Creek township, arrested two negroes last Thursday for selling whiskey. They were both convicted.

Last Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, in the Philo Allean Literary Society hall, the society very delightfully entertained the Vance Literary Society. The hall was very beautifully decorated and everything was in perfect order. The following program was rendered:

Chaplain's exercises by Prof. F. C. Nye.

Address of welcome, by the president, Miss Jeanette Cox.

Christmas song, by society.

Piano Solo, Miss Rosa Jones.

Christmas reading, Miss Clara Braxton.

Trio, Misses Cox, Baker, and Sutton.

Christmas in Olden Lands, Miss Clyde Chapman.

"The Mirror," Miss Esther Johnson.

The program was very nice in every respect. After the program was rendered, came the informal reception.

Delightful refreshments were served; J. A. Worley, president of the Vance Literary Society, and Prof. F. C. Nye and H. F. Binson made short speeches of appreciation in behalf of the V. L. S.

After the adjournment, the boys and girls had a general conversation. We hope it will be our privilege to be present at another such occasion in the near future. Both these societies are doing noble work and nearly all the students are enlisted.

Holly and mistletoe are getting in place.

Bring your furs to S. M. Schultz for high prices.

Things certainly look busy on the street.

There is much interest in the voting contest for the piano to be given away by the Central Mercantile Co. on the 27th. Purchases for the next three days will be increased in voting value.

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as rheumatism, weak kidneys and bilious and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills

have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and IMPARTING VIGOR to the aged.

They are adapted to old and young.

Do You Own a Piano?

If not, and you expect to own one soon, you owe it to yourself to examine the magnificent display shown at the Fineman & White Warerooms. A display really creditable to a large city.

In a glance you will inspect a line of pianos that no alone stand in character of the quality and general work in a distinct class to itself, but you will meet with prices that stand unopposed here and incomparable anywhere. Eight different makes to select from, none of those cheap western department store stencils, but each one a standard, of acknowledged fame and reputation in the trade. Four different player-pianos of best known makes.

We will take your old piano in exchange for one of these self-players. We also carry the ETTOR ORGAN, the standard of the world. Old organs and pianos taken in exchange, terms to suit your convenience.

When in Greenville visit our warehouse.

Fineman & White.

Next door to Carr & Atkins Hardware store.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF WINTERVILLE, AT WINTERVILLE, N. C.

At the close of business, Nov. 16, 1909.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$7,191.81	Capital stock	\$5,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	308.81	Surplus fund	650.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,173.53	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes pd	527.00
Due from bks and bkrs	11,211.51	Time cert. of deposit	802.20
Silver coin, including minor currency	345.42	Deposits subject to ck	14,095.95
Nat bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,390.00	Cashier's checks outstanding	31.53
Total	\$21,706.08	Total	\$21,706.08

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County, ss:

We, J. E. Green, Cashier and F. A. Edmondson, Asst. Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. E. GREEN, Cashier
F. A. EDMONDSON, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of Nov., 1909.

R. H. Hunsucker, J. F. Harrington, Directors
Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FARMVILLE, AT FARMVILLE, N. C.

At the close of business Nov. 16th, 1909.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$41,053.81	Capital stock	\$10,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	17,171.19	Surplus fund	6,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,670.50	Undivided profits less exp. and taxes pd	1,247.78
Due from bks & bkrs	39,935.38	Dividend unpaid	1,000.00
Cash items	21,466.83	Bills payable	15,000.00
Gold coin	742.50	Time cert. of deposits	11,331.12
Silver coin, including minor coin currency	985.95	Deposits sub. to check	80,546.70
Nat bank and other U. S. notes	2,897.00	Cashier's checks outst'g	1,317.56
Total	\$126,443.16	Total	\$126,443.16

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of Pitt, ss:

I, J. R. Davis, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of Nov., 1909.

J. A. Newborn, Notary Public.

Whistling and Weeping Trees.

Among the curiosities of tree life is the sofar or whistling tree of Nubia. When the winds blow over this tree it gives out feeble sounds, pouring away to the wilderness for hours at a time strange, weird melodies. It is the spirit of the dead singing among the branches, the natives say, but the scientific white man says that the sounds are due to a myriad of small holes which an insect bores in the spines of the branches.

"The weeping tree of the Canary islands is another arboreal freak. This tree in the driest weather will rain down showers from its leaves, and the natives gather up the water from the pool formed at the foot of the trunk and find it pure and fresh. The tree exudes the water from innumerable pores at the base of the leaves."—Chicago Journal.

The Canny Cest.

In the differences that would sometimes arise between members of his tenantry the Duke of Argyll was often invited to arbitrate upon the matter in dispute, and he used to tell a characteristically Scottish story of one of the occasions. Two tenants having been upon him and asked him to decide the question at issue, the duke put what he always regarded as a very necessary preliminary question, "Will you abide by my award?"

"Well, your grace," was the reply of one of the hard headed old disputants, "I'd like to see first what it is!"—London Chronicle.

The Other Way With Him.

"Remember, sir, that you owe something to your constituents," said one member of a town council to another. "Humph!" said the other. "If you owe anything to your constituents I've got to say to you that you're necky. If there are not half a dozen voters in my ward that have not borrowed money from me."—Stray Stories.

Pitfalls of Slang.

Best (in Indian)—Do you see that fanatic over there? He has sat on that corner and in that posture without moving for six months. Traveler (from Chicago)—Ge, that's going some!—American Tribune.

Little minds are tamed and subdued by misfortune, but great minds rise above it.—Irving.

BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

CONFORMS TO NATIONAL PURE FOOD AND DRUGS LAW.

An improvement over many cough, lung and bronchial remedies, because it acts on the system of a cold by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION OR MONEY REFUNDED. PREPARED BY PINEULE MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.

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THE REFLECTOR PIANO CONTEST.

Closed Christmas Eve—Miss Mary Johnston the Winner.

It is safe to say that this Christmas there was no where in Pitt county a happier young lady than Miss Mary Johnston, who won the piano in The Reflector vote getting contest. She was in the office Christmas eve when the decision of the committee was announced, and numbers of friends gathered to congratulate her. She had worked faithfully, and the prize was well merited. At the very outset of the contest Miss Johnston began with a determination to win. She got a lead at the start which she never lost, but kept it growing larger every day.

Miss Lottie Blow, who was second in the race, also worked faithfully. She brought The Reflector many subscribers and secured a large number of votes. While no second prize was offered in the contest, in recognition of Miss Blow's excellent work The Reflector tendered her the choice of \$20 in gold or a gold watch of the same value. Her choice has not yet been indicated, but either awaits her bidding.

The contest narrowed down between these two young ladies in the closing days, and only these had representatives at the counting of the votes. Miss Johnston selected Mr. J. J. Harrington and Miss Blow selected Mr. Earl Harrington. As soon as the contest closed and the votes were all in, the key to the ballot box was delivered to these gentlemen, and after carefully counting them they gave the following result:

Miss Mary Johnston 102,425
Miss Lottie Blow 63,885
Miss Lillie Tucker 19,000
Miss Mavis Belle Evans 4,865
Miss Maud Moore 4,000
Miss Reulah Mumford 3,200
Quinerly School 2,925

Nap's of those receiving less than 2,500 are omitted.

After the decision of the committee was made public, The Reflector sent an order to Messrs. Fineman & White, from whom the piano was purchased and who had kept it on exhibition during the contest, to deliver it to Miss Mary Johnston. They very promptly sent the beautiful instrument to her home, and along with it sent a handsome cover and stool with their compliments. For this kindness both The Reflector and Miss Johnston thanks them. She also requests us to thank every one who in any way helped her to get votes during the contest.

The Reflector has not yet had time to take complete inventory of this first experience in a voting contest, but is gratified at the result for the paper. It was purely a subscription contest, votes being given only for new subscribers or collections from old ones. The contestants brought in many new names for our subscription list, and also made good collections from old ones. The contest was an absolutely fair and open one from start to finish. Each candidate was given all the assistance by the editor that was possible with no time was the confidence of either as to the progress of their work divulged.

We thank the public for the interest they took in the contest, and hope every name added to our subscription list will remain there for years to come. The Reflector will begin the new year with more readers than at any time in its history.

CHRISTMAS IN GREENVILLE.

A Quiet but Very Pleasant Day Was Celebrated.

To those who feared that some damage to property might result from the use of fireworks, there was a feeling of relief when they awoke Christmas morning to find it raining. But by those who wanted to get about the streets more or less during the day such a condition of the weather was not so much appreciated. Notwithstanding most of the day was rainy and disagreeable out of doors, both the stay-at-homes and those who ventured out fully enjoyed the day. The boys shot their pop crackers freely during the day, and there was a liberal display of various pyrotechnics at night. Nobody got hurt so far as we have heard and there was no casualty of any kind to mar the pleasure. Good dinners were the order of the day in every home and gift making was generous. Upon the whole it can well be called a quiet but very pleasant Christmas.

A Memento of Revolutionary Days

Monday Mr. R. S. May showed us a Christmas present he had received which he prizes very highly. It was a pair of solid silver, linked cuff buttons, of a very old pattern. On one end of each button was engraved the letter "B." and on the other the initials of Major Benjamin May, who was a soldier in the Revolutionary war, and the great grandfather of the present owner of the buttons. Thus the buttons are known to be more than a century-and-a-quarter old. They have been handed down as an heirloom through the succeeding generations, and were given to Mr. R. S. May this Christmas because his name was nearer like that of his distinguished ancestor than any other living descendant.

New Industries for North Carolina.

The following new industries have been established in North Carolina during the week ending Dec. 22nd, according to The Tradesman, Chattanooga, Tenn: Concord—\$50,000 hotel company.

Winston Salem—\$125,000 snuff manufacturing company.

Wilmington—Transportation company.

Swan Quarter—\$100,000 realty company.

Greensboro—\$10,000 garage company.

Tilery—\$15,000 land company.

Bladenboro—\$135,000 cotton mill.

Ansonville—\$10,000 wood working plant.

Low Water Causes Trouble.

The very low water in the river the last few days has occasioned no end of trouble at the city water station in keeping up a sufficient supply for the use of the town. The high winds have driven the water in the river down to an unusually low stage so that when the pumps at the plant were set to work they would suck more air than water. The supply in the standpipes and reservoir ran so low that there was not much pressure on the mains. Monday the city fire engine was placed on a flat and towed to the station to help pump water. It is fortunate that there has been no fire to fight while the water supply and pressure were so low.

PRE-NUPRIAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

With Mrs. George Woodward Tuesday Afternoon.

The first of the pre-nuptial entertainments in honor of the approaching marriage of Miss Irma Cobb to Mr. Albion Dunn, Dunn of Scotland Neck, took place Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. George Woodward, at her home on Greene street, gave the bride-to-be a linen shower.

Mrs. Woodward received her guests at the door and directed them to the library, which was decorated in red and green, where punch was served by Miss Lucille Cobb and Miss Marjorie Scott, the latter of Mebane.

In the parlor where the shower took place the decorations were white and green. In one corner was a large white arm chair to which the bride-elect was escorted. Above her head hung an immense ball of white chrysanthemums, and as cards attached to this were pulled there came down a shower of linen in her lap, the articles being varied and beautiful.

After the shower the guests were invited to the dining room where a salad course was served by Misses Annie Leonard Tyson, Pattie Wootch, Ruth Cobb and Ruebelle Forbes. Ice and nuts were also served, these being green and pink in keeping with the decorations of the room.

WITH MISSES FORBES TUESDAY NIGHT.

Tuesday night at their home on Evans street, Misses Glenn and Helen Forbes gave a "traveling party" jointly in honor of their sister, Mrs. George Hadley, of LaGrange, and Miss Cobb, the coming bride of Thursday.

For this occasion the parlor was decorated in pink, the library in green and the hall in red. Miss Glenn Forbes served punch in the parlor and Miss Helen Forbes in the library.

The guests were presented with score cards for the game as they arrived, and the souvenirs were tiny suit cases filled with salted peanuts. The prizes to the guests of honor were similar suit cases containing a lace handkerchief. The guests prize was won by Mrs. J. L. Wooten, of LaGrange, and Miss Cobb, the coming bride of Thursday.

Between the fifth and sixth stages of the journey hot chocolate and sand-wiches were served, and when "Washington" was reached on the final stop ice cream and cake and marshmallows were served.

HOUSE-HARRIS.

Greenville Bride Goes to Louisiana for Future Home.

At 8 o'clock this morning at the home of the bride on Dickinson avenue, Mr. Archibald R. House, of Elizabeth, La., and Miss Lillie Harris were married by Rev. John H. Shore.

The bride was attired in a handsome Catawba coat suit, and immediately after the ceremony and congratulations of friends the couple left by the Atlantic Coast Line for their far away home.

The popularity of the couple was shown in the large number of beautiful bridal presents received.

Mr. House is a Pitt county boy who a few years ago moved further South, and has a good position with a large Louisiana lumber firm. He showed his good taste in coming back home for a bride and selecting one of such splendid worth.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

Tuesday, Dec. 28.

D. M. Jones left Monday for Aulander.

Miss Mary J. Smith spent Sunday in Farmville.

Miss Lena Matthews spent Christmas in Conetoe.

J. G. Moya and family spent Christmas at Kinston.

Miss Mary Lucy Dupree is visiting in Murfreesboro.

Miss Francis Bagwell spent Christmas in Halifax.

Albion Dunn, of Scotland Neck, came in Monday evening.

H. L. Carr left Monday evening for a visit in LaGrange.

George Prichard, of Richmond, is visiting Charles Haskett.

E. B. Hyggs and family spent Christmas in Scotland Neck.

C. T. Deans, of Aulander, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Ward.

Mrs. A. V. Greene, of Ashokic, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hart went to Lewiston Monday to visit relatives.

Misses Mary and Lizzie Hyggs went to Weldon to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown went to Norfolk Monday to visit relatives.

Alexander Harper went to LaGrange Monday evening to spend some days.

Miss Hilda Hancock, of Scotland Neck, is visiting Miss Jessie Brinkley.

Mrs. Lily Wilkie, of Sanford, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily Harris.

Miss Ida Keel, of Norfolk, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. G. Albritton.

Dr. J. W. Taylor, of Greensboro, is visiting his people here at Hotel Macon.

Miss Nonie Bow is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

Dr. and Mrs. M. I. Fleming, of Hamilton, came Sunday evening to visit relatives.

C. C. Cobb, of Norfolk, who came out here to spend Christmas, returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Johnson and children went to Henderson to spend Christmas.

Misses Minnie and Ruth Evans, of Tarboro, came in Monday to visit Miss Maggie Savage.

Prof. C. W. Wilson left Monday evening for Charlotte to attend the educational meeting.

C. W. Hearne, foreman of The Reflector, left for Charlotte Christmas eve to spend a few days.

Miss Susie Perry, of Kinston, came over Monday to visit Miss Lillian Carr and attend the dance.

Miss Lucy Camp, of Raleigh, spent Christmas here with Mrs. C. W. Wilson, and returned home Monday.

Jesse Smith, who had been here spending Christmas with his mother, returned to Norfolk Monday.

A. R. House came in from Elizabeth, La. Friday, to spend the holidays here at his old home. He will wed Miss Lillie Harris tomorrow morning and take a six day journey for a bride and selecting one of such splendid worth.

CHRISTMAS DANCE.

A Very Enjoyable Event Monday Night.

The Christmas dance in Perkins' hall Monday night, was the most enjoyable of the season. There were many present, and the German was led by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dail, Jr. In the first figure the lights in the hall were turned off and the dancers used indoor fireworks, making a beautiful scene.

The following couples were present:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dail, Jr. John Sheburn with Miss Kathleen Long, of Graham.

Alex. Flow with Miss Carter, of Wilson.

Thurman Moore with Miss Ponder, of Tarboro.

Judson Blount, of Bethel, with Miss Elizabeth L. Howard, of Tarboro.

Willie Wilson with Miss Mattie I. King.

Sheel Cobb with Miss Mary Seeburn.

Bascom Wilson with Miss Marzaret Blow.

Frank Wilson with Miss Clara Hampton, of Plymouth.

Roy Hampton, of Plymouth, with Miss Agnes Lacy, of Raleigh.

Walter Wilson with Miss Irene Lacy, of Raleigh.

Doek Horne with Miss Lillian Burch.

Mr. Dunn, of Scotland Neck, with Miss Jamie Bryan.

Will Lipscomb with Miss Mary James.

Jim Huckney, of Wilson, with Miss Lucille Cobb.

Eurt James with Miss Brown, of Greenville, Tenn.

Charles James with Miss Jamie Brown.

Zeno Brown with Miss Powell, of Tarboro.

F. H. Boston with Miss Della Mae Farmer, of Wilson.

Carey Warren with Miss Mary Milner, of Leasfork.

Mr. Hood, of Goldsboro, with Miss Penelope, of Rocky Mount.

D. M. Clark with Miss Scott, of Graham.

Jim Hines, of Kinston, with Miss Susie Perry, of Kinston.

Hill Horne with Miss Helen Forbes.

Albion Dunn, of Scotland Neck, with Miss Irma Cobb.

N. W. Outlaw with Miss Mary Smith.

Burney Warren with Miss Lottie Gaylord, of Plymouth.

Joe Anderson with Miss Lillian Carr.

Stags—Ames Brown, Mr. Townsend, Mr. Rusberry, of Farmville; Tom Dawson, of Grifton; C. C. Dawson, of Grifton; Mr. Goodson, of Kinston; Mr. Couch, of Raleigh.

Casperones—Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hasset, Mrs. R. J. Cobb and Mrs. Joe Williams.

Farm Institute.

A letter from Director T. B. Parker, gives dates for Farmers Institutes as follows: At Snow Hill on Jan. 18th, at Farmville on Jan. 28th, and at Greenville on Jan. 29th. These institutes are of much benefit to farmers and all who can should make their plans to attend.

Skating Party.

Miss Jessie Brinkley gave a skating party in the Centre street warehouse, Tuesday night, in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beck, of Scotland Neck. It was very enjoyable for those who attended.

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If you want a good plow try the "Syracuse" at Harrington, Barber & Co's.

Miss Vanie Crawford and J. A. Edmondson spent Christmas at Emporia.

Miss Dora Cox went to Hagran Monday to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. W. B. Morris, of Kinston, came in Monday to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Eva Langston spent Christmas at Grindal with Miss Mary Whitehurst.

Miss Leona Cox is spending a few days with Miss Mae Whitehead at Parmele.

Louis Manning went to Goldsboro Thursday.

W. G. Morris spent Christmas in Kinston with relatives.

S. C. Carroll is clerking for A. W. Ange & Co. during the holidays.

E. U. Cox and J. L. Rollins spent Saturday night in Kinston. Several more families have lately moved into our town.

Misses Hattie Kittrell and Kate O'Speman, who are teaching at Repose, are spending the holidays at home.

J. B. Kittrell, of Greenville, spent Christmas at his home here.

M. I. Tingle, of Greensboro, spent Christmas here.

Miss Jamie Kittrell, who is attending school at Durham, is spending the holidays at home.

Miss Michon Johnson spent Christmas with Miss Maud Hill at Jemsville.

C. W. Rollins went to Weldon Sunday.

days at Jamesville.

500 turkeys wanted. Highest prices paid. A. W. Ange & Co. bring near here last Sunday.

We have just received a nice lot of cloaks, give us a call. A. W. Ange & Co.

Pump pipes? Then see us. We have just received a good lot. A. W. Ange & Co.

We had the list in nice confectionaries. A. W. Ange & Co. The "Olivar Plow" is the kind you need. See us. A. W. Ange & Co.

A new lot of lamps just in. Harrington, Barber & Co.

For nice hall racks, see us. A. W. Ange & Co.

Cattle Wanted—We want to buy 100 cattle. R. D. Dail & Co.

The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. made a shipment of a solid car of Pitt county school desk today. The demand is continually increasing rapidly. Better place your orders early. A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., Winterville, N. C.

For fresh beef, pork and sausage see B. F. Sutton at same old stand.

For guns and rifles see A. W. Ange & Co.

For new vac see us. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Nice glassware, just in. Harrington, Barber & Co.

For nice oysters see me—B. F. Sutton. Barbecue on Saturdays.

See me before you purchase your Christmas fruit. B. F. Sutton.

R. L. Abbott went to Kinston Tuesday.

C. T. Cox, of Louisburg, spent Christmas here.

Miss Kittrell Hill went to Greenville Monday.

Hervey Cox, who has been attending school at Winston-Salem spent Christmas here.

Mrs. Frank James left Monday for her home at Robersonville.

Miss Ethel Carroll, who is teaching at Coleraine, and John Carroll, a Wake Forest student, came in Thursday to spend Christmas.

A. H. Cobb is spending a few days here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. L. Jackson.

Misses Mamie Chapman and Juanita Dixon, who have been attending the East Carolina Teachers Training School at Greenville, are spending the holidays at their homes.

James Braxton, from Virginia, is spending the holidays with relatives here. We are glad to learn that he is to remain with us and attend Winterville High School.

Miss Bettie Braxton, of Pine-towr, is spending the holidays here.

Christmas here was very quiet yet it was very pleasant.

Services next Sunday in the Baptist church.

Misses Ilo and Lillie Morris came in last night to spend a few days with relatives.

Public religious services of our town:

Baptist—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., preaching 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; mission meeting 2nd Sunday nights at 7 o'clock, and prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

Free Will Baptist—Sunday school at 3 p. m., (except 2nd Sunday then at 10 a. m.) preaching 2nd Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Methodist—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

KING'S CROSS ROAD ITEMS.

King's X Roads N. C., Dec. 28.—Miss Helen Smith accompanied by Miss Jeanette Cox, returned to her home Thursday from Winterville High School to spend the holidays.

Christmas day began with rains, but in spite of the dreariness of the day, some of us succeeded in taking a little fresh air after the rains.

Miss Huldah Cox, who has been teaching at King's Cross Roads, went to her home at Winterville Thursday.

Miss Helen Smith entertained a party of friends Christmas night in honor of her guest, Miss Jeanette Cox. The parlor was beautifully decorated with holly and mistletoe. Music was furnished by Misses Helen Smith and Jeanette Cox and Durward Smith. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

Miss Addie O. Corbett and her son, Clifton, have been spending some time near Scotland Neck.

Miss Sadie and Howell and Preston Joyner spent Christmas with H. S. Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Caraway and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith, spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. E. Smith.

C. V. Smith returned to Farmville after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith.

There is very much moving going on in this neighborhood.

Misses Irene Smith and Lanie Tyson spent Sunday with Misses Helen Smith and Jeanette Cox.

Miss Irene Smith left Tuesday morning to spend a few days in Winterville. She will then go from there to Conetoe.

After a few days illness we are glad to know that R. W. Smith is able to be out.

Stung for 15 Years

By indications' pang-trying many doctors and \$00 worth of medicine in vain, B. F. Ayame, Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles. 25c at all druggists.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Subscribe to the Reflector. 1909 is mighty thin now. Our Greenville, yours if you come.

County Commissioners will meet next Monday.

Bring your furs to S. M. Schultz for high prices.

The Christian Sunday school had a Christmas tree Tuesday night at the church.

The holiday season is giving the policemen about as easy a time as they have at any other period of the year.

The cold spell seems to be a good sticker, but the open weather makes it not so bad as it might be.

Three hundred thousand dollars resources and seventy-five thousand dollars to loan are facts the Bank of Greenville sets before our readers.

The Reflector has a full supply of blanks for mortgages, deeds, chattel mortgages and crop liens, in readiness for the business men wanting them for the coming year. 1224 dit

Notice to Tax Payers.

Taxes for the State and county are past due, and all persons owing are notified that they must come forward and settle. Costs will soon be added to those who are delinquent, and this cost can be saved by paying promptly. I am forced to collect these taxes, and must do so as the law requires. L. W. Tucker, 1223 1/2 d & w Sheriff.

Family Connection a la Mode.

"Well, you are related in a way."

"My marriage?"

"Yes, my first wife's third husband is married to his wife's second husband's fourth partner in matrimony."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

HEALTH INSURANCE

The man who insures his life is wise for his family.

The man who insures his health is wise both for his family and himself.

You may insure health by guarding it. It is worth guarding.

At the first attack of disease, which generally approaches through the LIVER and manifests itself in innumerable ways TAKE

Tutt's Pills

And save your health.

THE DARK OF THE MOON.

A Result That is Produced by the Light From the Earth.

Many people have wondered why the part of the moon that receives no sunlight is often visible to us, the term being the "old moon in the young moon's arms." The dark part is easily seen as a copper colored globe resting in the bright crescent. This that we see is nothing more or less than the earth same way to the moon when we are in that phase, and our dark part is where the moonshine appears and the bright part of the sun.

The reason the copper color appears is because light has to traverse the atmosphere of the earth three times—once on coming from the sun to the earth, once when reflected to the moon and again on being reflected back to us. Our atmosphere possesses the peculiar property of absorbing the blue rays of this white light and allowing only the red and orange to go through, thus causing the appearance of copper color by the triple absorption.

An odd thing connected with this phenomenon, though having nothing to do with it, is this: That part of the moon which appears dark to us is the same part of the earth that appears light to the moon at any specified time, and that part of the moon which appears bright to us corresponds to the portion of the earth appearing dark to the moon.

Of course it is well known that the moon gives out no light whatever itself, the moonshine being merely the light of the sun on the moon reflected to us. The same applies with the earth in its shine on the moon, save that we do give out glows, no doubt, around great cities at night, on account of the enormous number of lights. (One thing, however, in which moonshine excels the earth shine is its constant character. Where the earth possesses varying clouds the old moon never has any at all.—St. Louis Republic)

Notice to Creditors.

Having this day been appointed by the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of W. D. Moore deceased, having duly qualified as such administrator, no one is hereby given to a person holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment, daily authenticated, on or before the 28th day of December 1909 or this notice will be paid in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me.

This the 27th day of December 1909. C. G. Little, Adm. of W. D. Moore dec'd. J. Davis & Blow Attorneys. 1228 dit wllt

SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Pitt county, made on the 19th day of November, 1909, in a certain special proceeding therein pending entitled, William Fountain, administrator of J. W. Potter against W. D. Potter and others, I will, on Wednesday, December 22, 1909, before the court house door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Cowd Township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of J. J. Stokes, W. E. Hill, the late of John Moore, dec'd, and of others containing 100 acres, more or less, a tract to the corner of S. W. 1/4 Sec. 10, Twp. 10 N., R. 10 E., 12th Range, N. C. This is the 19th day of Nov 1909. Witness my hand and seal, this 19th day of Nov. 1909. J. W. Potter, J. Davis & Blow, Attorneys. 1228 dit wllt

Stray Taken Up.

I have taken one male box, High breed cow, with 150 pounds, more or less, in weight, on the 11th of Nov. last. Owner can get same by proving ownership and paying for same. J. W. Potter, J. Davis & Blow, Attorneys. Greenville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 2. Dec. 24, 1909. 1224 dit wllt

Do You Own a Piano?

If not, and you expect to own one soon, you owe it to yourself to examine the magnificent display shown at the Fineman & White Warerooms. A display really creditable to a large city.

In a glance you will inspect a line of pianos that not alone stand in character of tone, durability and general worth in a distinct class to itself, but you will meet with prices that stand unpreceded here and incomparable anywhere. Eight different makes to select from, none of those cheap western department store stencils, but each one a standard, of acknowledged fame and reputation in the trade. Four different player-pianos of best known makes.

We will take your old piano in exchange for one of these self players. We also carry the ETY ORGAN, the standard of the world. Old organs and pianos taken in exchange, terms to suit your convenience.

When in Greenville visit our wareroom.

Fineman & White.

Next door to Carr & Atkins Hardware store.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF WINTERVILLE, AT WINTERVILLE, N. C.

At the close of business, Nov. 16, 1909.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$7,191.81	Capital stock	\$5,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	303.81	Surplus fund	650.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,173.53	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes pd	527.00
Due from bks and bkrs	11,211.51	Time cer. of deposit	802.20
Silver coin, including minor currency	345.42	Deposits subject to ck	14,695.35
Nat bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,390.00	Cashier's checks outstanding	81.53
Total	\$21,706.08	Total	\$21,706.08

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County, ss: We, J. E. Green, Cashier and F. A. Edmondson, Asst. Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. A. EDMONDSON, Asst. Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of Nov., 1909. R. H. Hunsucker, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: A. G. Cox, R. H. Hunsucker, J. F. Harrington, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FARMVILLE, AT FARMVILLE, N. C.

At the close of business Nov. 16th, 1909.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$41,053.81	Capital stock	\$10,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	17,171.19	Surplus fund	6,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,670.50	Undivided profits less cur. exp and taxes pd	1,247.78
Due from bks & bkrs	30,955.38	Dividend unpaid	1,000.00
Cash items	21,986.83	Bills payable	15,000.00
Gold coin	742.50	Time cer. of deposits	11,531.12
Silver coin, including minor coin currency	985.95	Deposits sub. to check	80,546.70
Nat bank and other U. S. Notes	2,807.00	Cashier's cks outst'g	1,317.56
Total	\$126,443.16	Total	\$126,443.16

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of Pitt, ss: I, J. R. Davis, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. DAVIS, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of Nov., 1909. J. A. Mewbryn, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: W. M. Lang, R. L. Davis, F. M. Davis, Directors.

A Typographical Tragedy. "You have some professional humorists working on your linotype machines, haven't you?" asked the poet.

"Haven't noticed that any of them have a failing that way," answered the editor.

"Well, you're a poor observer. Do you read your own paper?" "Occasionally."

"Did you read my poem, 'To Agatha,' in yesterday's issue?" "No."

"I thought not. In the poem I wrote a line which read, 'I love you better than I love my life.'"

"That was a neat line."

"And one of your linotype humorists made it read, 'I love you better than I love my wife.'"

"E?" "Exactly—my wife. And my wife, not being acquainted with the failings of these key thumpers, thinks the poem was printed exactly as it was written."

Hard to Handle. "This book," remarked the house to house merchant, as he dexterously insinuated one foot in the doorway and smiled pleasantly, "is named 'The Mother's Gossip.'"

His victim thoughtfully examined the binding and felt the weight of the book. Then she gripped it by the edge with her right hand and brought it down, whack, on the other.

To the astonished salesman she appeared to be trying to see how convenient it was to handle, but for what purpose?

"I don't think I'll take one," she remarked at last. "I'm sure it's no better than the ordinary slipper!" —Pearson's Weekly.

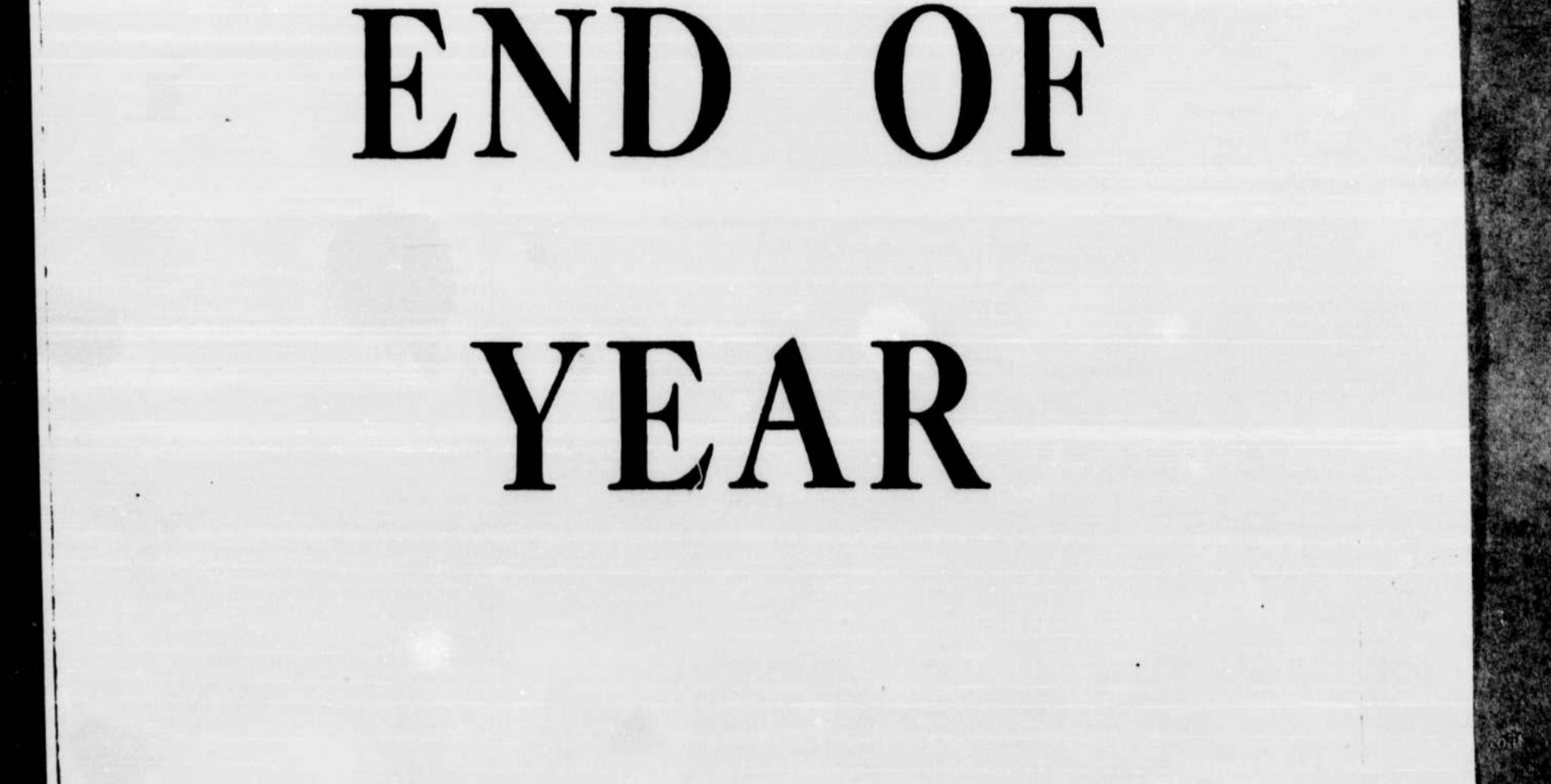
Mother's Experience. Fond Mother—Now, look here, George! I want you to break off with that girl. She is very pretty, and all that, but I know her too well to want you to risk your life and happiness by marrying her. Why, she knows no more about housekeeping than I do about Greek—not a bit!

George—Perhaps not, but she can learn.

Mother—After marriage is rather late for that, George.

George—But you said yourself that you did not know a thing about housekeeping until after you were married.

Mother—Very true, George, and your poor father died of dyspepsia twenty years ago.



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