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General Directory.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

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County Government.

Superior Court Clerk—E. A. Moye, of Swain. Sheriff—J. A. K. Tucker, of Swain. Register of Deeds—David H. James, of Swain. Treasurer—James B. Cherry, of Swain. Coroner—J. H. Shelburn, of Swain. Commissioners—Council Dawson, Chairman, Guilford. Moore, C. V. Newton, W. A. James, Jr., T. E. Keel, of Johnston. Board of Education—Henry Herdlick, Chairman; J. S. Cagleton and J. D. Cox, of Johnston. Public School Superintendent—H. Harding, of Johnston. Supt. of Health—Dr. F. W. Brown, of Johnston. Standard Keeper—Cornelius Kinsaul, of Johnston.

Towns.

May or—F. G. James, of Johnston. Clerk—W. F. Evans, of Johnston. Treasurer—M. B. Tait, of Johnston. Chief of Police—T. Smith, of Johnston. Ass't Police—T. R. Moore, of Johnston. Constables—J. T. Ward, B. N. Boyd, 2nd Ward, B. Williams, Jr., and Alfred Corbett, 3rd Ward, J. H. Davis and M. R. Lang; 4th Ward, W. N. Tolbert, of Johnston.

Churches.

Episcopal—Services First and Third Sundays, morning and night. Rev. N. C. Hughes, D. D., Rector. Methodist—Services every Sunday, morning and night. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night. Rev. R. B. Johns, Pastor. Baptist—Services every Sunday, morning and night. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night. Rev. J. W. Wildman, Pastor.

Lodges.

Greenville Lodge, No. 284, A. F. & A. M., meets every 1st Thursday and Monday night after the 1st and 3rd Sunday at Masonic Lodge. A. L. Blow, W. M., G. L. Hellbronner, Sec. Greenville R. A. Chapter, No. 50, meets every 2nd and 4th Monday nights at Masonic Lodge. F. W. Brown, H. P. P. Corbett, and W. F. Evans, W. M., G. L. Hellbronner, Sec. Insurance Lodge, No. 1169, K. of H., meets every first and third Friday night. D. D. Haskett, D. Pitt Council, No. 236, A. L. of H., meets every Thursday night. C. A. White, C. P.

Post Office.

Office hours 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Money Order hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. No orders will be issued from 12 1/2 P. M. and from 2 1/2 P. M. Bethel mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 9:30 A. M., and departs at 3 P. M. Tarboro mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 11 A. M. and departs at 1 P. M. Washington mail arrives daily (except Sunday) at 12 M. and departs at 1 P. M. J. J. PERKINS, P. M.

Appointments.

For preaching on Bethel Mission. Bethlehem, 1st Sunday at 11 o'clock. Langs School House, 1st Sunday at 3 o'clock. Bethlehem, 2nd Sunday at 11 o'clock. Shady Grove, 3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock. Salem, 4th Sunday at 11 o'clock. Fripps Chapel, 4th Sunday at 10 o'clock. E. C. GLESS, P. C.

Poetry.

TO MY SWEET "SWEETHEART."

WILSON MILLER.

It is something sweet, when the world goes ill To know you are faithful and love me still.

To feel when the sunshine has left the skies, That the light is shining in your dear eyes.

Beautiful eyes, more dear to me Than all the wealth of this world could be.

It is something, dearest, to feel you near, When life, with its sorrows, seems hard to bear.

To feel, when I falter, the clasp divine Of your tender arm, a trusting hand in mine.

Beautiful hand, more dear to me Than the feeblest things of earth could be!

Sometimes, dearest, the world goes wrong, For God gives grief with His gifts of song.

And poverty too! but the love is more To me than riches of golden store.

Be useful love! until death shall part, It is mine, as you are, my own sweet heart.

A Soldier's Presentiment.

Richville Review.

At Smithfield, Va., in the spring of 1862 just before the 12th N. C. took boat for Yorktown to join McClellan, a tall, broad shouldered, manly looking soldier from Rockingham county, N. C., who had been standing sentinel at the Smithfield wharf, and with whom "Capt. Jack" Thomas, who kept a drinking saloon near by, had made a favorable acquaintance, was preparing with the rest to step on board, when old "Capt. Jack" called him aside and presented him a half pint flask of the finest old brandy in his house.

The soldier looked in tight and remarked that he intended to keep it till the day he was killed, or if he should be spared, he would carry it home at the end of the war. He did keep it all through the campaigns of '62 and '63, taking it home with him on furloughs and bringing it back until July, '63, at Gettysburg, he met Capt. H. B. Guerrant one morning, just before his regiment made the fatal and bloody charge—Capt. Guerrant was then acting as brigade inspector—and said to him that the time had come for him to open that brandy, for he felt that he was going to be killed that day, and he wanted him to take a drink with him. The Captain reasoned with him against such an idea, but agreed to sample the brandy, for he knew it was good. The soldier insisted he would be killed and there in the road uncorked the flask and they drank. In half an hour afterwards the 13th went in, and he was killed in the charge.

Christian Charity.

Durham Sun.

Every day or two brings to light the downfall or rascality of some fellow man; in high places as well as low. We never rejoice over the downfall of any man. We know that human flesh is naturally weak, and man is prone to sin as the sparks fly upward." We have no sympathy for frauds, and humbugs, and villains, in religion, in politics, and in our social composition. They should be exposed and kicked out. When a good man is overtaken in a fault, he should be shown some mercy, and the finger of scorn be slow in pointing him out to the gaze of the world. The world is ever ready to kick a man when he errs, and every little fellow, perhaps not so good as the man who falls, will climb in and help to send him scotching down the hill. As Josh Billings once remarked, when a man falls, "the hill seems to be greased for the occasion." So it is. Every man is surrounded by persons who are ever ready to apply the grease and make it slicker.

The world is more willing to tear down than it is to build up. If the secrets of all hearts were known in this world our religious, social and political foundations would be shaken to their very base. It is not for mortals to know. It is well it is not. It is with a higher power to adjust these things. Christian charity—the genuine article—if rightly applied, more frequently than otherwise, has a tendency to lift the fallen, encourage the weak and elevate human beings above the degradation to which they are consigned by the thoughtless and frivolous prattle of the world.

Four deaths from heat were reported in New York City last Wednesday.

Between 500 and 400 cloakmakers employed by A. Friedlander & Co. of New York, have gone on strike.

How to Build up a Town.

New York Tribune.

One good way for a girl to earn her own pin-money is to raise canaries. Good singers always bring good prices, and even the poor ones are worth something. There is considerable amusement, too, to be derived from the care of birds by one who is fond of pets, and the cost is next to nothing after the parent birds and the cage are purchased. The rules for success are simple. A big, roomy cage, a wide shallow nest and cleanliness are requisites. Paper spread on the floor of the cage sprinkled with sand, is easily removed and renewed. A bird of light color is best mated with one of darker hue, or the offspring will look either washed out or too dingy. If the male canary is a good singer, a cross with a finnet will produce the best results. Let the birds alone as much as possible. Do not fuss over them. Do not be alarmed if they fight a little at first; they soon settle upon which is to rule the roost. Err rather on the side of too little rather than too much food. Be careful to give nothing salty or greasy. One pair of birds will raise several broods in a year. The little ones are perfect frights at first, but grow fast. At four weeks they begin to squeak. Their first efforts are positively painful, but in two weeks notes should be distinctly audible if the bird is to be a singer. The writer had a hen bird that died when her brood was a week old but the widower raised the whole family and beauties they were.

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Sorrows of Genius.

Homer was a beggar. Spencer died in want. Cervantes died of hunger. Terence, the dramatist, was a slave. Dryden lived in poverty and distress. Sir Walter Raleigh died on the scaffold. Burler lived a life of penury and died poor. Bacon lived a life of meanness and distress. Plautus, the Roman comic poet, turned a mill. Paul Borghese had fourteen trades, yet starved with all. Tasso, the Italian poet, was often distressed for five shillings. Steele, the humorist, lived a life of perfect warfare with bailiffs. Otway, the English dramatist, died prematurely, and through hunger. Chatterton, the child of genius, and misfortune, destroyed himself at 18. Bentivoglio was refused admittance into a hospital he had erected himself. Savage died in a prison at Bristol, where he was confined for a debt of 840.

The death of Collins was through neglect, first causing mental derangement.

Goldsmith's "Vicar of Wakefield" was sold for a trifle to slave him from the grip of the law.

Fielding lies in the burying-ground of the English factory at Lisbon, without a stone to mark the spot.

Milton sold his copyright of "Paradise Lost" for \$72, at three payments, and finished his life in obscurity.

Camoens, the celebrated writer of the "Lusiad," the great Portuguese epic, ended his life, it is said, in an almshouse, and at any rate was supported by a faithful servant who begged in the streets of Lisbon for him.

The Credit System.

The credit system is the greatest curse with which farmer and laboring classes contend. It comes like a thief in the night. It robs one of his freedom, of his luxury, of its intended likeness to that other home not made with hands. It robs the farmer of free thought and speech. It fetters and cramps the faculties until there is no outlet nor inlet to reason, and for this cause he becomes an inmate of an insane asylum. His master, the creditor, lashes him with those fearful instruments, debts and mortgages, until he is often driven to a suicide's grave. It robs his wife, to whom he is pledged by all that is endearing and sacred. It robs his offspring that binds the bonds more firmly; these are the gifts of God, who created them for him in his own image. Crop it as if it were a poisonous adder. Its sting is worse for its poison will taint generations to come. Its arsenical nature will affect the character of nations.

How Girls Can Make Money.

New York Tribune.

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Women are More Honest than Men.

Weldon News.

Capt. W. F. Drummond, the veteran conductor of the Seaboard and Roanoke railroad has been running in that capacity for many years and has in that time come across many curious specimens of humanity. His opportunities for studying human nature in all its phases and under various circumstances favorable and unfavorable, have been many. He told us one day that he frequently found women on his train who were short of money. Sometimes they would leave home with two little, sometimes they would yield to the temptation of spending more than they ought which no women at times can resist. We asked him how they got along. He replied that he frequently lent them money to help them along. "Do they repay you?" we asked. "I have been occasionally lending them money in this way," replied he, "for about thirty years, sometimes as much as twenty-five dollars at a time, and I have never lost a cent I lent to a woman in my life. No, sir, women are honest." "Did you ever lose any money by lending to men?" again asked we. "No," replied Capt. Drummond. "I have never lost a cent by male travellers, because I never lend to them." The conclusion is obvious.

We can't help thinking that the next Governor of Ohio will be a Democrat. Foraker represents hostility to the South and the Republic, has unlearned much that Foraker and Sherman have been teaching persistently these twenty years past. Foraker must repentance himself or be rejected by the wisest and best men in his party. Ohio will have a Democratic Governor next year.

Laughable Reflections.

And Mirth Provoking Selections as Compiled by the Reflector's Bad Boy.

THE WHOLE TRUTH. Caller—"Bridget, is your master in yet?" B.—No, sor, he's out on bail."

KILLING TWO BIRDS. Aunt Hetty—"Well, Juliet, did you marry the man of your choice?" Juliet—"Well, I should smile! And I cut out Annie Wilkins, too."

HIS STATUS. "What is the social status of that young Flibberty who comes to see our Mary?" asked Mr. Fangle. "Oh, he never stays later than ten," replied Mrs. Fangle.

Clerk—"Mr. Daybook, I would like leave of absence this afternoon to attend the funeral of a cousin." Mr. Daybook (next morning)—"What was the score John?"

"You say you fought all through the war, but I can't find your name on any of the enlistment rolls." "I know it. I wasn't enlisted. I fought with my wife."

Timid youth—"I have a poem and I want to see the editor." Office boy—"The editor is busy. I'll do just as well. I'm on my way to the waste-basket now."

SYMPATHY. Miss Prim (to Mr. Richfellow)—"Oh, it's nothing, nothing. My teeth ache a little; that's all." Small brother (sympathetically)—"Why don't you take 'em out?"

Omaha teacher—"What influence has the moon upon the tide?" Omaha High School Girl—"I don't know exactly what influence it has on the tide, but it has a tendency to make the untied awfully spoozy."

Stranger—"What! You charge \$3 for carrying my valise to the station? Why, I can hire a cab for all that money."

Boy—"Yes, of course a cab driver can do it cheaper. He has a cab, but I've got to carry it on foot."

"You look weavy and fiand, Chawley." Yaas, my death boy overwakhed myself this mahnin."

"Overworked yourself?" "Yaas, my death fellah; I tied my own quavat this mahnin."

"Will you eat a philopona with me, Miss Emily?" "What it I lose?" "Then I win a kiss."

"And if I win?" "Then I have to kiss you."

"All right, I'll eat with you."

Mr. Brown—"That fellow is looking at you rather hard. Do you know him?" Mrs. B.—"His face does look familiar. What's his name?" Mr. B.—"Goldplate, I believe."

Mrs. B.—"Oh! yes; I remember now. He was my first husband."

A BAD CASE OF IT. C—"Fine morning." S (a little deaf)—"Hey." C—"I said it looked like rain."

S—"Hey." C—"You seem to have it badly." S (who hears now)—"Have what?" C—"The 'hey' fever."

A. D. Marsh was judge at the primary Monday. A young, smooth-faced fellow offered his vote, and Marsh asked him if he was old enough to vote.

"Yes," says the fellow, "I am twenty-one."

"How do you know?" "Well, I have had the seven-year itch three times," was the reply.

They were passing under the elevated railroad, and the din overhead was almost deafening.

"This bustle makes my head ache," she said.

"Probably" observed he, "if you were to wear a smaller one."

"Sir!" she indignantly cried, "I mean the noise confuses me."

"I beg your pardon?" stammered he, "I am confused too."

DRESS MAKES THE MAN. Customer—"See here! I've only worn these pants one day, and they already bag at the knees."

Dealer—"Yah, das was recht. Dose is our patent knee stretching pants vat make effery customer of yours look like a literary man, see? You wear dose pants, mine friend, and folks take you vor Dickens or Shakesbeare, see?"

AN EFFECTUAL DISGUISE. "Miss Blondine," said Mr. Baxter to his typewriter, "my wife is coming to the office to-morrow. Would it be asking too much of you to appear as awkward as possible?"

"Certainly not," replied Miss Blondine, "and," she added thoughtfully, "in order to have no doubt about the matter, I will wear a dress that buttons up the back."

"John, wake up! I hear a noise in the kitchen. There's somebody in the house?"

(Jumping out of bed) "Don't be afraid, Maria. I'll drive him out. Be calm, darling."

"Don't go down that steep stairway with your revolver cocked John. It might go off before you are ready."

(Crawling back into bed) "Mrs. Blahs, if you have any confidence in my management of burglars you can take the revolver and go down yourself."

Every Animal its Own Doctor.

Animals get rid of their parasites by using dust, mud, clay, etc.

Those suffering from fever, drink water, and sometimes plunge into it. When a dog has lost its appetite it eats that species of grass, which acts as an emetic and purgative. Cats also eat grass. Sheep and cows, when ill, seek out certain herbs. An animal suffering from chronic rheumatism always keeps as far as possible in the sun. The warrior ants have regularly organized ambulances. Latreille cut the antennae of the ant, and other ants came and covered the wounded part with a transparent fluid secured in their mouths. If a chimpanzee is wounded it stops the bleeding by placing its hand on the wound or dressing it with leaves and grass. When an animal has a wounded leg or arm hanging it completes the amputation by means of its teeth. A dog on being stung on the muzzle by a viper was observed to plunge its head repeatedly for several days into running water. This animal eventually recovered. A terrier hurt its right eye. It remaining under a counter, avoiding light and heat, although it habitually kept close to the fire. It adopted a general treatment of rest and abstinence from food. The local treatment consisted in licking the upper surface of the paw, which it applied to the wounded eye, again licking the paw when it became dry.

THE ICE WATER HABIT. Elizabeth City Economist.

It is now asserted by many of the ablest physicians that ice-water is the cause of many diseases of a malignant character. The sudden changes which it produces in the system require all the vital forces of nature to establish a normal condition of the system. Dyspepsia, heart disease, neuralgia and paralysis are attributed to this universal habit of our people. We all know the great danger of drinking tea-water when heated and the same danger exists, tho' not so immediately, when we take ice water at any time, as the sudden change from heat to cold taxes the system to restore that equilibrium which is essential to health. The American people it is said, drink more tea-water than all the other people on earth. In the torrid regions of the earth a piece of ice is as rare as an overcoat, and in the frigid zones, where ice is always abundant, the natives never use it in their drinks. It is only used in the temperate regions and it is rarely used in England, France or Germany. Ice increases thirst. Ice arrests digestion. Ice checks the normal action of the heart. It is a luxury, but like many of our luxuries, it has its heavy penalties.

CINCINNATI, July 19.—A fierce rainstorm accompanied by thunder and lightning, swept over this city early this morning. It flooded the Miami Canal, broke its banks and worked great havoc in the vicinity of York street and Central avenue, causing a loss of about \$50,000. Several families were driven from their homes while the blinding storm was raging. The firms sustaining the greatest loss are Metz & Co., ice dealers, and Maescher, pork packers.

Excursion trains are run between London and Paris at the moderate outlay of 23 shillings, say \$5.75, for the round trip. It is just the impetuous and economical 'long haul sought,' and it "goes full every time."

Fifteen men visited John S. Schmidt, a farmer living two miles from Sibley, Ill., and administered to him a terrible whipping with switches for drunkenness and wife beating.

Crime in England is decidedly on the increase if the newspaper records are a criterion. Murder, robbery, assault, forgery and suicide make a column of sad reading every day.

As an attraction at the Eden Mu see (New York), the figures of Sullivan and Kilrain will be represented, in wax, as they appeared in the recent fight at Richburg.

The village of Corinna, Me., barely escaped destruction. Ten dwellings were burning at one time. A copious shower saved the place.

Mayor Grant, of New York, has summoned prominent people to a meeting on July 25, to discuss plans for the great exposition of 1892.

THE STATE.

What is Happening Around Us.

As Reflected from the State Press.

Weldon News: Out of ninety-six counties in this State forty-one notify the Agricultural Department that they have the no fence law, forty-eight report not having it, and seven make no report on the subject.

Reidsville Review: New Berne, N. C., had a mail delivery over a hundred years ago, the postmaster advertised that for 50 cents per annum he would cause letters on their arrival to be delivered to the people at their houses, that was in 1749.

Durham Sun: Some of the prisoners in the county jail are very impudent and defiant. Some chisels and files were found in the cells yesterday, whereupon some of the inmates said that the white folks were getting mighty "bigity" to come into their private bed rooms and search them; and that they would have more files in there by Saturday night.

Raleigh News and Observers: In conversation with the Private Secretary of the Governor he said that most of the counties of the State have through their proper officers reported to the Governor vacancies in the offices of justices of the peace in their several townships, and the same have in nearly every instance been promptly filled. Some of the counties have not yet reported. It is desirable that it should be done at once.

Lexington Dispatch: Mr. Obe Sink gave the Dispatch a pointer in regard to wheat sprouting in the shock. He says that wheat properly shocked will not sprout in the most unfavorable weather, except on the north-east side, and that merely turning the cap sheet around to the sun the first clear day will kill the sprout and save the wheat. He never loses a wheat crop on account of exposure to weather, and he does not believe that any one need suffer loss on that account.

Raleigh Call: Postal Clerk Hicks, colored, on the line between Raleigh and Portsmouth, has been removed and another negro named Peace has been appointed to the position. There are some loud whispers to the effect that the Al bemarle and Raleigh Railroad, which now has its terminus at Springhope, in Nash county, will soon be extended to Raleigh. It should be remembered by everybody that the next State Fair will be held for six days—one entire week—instead of four days as heretofore.

Chatham Record: Mr. A. J. Bynum, of this place, made this year 45 bushels of wheat on one and a half acres of land, and Capt. W. L. London made 108 bushels on five acres. All this land a few years ago, was almost too poor to "sprout peas" and had been turned out as almost worthless, but it was seeded in clover, which grew luxuriantly, and last year that was "turned under" and wheat was sown with the above results. We commend this to the consideration of our farmer friends who ought not to allow two merchants to beat them farming.

Wilmington Star: The recent rise of forty feet in the river at Fayetteville is reported as subsiding. The damage by the freshets to crops in the lowlands is said to be irreparable. The melon crop hereabouts does not seem to be superabundant. Prices keep up; good melons were held yesterday at 40 cents apiece. An order has been issued from Headquarters of the N. C. S. G. requiring companies of the Second Regiment to adopt the regulation uniform—blue with white trimmings; the same as worn by the Fourth Regiment at the recent Encampment.

Hookerton Clipper: While the police at Seafleet, was trying to arrest Jack Braxton a negro, Joe Frizzle, another negro came to Braxton's relief. During the scuffle both negroes were cut, the latter seriously so. After they were parted the police went into a store and shut the door. Several negroes attempted to burn the house. One negro, Mose Carr, was arrested for this act and had a hearing before Esquire Carr and was bound over to court. Warrants were issued for Braxton, col., and Joe McLawhorn, the latter was tried and bound over to court. The former left for parts unknown.

Thoughts for Reflection.

Select Maxims for Leisure Hours.

Liberty knows nothing but victories. Soldiers Bunker Hill a

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 31st, 1883.

Ex-Congressman J. W. Reid, formerly of this State has been elected Vice-President of the Constitutional Convention of Idaho Territory.

The rumor is that a special session of Congress will be called as soon as the returns from the elections in the new States are in.

When the Boston slugging camp in fourteen or fifteen thousand dollars on one mill, what does he want to go to Congress for \$5,000 a year—Wilmington Star.

Perhaps he wants to try to have the law against prize-fighting in the United States, repealed, bro. There's many a scheme in these office-seekers that we can't exactly understand.

The Greensboro North State (Rep) wants to know if "public office is a family roost?"

We have received the encampment edition of the Wilmington Messenger. It is a neat sheet, well gotten up and reflects much credit upon its editor.

Congressman Brower of the Greensboro District, is greatly dissatisfied about the manner in which the Federal offices are distributed and threatens to become an independent candidate for Speaker of the next House.

An important Act. We publish below an Act passed by the General Assembly of 1887 and amended by Chapter 187 of laws '89 so as to include the counties of Pitt, Greene, Lenoir, Edgecombe, Nash and Jones.

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to buy, sell, deliver or receive, for a price or for any reward whatever, any cotton in the seed where the quantity is less than what is usually baled, except as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 2. Every such sale and transfer of seed cotton shall be in writing, signed by all the parties thereto in the presence of two credible witnesses, and shall be substantially in the following form, to-wit:

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The Last Air-Ship - A New Music Hall - The Great Exhibition.

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Brewster, Storm, Timpkin, Coil, Ram, Horn, King. Also keep on hand a full line of ready-made HARNESS AND WHIPS.

Special Attention Given to REPAIRING. Thanking the people of this and surrounding counties for past favor to, we hope merit a continuance of the same.

BETHEL ACADEMY FOR BOTH SEXES. THIS INSTITUTION WILL BE RE-OPENED Tuesday, August 27th, 1889.

W. S. RAWLS, Watch-Maker & Jeweler. If you want something nice in the way of Jewellery, Watches, Clocks, Spectacles, SILVERWARE

Cobb Bros., & Gilliam, Cotton Buyers, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NORFOLK, VA.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, &c. We have had several years experience at the business and are prepared to handle Cotton to the advantage of shippers.

All business entrusted to our hands will receive prompt and careful attention. Notice. The health of Mr. D. D. Gardner has compelled him to discontinue the management of the carriage business for me, which has left a nice stock of good material bought cheap for cash, on my hand.

Spring & Summer GOODS. We are now receiving Spring and Summer Goods, and hope that you will not fail to give us a call. We have a specially attractive line of SATINES

at 20 cents per yard, which you will find to be equal to any you will find at 25 cents. A line of CASHMERES (beautiful line) at 25 cents. And many other things that we will offer at special prices

We call special attention to our PLOWS, The "BOSS," "ATLAS," and "GIRL CHAMPION" turn plow, and the "GEM" and "CLIMAX" cotton plows. We will also offer to the trade "WOOL-LARD'S HARROW," which has more merit than anything of the kind ever put on the market.

Yours truly, LITTLE, HOUSE & BRO., Greenville, N. C.

FEED STORE. C. D. ROUNTREE, Dealer in Hay, Corn, Meal, Peas, Oats and Mill Feed.

I pay CASH for my goods and can afford to sell at BOTTOM PRICES. Call on me at the store of J. S. Smith Bro.

R. S. CLARK & CO.,

DEALER IN HARDWARE, BUILDERS' MATERIAL & HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

Are headquarters for all articles needed in the HARDWARE line. Our stock cannot be enumerated, but if you want anything in Hardware, Agricultural Implements, Stoves and Cooking Utensils, Carriage Material and House Builders' Material, Cutlery &c., CALL ON US.

We can save you money on any of these goods. MANUFACTURER'S AGENTS FOR POWDERS which we will sell at Factory Prices.

The Greenville Carriage Works, We are now fitted up in FIRST-CLASS ORDER and are prepared to manufacture upon short notice any kind or style of RIDING VEHICLES.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO ALL REPAIRING. We also keep a nice line of READY-MADE HARNESS. Come and see us. Flanagan's old store. R. GREENE, J.P. Manager.

DURING THE SUMMER I will have weekly arrivals of the very newest and freshest Fruits & Confections.

I keep constantly on hand a splendid assortment of GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS, TOBACCO CIGARS, TOILET SOAPS, &c.

All your wants in the above goods can be supplied by V. L. STEPHENS, BOXES OF CONFECTIONS PUT UP TO ORDER. FINE CIGARS A SPECIALTY.

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To Our Friends and Customers! WE CORDIALLY THANK YOU FOR THE PATRONAGE WHICH YOU have thus far bestowed upon us and beg for a continuance of the same. We offer you to-day a line of goods that cannot be excelled in this market for durability and worth.

We have now in stock a nice line of Ladies Dress Goods, embracing the following: Double and Single Width Cashmeres, Henriettas, English Bereges, Satin Stripe Worsteds, All Wool Albatross, Nun's Veilings, Satines, both plain and fancy, All Wool Challies, Cotton Challies, Mohair Dress Goods, Lawns in endless varieties, Piques, both Lace, Stripe and Plaid, Percales and Gingham, Cheviots and Chambrays, Hamburg Edgings and Insertions, Laces, &c., &c.

A nice lot of White Goods kept constantly Dress Linen and Piece Linens. A line of Piece Goods and Pants Cassimere that will astonish you in quality and price. Notions in endless variety embracing a line too numerous to mention. Hats for Men, Boys and Children. Gent's furnishing Goods, Shirts, Collars, Suspenders, Hosiery and a nice line of Scarfs. Shoes, to fit all who favor us with their patronage. We pay special care to this line and guarantee our Shoes both in quality and price. A large lot of Ladies Slippers from 75 cents up. We especially call the attention of the Ladies to our line of Slippers and think they will not do themselves justice if they buy before examining them.

Hardware, Nails, Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Wood and Willow ware, Harness, Bridles and Whips. Grindstones and Fixtures.

Call and Ax and Rail Road Mills Snuff, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Groceries and Provisions. In this line we carry Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Rice, Lard the very best we can buy. Pepper, spices, Soap, both laundry and toilet, Star Lye and Ball Lye, Matches, Candles, Starb, best grade of Kerosene Oil. Meats of different kinds. Flour which we buy low and sell low for the cash. If you need a barrel of good Flour come to see us, we are rock bottom on it.

We carry Window Sash and Doors of different sizes in stock. Also the largest stock of Furniture of any house in Greenville, embracing Suits, Bedsteads, both double and single, Lounges, Chairs of different kinds, Tables, Cots, Bed Springs and Mattresses, Bureaus, Children's Crabs and Beds and Cradles. What we have not got in this line we have catalogues from several of the best houses in this country and will order anything you wish at moderate prices. Don't forget our celebrated Climax and Stone-wall PLOWS when you want one. We carry Castings for these Plows in stock.

COME TO SEE US when you come to town, we guarantee fair and honorable treatment, and will appreciate your kind and patronage. We can and will sell as low as any one who sells as good goods as we do.

Yours truly, J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Robt. R. Fleming.

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Local Sparks.

"Cause." Frank. Last day of July. August to-morrow. Hot, hotter, hottest. The town looks deserted. Days length about 14 hours. Small crowd in town Saturday. A new suit now in demand—bathing.

Watermelons are becoming plentiful. Read "Pete Carter" on the post masters. Did you ever see so many mosquitoes? Just one month and oysters will be in fashion. We have more than half hour less daylight now.

The colored excursionists from New Bern returned Friday. A party of young men were out serenading last Friday night.

50lbs Rutabaga Seeds—now is the time—at the Old Brick Store. A new lot of beautiful stationery just received, send in your orders.

Fruit Jars Masons P. L. Cheap at the Old Brick Store. See Lang's new advertisement in this issue it will tell you something.

The Cash will be paid for 10,000 lbs. Beeswax at the Old Brick Store. What's the matter with a celebration on the completion of the railroad?

White Dress Goods at cost for cash. J. B. CHERRY & Co. "Coons" were scarce on the streets last week. All gone on the "scension".

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Ladies and Misses. Opera slippers at cost, for cash. J. B. CHERRY & Co. Oh, don't we want to see the editor return. We boys couldn't do without him much longer.

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A good horse for sale for cash on time by J. C. Lawler. Was business ever so dull before? Our people don't get enough to do to give them good exercise.

NOTICE—Miss Bettie Warren's school for girls and small boys will open on Monday September the 2nd. Mr. J. L. W. Nobles showed us a very peculiar Irish potato on Saturday last, it was in the shape of a frog.

86 will buy Point Lace, the best Flour at the Old Brick Store. Work upon the Baptist church is progressing and the building when completed will be a handsome edifice.

ARRIVED—Breakfast Bacon, Reliable Hams, Pickled Beef, at the Old Brick Store. Again we are indebted to Mr. H. F. Keel for the loan of his handsome turnout last week. Many thanks.

Lightening Fruit Jars, best in the world, save fruit without sugar, sold by R. S. Clark & Co. The force now working on the trestle across the river are progressing faster after putting in the steam pile driver.

German and Pearl Millet, Orchard Grass, Timothy and Clover Seed for sale by E. C. Glenn. Thanks to the young ladies for a bouquet of beautiful flowers. We could hardly distinguish which was the prettiest.

The plank road leading to the bridge on the Greenville side has been repaired and driving over it is a pleasure once more. Arrived on 9th—No matter how sick you get, you can eat Bess Biscuit at the Old Brick Store.

A communication from Paetolus will appear in our next. Get them here a little sooner, brethren. Last Monday night the Sun Beam Society of the Baptist church gave a delightful party at the Academy grounds. It was hugely enjoyed by all.

AFTER TO DAY. All our 25c Satines for 20c. All our 15c Satines for 12c. M. R. LANG. A street lamp exploded Friday night in front of the residence of Mr. Wyatt Brown. Also one on the same night in front of Mr. Henry Blow's.

The Sparta Mills have just been thoroughly overhauled. If you want good flour send your wheat there and try it. E. L. MOORE. The Register of Deeds has received the Laws enacted by the Legislature of 1889 and is distributing them among the magistrates and other officers entitled to them.

55 per lb for Lorillard Sweet Scotch Snuff. 50c lb sold in Pitt Co, which is a guarantee of its superiority, at the Old Brick Store. WANTED.—An economical, intelligent, experienced House Keeper to superintend the boarding department of Greenville Institute. Applicants must be well recommended. Apply to Mrs. John Duckett.

Since the return of Mayor James from Wrigglesville there has been considerable humming about the Mayor's office. Few towns can boast of as good a Mayor as Greenville. This town is one of the most quiet and well regulated in the State.

Personal. Mr. Frank Tyson is "taking in" Oeraoke.

Mr. J. B. Yellowley returned from Mississippi last week.

Mr. Thomas Christman has been sick for a few days.

Mr. Will Moore left yesterday morning for Oeraoke.

Glad to see friend Sidney Higgs in town part of last week.

Miss Hortense Forbes left Saturday morning for Oeraoke.

M. C. S. Cherry, Jr., of Bethel, dropped in to see us last Saturday.

We were pleased to have a call from Rev. J. L. Winfield on Monday last.

Mr. Henry Sheppard has returned from his trip among the mountains.

Glad to see friend Zeno Moore able to fill his place at Forbes' store again.

Miss Maida Williams is visiting friends and relatives in and near Farmville.

Misses Bertha and Clara Brown returned last week from a visit in the country.

Mrs. E. S. Greene has been sick but we are glad to learn is much improved.

Dr. W. E. Warren has been sick for several days. Glad to know he is out again.

We are glad to learn that Dr. Frank Brown, who is at Oeraoke, is much better.

The clever and genial Ed. Randolph embarked for Oeraoke yesterday morning.

Miss Lizzie H. Roberts, of Chesertown, Md., is visiting the family of Mr. H. Harding.

We regret to learn of the sickness of Miss Carrie Cobb. We wish her a speedy recovery.

We were pleased to have a call from Mr. C. G. Joyner, of Baltimore one day last week.

Miss Bessie Jarvis was a passenger on the Greenville yesterday morning for Oeraoke.

Mr. Bert Meye left yesterday morning for Oeraoke. Everybody has the Oeraoke fever.

We are glad to know that Mr. Henry W. Brown was able to be in town one day last week.

Miss Susie Brown spent a few days last week in the country visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. O. Brown.

Dr. Geo. S. Lloyd, the specialist, of Tarboro, was in town on Monday attending to the wants of our people.

Mr. Alex. Heilbronner, the clever clerk at Lang's, returned Monday from a visit to his parents in Tarboro.

The pretty and handsome Miss Lillie Peables, of Greenville, is visiting relatives in Wilson.—Wilson Mirror.

Mr. H. Morris, of the firm of H. Morris & Bro., of Tarboro, was in the city last week the guest of Mr. S. M. Schultz.

Mr. B. D. Evans, of Tarboro, father-in-law of Mr. L. H. Pender, is in Greenville for a few days. We were pleased to meet him.

Miss Gertrude Williams returned to the city last Friday after an extended visit to friends and relatives in the country.

Miss Jennie James returned home Friday night from Wilmington, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Fenzell.

Mr. J. C. Lawler has been quite sick for a week or ten days with typhoid fever. We hope soon to hear of his complete recovery.

Mr. Sidney Owen, of Scotland Neck, arrived here yesterday morning to take a position with the popular firm of Higgs & Munford.

The invincible "Gas" Heilbronner left Monday morning to take in Tarboro, Wilson and Old Point. We wish him a very pleasant time and a safe return.

The following arrived from Oeraoke Monday: Mrs. Allie Higgs, Messes Lettie Tyson and Rosalind Kennerly, Rev. G. A. Oglebay, Messes, Robt. Cobb, C. T. Munford, Robt. Moxe, Sam White, Rippon Ward, John Fleming, R. R. Cotton, and "Uncle John" Cherry.

The question of the day—are you going to Oeraoke.

A very large party went down on the steamer Greenville to spend a while at Oeraoke yesterday morning, numbering about thirty-five. We failed to get their names.

Many persons who would not hesitate to pay 50 cents to witness a poor play from a strolling theatrical troupe will not deposit a nickel in a church collection plate for the privilege of hearing the Gospel.

We learn that the Postoffice at Harrah has been discontinued. If our subscribers there desire their address changed on our books they will please notify us where to send their papers.

Rev. J. L. Winfield, of the Christian church, will preach in the Baptist church next Sunday night. Subject: "Our Young Men." A choir from Roundtree's church will conduct the singing.

The parrot of Mrs. V. H. Whichard has done a good deed. Her Devil was shooting off too much lip last week and Polly made him take a reef in it. She bit him through the under lip.

The crops throughout the county are poor. In some sections there will not be more than half crops made. We have seen a few crops that were very good. Mr. W. A. Fleming has the finest tobacco crop we have seen.

How the editor is missed! We can't begin to tell how many people come every day and ask, "Where is the editor?" Sometimes they ask, "Where is Mr. Whitehead?" Whenever they ask that last question, two of us generally answer, "Here he is," but imagine how we feel when we are told that it is Mr. Whitehead they want, not we boys.

Again we are under obligations to Mr. W. R. Whichard for a nice basket of apples.

Mrs. Biddie Fleming, aged 83 years, died at her home near Greenville, on the 29th. She was buried at the family graveyard near her home.

We received two communications this week from persons who failed to give us their names. We cannot publish them unless proper signatures accompany them.

The sound of the saw and hammer is heard throughout the town. The residences of Capt. C. A. White, Me. G. Erul and R. A. Tyson will be beauties and add much to the looks of the town. We learn that several other buildings will be erected soon.

The railroad has not grown old yet. The town people just flock out to see the train. No wonder they don't get tired of going to look at it. Just think of a railroad to Greenville. Why, it is something that has never been known before by our oldest people.

He that whoopeth up his business in the newspapers, shall gather a bountiful harvest of golden shekels. He that readeth the advertisement and heedeth, shall have an abundance of the world's goods for little money. He that chooseth not to subscribe to a paper, shall wonder at the intellect of his neighbor. He that advertises liberally, getteth the cream of the trade.—Fulton (Mo.) Globe.

The editor failed to send us a communication this week. We were greatly disappointed, for we were sure we would get an account of his trip last week, for the readers of the REFLECTOR. We have been hearing from him occasionally and are glad to know he is having a jolly time up there among the mountains with the rest of the big editors of the State. We were greatly pleased to learn that he was made 1st Vice-President of the Association. From the Press Association, in Lenoir, he and his excellent lady went to Blowing Rock and spent a few days. From the trip he ended going to Patterson Springs Monday, but we have heard nothing from him since he left Blowing Rock.

We learn by special telegram that a terrible accident occurred near Washington on Sunday last. Two white girls named Sheppard were fatally burned in attempting to light a fire with kerosene. Another warning to those using the oil for kindling purposes.

Anniversary of the Greenville Guard. We are requested to announce that on Tuesday, August 6th, the 6th Anniversary of the Greenville Guard will be held in the armory. At 5 o'clock in the afternoon, an election of commissioned officers will take place and at night refreshments will be served. The Captain requests all members to be present.

Good Work Will Tell. We clip the following from the Goldsboro Department of the Wilmington Messenger:

The Goldsboro Highlight thus refers to and encourages home industry: "We were shown yesterday by Mr. E. W. Cox, of this city, a flight buggy manufactured by Mr. W. H. Cox at the Greenville Carriage Works, that beats any Western buggy in style and durability."

Greenville Institute. Prof. Geo. T. Farnell, of Wilmington, has accepted a situation in Greenville Institute. He is highly recommended as a fine scholar, a gentleman of excellent Christian character, and a successful teacher of several years experience. He spent two years at Trinity College, and afterwards graduated at the University of Nashville, Tenn. He was Principal of Bayboro Academy last year.

A Runway and Smash-Up. On last Friday evening as our pedestrians were wending their way homeward in anticipation of the sumptuous supper in store for them, they were startled by the cry of "runaway." The animal was standing in perfect quiet, as it is their wont, when all at once he plunged down the street carrying consternation on every side. He ran down Evans street, taking the sidewalk at J. B. Cherry & Co.'s corner, running into a dry goods box, smashing it into kindling wood, turning the corner he came very near colliding with an old woman, who, in her endeavor to get out of his way, dropped her basket of chips and got the handle entangled with her foot and great was the fall thereof. He continued his mad course until he reached the residence of Dr. Zeno Brown when the cart struck a tree, turning it over, tearing the body off, and finally freeing himself from the harness ran up to a fence. The cat went over the fence just as he arrived. Kind reader, you must excuse Billie this time for infringing on your valuable time, you know the editor is away, and locals are mighty scarce. It was only Larry Heilbronner's dog "Nig," hitched to a toy cart, running a cat.

GREENVILLE MARKET. Corrected weekly by S. M. SCHULTZ. Wholesale and Retail Grocer.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Mess Pork, Bulk Sides, Bacon Shoulders, etc.

SUPERIOR COURT. North Carolina. PIA COUNTY. Robert Greens, Jr., and wife Louisa Against J. C. Albritton Guardian, B. F. Patrick Adm'r of N. B. Anderson, and L. H. Wilson, Adm'r of W. L. Anderson.

To J. C. Albritton, Guardian. The Defendant, J. C. Albritton, Guardian, will take notice that he is hereby summoned to appear before His Honor the Judge presiding at September Term of Pitt Superior Court to be held in Greenville on the 3rd Monday in September and answer or demur to the complaint herein filed for settlement as Guardian of the same Plaintiff Louisa Greene, or Judgment will be prayed against you and your sureties on your Guardian bond.

Herein fail not to take due notice. Given under my hand at Greenville, S. C., July 29th 1889. J. A. MOYE, Clerk Superior Court.

General Items. The crops though poor, have improved considerably in the last two weeks, and we are now hopeful of a sufficiency to support the country a year.

Most of our farmers are about through working their crops and are beginning to have a little time to make cider, drink cider sweet, go a fishing, &c.

In a little more than two weeks the hunsman's horn and the voices of the bond will be heard in the land and the weary deer will be panting after the water-brooks.

The Albemarle Lumber Co. has recently been buying timber extensively in Carolina and Bethel Townships.

A mule ran away with a young man named Joseph Wynn of Martin county, last week and turned the cart over. The wheel struck Wynn on the head and killed him.

There is some excitement in Martin Co., over a supposed murder case. The wife of Theo. Connel died strangely a little more than a week ago. She was buried and took the train for parts unknown, suspicion ran so high that on last Tuesday the body was taken up and poison was found in the stomach. The verdict of the inquest is said to be, that she was poisoned by her husband.

The infant child of Mr. John Quinn of Paetolus died last Tuesday.

There is not quite as much sickness in our section as there was a few weeks ago, though the health of the people generally is not very good.

Hurrah for the north side, we have a railroad sure. By the way I wish to state that many of our people have been disappointed, (agreeably so) in the news who came among us to build this road. At first many of us were disposed to look on them suspiciously, saying they were here for the money they expected to make and not for the good of the people.

But by their honesty and fair dealing, they have won, not only the confidence, but the respect and esteem also of our people generally. They are a clever, gentlemanly set of men, and made friends where ever they go. BERT. July 29th 1889.

An attempt was made to assassinate Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil.

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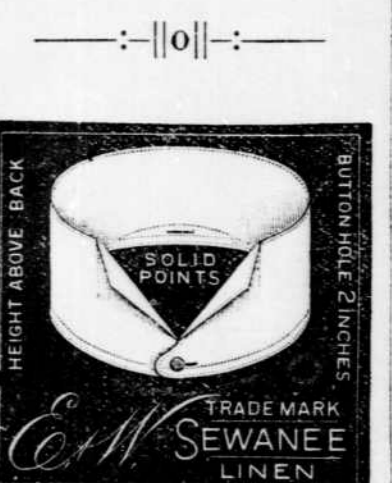
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Atlantic & N. C. Railroad

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