

THE GREAT JULY Clearance Sale

KEEPING ABREAST OF THE SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.

The time for Clearance Sales has moved up a month or more. Formerly September, then August, now July. The factory agents are even out selling fall goods before the selling of Summer Stuff began, even now solicitations are made for next spring's delivery. The wheels of commerce are spinning. To keep pace with this progressive age, Clearance Sales, swift and fast, is now the order. Nothing summerish is to be carried over. So profitless is this sale to us that no goods can be charged or sent out to see at July Clearance Sale prices. We have planned to sell all Summer Goods, have taken into due consideration the great loss of profit at such reduction as we are making means. We take the loss cheerfully, wisely, believing it to be the best kind of business sense to clean up all summer goods at a sacrifice, and do it while the wearing season is at its height.

All the 8c and 10c Lawns have been reduced to 5c and 6c yard.

12c and 15c Lawns are to sell for 10c yard.

The 20c and 25c Lawns are to sell at 15c and 18c yard.

Big reductions in the Wool Dress Goods.

Big lot of Ribbons to close at greatly reduced prices.

Great reduction in Corsets.

All the Millinery Goods to be closed at half price.

White India Linens, worth 8c to close at 5c yard.

Val. Laces and Insertions worth 5c to 8c to close at 1c yd.

Fine China Silk worth 50c yd to sell for 39c yard.

36-in Taffets, guaranteed in all colors, worth \$1.25 yard, to sell at 89c yard.

Best Bleaching at 7c yard.

Best Gingham 6c yard.

Ladies White Belts, worth 25c to sell for 5c.

Ladies and children's Hana, worth 10c and 15c, to sell for 4c.

Ladies Ready-to-wear Hat worth \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, to sell for 25c piece.

All the Hosiery to sell at greatly reduced prices.

Ladies White Duck Sailors, with feathers, worth 75c, to sell for 48c.

Ladies Lace Collars that even sold at 25c and 50c to sell for 5c.

A big lot of R. & G. C-B and W. B. Corsets, that are worth 1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 to sell for 50c. This is your Corset chance.

B & A Embroidery Silks, also the Filo, worth 5c the skein, to sell for 1c.

Ziegler Bros. Slippers for ladies, misses and children reduced a third.

The "American Girl", a Shoe as good as its name, worth 2.00 and 2.50, to close at 1.75 and 2.00.

We also carry the Irving Uno Shoes and Slippers for ladies and misses. None better made:

The 2.00 Slippers for 1.75
" 2.50 " " 2.00
" 3.00 " " 2.50
" 3.50 " " 3.00

A big lot of Silk Umbrellas for men and women, 29 and 28-inch worth 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, to close at 69c. This is a great Umbrella chance. Ask to see them.

The All America Slippers in Tan, Pat. Leather and Gun Metal, the famous Shoe for men and boys, and the best Shoe on earth, to close at 4.00, worth 5.00 and 5.50. Just a few sizes left or you would not hear of this price for the Hanan Slippers.

Mens Neglige Shirts that were 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, to close at 98c. All the new patterns just received.

Mens Panama Hats that are worth 7.50 to close at 4.50. We can fit you if you come early.

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Young's Hats in the Sailor shape, the newest things and best quality. The 2.50 Youngs to sell at 1.50. Other makes that were 1.25, 1.50 to close at 1.00.

Mens 5.00 and 9.00 suits have been reduced to 4.50. You should see the suits to really know the real value.

Mens 5.00 and H. Suspenders worth 2c to sell for 10c pair.

A big lot of Trunks and suitcases to sell at greatly reduced prices. This has always been a great "Trunk Store" and has grown greatly in recent months.

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The "FFF FFF" Serge has been reduced from 15.00 and 18.00 to 12.00 Suit. This is your Serge Chance.

The two piece suits in serges and in Flanniss the much worn suits these days have been reduced from 9.00, 10.00, 12.00 to the low price of 7.50. This is a great suit chance.

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THE FELLOWSHIP OF DOGS.

Always Hope For a Man Who Is Fond of an Ordinary Dog

I have seen a few wretches in my day, but I never saw one so utterly lost to decency that he could not be flattered by the friendly attentions of a strange dog. There is a great lesson in that. No matter how superior we try to seem to ourselves and others, a small voice within us will not let us wholly forget what humbugs we are. In the presence of our kind we are brazen. The calm gaze of a child sometimes shakes our self confidence. The knowing look of a dog shatters it. There is something in brute psychology that perplexes the intellect of man and disorganizes his intuition. Man is so made that what he cannot understand exercises greater influence over him than that which he can. In the presence of many phenomena he reveals himself openly, and quite unconsciously. He is then no longer master of the fortifications of his soul. He drops his mask—his grotesque outer garb—his brazen shield falls to the ground, and he either cowardly retreats or succumbs without resistance.

There is some hope for the man who is capable of feeling ashamed in the presence of an honorable dog. That man has avenues open to him for advancement. His soul is still fit for expansion. His brain is something more than a dried nut. His heart has not turned entirely into a thing of rubber and valves. When a strange dog greets him he thinks better of himself. Unconsciously he reasons: "Villain that I am, I am not so bad after all as I might be. You can't fool a dog, and a dog is no hypocrite. Therefore I have good in me which he recognizes." The fellow is a little surprised at himself and not a little flattered. If a noble dog shows him marked favor he becomes "stuck up" almost immediately. If several dogs should display great preference and affection for his person he would soon become unendurable to society—quite too vain for association with men. Contrariwise, should dogs bark at him generally or perchance should one bite him he would not feel himself good enough to associate with snakes, but would forthwith get himself locked up as a victim of hysterical rabies, and if he had any pathetic kinfolk at large they would at once insist upon having the dog put to death.

For my own part I have learned a great deal from dogs. If I am natural, they set me the example in early childhood. If I am faithful to a friend through his disgrace and disaster I cannot deny that a dog revealed this nobility of character to me for the first time in my life. If I have gratitude, I saw it first in a dog. If I have enterprise, he did not neglect my early lessons. If I have initiative, so had my first dog friend. If I am affectionate, so was he. If I am patient in adversity and without arrogance in influence I could not have acquired this poise of mind better from men than from dogs. If I am watchful over weakness entrusted to my care, if I am forgetful of self in guarding my beloved, if I have the courage of my convictions, if I have any heroic instincts I could have had no better teacher than a dog. Indeed the love of dogs, their association and example have filled my life with joy.—Culturist Magazine.

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OUR AYDEN DEPARTMENT.

M. BLOW, Manager and Authorized Agent.

As authorized agent for DAILY and EASTERN REFLECTOR we take that pleasure in receiving subscriptions and writing receipts for those in arrears. We have a list of all who receive their mail at this office. We also take orders for job printing.

Miss Lucy Turnage, who is at the sanitarium in Wilson, is, we are pleased to learn, very much improved.

For can peaches, apples, corn tomatoes, etc, apply to E. E. Dail & Co.

Miss Stella Joyner, of Grifton, is visiting Mrs. Mattie Johnson.

When your eyes need attention J. W. Taylor, expert optician, Ayden, N. C. is the man to do your work if you want to be pleased.

Mrs. M. M. Sauls and Miss Burren Sauls returned Wednesday evening from a three weeks visit to Richmond, and now the doctor says he is himself again.

MERCHANTS BROKER.—I carry a full line of meat, lard and can goods. Don't buy before giving me a trial. Frank Lilly & Co.

Elmer Gardner is home from Baltimore for a short visit to his mother.

A full line of trunks, valises, telescopes, grips, satchels, hand bags, and suitcases at J. B. Smith & Bro.

N. S. Juford, of Washington, spent last night here.

I always keep on hand a full line of food stuff at lowest cash prices. Such as hay, oats, corn, cotton seed meal and hulls, brand and ship stuff. Frank Lilly & Co.

Heber Stokes and wife, of Hokeston, were here yesterday shopping.

You will and Wheeler and Wilcox and Singer sewing machine. Prices way way down at J. H. Tripp & Son, next to Early Hotel, Ayden, N. C.

Watt Parker, of Beaver Dam, was in Ayden Wednesday.

NOVEL DAMAGE SUIT

Bedsolo Who Shot Alexson on Stedman Excursion Sues Atlantic Coast Line.

A suit for damages against the Atlantic Coast Line, perhaps new in civil procedure to this State, has just been instituted in Cumberland County Superior Court. The filing of the suit is thus told in yesterday afternoon's issue of the Fayetteville Observer.

Messrs. Robinson & Shaw, a well known law firm of this city, and Mr. W. Bolton, a leading young member of the bar, today instituted suit against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, operating the branch Atlantic and Yadkin Railroad, between Sanford and Wilmington, the papers returnable at the August term of the Cumberland Superior Court, their client being Bedsolo, who killed Alexson on an excursion between Stedman and Wilmington on the night of Saturday, 7th inst., or the early morning of Sunday 8th inst.

The damages are not, so far, specifically stated, but it is understood that a large amount will be asked for.

"The complaint of the plaintiff Bedsolo is set forth as follows: That when the excursion train started from Stedman Alexson declared his intention of killing plaintiff, swearing that he should never get back to Stedman; that he was drunk and disorderly, and showed himself to be heavily armed; that on the excursion train, the plaintiff, so far from provoking trouble with the deceased Alexson, brought a reserve seat in a locked car; that the managers of the excursion train left said train in charge of the conductors who, on starting to unlock the car in which Bedsolo was seated, was warned by passengers not to do so, as Alexson would harm or kill Bedsolo; that bluffing; that he did not lock door of car; that Alexson entered with two revolvers in his hands, whereupon plaintiff, in defense of his own life, took that of Alexson.

"The plaintiff states that, in consequence of the disorder, confusion and bad management on said train; and on account above all of the cloud resting upon him that, in consequence of said bad management, he was forced to commit a homicide, he has been seriously and grievously injured."

For a nice present buy a novelty clock at J. W. Taylor's. It is appropriate for any occasion.

Corn, Oats, Hay & Limes always on hand at J. R. Smith & Bro.

In order to reduce our large stock preparatory to moving we will make prospective buyers extremely low prices. J. R. Smith & Bro.

Nice new repacked: North Carolina Out Herrings at J. R. Smith & Bro.

For RENT—Two large nice new single story brick stores located on East Avenue in the Town of Ayden can give tenant possession August 15th.

V. Crimps and paper roofing, Pumps with long or short joints and pipe at J. R. Smith & Bro.

The summer clearing sales at the stores gives opportunity to the bargain hunters.

Your Eyes. If you are troubled with your eyes or have a difficulty in obtaining suitable glasses, it matters not how difficult your case, call on J. W. Taylor, an expert optician, Ayden, N. C., who has five years experience with some of the most obstinate cases. He never fails to give patients satisfaction or their money refunded. Over five hundred of Pitt Greene and Lenoir counties' best people to testify to his honesty and ability. Give him your eye work if you want satisfaction.

STRAYTAKEN UP. I have taken up one black bar shot, weight about 60 pounds, no ear marks. Owner can get same by paying charges. Mathone Tucker, R. F. D. No. 2, Greenville, N. C. d. w. t.

HOOKS & BOYD.

General Insurance and Merchandise Brokers.

We wish to announce that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of conducting a general insurance and Merchandise Brokerage business in the Town of Ayden and Vicinity. We will represent none but the most reputable concerns, and any part of your business you may see fit to favor us with we will thank you for and feel very grateful.

MEAT AND LARD

Phone 23. - - CARRIED IN STOCK AT ALL TIMES.

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF AYDEN

At the close of business June 18th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts, \$39,089.50	Capital stock paid in, \$15,500.00
Overdrafts Secured, 208.64	Surplus fund, 2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures, 610.59	Undivided profits less expenses, 648.59
Due from Banks, 10,952.87	Dividends unpaid, 222.00
Cash Items, 11.15	Deposits subject to check, 37,342.36
Gold Coin, 135.00	Cashier's ch'ks outstanding, 630.72
Silver Coin, 907.32	
National Bank notes and other U. S. notes, 3,129.00	
Total, \$55,043.67	Total, \$55,043.67

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF PITT, SS:

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22nd day of June 1906. STANCLIFF HODGES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: J. E. SMITH, JOSEPH DIXON, R. C. CANNON, Directors

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

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 18th, 1906

RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
Loans & Discounts \$27,688.34	Capital stock pd in \$10,000.00
Furniture & Fixtr's 1,630.50	Undivided profits 1,886.54
Due from Banks 18,885.63	

THE EASTERN REFLECTOR

SEMI-WEEKLY—TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

J. J. WHICHARD, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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Truth in Preference to Fiction

GREENVILLE NORTH CAROLINA TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1906

When Wellman finds the North pole we hope he will not keep it to himself but let the rest of us know it.

The Wake county primary will soon be over and people who read the Raleigh papers will feel relieved at the end.

First thing N. Glenn Williams knows he will draw his cane on a man who is loaded, and a funeral procession might result.

Instead of waiting to die officially the Republican postmaster whom the Greensboro waitress whacked on the head with a soup plate has died sure enough.

Some of the papers have published Capt. Dreyfus' picture, but nobody knows whether it looks like him or not. Any other photo would have answered the same purpose.

The way the Adams and Blackburn sides are making up is amusing. They are now slobbering over each other almost as eagerly as they were recently denouncing each other.

Ten dollars a "foot" is the size of fines Greensboro is entering up against the Southern railway for blowing locomotive whistles in town. It is not yet stated if the fines are being paid.

Norfolk negroes may think they are working a spite by getting up a "bus" line to convey their race around the city rather than ride on "Jim Crow" street cars. But their absence from the cars will be very satisfactory to white people.

Darham husbands who fail to support their wives as having to go into court and tell how come. One of them was relieved of \$1,700 and his wife too. The non support law might be applied with good effect in some other quarters of the State.

Cast your eye over the territory of which Greenville controls the trade and you will be convinced that something ought to be done to increase the population of that territory and thereby make more buyers. Nothing will do this faster than factories.

Men may talk a lifetime, as individuals, of what ought to be done to increase the growth and trade of the town, yet never accomplish more than they can do single handed. On the contrary a good chamber of commerce or board of trade to bring these individual ideas together and go after things collectively would accomplish something. Factories and enterprises to increase the army of wage earners are not going to be forced on us. Such things come by effort, and the greater the effort the larger the reward. There are enough things needed here to keep a chamber of commerce bustling a long time.

For pleasure and comfort in visiting get one of the new lucky numbers Parker fountain pens at the Reflector Book Store.

Bedside may get damages out of the railroad. It depends on the kind of jury the case goes before.

As the county convention draws nearer the candidates get more shaky and active.

When lightning goes to striking in base ball games the players had better look out.

The neighboring towns that are having lot auction sales might give the impetus to Greenville. Such sales advertise a town and start buildings a going.

You Greenville business folks why don't you wake up and organize a chamber of commerce, and all get to working together to make more business for the town?

In the Wake county primary held Saturday John C. Drewery won the nomination for State Senator. It will be like eating crow for the News and Observer to support him.

The Ohio sheriff who holds a warrant for John D. Rockefeller, says it will be served immediately on that gentleman's return to this country. But when he is going to return is another question.

Two 16-year old white boys at Monroe were convicted of burglary in the second degree and sentenced three years each on the roads. That is starting them in early. A reformatory would be better for that kind.

The Boston freak who made a nail keg of his stomach wished he hadn't before the doctors got through cutting him open to remove them.

An Asheville negro is in jail for trying to kill himself with a pistol and falling in the job. If he is so anxious to shake the city better let him go out and try again.

The announcement published elsewhere in this paper over the signature of the three principal officers of Greenville Masonic Lodge is commendable and timely. It is well known to the public that certain members of this lodge are under indictment charged with a grave crime, and certain persons who knew no better have circulated the silly rumor that because these men are Masons they will be defended and shielded by other Masons. Well informed persons know that this is contrary to the teachings of Masonry, as one of the great principles of the order is obedience to law. As to the matter in question every true Mason stands ready to aid the law in bringing any guilty parties to justice, and the announcement above referred to shows the position of the lodge and that it will not countenance perjury on the part of any member to shield one who is guilty.

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It will not be many more days before R. Greene's new plant will be in operation.

Another Pitt Boy.
The Mr. Olive Supply Co., with an authorized capital of \$100,000, and a paid in capital of \$25,000, has been organized in Mt. Olive and chartered by the State. The incorporators are X. T. K. El, R. A. Jordan, R. J. O'Reary and L. C. McCullen. The new company will do a general wholesale and retail supply business. Mr. Kael is another of those substantial Pitt county boys who is making his mark in the business world.

WORTH MORE THAN IT COSTS.

A local newspaper is absolutely necessary to any community. It is the home paper that keeps the people of the community in touch with each other by giving them all the news of their own neighborhood and county. For that alone they are of value and worth far more than the small subscription price. They keep the local pride and progressive spirit aroused and in various ways are worth far more to a community than a community ever spends on them.—Clinton Democrat.

Under the Elkins law a railroad can be punished for charging less than its published rates and the shipper for paying less, as much as for giving rebates. This was technically proven in the conviction of the three packing companies and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad cases at Kansas City. Of course the crime committed was in discriminating in favor of favored shippers against the general public.

A BIG CUT ON ALL GOODS

TO MAKE ROOM FOR FALL GOODS.

we will begin Monday July 23rd, selling our Ladies Oxford, figured lawns, laces and embroideries at cost.

The price on all Dry Goods and Notions will be marked down low.

3.00 Regalia Shoes at	2.50	10c figured Lawn at	8cts
2.50 Regalia Shoes at	3.05	12 1-2 cent Percale at	80c
15c figured Lawn at	11cts	A. F. C. Gingham at	8cts

Jas F Davenport,

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TARIFF ON TIMBER.

The wanton destruction of timber in this country in the past, is now being exemplified by the importation of 1,500,000 railroad ties from Japan. The price to be paid on this contract is 56 cents each, including the tariff tax of 1 cent a cubic foot, or 8 to 15 cents on each railroad tie. The price asked for American grown ties on the Pacific coast is said to be 70 cents each, so the tariff tax will have to be increased at least 15 cents more per tie to protect our lumbermen from the paper labor of Japan. Here is some thing for the protectionists to act upon instead of superiorly standing pat and letting the paper foreigner undersell the American product. Then too, if the tariff duty on timber was increased it would hasten the denudation of our forests, which the protection system evidently desires, by placing obstacles on the importation of foreign lumber. It is hardly necessary to say that the more costly ties and rails can be made, the higher our freight rates are bound to be.

Paper From Cotton Stalks.
The extraction of oil from cotton seed added greatly to the farm earnings and wealth of the South. It now looks as if cotton is to make another equally as profitable contribution in the shape of paper from cotton stalks, at present comparatively a worthless production. On a small scale this has been done, but at Montgomery, Alabama, it is to be tried on a large one. A corporation has been formed with \$200,000 capital to fully test the matter.

LONG, SHORT, THICK OR THIN

WE FIT ANY FORM.

We can fit you with a suit. As a general thing, a very thin man or a very fat man pays the penalty of his size when buying clothes.

He'll Not Do It Here.

We can fit any man with a suit and fit him correctly be he ever so "irregular."

We'll charge him no more than if he were a regular shape. Now, sir, if you have been troubled in getting clothes to fit you correctly we ask you to

COME HERE AND SEE WHAT WE CAN DO FOR YOU.

We have suits made for the extra large man—the tall slim man—the short, stout man and a suit for you, Sir whatever your shape may be.

Frank Wilson,
THE KING CLOTHIER.

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THE HOME OF WOMAN'S FASHIONS.

We will inaugurate Our Spring Season by putting on display the newest ideas to be shown in

SILKS & WHITE GOODS

We have no trash or Special Sale stuff but we will have the latest and best things that were obtainable in the American markets and we cordially invite the Ladies that are desirous of seeing the NEWEST CREATIONS IN SILKS AND WHITE GOODS to call at our establishment and feast their eyes. Very truly yours,

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NEAT JOB PRINTING
Our specialty

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Ask your friends to go on your Bond when you can get it furnished at a small cost. We can sign Judicial Bonds for Guardians, Administrators etc., in FIVE MINUTES after you apply. Any Bond to be filed in the Court issued at once—

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WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

This department is in charge of F. C. NYE, who is authorized to represent the Eastern Reflector in Winterville and territory

Great fortunes are not usually made in a day. It is only by careful and constant saving that they are accumulated. To save your money deposit it in the Savings Department of the Bank of Winterville.

Miss Mimie Cox, who had been visiting at the home of G. E. Jackson, her uncle, returned home Wednesday evening.

Nicest line of dress shirts ever shown in Winterville at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Misses Eva Langston and Myrtle McElhannon went to Grifton Thursday morning on a visit to relatives and friends.

Nice buggy robes at Harrington Barber & Co.

The force of hands at work on the streets are putting the ditches and sidewalks in good shape.

Another large shipment of shoes all styles and sizes and prices very reasonable. Harrington, Barber & Co.

The recent heavy rains have caused many people to put down deep pumps. Good water is not only essential to health but one of the greatest luxuries that a home can possess.

If you want a nice shirt or tie go to Harrington, Barber & Co.

Mrs. Susan Jackson, mother of Mrs. A. G. Cox, spent several days visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lottie Jackson, in the country. Mrs. W. J. Wyatt, of Morehead, is visiting relatives and friends in the town and country.

No need of not having good pants when Harrington, Barber & Co., have just received a new lot, that they will sell cheap.

Miss May Brooks, who had been visiting in the Benston section passed through on her way home the first of the week.

For fruit jars and rubbers go to Harrington, Barber & Co.

Rev. C. G. Wells, pastor of the Missionary Baptist church in Kinston, will fill Rev. T. H. King's appointment Sunday morning and evening. All are cordially invited.

Straws tell which way the wind blows, just notice the stream of customers going in and out from Harrington, Barber & Co's.

The stockholders of the Pitt County Oil Co., held their annual meeting Friday July 20. The following officers were elected for the coming year. Chas. McLawhery, pres.; L. L. Kittrell, vice pres.; B. Little, Sec. and Treas.; Directors: Josephus Cox, E. E. Day, G. H. Langston, A. G. Cox, J. J. May, R. L. Cox and R. J. Fritzel. The mill will begin operation about September 1st, and will be in position to fill all orders.

All colors of paint, and yellow ochre at Harrington Barber & Co. Mrs. Louisa Cox left this morning for Greenville, where she will spend some time with relatives and friends.

Tooth and Disk Harrow at Harrington, Barber & Co.

A rather peculiar thing happened at the home of Mr. Jno. H. Smith a few days ago. He had been missing his small chickens for some time but could not discover the cause. He found an old hen with her foot hung under a plank in the yard. He lifted the plank and the hen ran off. He lowered it without noticing anything. Next day he happened to remove the plank and a large turtle in the mud underneath the plank. He could then easily account for the disappearance of his chickens. He quickly dispatched his turtleship.

One lot of flour just received nice and fresh, at lowest price. Harrington, Barber & Co.

Ernest Manning and Frank Edmundson went to Greenville today. Mr. Manning has accepted a position with Wiley Brown. Mr. Edmundson regrets to see Mr. Manning go but wishes him every success.

A nice lot of new summer Bugby Robes at Harrington, Barber & Co.

F. C. Dunn, of Kinston, was in town awhile Friday morning on business.

Big line of hats and caps just received, latest styles. Harrington Barber & Co.

For hay, corn and oats go to Harrington, Barber & Co.

It is hard for some people to see the value in advertising their business. Some of the merchants here who are advertising in this department tell us that people come and tell them that they saw the articles advertised in The Reflector and in this way the people know who has the article desired let the people know what you have for sale.

Farming implements of all kinds at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Nice line of fresh groceries always on hand Harrington Barber & Co.

A car load of lime just received at Harrington, Barber & Co.

Harrington Barbers and Co is the place to get your Spring and Summer goods. They have just what you want, and prices to suit all.

CUT PRICES

Longfellow's poems, regular price 75c, our price 45c. Tennyson's poems, regular price 50c, our price 30c.

Whittier's and Byron's poems, regular price 65c, our price 50c. Josephus complete works, regular price 1.00.

In His Steps, regular price 50c, our price 25c. Pilgrims progress 75c, our price 45c.

New Testaments, regular price 75c, our price 45c. Bill Nye's Remarks, regular price 1.00, our price 50c.

In addition to the above named books we offer others at greatly reduced prices for the next 30 days. Call and examine them before the expiration of that time.

Yours to Serve,
B. T. COX, & BRO.

Miss Venia Crawford went to Ayden Friday to spend several days visiting relatives.

J. B. Little went to Greenville today.

Henry Nelson went to Pictouas Friday morning.

A large lot of trunks, suit cases, and telescopes of all sizes and grades has just arrived at the large store of A. W. Ange and Co. Those wishing to visit during the summer will need a good traveling trunk. See them for bargains.

We have just received one car of fancy house hold furnishings, which makes our line so complete, it would be difficult for a customer to guess something we haven't got in furniture. Eastern Carolina Supply Co.

For Victor talking machines and music racks see Eastern Carolina Supply Co.

The A. G. Cox Man, Co are making preparation to make quite a lot of their splendid school desk. They have only been in this business one year, yet their desk is establishing quite a reputation. Their first order for this season comes from New Bern.

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50 Good Corsets, all sizes, different lengths now 9c.

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50 Doz. Ladies HOSE.
8 1-2 to 9 1-2, 12 1-2 value going at 9 cents will be on display Saturday. Come and be convinced.

Keep Your Eye on The March of Progress.

Faces will not come if you lack arms with a has been Life of business is buying the best for the money. Do not buy until you see Munford's complete line of Men's youths and boys Clothing. They fit and have style, comfort and durability.

Best granulated Sugar 4c. Ladies Summer Vests 4c. Good Apron gingham 4c.

Great Reduction in MILLINERY

Keep Cool. SHOES.

60 Ladies Fans 10c quality 5c

Hurry
Check Men's 10c value 6c. 16 and 25c India Linen in one 12yds pieces while they last 10c. 12 1-2 and 15 cent Cambrie 10 cents, 40 inch Dimity now 9 cents, 36 inch India Linen, only a few days 7 1-2 cent.

Shoe to fit all classes and ages. Prices to suit the man or women who know the worth of a hard earned dollar. A look will convince you and to try a pair will prove there is none better. Men's 2.50 vic Kid Oxfords going at 1.69. Men's 3.00 all Patent leather Oxfords 1.99. Men's 3.50 Patent leather Button Oxfords 2.49. Boy's 2.50 Patent leather Oxfords \$.97.

Silks.
Only yard sale. 25c black only 8c. China Silk, new 30c remnants 25c.

Ladies Handkerchiefs.
Ladies Handkerchiefs hemstitched white only last 3c. Dress Gingham, Best gingham now 3 1-2 cents. 10 cent quality now 7 cents.

Clothing!-clothing!

Mens 7 1-2 Foot full spring style for 3.49

Mens 10 1-2 Foot, full spring style for 6.98

Mens 12 1-2 suit full spring style for 7.98

Mens 14 1-2 Grey [and] Blue serge suit 9.78

Mens 16 1-2 suit full summer style 10.98

Mens 17 1-2 suit full summer style 12.00

Come while our sizes are good.

Boys two piece suits 8 to 17 98 cents

Boys Double Breasted two piece plaid suit 1.49

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Youth Double Breasted Mixed Worsted suit 2.29

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stimulate the TORPID LIVER, strengthen the digestive organs, regulate the bowels, and are unequalled as an ANTI-BILIOUS MEDICINE.

In malarial districts their virtues are widely recognized, as they possess peculiar properties in freeing the system from that poison. Efficacy is so certain.

Take No Substitute.

HAUGHTY CHINA.
Once Called England an "Obscure Corner in the Wilderness."

In the message sent by the emperor of China to King George III. there appears this passage:
"The stores of goods at the Celestial court are plentifully abundant. There is nothing but what is possessed, so that there is really no need for the produce of outer barbarians in order to balance supply and demand. However, as the tea, silk and porcelain produced by the Celestial court are indispensable objects to the different states of Europe and to thy kingdom, for this reason we have in our grace and condescension established the foreign ports in order that the Celestial goods may be duly supplied and every one share in our superlative riches. But now thine envoys have made considerable demands for and above what is provided by fixed precedent, in such wise as to run seriously counter to the principle of recognizing the bounty of the Celestial court to distant men and its nurturing care of the different barbarians. Moreover, the Celestial court exercises a controlling supervision over all countries and is benevolent to each in an equal degree. For instance, those trading in Canton province do not come from the kingdom of England alone. If they were all to come clamoring in the same way and wantonly to poster us with requests impossible to concede in this style, it is to be supposed that we could always go out of our way to grant

To Publishers and Printers

We have an entirely new process, on which patents are pending, whereby we can reface old Brass Column and Head Rules, 4 pt. and thicker, and make them fully as good as new and without any unsightly knobs or feet on the bottom.

PRICES

Refacing Column and Head Rules regular lengths 30c. each

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A sample of refaced Rule, we'll put particulars, will be cheerfully sent on application.

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How often you can get a thing "not quite" done—a nail or screw driver or auger lacking. Have a good tool box and be prepared for any emergency. Our line of tools is all you could desire, and we will see that your tool chest does not lack a single useful article.

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Science has proven that the moon has some form of life, but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth. Dr. J. L. Wooten, Electric Blitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills, and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Bileless Torpid Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weakness. Unequaled as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by J. L. Wooten-Druggist. Price only 50c.

The Barber's Trick

How many of you can tell why a barber has a red and white striped pole as a sign? In the olden time barbers were also surgeons in a small way, particularly in the operation of bleeding. To assist the operation it was necessary for the patient to grasp a staff, and the barber always kept one ready, as well as strips of cloth for bandaging the patient's arm. When the staff was not in use the bandage was tied to it so that they might be together when wanted, and the barber usually hung them at his door as a sign. In the course of time, however, as painted poles took the place at the door of the one used in the operation, and thus came the sign.

NOTICE

Having made arrangements to manufacture the Nelson Reviser's Improved Truck and also to sell same, I will be pleased to accommodate anyone in need of same. Apply to J. A. Griffin, Ayden, N. C.

READ AND YOU WILL LEARN

That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of medicine endorse and recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "river complaint," torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowels, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their results, as bronchitis, throat and lung diseases (except consumption) accompanied with severe cough. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherry bark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Madder root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Bartholin of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Harb. of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Pinley Ellingwood, M. D., of Boston Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Beardsley, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago; and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for like purposes, that has any such professional endorsement—worth more than any number of ordinary testimonials. Open publication of the formula on the bottle wrapper is the best possible guaranty of the merit. A full and complete list of formulae will show that "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no poisonous or harmful agents and is entirely chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead of the entirely unobjectionable and besides is a most useful ingredient in the cure of all stomach as well as bronchial, throat and lung affections. There is the highest medical authority for its use in such cases. The "Discovery" is a concentrated glyceric extract of native, medicinal roots and is safe and reliable.

A booklet of extracts from eminent, medical authorities, endorsing its merits, is mailed free on request. Address Dr. E. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

TOO MUCH LEARNING.

Books of Reference Which Are Sources

"I do wish," said Faber, "that the people who make the books of reference would have some regard for the plain people. You take up the most advanced and 'up to date' book of reference and try to find anything. Why, you wander about in a maze of references until you finally run down the prey in some obscure corner under a caption which could only have occurred to a pedantic prig.

The other day I wanted to find out something about the great Duke of Marlborough. I took from my library the best book of reference I know and turned, of course, to "M." I found lots of things under "M." and among them "Marlborough, dukes of—see 'Spencer-Charvillat'." There was only one Duke of Marlborough talking about, and it happened to be plain Jack "Charvillat"—I knew that. The other Duke of Marlborough were names, and nobody cares what their names were.

The man who got up that book of reference, as well as you do it, I don't know, but I would like to know why he wanted to do it. He put the Duke of Marlborough in the only one worth looking up, and turned to "M." Why did he put the biography of the great Duke of Marlborough in "M."? It will tell you. It will tell you that the Duke's family name was "Spencer-Charvillat" and that he had the pig here I'd like to know.

I turned to "Spencer-Charvillat" and found the same sort of thing. I found, "See Wellington's Campaigns, where Charles the Duke of Marlborough and Marlborough were the same." Smith or Jones?

"I had the best on one thing, however. I turned to "X" to see what cross reference he could rig up on Xenophon. The name of the first war correspondent was under "X." I know what Xenophon's family name was, but evidently he does not—and I won't tell him. If I did he'd get off a new edition of his "Anabasis" just to put in that cross reference."—New York Press.

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

The Renovation of Blinds That Have Become Shabby.

When a walking skirt commences to look shabby or, indeed, any skirt, for that matter, hang it out of doors, first of all, to air thoroughly, then carefully remove every stain and cut off the worn binding around the bottom edge. If the waistband is pulled out from much pinning or the skirt is commencing to "pull up" because the band is a little tight remove that, too, very carefully. Now hang out of doors until the sponging (to remove stains) has dried, when the skirt may be given a new binding around the bottom, a new waistband, letting out a little of the fullness from the plaits at the back and replacing all hooks and eyes that are necessary. Give the skirt a thorough pressing, using a warm, not a hot, flatiron and taking plenty of time. Press on the wrong side or by a damp cloth on the right side and iron till it dries. Hang up for twenty-four hours before wearing, as any wrinkles that are made in it before it is thoroughly dry are apt to remain in it. A skirt so pressed and ironed is equal to a new one.

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Laconic Men.

Von Molke, Germany's great soldier, was most laconic. His ink-blotter knew almost to a word in what language the toasts allotted to him would be proposed. The health of his royal master would be submitted in four words or twice as many, because, as he reasoned, his hearers knew as much about the sovereign as he did. There was one let over a toast which he was to propose. The man who made it charged his task in eight words, at the outside, time. He lost. The old soldier asked out a word "gentlemen" at the end of his sentence, and that made ten.

Lord Dathion was another laconic man. His note to his secretary sent one midnight out in India, served for example, "If you are up and have your breakfast on, come here; if not, come without them."

Tartar on the Teeth.

The remedy for tartar on the teeth will be of benefit in clearing the color. Get five cents' worth of powdered pumice stone, an orange stick and lemon. Sharpen the stick to a flat point, cut the lemon in half and dip the stick into the lemon juice and then into the powdered pumice. Rub over the green spots until they are removed and be careful to rub between the teeth also. Rinse thoroughly with warm water. You should use this only when necessary, not oftener than once in two weeks, as the pumice if used often destroys the enamel.

Cleaning Carafes.

Rice is invaluable for cleaning carafes and oil and vinegar cruets. For a water or wine carafe use at least two tablespoonfuls of rice and several lumps of soda. For the oil cruet use warm water and a little washing soda to remove the oil. Then put in a tablespoonful of rice with warm soap water, shake vigorously and rinse in clear water. Do not use the soda in vinegar cruets. It will gradually fade away of the north, their disappearance being accompanied by shocks which were felt by all, but which did no particular damage.

An Extraordinary Light.

What is held to have been an anomaly of such extraordinary brilliancy as to obscure the sunlight is thus described in an old number of the Gentlemen's Magazine: On the 23d of January, 1766, an unusual light, far above the level of day, struck all beholders with amazement. The time was 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and it soon faded away. At 7, however, from east to west, streams appeared like rivers of bright fire. A general feeling of alarm was caused by these, but they gradually faded away of the north, their disappearance being accompanied by shocks which were felt by all, but which did no particular damage.

