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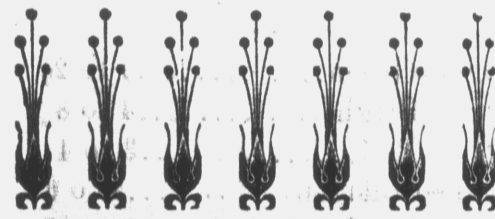
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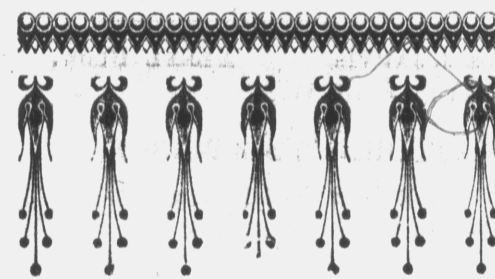
GREENVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1896.

No. 385

THEY ARE COMING IN. MY NEW SPRING GOODS.



C. T. MUNFORD,
Next Door Bank.



The very latest styles in—

Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes.

C. T. MUNFORD,
NEXT DOOR BANK.

SUSAN SIMPSON.

Sudden swallows swiftly skimming,
Sunset's slowly spreading shade,
Silvery songsters sweetly singing
Summer's soothing serenade.

Susan Simpson strolled sedately,
Stifling sobs, suppressing sighs
Seeing Stephen Slocum stately,
Stopped she, showing some surprise.

"Say," said Stephen, "sweetest sigher,
Say, shall Stephen spouseless stay?"

Susan, seeming somewhat shy,
Showed submissiveness straightway.

Summer's season slowly stretches,
Susan Simpson Slocum she;
So she signed some simple sketches,
Soul sought soul successfully.

Six Septembers Susan swelters;
Six sharp seasons snow supplies;

Susan's satin sofa shelters
Six small Slocums size by size.

Boston Globe.

MRS. M. E. READE'S WILL.

Nearly all the Estate Divided Among
Relatives—Some Greenville People
Among the Legatees.

The will of the late Mrs. Mary E. Reade, widow of the late Judge E. G. Reade, was admitted to probate before the clerk of the Superior court yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. C. H. Belvin and J. W. Harden qualified as executors. They estimate the estate to be worth something over \$60,000.

The following is the will, in full:
"In the name of God Amen.

"I, Mary E. Reade, of the county of Wake, State of North Carolina, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament.

"I direct my executor, herein after named, shall pay my funeral expenses, and all my just debts, that I may leave unpaid. My husband, E. G. Reade, left me two hundred shares of National Bank, of Raleigh stock, the interest of the same during my life, and the disposal to his relatives as I direct.

"I give to my husband's four nephews named for him each twenty shares of stock named above, Edwin Barnell Reade, Edwin R. Noell, Edwin Godwin Long and Edwin Godwin Reade.

"I give to my namesake, Mary Elizabeth Reade, daughter of Walter Reade, ten shares of stock; to my nephew, James P. Harden, of Graham, ten shares; to my niece, Mrs. Emma Hardin, of Graham, ten shares. I give to Mrs. Lizzie Noell, of Durham, twenty shares; to Mrs. Lulu Bowen, of Mt. Tirzah, ten shares.

"I give five shares each to Robert Percival Reade, Elsie Reade, Sue Bettie Reade, Elizabeth Baily Reade, Annie Long, daughter of Rachel Long, Nina Noell, Arthur Reade and Washington F. Reade, son of Thomas Reade.

"I give of my own property the following bequests: to my nephew, J. W. Harden, forty shares of stock owned by me in the National Bank of Raleigh, to my cousin, Mrs. Miriam Williams, thirty shares; to my cousins, Mrs. Martha Riddle and Ellen Bernard, living in Durham, twenty shares each; to my cousins, Mrs. Laura Brown and Annie Cuthrell, living in Granville, one thousand dollars each in money; to my cousin, Mrs. Margaret Class, five shares of stock; to my aunt, Ellen Farrow, and her daughter, Emma Watson, living in Hyde county, each one thousand dollars in money.

"I give five hundred dollars in money to my cousin, Ella Primrose, to assist in the education of her daughter, Eliza Primrose; to my cousin, Mrs.

Mary Ann Rumley, living in Washington, N. C., one thousand dollars in money; to my cousin, Henrietta Rumley, five hundred dollars in money, living in the same place; to my niece, Annie Hardin, my nine hundred dollars certificate of stock; to Mrs. Nannie Lee, five shares of stock; to Mrs. Hattie Brown three shares of stock. I give to my friends, Katie Belvin, Bessie Belvin and Nannie Belvin, my Adams note for two thousand dollars, to be divided equally between them.

"To my friend, Mrs. Mary Blacknall, five shares of bank stock; to my cousins, Lula Van Nortwick and Mrs. Mary Matthews, living in Rocky Mount, five hundred dollars in money each; in memory of my brother, Capt. William Shaw, of the Confederate Army, I give five hundred dollars to the Soldiers Home, in Raleigh; I give to Barium Springs orphanage two thousand dollars in money; to Albemarle Presbytery, I give two thousand dollars in money, for the building of churches and mission work; I give to Sylvester Dibble, my old servant, five hundred dollars in money; to my old servant Maria Boushall, living in Salisbury, one hundred dollars in money, to Sally Upchurch, one hundred dollars, to be used in buying her a home, to be purchased by my nephew, J. W. Harden. I give to Mrs. Sallie Gallagher, living in Washington, N. C., Mrs. Laura White and my cousin Flavious Small, living in Virginia, who has a crippled daughter, two hundred dollars each; the remainder to my nephew, J. W. Harden, who has been like an affectionate son to me.

"I appoint C. H. Belvin and my nephew, J. W. Harden, executors to this, my last will and testament.

"MARY E. READE.

"February 24, 1896."

—Raleigh News and Observer.

Fire Insurance.

Caledonian.

Greenwich.

Teutonia.

De'aware.

Georgia Home.

You can procure insurance in any of these companies by applying to

WHITE & SPEIGHT.

Reflector Building.

Go See It.

S. D. Allison has at the store of D. S. Smith, Edison's Kinetophone and Graphophone. In the former you can see actual moving figures just as they appear upon the stage. Three scenes changed daily. With the Graphophone is the latest songs and band and orchestra music. Here for a few days only. Don't fail to see them and hear the music.

The Carnival.

There was a good crowd at the skating carnival in the Planters Warehouse, Wednesday evening, and a large number of young people went flying around on the rollers. There were some good skaters. The prize was awarded to Mr. G. J. Woodward and Miss Sallie Lipscomb for being the most graceful couple in the contest. The amount realized for the fire company was about \$20.

Burned to Death.

A two-and-a-half year old child of Henry Dew was burned to death on H. C. Turnage's place, in Edgecombe county, Wednesday afternoon. The child went with its mother out in the field where some stumps were being burned, and while playing too near the fire its clothing caught. The child's screams attracted the mother, but it was so badly burned before the fire could be put out that death followed in a few hours.

FRANK WILSON,
THE KING CLOTHIER.

Wait for my return
Big style this season

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JUST BACK FROM NEW YORK.

And our stock of—
New Spring Goods

—is arriving daily.

CLOTHING, : DRESS : GOODS, : SHOES, : &c.
at prices to please. Give us a trial.

RICKS & TAFT.

**Knocked Out on the First Round,
But we have come again.**

The late fire caught us just as we were opening business in Greenville, but we have built a new store next to the Reflector office, below Five Points, and are now ready to serve the public.

HARDWARE IS OUR SPECIALTY.

—But we also carry a complete line of—

WOOD AND WILLOW-WARE, TINWARE, STOVES,
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We buy for CASH and sell for CASH, consequently can defy competition on all goods in our line. Come to see us.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 12TH, 1896.

The Newspaper in School.

The growing influence of newspapers in school education was illustrated the other day at a conference of the Public Education Association of New York, when Miss Josephine C. Locke, supervisor of drawing in the public schools of Chicago told how the children are being trained to search the columns of the press in working on topics of a public nature.

Make Cotton a Surplus Crop.

We desire to impress upon the farmers throughout the south the importance of planting full food products for the coming year. Circumstances make it more important than ever this year.

The most prosperous farmers in the south are those who make full food crops and plant their surplus in cotton.

One reason why it is more important this year to make an increase in food crops is furnished in the war clouds that hang around us at present. While there may be no danger of a foreign war, the fact is very apparent that, while we may not become complicated in it, a foreign war cannot be much longer delayed.

But don't stare at any man, expecting him to offer you his seat. No doubt he is as tired as you are.

The idea has gone abroad that there will be a very large cotton crop planted this year. Whether the acreage is increased or not, the consumers of cotton feel certain that it will be, and the price of cotton will probably be much lower when the new crop comes in than it is now.

A man makes no mistake to plant enough food crops to make him independent of any other farmer. Cotton will keep even if it is at a low price. But a man who has to hold his cotton and buy his provisions on time is letting the candle burn at both ends, and it is only a question of time when he will go to the wall.

The south especially will suffer if bread stuffs rise in price. A man can not eat his cotton; and, unfortunately, we send six-eighths of our cotton production out of the south to be manufactured before we can use it.

Our farmers should see to it that they have enough supplies at home, and whatever they can afford to plant over and above that they should put in cotton—Alanta Constitution.

A MYSTERY.

Some only know good fortune, some ill luck. Though equal they in talent, tact and pluck.

Say not that all on the same footing start

And that by voluntary act they part, For I have seen it in a hundred cases, In various stations and with various races.

Some without effort smoothly, grandly, rise,

As sparks fly upward, mounting to the skies;

Prosperity attends whate'er they touch,

And all with them is joy, or seemeth such,

While others, bright their intellectual eyes,

Prudent and careful, energetic, wise, Their heads as clear as yonder water brook,

Their sturdy hearts misfortune never shook,

Yet a dark shadow hovered ever near,

Unseen, unheard, intangible, severe, Frustrating their best plans and well laid schemes,

Tainting their lives and all life's flowing streams.

Though they may be honest, truthful and indeed

All we may expect in man, they don't succeed.

Why is it thus? Have some a sable line

Which may be felt, but no one can define,

Starting from crib of coward and the brave,

Reaching through life and ending at the grave,

While others have a star whose beaming light

Shines on their pathway through the darkest night,

Making the crooked straight and the doubtful clear,—

Leading them forward in their glad career,

With powers celestial but to cheer and bless

Till they attain to ultimate success?

I will not argue, we may not agree; Let others solve the mystery.

Manners On The Road.

Occupy no more space than you require.

If your umbrella falls on the floor and a man hands it to you, say "Thank you."

But don't stare at any man, expecting him to offer you his seat. No doubt he is as tired as you are.

If you are a young girl, don't look self conscious, if ever so pretty.

Above all, don't make your toilet in the cars—trimming your nails, fixing your hat.

If a man speaks to you take no notice. He will soon stop.

Don't giggle, laugh or look around in any public conveyance. It is underbred.

Never count your money on a train.

If a strange woman wishes to cultivate you, beware.

If you carry a silk bag hang it on your arm. Never put it on the seat.

Carry your own drinking glass; never use the cup at the water cooler.

Carry your lunch in a box, which can be thrown out the window when finished.

Always have your name on the inside of your umbrella; also on the tag of your bag.

If you are compelled to take a baby in a car, exercise good sense.

Never take magazines, boxes of candy or any other salable object in your hand, unless you intend to buy them.

In a sleeping car do not disrobe. In a case of accident it would be awkward.

Fee the porter for his attentions, but let it be a small one.

Don't talk of your private affairs when traveling in vehicles of any kind. There are always listeners.

When traveling with friends be quiet at times. Many people cannot stand the motion of a car. In that case silence is golden.

Don't read if you have weak eyes. It is injurious.

Make no friends on shipboard unless you know who they are.

No young girl should travel alone. A chaperone should be on hand.

Give a boy five or ten cents to carry your baggage. To go loaded is vulgar. Be on time. The train will not wait.

To kiss the "good-bye" too often is very bad form. Don't cry unless you cannot help it.

To ask questions very continually is very irritating. If you happen to be on the sunny side of the car, don't fret.

Boys at Home.

We frequently see upon the streets at night, boys from the age of six or seven years up. They are constantly lounging about the streets, hanging about street corners and stores, smoking cigarettes and indulging in foul mouthed epithets and indecent talk. We do not say that Durham is any worse than other places, for it is not, but we do say there is entirely too much of that sort of thing in our midst. The parents, in many many cases, are responsible. They do not try to keep their boys at home at night, but allow them to do what they please and go where they please. We do not say that all of them allow their sons to do so, for a great many do not, yet there are numbers of parents who do. It is an important thing to think about. Many a boy's whole future life has been decided by even an idle word or simple act on the part of some thoughtless person. Be careful. We would like to ask if something cannot be done to remedy this evil of allowing boys to run the streets at night?—Durham Sun.

A quarrel often begins with a mere difference of opinion, apart from all malice. Standing up for our side unflinchingly, without any giving in, will always provoke a little stubbornness in another. It is very hard to maintain such stoutness of judgment without showing bad blood. If we feel right, and cannot yield conscientiously, we should sedulously avoid prolonging a dispute. When we feel driven to a dispute, we should prevent heat of temper settling into a grudge. In differences of opinion in mutual work, we would cultivate a spirit of conciliation. When we cannot conscientiously join with another in propositions of work or companionship, we should separate from him in respect and good will. We should be glad afterwards specially to show such an one respect and good will. Above all, we should not, by our severity, discourage any one who proposes to change his behavior for the better. Did you ever stop to think how foolish life are? Some minor, unintended slight separating friends to make them bitter enemies.—Durham Sun.

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All lights will be put in free of cost before plant is put into operation. After plant is started up lights will cost \$2.00 for each lamp, cord, wire, labor, etc. For other information call on S. C. Hamilton, Jr., at mill.

MY WALL PAPER

has arrived and I want to furnish you. You will find me at home. 400 samples to select from. 3cts up.

A. B. ELLINGTON.

Cotton and Peanut. Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

Table with columns for Cotton and Peanuts, listing grades like Good Middling, Prime, Extra Prime, etc., and their corresponding prices.

Greenville Market. Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table listing market prices for various goods including Western Sides, Sugar cured Hams, Corn, Flour, Lard, Oats, Sugar, Coffee, Salt per Sack, Chickens, Eggs per doz, and Beeswax per.

GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET REPORT.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

Table listing tobacco prices for TOPS (Green, Bright, Red) and CUTTERS (Common, Good, Fine) with prices ranging from 1 to 24.

Professional Cards.

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John E. Woodard, F. C. Harding, Wilson, N. C. Greenville, N. C. WOODARD & HARDING, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Greenville, N. C. Special attention given to collections and settlement of claims.

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WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R.
AND BRANCHES.
AND FLORENCE RAIL ROAD.
Catawba schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Mar. 3, 1896.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 35 Daily.	No. 41 Daily.
Leave Weldon	A. M. 11 55	P. M. 9 27	
Ar Rocky Mt	1 00	10 20	
Lv Tarboro	12 12		
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10 20	5 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11 03	
Lv Selma	2 53		
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 53	
Ar Florence	7 25	3 00	
	No. 49 Daily.		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 2 08		A. M. 6 20
Lv Goldsboro	2 10		7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16		8 10
Ar Wilmington	5 45		9 45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Mar. 3d, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 40 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. 8 15	P. M. 7 41	
Lv Fayetteville	10 58	9 40	
Lv Selma	12 32		
Ar Wilson	1 20	11 35	
	No. 48 Daily.		
Lv Wilmington	A. M. 9 25		P. M. 7 00
Lv Magnolia	10 56		8 31
Lv Goldsboro	12 05		9 40
Ar Wilson	1 00		10 27
Lv Tarboro	2 48		
	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	
Lv Wilson	P. M. 1 20	P. M. 11 35	P. M. 10 32
Ar Rocky Mt	2 17	12 11	11 11
Ar Tarboro	4 00		
Lv Tarboro			
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17	12 11	
Ar Weldon		1 01	
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.1 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.47 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrives Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 10.00, returning leaves Tarboro 4.30 p. m., Parmele 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 7.45 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M. arrive Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11. 45

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains in Nashville branch leave Rocky Mount at 4.30 p. m., arrives Nashville 5.05 p. m., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 8.30 a. m., Nashville 8.30 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 9.05 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clift 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clift 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11.10 a. m. and 8.50 p. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmond, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
General Supt.
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.
R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

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GREENVILLE, N. C., Feb. 26th, 1896.

J. L. SUGG, Agent Victor Safe Co., Greenville, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—I am pleased to say that the Victor Safe you sold me some five or six years ago preserved in tact all its contents in the late fire in Greenville on the 16th inst. The safe stood at a point in my office in the Opera House block that must have been one of the hottest parts in the great conflagration. It contained many papers and other things of value. When it was taken out of the ruins and opened, some twelve hours after the fire, everything in it was found to be safely preserved and in good condition. I cheerfully make this statement of facts in recognition of the valuable service rendered me by this safe and you are at liberty to make such use of it as you may see proper.

THOS. J. JARVIS.
The Victor Safe is made in all sizes, convenient for home, farm, office or general business use. Every Safe sold with a guarantee to be fire proof. Prices range from \$15 up.

J. L. SUGG, Agent,
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GEROME'S GREAT PICTURES.

They Cover a Wide Range of Subjects and Are World-Renowned.
Gerome has painted so many important pictures having a world-wide reputation that it is impossible to go into many particulars about them in the present article. The illustration of "Napoleon before the Sphinx" will, however, give some idea of his remarkable powers of invention and his fertility of ideas. The incident was suggested by the Egyptian campaign of the great mysterious stone figure, the origin or the meaning of which no man has yet been able to explain. In the distance we see the legions of the French army, while on the horse, calmly, and with speculative eye, sits the marvel of his age. The little man, humble of birth, without influence or money, rising by the force of circumstances and his own strong will and character to the mightiest position among the rulers of the earth, gazes steadfastly at the storm-beaten, time-worn monument of past ages. The contrast is full of suggestiveness.
Or let us take his "Thirst." What wonderful strength is here! On the hot, shimmering, sun-dried sands crouches the mighty King of Beasts, a very baby in his weakness, overcome by the desire to wet his parched tongue, and panting for a drop of water. What awful loneliness! What fearful solitude, and what a dreary waste!
It were more pleasant to turn to the glimpse he gives us of the great oriental city whose housetops, minarets and spires gleam under the brilliant eastern sky, where the pious Mussulman calls the faithful to prayers. Here may be noted the artist's wonderful powers of observation, and the extraordinary finish, nothing, apparently, escaping his attention. So, too, in the "Pacha's Runners," where the reproduction does not, of course, give an idea of the color, though Gerome's coloring is not always fine. His best skill appears in drawing and in the arrangement of his compositions. In the "Bull-Fighter" we find that the artist is quite as much at home in Spanish scenes as in classical, oriental, or modern French life. He enters into the brutality of the bull ring, and, showing us the course picadors and the excited audience, brings the incident before us very vividly. In short, no matter what he undertakes, he prepares himself for the task with much earnestness and great deliberation. He makes careful studies, he looks well into his subjects, and he takes no end of pains. Pictures do not come of themselves, nor are they executed without almost endless trouble. Artists are generally supposed by thoughtless people to be more or less inspired, and to dash off masterpieces at will; but the truth is, a picture that has any claim to life and to deserve high appreciation is undertaken with as much forethought as the building of a ship. First the painter makes a sketch, searching out, in a general way, the best method of putting his idea on canvas; then, after many changes and alterations, studies are made of the principal figures, of the draperies, and of the accessories. Now the scheme of color must be arranged, and finally comes the painting, and the painstaking completion of all the parts.—Arthur Hoeber, in St. Nicholas.

There Are Others.
Mr. Cityman—I say, Mr. Medders, the advent of the bicycle and the consequent decline of the horse must have hurt you farmers considerably by cutting off the demand for one of your chief products.
Mr. Medders—What product is that?
Mr. Cityman—Why, it must be of little use to raise oats now!
Mr. Medders—Yes; that's so! The bicycle has done us on that; but when one door shuts another always opens. We raise the arnica plant now.—Puck.

W. H. RAGSDALE
Principal
July 30, 1895.

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To "advertise judiciously," use the columns of the REFLECTOR.

TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:47 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M.
South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M., leaves 2:15 P. M.
Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair, continued cold to-night and Friday.

MARCHING ON.

As the Days Go By the News Keeps Coming—The Reflector Prints It.

The wind bites like it had teeth.

All kinds of Garden Seed at S. M. Schultz.

Silver Tip Cheroots are the best in town. J. L. STARKEY & Co.

Services in the Baptist church to-night.

Canned Deviled Crabs and Shells at the Old Brick Store.

Fine Oranges 25 cents a dozen at Morris Meyer's.

Considerably colder today than yesterday.

Smoke the best—the Golden Seal. JESSE W. BROWN.

Try the Sporting Club, Havana Filler, when you want a good 5 cent-smoke, at the Old Brick Store.

Mrs. W. M. King has decided to retire from the hotel business and will sell the King House.

Gentlemen always want to smoke the best, and that is why they smoke the Golden Seal. JESSE W. BROWN.

Tissue paper for making flowers, assorted colors, at Reflector Book Store.

When you want a good Ledger, Day Book or Record Book, go to Reflector Book Store. Good assortment just in.

Pure North Carolina Butter 20 cents a pound at D. S. Smith's.

Two young ladies went into Baker & Hart's hardware store yesterday and asked if they had any female bicycles to sell?

Another lot of those large 5 cent ablets and slates at Reflector Book Store.

The Commissioners of Scotland Neck have passed an ordinance taxing cigarette dealers in that town \$50 per annum.

CAN'T BE BEAT.—That's what they say about the "Southern Leader." The best 5 cent cigar on the market. All kinds of cigars cheroots and cigarettes at D. S. Smith's.

Henry Sheppard, Real Estate Agent, advertises some desirable town property for sale. He also has three dwelling houses for rent.

If you want something nice in stationery and tablets examine the large stock just received at Reflector Book Store.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Eloise Draughan to Mr. Zeno Moore at the home of her father, Mr. W. F. Draughan of Edgecombe, Wednesday, March 25th.

Another lot of Parker Fountain Pens at Reflector Book Store. Some new styles. These are the best pens made and every business man should have one.

Cod Fish, Irish Potatoes, Prepared Buckwheat, Oat Flakes, Cheese, Macaroni, P. R. Molasses, at S. M. Schultz.

IN THE REFLECTOR.

People See Their Faces and Straightway Forget What Manner of Men They Are.

J. C. Caddell returned to Raleigh to-day.

Bruce Cotten, of Cottondale, is here to-day.

W. M. Moore, of Grimesland, was here today.

T. F. Carr, of Willow Green, was in town today.

J. H. Small, of Washington came up on boat today.

A. A. Andrews and family returned to Durham to-day.

H. G. Jones and Carlos Harris came over from Kinston this morning.

A. R. Dupree returned to Parmele to-day to resume his run as mail clerk.

B. F. Peterson, representing the North Carolina Baptist, of Fayetteville, is in town.

J. B. Cherry left this morning for the northern markets to purchase goods for J. B. Cherry & Co.

The best cigar is always what you want, if it is then buy the Golden Seal at Jesse W. Brown's.

Notice.

Pitt County Rifles will meet in Mayor's office on Friday, March 13th, at 3 P. M., for transaction of important business. By order of the Captain, H. C. HOOKER, Secretary.

Notice.

The stockholders of the Greenville Pleasure Club are requested to meet at the store of H. C. Hooker on Friday night, March 13th, at 7:30 o'clock. Business of great importance will engage your attention.

W. L. COBB, Pres.
R. GREENE, Sec.

ANOTHER OF OUR BOYS WRITES.

The REFLECTOR takes the liberty of publishing some extracts from a personal letter written by Alex Heilbronner, now of New York, to the editor. All our people know Alex well, and are aware of the warm interest he feels in Greenville. He says:

You well know how much I regretted to learn of the recent disastrous fire which swept over a large part of dear old Greenville. You are fully aware of some of the pleasant days we have both had in many of the buildings destroyed, but with my knowledge of the invincible spirit of some of our Greenville citizens, I feel assured in predicting that "Phoenix like" the ruins will soon be replaced by better and more modern buildings and Greenville with its hustlers and mess-backs, its workers and drones, will once more assume the supremacy of the Eastern Carolina shore.

But there is a grave responsibility resting on those in charge of municipal affairs who refuse to provide adequate water supply for the protection of life and property, and some of these days the long suffering citizens of Greenville will awake to this fact and place men in charge of the city government who can not be influenced by a few ancient relics of past generations who essay to run the affairs of the town, and who are not afraid to levy sufficient taxes to protect and promote the town properly. Then and not until then will Greenville find rank among the first in the State, commercially and progressively speaking.

Too much credit can not be given to those volunteers both white and black, who with so little encouragement have held together and who always respond so willingly to an alarm of fire, but their efforts must be seconded by a willingness to give them the means to do effective work.

I sincerely hope that when I next have the pleasure of walking the streets of Greenville I shall witness all these needed changes. I am pleased to report that since my return my health has been excellent and the result of my vacation were most beneficial.

The Passing Show

COME TO IT--SEE IT.

We have got the tiger caged. High prices chained and conquered by our system of small profits and quick sales. Late styles, high quality and low prices are the main features of this exhibition.

If You Want to See a Show That is a Show

Come and see our fine assortment of Men and Boys Clothing, Dry Goods and Notions, Ladies Fine Slippers and Shoes at each and every performance. The Grand Tableau of Little Prices and Big Bargains exterminating Hard Times will be enacted while the band plays that cheering and popular melody "Come and see what a dollar will do," at the store of

H. C. HOOKER.
179 EVANS STREET.

FOR SALE.

The King House property, on main street, the most desirable hotel in the city, largest patronage, well equipped 3 story building, 20 rooms, other necessary buildings, good well water, 36 inch terracotta curbing—price low. Terms easy.

House and lot corner 2nd and Cotanch streets, 7 rooms, and other necessary buildings. Terms easy.

House and lot on Washington street 5 rooms and kitchen, good well water.

2 store lots on main street 26 1/2 feet front each, by 132, good title. Terms easy.

3 houses and lots for rent. I have several other desirable pieces of property for sale. For further information call on

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LIVERY AND FEED STABLES.

Stables located near the John Flanagan Buggy Co. and Market House.

Passengers carried to any point at reasonable rates Good Horses. Comfortable Vehicles

DO YOU WANT BRICK?

I will establish a Brick Yard at Greenville and will be ready to fill orders for Good Brick by the middle of April. Parties contemplating building would do well to see me, as I will be prepared to supply them at as low prices as good Brick can be sold.

MARCELLUS SMITH.

Phoenix Never Dies.

We beg to return thanks to our numerous friends for their many kind expressions since our store was destroyed by fire. We take pleasure in informing them that we have just returned from NEW YORK with an entire new stock and have opened in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Horne at the

POST OFFICE CORNER.

Our entire stock was destroyed and every article offered you is BRIGHT, NEW AND STYLISH. You are cordially invited to call and examine the beautiful

DRESS GOODS, WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES

Lang's Cash House
LANG SELLS CHEAP.

Nothing reserved, the whole stock must go. No reasonable price refused for any of our stock. Goods sold at about half of real value.

Who?
What?
Where?

WHO is it that everybody is talking about?
It is Jesse Brown.
WHAT makes them say so much about him?
Because he always keeps a full line of Fresh Groceries.
WHERE can we find him?
At Cory's old stand, where you will always get Fresh Goods and have them delivered anywhere in the limits of the town.

JESSE W. BROWN.

J. B. CHERRY & CO

When your thoughts turn to the many, many things that you will have to buy this winter for the comfort of yourself and family turn your footsteps toward the store of

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Where you will find displayed the largest and best assorted line of the following goods:

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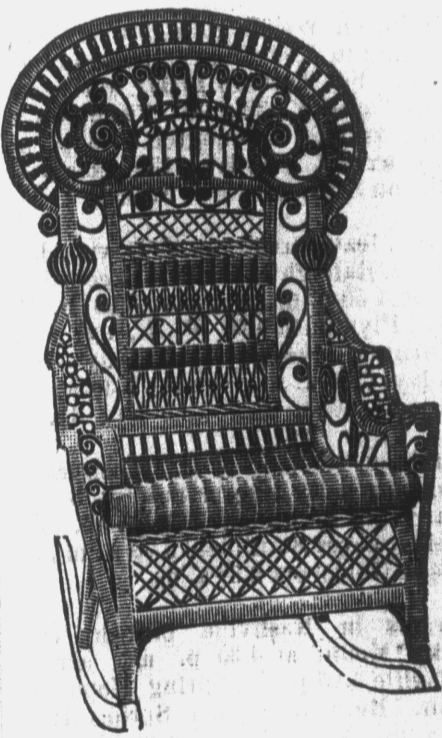
of many and varied kinds.



Dress Goods and Trimmings, Notions, Gentlemen Furnishing Goods, Shirts, Neckties, Four-in-Hand Scarfs, Collars, Hosiery, Yank Notions, Hats and Caps, latest styles, Ladies, Boys,

and Childrens Fine and Heavy Shoes and Boots in endless styles and kinds, Carpets, Rugs

Foot Mats, Mattings, Flooring and Table Oil Cloths, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles and Fixtures, Valises, Hand Bags, and a stock of FURNITURE that will sur-



prise and delight you both as to quality and price, Baby Carriages, Heavy Groceries, Flour, Meat, Lard, Sugar, Molasses, Salt, Bagging and Ties, Peanut Sacks and Twine. We buy

COTTON AND PEANUTS

and pay the highest market prices for them.

Reynold's SHOES for Men and Boys can't be beat.

Padan Bros. SHOES for Ladies and Misses are not surpassed.

Harris' Wire Buckle Suspenders are warranted. Try a pair and be convinced. The celebrated R. & G. Corsets a specialty. Our goods are neat, new and stylish. Our prices are low and pleasing. Our Clerks are competent and obliging.

Our store is the place for you to trade.
J. B. CHERRY & CO.