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LITTLE SMILES.

Clipped and Printed to Drive Away
Dull Care.

The Old Story.

Mary had a Persian lamb
Cape and collarette;
Papa had conniption fits—
And he has them yet.

—Town Topics.

It is Mighty.

It is not the hand of heroes
Battling for their fellow-men,
Nor the helping hand of woman,
Nor the hand that wields the pen,
Nor the hand that beats the carpet
On the backyard fence unfurled,
But the hand that beats four aces
Is the hand that rules the world.

—Chicago Record.

When Poets Write Wrong.

When poets write
Of "voiceless night,"
We feel like saying "Rats!"
For out of doors
We hear the roars
Of several hundred cats.

N. Y. Mercury.

The Difference.

How dauntly across the street
A woman trips with grace complete
While man, inferior in all,
Can never trip without a fall.

—Washington Star.

Looking Backward.

Mother, dear mother, come home with
me now,
The clock in the steeple strikes
three;
The baby is hungry and papa's alone,
With nothing to feed it but tea.

—N. Y. World.

The New Woman.

She disapproves of fancy work,
Crocheting she thinks horrid.
But just the same, when things go wrong
She always knits her forehead.

—N. Y. World.

It Was Different Then.

He looked upon his daughter with a
vain and swelling pride:
He was glad to see her in the social
swim.
But he looked and swelled, and swelled
and looked, until he nearly died,
As he counted up the cost when the
bills came in.

—Philadelphia North American.

She Objected.

"Let me wear you on my heart
And ward off all disaster."
"No, sir," replied the damsel tart;
"I'm not a porous plaster."

—Chicago Record.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle.

They gathered at the house of Sister
Bland,
They talked of science, of reform,
and art.
They sewed some carpet rags together
and
Then ripped a neighbor's character
apart.

—Chicago Tribune.

The Parting.

"Farewell! Farewell!" he cries in pain,
His arms enfold her tight;
His kisses fall like autumn rain
Upon her forehead white;
He knows he'll see her not again—
Until to-morrow night.

—Titbits.

The Pig's Ignorance.

The pig a-grunting in the pen
Is not aware at all
That his tough skin is tough because
It makes the best football.

—Truth.

In Her Boudoir.

There was a little girl and she had a
little curl,
Right in the middle of her forehead;
It curled very bold when the weather
was cold,
But it wouldn't curl at all when
'twas torrid.

—Town Topics.

And She Didn't.

"I cannot sing the old song,"
She murmured with a sigh.
"Nor any other song," he growled;
"For heaven's sake don't try."

—N. Y. World.

Weather Crop Bulletin,

CENTRAL OFFICE,

RALEIGH, N. C., Monday April 13, '97.

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina Weather service, for the week ending Saturday April 11th, indicate rather unfavorable weather for the growth of crops, though farm work has not been materially interrupted. The temperature was considerably below the normal, the mean for the State for the week being about 25 degrees, and indicating a deficiency of nearly three degrees. The week was very dry, less than a third of the average precipitation occurred. The amount of sunshine was above the normal. A warm, gentle rain is much needed to cause the germination of seeds.

EASTERN DISTRICT.—The weather this week has not been favorable for the growth of crops, and very little improvement in vegetation is reported. The temperature was too low, the minimum falling to nearly the freezing point on the 8th. Several frosts, especially Sunday morning, the 5th, damaged uncovered strawberries considerably, and thinned out young tobacco plants. Very few correspondents in this district think that the fruit crop is seriously damaged, as the winds were too brisk. The rainfall for the week averaged less than a quarter of an inch and occurred mostly on the 9th, mixed with some sleet. Planting corn has been pushed rapidly and early planting is coming up fairly well. Large areas of cotton land have been fertilized and thoroughly prepared and a little cotton-planting has been done. Irish potatoes are coming up nicely. Gardens as yet show little progress. The first shipment of strawberries was made April 10th.

PROGRAMME OF RACES.

To-Morrow's Races.

SECOND DAY—2:50 CLASS.

Harold, Br. G.—S. T. White, Greenville, N. C.

Cadet, G. S.—Scotland Neck Breeding Farm, Scotland Neck N. C.

Mary Lee, S. M. and Elise, B. M.—Smith and Hooker, Greenville, N. C.

Antique, Blk. S. and Cantile, B. M.—Hackburn & Willett, New Berne, N. C.

Allie Mansfield, S. G.—M. H. White Hertford, N. C.

2:40 CLASS.

Lillian D., Blk. M.—G. J. Studdert, Greenville, N. C.

Bird Eye, S. S.—Smith & Hooker, Greenville, N. C.

King Allie, B. G.—M. H. White, Hertford, N. C.

Little Steve, B. G.—W. M. Ellis, New Berne, N. C.

Mamie Wells, B. M. and Tyroles, B. M.—Hackburn & Willett, New Berne, N. C.

The free for all race was not made up, the number of entries for it being too small, but there will be a special match race to take the place of it on Thursday.

The Harpist Married.

The Italian Harpist, familiarly called "Joe" by everybody, is here to make music for the ball to-night. We learn from the Free Press that he was married in Kinston, last Wednesday evening, to Miss Sudie Padgett. The boys are congratulating him.

The greatest forest fire ever known in North Carolina has just occurred in Cumberland county, and destroyed 10,000 acres of the finest long-leaf-pine timber in that section. The loss is over \$100,000. One house, many barns, and miles of fencing and many cattle have been burned.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15TH, 1896.

THE ROBBER FOLLED.

Knocked Down by His intended Victim and Loses \$400.

Strange things do happen in this world. Remarkably strange things.

We have here a thrilling encounter, more exciting than what we read in fiction.

H. H. Stewart, of Caswell county, was in the city to-day with tobacco and gives the Sun a most exciting account of the trip Dock McAdams, a prosperous farmer living above Prospect Hill, in Caswell, made to Danville three or four days ago.

Mr. McAdams is small of stature, but grit to the backbone. Some three or four days ago he carried a load of tobacco to Danville which he sold, and the load netted him the neat sum of \$300. He went to the bank to have his check cashed, and in there he noticed a woman becomingly attired, with face veiled. He gave her a passing notice, thinking she also had business with the bank. He secured the money, but observed that the woman watched his every movement, though not a word she spoke.

That afternoon Mr. McAdams hitched up his team and started for home. When some three or four miles from Danville, as he was nearing what is known as "the dry bridge," he saw the same woman in the road, attired in the same costume, with a small satchel on her arm. As he drove along and overtook her, she asked in a very pleading way if he would allow her to ride with him, as she was going that way some distance. Mr. McAdams very readily consented. He took her satchel and placed it in the wagon, then he unhitched one trace in order that she might get in more conveniently. As she was stepping up a puff of wind blew her dress one side and Mr. McAdams saw a pair of boots and the pantaloons. As quick as a flash his mind acted and having a loaded whip in his hand—the only weapon of defence he had—he whacked the fellow a most terrific blow across the head which knocked him out senseless. Mr. McAdams then hitched his trace, and putting the whip to the horses, left that vicinity in post haste, and the disguised man in the road. He went on to Yanceyville and reported the matter there. Up to the present time nothing has been heard from the robber.

In his haste to get away, and during the excitement, Mr. McAdams carried along with him in the wagon the satchel the robber had. It was examined and found to contain two pistols, two dangerous looking bowie knives—one had blood on it—and \$400 in cool cash.

This is one time when a highwayman was completely knocked out and lost his booty.

Mr. McAdams is four hundred dollars the gainer by his experience, though it was a close call. A fortunate puff of wind. He has the money now.—Durham Sun.

Between 6,500 and 7,000 stags were killed by stalking in the Scottish Highlands last season, considerably more than in any previous year.

MY CAT AND I.

Just at dusk at my study door
 Four little white feet stand on the floor,
 Four little white feet leap to my knee,
 And a beaming face looks up at me.
 Oh, full many a love I've known,
 But neyer a heart so much my own,
 Neyer a grateful soul like that,
 And this is the way I love my cat
 Every day, through storm or shine.
 This rapturous greeting still is mine.
 Every night on my knee she lies
 Watching my face with her crystal eyes.
 Through fame well gained, or a lost renown,
 If stocks go up, or if stocks go down,
 Faithful forever as faith can be,
 That is the way my cat loves me!
 Oh my pussy, the world is round!
 In it full many a friend I've found.
 When I was rich, they beat the knee,
 And when I was poor they frowned on me.
 But rich or poor you have loved me still.
 You share the good as you shared the ill,
 So while we live and when we die
 May we be together, my cat and I!
 —Mary Field Williams in New York Sun.

Across the Seas.

England pays \$70,000,000 yearly for foreign daily produce.

Three Irishmen represent Scottish constituencies in the British Parliament.

The French Government has conferred the Cross of the Legion of Honor on Professor F. W. Putnam, of Harvard, in recognition of his achievements in the field of science.

A few years ago the number of suicides among the rank and file of the Prussian army became a public scandal. The latest statistics show that, while in 1892 the proportion was 5.28 per 10,000 men, in 1895 it was 4.22.

Advices from the Transvaal announce the intention to exhume the bodies of the followers of Dr. Jameson who were killed in the battle of Krugersdorp in the recent raid into the South African republic, and to reinter them in a cemetery.

Maitre Pouillet, one of the most eminent lawyers in Paris, has begun an original work of charity. He gives sittings at the Palais de Justice, at which he offers advice gratis on legal subjects. The object is to help poor people who cannot afford to pay for a lawyer's services.

New Newspaper Game Out West.

A new game, called the "Editor's Delight," is played this way. Take a sheet of ordinary writing-paper, fold it carefully, and enclose a bank note sufficiently large to pay up all arrearages and one year in advance. Keep an eye on the editor, and if a smile adorns his face the trick works like a charm. Now is the time to play the joke.

At the date of the last roster the number of soldiers in the United States army was 27,800—2,100 officers and 25,700 enlisted men. About one half the army, exclusive of the engineers, Signal Service, Indian scouts, Hospital Service, and West Point cadets, is composed of the infantry, twenty-five regiments in all. There are besides, ten cavalry and five artillery regiments.—Richmond Dispatch.

The bonded debt of the State is now as follows: 4 per cent. consols \$3,347,750; 6 per cent North Carolina Railroad construction bonds \$2,720,000; total \$6,067,750. The interest on the 4 per cent. bonds is \$133,910, on the 6 per cent. bonds, \$163,200; total \$297,110. The income from the rental of the North Carolina Railroad will be \$225,915, and if all this should be set aside to meet the interest on the bonded debt (\$297,110) there would be left a deficit of only \$72,095 to be provided for by taxation. There are old bonds outstanding which will require the issue of \$270,000 in 4 per cent. bonds, provided these are presented before January 1st, when the funding act expires.

Sale for Taxes.

On Monday, the 4th day of May, 1896, I will sell at public auction before the Court House door in the town of Greenville, the following town lots to satisfy the taxes due thereon to the town of Greenville for the year 1895.

- W. H. COX,
 Tax Collector.
- Brown, Sam'l lot 21 52
 - Blow, H. A. 1/2 of lot 78 cor. 3rd and Washington St. 5 11
 - Burbanks, John 1/2 of lot 134 1 17
 - Bryant, Sam'l lot 124 2 18
 - Cherry, Benj. lot 36 2 92
 - Cherry, R. D. ag't. lot 66 residence 1 67
 - Cherry, S. A. lot 67 6 67
 - Cherry, A. B. lot 86 cor 1st and Evans 2 36
 - Cherry, Wilson lot on Bonners' Lane 1 88
 - Daniel, H. E. 1/2 of Eborn lot 5 73
 - Daniel, J. D. residence on Bonner Lane 3 34
 - Dancy, J. J. cor 3rd and Washington sts 6 88
 - Dudley, Geo no 75 Nelson lot 1 68
 - Davenport, J. R. 4 lots in Skinnerville 68
 - Evans, T. B. 1/2 of lot 48 84
 - Emmet Randall lot 138 3rd and Read st 1 69
 - Fleming, L. E. 1/2 of Eborn lot 14 38
 - Fleming, W. A. residence lot in Skinnerville 12 09
 - Forbes, C. C. and wife, lot 147 cor 3rd and Reade st 8 73
 - Gorham, Dinah 1/2 of lot 134 84
 - Godwin, W. T. 1/2 of lot 84 2 24
 - Gorham, H. S. 1 lot 99
 - Hanrahan, Wm 1 lot 1 67
 - Harris, H. F. lot no 45 Dickinson Avenue 3 13
 - Harrington, Jos 1 lot on Clark st 95
 - Harrington, Willis 1 lot on Clark street 1 27
 - Hearne, R. M. residence in Skinnerville 4 38
 - Hopkins, Nelson lot on Bonners Lane 1 94
 - Hardy, Stanley 1/2 of lot 36 2 71
 - Harris Mary 1-3 of lot 134 81
 - Jenkins, B. J. Ed Brown lot 2 14
 - King, Moses lot 173 Green st 6 84
 - Latham, Ed lot 85 Evans st 1 68
 - Latham, Fannie lot on Clark Lane 84
 - Lucas, Mary lot no 176 1 80
 - Moore Joel of 1-4 57 146
 - Miller, Jos lot on Bonners Lane 63
 - Norcott, J. P. Green st Eborn 1 75
 - Patrick, Cynthia 1/2 of 123 42
 - Chas 1/2 of 86 Pritchard Lot 2 50
 - Peyton, Chas 1-5 of 121 Cotauch street 146
 - " Lulu part of " st 21
 - " Victoria part of 121 " " 42
 - " Id. " 121 " " 42
 - Rhoden, Isaac admr C Williams Lot 46 1 25
 - Rouse, M A cor 2nd & Pitt sts 2 29
 - Sugg, Isaac A. & wife 4 lots in Skinnerville 1 46

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Coffee	15 to 25
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Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	10 to 11
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Middling	7 11-16
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Tone—dull.	
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Prime	3 1/2
Extra Prime	3 3/4
"ancy	3 1/2
Spanish	\$1.10 bu
Tone—firm.	

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" Fine	12 to 18
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" Good	12 1/2 to 20
" Fine	15 to 27 1/2

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Leave Weldon Ar. Rocky Mt	A. M. 11 55 P. M. 1 00	P. M. 8 27 A. M. 10 20	A. M.
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 23	3 00	
	No. 49 Daily.		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 4 08		A. M. 6 20
Lv Goldsboro	5 10		7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16		8 10
Ar Wilmington	5 47		9 45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Mar. 14, 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 Wilsco	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 15
Ar Tarboro	4 00		
Lv Tarboro			
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17	12 11	
Ar Weldon		1 01	

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road 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 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrives Parmele 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 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., 3.25 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., Clito 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clito 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

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Quail and Prairie Chickens Are Growing Very Scarce.

If Some Steps to Replenish the Stock in This Country Are Not Taken They Will Soon Become Extinct - Gun Clubs Are to Blame.

Western lovers of that beautiful sport, hunting wild game birds, must be well satisfied with the vigilance of the Illinois game warden, Mr. Blow, aided by those gentlemen who hold similar positions in adjacent states. Energetic as their efforts are, however, it is to be feared they come too late to save the prairie chickens (pinnated grouse.) No measures, it is certain, can ever make them as plentiful on our prairies as they were a quarter of a century ago. Even if their slaughter were forbidden for a term of years, the utmost vigilance on the part of Mr. Blow and his assistants could not prevent the annual destruction of large numbers. Quail are becoming equally scarce, and unless the different hunting clubs take some steps to replenish the stock, game of the grouse family will soon become extremely rare.

England has always been a great game preserving country, but even there, where the game laws are very stringent, it has been found necessary to import large numbers of birds from foreign countries.

The dark-necked pheasant (phasianus colchicus) has long reigned as the king of English game birds. This pheasant was first brought from Asia, but has been indigenous in England for centuries. They are polygamus in their habits, and as the brilliant plumage of the male bird is in contrast to the somber brown of the hen, good sportsmen can easily distinguish them apart. They invariably let the females pass unscathed, so that the supply is fairly well maintained.

It is impossible, however, when a covey of partridges gets up, to distinguish the different sexes, so that both male and female have to fall alike to the unerring aim of the English country gentleman. Consequently they would become very scarce could not eggs and birds be obtained from abroad. The first imported were the French, or red-legged variety (caccabis urfa), but they proved very unsatisfactory, as when disturbed they prepared to run rather than fly. In addition, they did not interbreed with the native variety, but being larger and more pugnacious threatened to exterminate them. A few years ago it was discovered that the Hungarian partridges not only very nearly resembled the English species, but would interbreed, and dwell in harmony with it. This discovery has led to the importation of myriads of these birds; indeed, the business has grown to such proportions that over a dozen firms are engaged in it, and last season over 100,000 brace were shipped from Fiume on the Adriatic, the only port for the large extent of country over which these birds are trapped.

Most of them are taken on the broad plains and low foothills of the Carpathians, and in the valleys of the Bohemian Alps. In the dense woods that clothe the lower spurs of the latter, pheasants are also very plentiful and large numbers are trapped and imported. In England live Hungarian partridges bring about \$1 to \$1.25 a brace (male and female), pheasants \$2.25 to \$2.50; partridges' eggs, \$8 to \$10 a hundred, and pheasants' about \$7, a pretty high price considering that only about 80 per cent. of these eggs are fertile. They are usually hatched by bantams, or common barnyard fowls.

Both partridges and pheasants are prolific egg producers, their nests containing from 13 to 17 eggs, olive-brown in color, much rounded at one end, but pointed at the other. Their nests, however, are always on the ground, and the owners make but slight attempts to conceal them, so that the contents fall an easy prey to their many enemies. The English variety lay measurably well in confinement, but their eggs are frequently infertile. This, however, is not the case with the Hungarian birds, who, if not too closely confined, lay large numbers of eggs, a surprising percentage of which will hatch out. The young birds are much hardier and easier to raise than those of the English variety.

Their hardiness would enable them to withstand the rigors of this climate. So if some of our gun clubs, who have large territories at their command, were to obtain a consignment, their preserves would soon be stocked with this very desirable game bird. They never fly high, so that the expense of inclosing a few acres of land suitable for them to breed on would be trifling.

Another bird which has attracted the attention of game preservers in Ireland and Scotland, who control large areas of waste land, is the guinea fowl (gallina numidica). They are occasionally met with in this country in a domesticated state, but those who have shot them in the African jungles will readily acknowledge that few game birds surpass them, either in the excellence of the sport they furnish or their edible qualities. This bird has been strangely neglected by epicures in this country, though he is really better eating than any other of the domesticated fowls. In consequence hunting clubs could obtain large numbers

at a nominal price. If these were turned out on some wide expanse they would become as wild as hawks in the second generation, and would increase very rapidly, as they surpass all other game birds in the number of eggs they lay, and the cunning with which they conceal their nests. - Chicago Inter Ocean.

Twentieth Century.
Farmer—Tom, press th' button 'n set th' cornfield plow goin'.
Tom—Oh, pshaw! Let Bill do it! I'm tired.—London Tit-Bits.

In Real Life.
"You have no heart."
Pale, but fearless, she stood before him, and looked him squarely in the eye.

She was poor, but proud. Adverse fortune had reduced her wardrobe to a calico basid, driven her and her only surviving mother to the top flat of a Wabash avenue apartment house, and hardened the lines about her still beautiful mouth, but it could not dim the luster of her blue-black eye or tame the unconquerable spirit that animated every fiber of the lissome form standing erect with unconscious grace and awaiting his answer.

"You have no heart," she repeated.
"No, miss," replied the butcher, "but we've got some mighty nice liver. Will that do just as well?"—Chicago Tribune.

The Babies Were Mixed.

Mrs. Jane Norton, of Irish Valley and her daughter, Mrs. Hannah Foster, Trevorton gave birth to babies at the Norton Home Saturday afternoon. Both children were born about the same time and the attending physician had to hustle to keep up with the procession. One child was a boy and the other a girl. The doctor put them both in the same cradle and no questions were asked by the mothers. When the doctor called Sunday to see how his patients were the mothers asked him which was Mrs. Norton's and which was Mrs. Foster's. The astonished physician racked his brain to solve the question, but finally admitted that in the confusion of the double confinement he got the babies mixed and was unable to tell which was which. Mrs. Norton has several boys, so she took the girl as her child. This was Mrs. Foster's first baby and she will start her family with the boy. Although the matter has thus been settled, the mothers are not yet satisfied and would like to know if they have the right child. Mrs. Foster was sent for Saturday morning by her mother, who did not know her daughter, like herself, was in a delicate condition. The journey from Trevorton to Irish Valley made Mrs. Foster ill, and brought on the birth of her child.—Sunbury (Pa.) Daily.

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A. Cohen, of Newbern, is here.

F. L. Castex, of Goldsboro, is in
town.

R. S. Neal, of Scotland Neck, is in
town.

Sheriff B. W. Edwards, of Snow
Hill, is at the races.

Louis Arnheim, of Tarboro, ar-
rived Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Kate Pritchard, of Kinston, is
visiting Miss Lillie Harris.

Miss May Harris, of Falkland, is
visiting Miss Florence Williams.

C. T. Gardner, of Grifton, is assist-
ing agent J. R. Moore at the depot.

W. P. White and wife, of Hobgood,
are visiting the family of R. L. Hum-
ber.

H. T. Knox, a prominent tobacco
nism and horseman of Oxford, is here to
the races.

Moses Turnage, of Farmville, who
has been spending a few days here,
left to-day for Washington.

Mrs. Annie W. Baker, of Greens-
boro, arrived Tuesday night to visit her
cousin, Rev. N. A. D. Wilson.

Geo. E. Harrison returned last even-
ing from an extended trip to the west-
ern part of the state.

E. L. Miller, of Durham, General
Manager of the Interstate Telephone
company, spent last night here.

Miss Leila Shields, who has been
visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Higgs,
returned to Scotland Neck to-day.

W. S. Vaughan, a commercial tour-
ist who is very popular with the boys,
and the girls too, is in town this week.

The weather wise say this is a dry
moon. We can tell more about that
later.

To-day's races started about one
o'clock and are in progress at the time
we go to press.

President Cleveland has appointed
ex-Gov. Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, as
Consul to Cuba. An excellent appoint-
ment.

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