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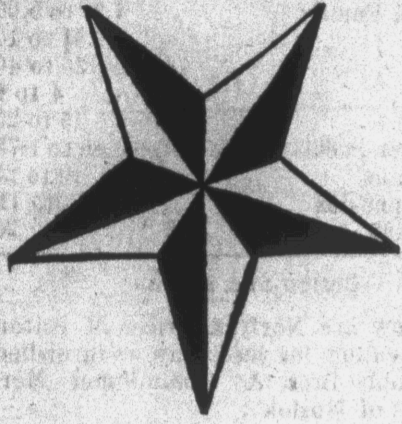
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Spring of 1896

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" 10.50	" " 7.00
" 11.50	" " 8.00
" 12.50	" " 9.00
" 13.50	" " 10.00
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" 5.00	" " 3.50
" 6.50	" " 4.50
" 8.00	" " 5.75
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### IN NORTH CAROLINA.

#### Matters Of Interest Over the State.

Two female evangelists are preaching to the convicts on the State farm near Weldon.

The Cummock Coal Company, of Chatham county, at whose mine the terrible explosion occurred in December and 40 people lost their lives, has gone into the hands of a receiver.

Two hundred employees of Sparger Bros. tobacco factory, at Mt. Airy, struck a few days ago. Their alleged grievance was they were receiving 25 cents less per hundred pounds for rolling tobacco than was paid last year.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the N. C. conference will meet in the M. E. Church of Kinston on May 7th at 10 a. m., closing with the services of Sunday following. The annual sermon will be by Rev. T. N. Ivey, of Wilson, Sunday morning. All are cordially invited.—Kinston Free Press.

Mr. Nick Caldwell, of the Poplar Tent neighborhood was in the city yesterday. He had hams and cotton to sell. One of the hams weighed 55 pounds. Such specimens are scarce; but this shows what Mecklenburg can do. Mr. Caldwell made 104 bales of cotton last year.—Charlotte Observer.

The Elizabeth City Economist says: "Tyrrell boasts of a family of five whose combined weight is 975 pounds. It is that of J. A. Hollaway, agent of Pettit's N. C. Line at Hollaway's Pier, and their respective weights are as follows: J. A. Hollaway, 212; Mrs. Hollaway, 189; Miss Hollaway, 189; son, 187; baby boy, 198."

#### Teel-Spain Marriage.

At Mt. Pleasant church, four miles from Greenville, on Wednesday evening, April 29th, at 9 o'clock, Mr. J. A. Teel and Miss Mottie M. Spain, daughter of Mr. S. H. Spain, were married by Rev. J. W. McNamara.

The attendants were W. T. Fleming and Miss Claude Spain, W. S. Briley and Miss Lizzie Spain, J. S. Spain and Miss Elsie Smith, W. J. Briley and Miss Emily Cobb, L. F. Evans and Miss Lucy Briley, J. V. Johnson and Miss Nora Briley, John Bell and Miss Olivia Johnson, L. N. Briley and Miss Viney Ward, William House and Miss Lennie Fleming.

The ushers were Charlie Briley and Andrew Outterbridge.

After the ceremony an elegant supper was served at the home of the groom.

May their wedded life be filled with happiness.

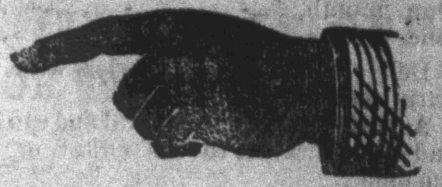
#### Give the Farm a Name.

It has been frequently suggested that great good would result from each farmer placing his name and that of his farm in a conspicuous place on his barn or road gate. Not only would persons driving for the first time to the place more easily find it, but it would add much pleasure and interest to people driving from place to place. This latter result would have especial effect with regard to well kept and pretty houses. An observing person will seldom pass a beautiful farm without a desire to know who is its enterprising owner. If such a practice were general, a marked improvement in the appearance of our farms, and therefore our country, could not fail to result. Every tidy man would feel a heightened interest in making his farm front roadsides, etc., more beautiful, knowing that every passer by would commend him as the owner. It would also have a good effect upon the untidy man's farm, because the contrast between his slovenly place and his neighbor's well-kept home would shame him into fence repairing, tree planting and other lines of improvement. The idea of naming the farm is certainly commendable.—Ex.

The editorial pages of the Review of Reviews for May are especially strong in their treatment of current foreign affairs and international topics. The Cuban war and its relations to Spanish politics, the boundary difficulty between Brazil and French Guiana, other South America matters, the present status of Canadian politics, American policy toward Turkey, the Soudan expedition, England's position among the Powers with reference to Egypt, the British alliance with Italy, Russian interest in Abyssinia, the rising in Matabeleland, and the Budapest Exposition, are subjects which fall within the month's survey and which are intelligently discussed in the Review's department of "The Progress of the World."

At Newport News, Tuesday morning, the Old Dominion steamer Wyanoke, bound from Richmond to New York, collided with the United States cruiser Columbia while the latter lay at anchor. The Wyanoke was badly damaged and sunk half an hour after the collision. She had 107 passengers on board, all of whom are believed to have been saved but lost their baggage and wearing apparel. The Columbia also sustained considerable damage and will have to go to the navy yard for repairs.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 30TH, 1896.

Below we give the minority letter of the Populists who disagreed with Senator Butler in reference to fusion. It will be seen that Col. Skinner signs first, and yet it will be remembered that a few years ago he would not be a candidate for Governor unless he should have the privilege of withdrawing if he should see that a Republican was going to be elected. Now he is in favor of fusion simply for a division of spoils. No man's purpose was ever more manifest than the Colonel's in this desire to fuse. He don't care a snap of your finger for the voters so he is voted in. Watch him. He will never hold many more offices. His own people will repudiate him.

"To the Populists of North Carolina: As members of your central and State executive committee, which convened in Raleigh on the 16th of April, 1896, we desire to make for your information the following statement:

"That at 4 o'clock p. m., the committee held a conference with visiting representative Populists—some 60 or more from the various sections of the State, from which it was evident from the consensus of opinion there expressed that the Populists of North Carolina are opposed to co-operation on the electoral ticket, but are in favor of co-operation with the Republican party on State and local tickets—the Governor being conceded to the Populists. This opinion was based upon the belief that the general results would mean more for silver than a straight fight, which, in the opinion of the subscribers, would mean either the surrender or loss of the results of 1894 or a complete Republican victory which we deprecated. At night, in room 48 in the Park Hotel, there was held an executive meeting of the committee, practically in sentiment as expressed, the committee standing 9 to 8 against co-operation upon any terms that did not pledge the Republicans to vote for the principles of the Populist party and not to vote for any man for any office who would vote for a single standard.

"The subscribing members of your committee contended for what they knew was the consensus of opinion of the afternoon conference and what we believe to be the Populist sentiment of the State. We were overruled by a majority of the committee, and as this is a matter of grave importance to the Populist party, we deem it proper, in justice to ourselves and to the people, and for the purpose of securing harmony in our ranks, to make the simple statement and to refer the matter of co-operation to each county and district and to the Populist State convention for its determination.

(Signed)  
"HARRY SKINNER,  
"CYRUS THOMPSON,  
"J. Y. HAMRICK,  
"THEO. WHITE,  
"J. H. PARKER,  
"Raleigh, N. C., April 17, 1896."

### Cuba Will Have Nothing Short of Freedom.

There has unquestionably been a strong autonomist party in Cuba, favorable to the retention of the Spanish allegiance provided Cuba can be delivered from the horde of Spanish office-holders and from the numerous regiments of Spanish soldiery that are always quartered in Cuba at the expense of Cuban revenues. A year

ago, or even six months ago, it is possible that if Spain could have been induced to grant autonomy, Cuba might have been persuaded to accept it. But now Spain is scarcely likely to consent upon American advice that would seem to savor of duress; and as for the Cubans themselves, they have gone too far to recede voluntarily. They have set their stake for independence, and nothing short of it will suit them. At least from our point of observation, and with such information as we have been able to secure, there would seem to be henceforth no stable equilibrium for Cuba except complete separation from Spain. If the President's intimation to Spain that America desires to mediate should meet with rebuff, it would remain open for President Cleveland to act in accordance with the earnest request of Congress and acknowledge the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents. The quick support of Congress for the President's Venezuelan policy would seem naturally to have inclined the President, by way of returning the compliment, to concur if possible in the Congressional policy respecting Cuba. From "The Progress of the World," in May Review of Reviews.

### Philosophies.

If I was lookin' for a sucker I'd hunt for a feller wot's allus braggin' that he's nobody's fool

It has allus seemed to me to be mighty thin consolation for a poor man to declare that riches don't make happiness.

Somehow or other we don't appear to extract much comfort out of this life as we really order. Perhaps it's because my naybur hain't the man he should be.

The feller who mortgages his farm to buy a pianer fur his house has got to try awful hard to find any music in the strings.

I believe in lovin' my naybur as myself until he begins to kill off my hens. Then I'm goin' to buy lace curtains and upholstered cheers to make him feel as badas he possibly can.

I like to have a man plump up and down with me, even to callin' me a liar. An onsartin man is like a pimple on yer arm; you've got to keep waiting to see what it will develop.

Even if we never say a word to him about it, it is only human natur' to feel sort o' tickled to know that our naybur's fence is two feet over on our line, and we can raise a row any time we want to.

I never yit went to a man and asked him to gimme his advice without I had my mind made up to believe him a fool if he didn't think as I did about it. If he was a lawyer, however, and charged me ten dollars, why, that altered the case.

I've heard a heap o' men talk about luck in my time, and so I fur as have been able to keep track of individuals, those who was hoein' corn for a dollar a day instead of talkin' on the grocery steps have got ahead the fastest.

Now and then you meet a man who has soured on the world and can't see no good in nuthin' nor nobody. In such cases jest size him up and you'll find a chap so all fixed mean that a yaller dog wouldn't foller him.—Ex.

### What War Must Mean for Spain.

Thus when, for really effective purposes of modern naval warfare, our present fleet is compared with that of Spain, it is not extravagant to estimate that ours is quite three or four times as powerful. Our Atlantic squadron alone, now under the command of Rear-Admiral Bunce, would—at least with the aid of two or three other of our swift cruisers,—quite easily suffice to annihilate the Spanish navy. The war, if it were declared, would probably be an extremely brief one, consisting of a naval engagement or two in the general vicinity of Cuba. The encouragement which the Cuban insurgents derive from hostilities between Spain and the United States would enable them to make speedy work with Gen.

eral Weyler's troops. The outcome, then, of a declaration of war by Spain against the United States would seem unquestionable. Spain would lose her navy and would lose Cuba too, in a few disastrous days. Yet it has for months been the opinion of the most competent observers of matters diplomatic and international, that the recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents by our government would be met with a prompt declaration of war on Spain's part. Even Castelar seems ready to fight us.—From "The Progress of the World," in May Review of Reviews.

### Quickly Amercanized.

A county superintendent of schools in northwestern Minnesota, where a fourth of a township is a school district relates a peculiar incident. On a tour of inspection he found one school district that had only one family in it, and the head of that family was a homesteader who was not required to pay taxes. He was of course the school director of that district.

The other lands in the district were owned by speculators who lived in St. Paul and elsewhere, and paid the taxes.

The wife of the homesteader was drawing from the county forty dollars per month as school-teacher, and her only pupils were her own two children. Being asked who appointed her, she replied, "The school director," and being asked who he was, she replied, "My husband."

The husband and wife, school director and school teacher, were Norwegians, and yet there are persons who think that foreigners do not "catch on to our systems" as rapidly as they should.

### Caught the Idea.

Prima Donna—The Morning Dash says my acting is suggestive of the timbre of my voice. What does that mean?

Contralto (viciously)—It means you're a stick.—New York Weekly.

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1 light \$1.00 each per month.  
2 light 90c " " "  
3 light 80c " " "  
4 light 70c " " "  
5 to 9 lights 65c " " "  
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Western Sides	6 to 7
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 60
Corn Meal	50 to 65
Flour, Family	4.25 to 5.00
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 6
Coffee	15 to 25
Salt per Sack	80 to 1 75
Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	10 to 11
Beeswax, per	20

### Cotton and Peanut.

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

COTTON.	
Good Middling	7 15-16
Middling	7 11-15
Low Middling	7 5-15
Good Ordinary	6 1/2
Tone—dull.	

### PEANUTS.

Prime	3 1/2
Extra Prime	3 1/2
"ancy	3 1/2
Spanish	\$1.10 ba
Tone—firm.	

## GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET

### REPORT.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

Tops.—Green	1 to 2 1/2
" Bright	4 to 8
" Red	3 to 4
LUGS—Common	4 to 6
" Good	7 to 15
" Fine	12 to 18
CUTTERS—Common	6 to 11
" Good	12 1/2 to 20
" Fine	15 to 27 1/2

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**TRAINS GOING SOUTH.**

Dated Mar. 14, 1896.	No. 29 Daily.	No. 35 Daily.	No. 41 Daily.
Leave Weldon	A. M. 11 55	P. M. 9 27	A. M.
Ar. Rocky Mt	1 00	10 20	
Lv Tarboro	12 12		
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10 20	6 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11 08	
Lv Selma	2 53		
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 53	
Ar. Florence	7 25	3 00	
	No. 49 Daily.	No. 55 Daily.	No. 61 Daily.
Lv Wilson	P. M. 8 08		A. M. 6 20
Lv Goldsboro	8 10		7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16		8 10
Ar. Wilmington	5 45		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 40	
Lv Fayetteville	10 58	9 40	
Lv Selma	12 32		
Ar. Wils n	1 20	11 35	
	No. 48 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 40 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.	No. 40 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		12 11	
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 3.50 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 8.00 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 6.00 P. M., 8.25 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 a. m.

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., arrive 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 7.30 p. m., Cho 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Cho 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 8.00 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.

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While a gun was being loaded, Bombshell would sit on the parapet and watch the operation. That finished, he would jump up and look out to sea over the range, and then scamper down from the parapet and follow us into the bomb-proof.

As usual, Bombshell was on hand to see the test of the new big gun.

He superintended the loading, and, while I was aiming the gun, he looked over the range as carefully as did the lookout; and from his air of responsibility one might have supposed that to him had been intrusted the duty of seeing that the range was clear.

But when we started for the bomb-proof, instead of following us, as was his custom, Bombshell remained on the parapet, looking out to sea and sniffing the air. In a moment he dashed off through the bushes which covered the narrow beach between the parapet and the sea.

Though thinking his actions peculiar, I was sure that he would not remain in front of the gun, because he had done so once, when quite young and inexperienced, and the burning grains of powder—which are always thrown out by the blast of a gun—had buried themselves in his skin, burning him badly. He had never forgotten this.

Certain that he would take care of himself, I paid no further attention to him, but went with the others into the bomb-proof, and took my place by the electric key, ready to fire at the command of the captain.

Just as the command "Fire" was about to be given, Bombshell reappeared on the parapet and began to bark furiously into the very muzzle of the gun.

I called to him, but he would not come. Annoyed at the delay of the test, I tried to catch him, but could not do so. As I approached he retreated, still barking and apparently urging me to follow him.

Finally, convinced from the dog's actions that something was wrong, the electric wire was disconnected from the gun, and I followed Bombshell. Wagging his tail with joy at having accomplished his object, he led me through the underbrush to the beach.

There, concealed behind a clump of bushes, were two little children quietly digging in the sand and entirely unconscious of the danger in which they had been.—Lieut. John C. W. Brooks, in St. Nicholas.

**MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.**

—Philadelphia in area is one of the largest cities in the world, having 129 1-3 square miles.

—The butcher has 978 patents which may be employed or not, as he chooses, in his business. Most of them are devices used in the large pork packing establishments.

—The common house fly is said to be provided with 16,000 eyes; that is to say, his two compound eyes have each 8,000 facets. By this singular arrangement he is enabled to see in every direction, and to elude with great skill and success the many dangers that threaten his daily existence.

—Peter Dorsey, a negro, who said he was 140 years old, died at Tallahassee a few days ago. He looked as if he might be as old as he said, but most likely he was not. He was undoubtedly a very old man, however, and his neighbors figured that he was, at any rate, far past the century mark.

—Maine's labor commissioner has been gathering statistics on the cost of living in that state. He figures that the average daily cost of living is 31 cents a day for each individual in the average family. The cost of living to single men, boarding, is 46 cents. These figures cover rent, fuel and light.

—Curly hair indicates exuberant vitality, the curl being caused by the heat or electricity which pervades the system. Straight hair mostly denotes more evenness of character. Coarse hair mostly accompanies large muscles, and would thus suggest physical strength, while fine hair denotes refinement, sensitiveness and effeminate tastes and feelings. Very sensitive people have excessively fine hair, and their eyelashes always correspond.

—Perhaps the oddest pet a man ever had is a shark, seven feet long and weighing probably 250 pounds, which is owned, in a sense, by G. W. Fife, of Tacoma, Wash. The shark was harpooned in the bay off Tacoma by Mr. Fife and towed to his boat house. It was not badly injured, so Mr. Fife passed a chain cable round its tail and tied it up to the pier. It was still alive up to last accounts, was feeding heartily, and was apparently becoming accustomed, if not reconciled, to captivity.

—Some idea of the extent of the coyote nuisance in the west may be got from the experience of one sheepman of Fossil, Ore. Since last fall, when the sheep were brought down from the mountains, the coyotes have killed about 100 of them. One night recently a herder left about 30 sheep out overnight, and when he went to hunt for them in the morning he found 23 dead, their throats torn by the coyotes, and coyotes were chasing the remaining seven. In Crook county this sheepman has lost \$200 in three months by the coyote raids on his flocks.

**GOING UP-STAIRS.**

**To Do This Gracefully Is to Be Accomplished.**

The woman who finds herself at the top of a flight of stairs, breathless and exhausted, gasping and blowing in a distressing manner, has undergone an awful physical strain. The heart and the stomach have been made to do double duty, that of the lungs and their own combined, with more often only one-half of the room required to do it in, from the compressing force of the stays. Consequently, one of the most graceful actions that a woman is called on most often to illustrate is transformed, by the ignorance of a few rules of physical culture, into one of the most ludicrous and sorry sights imaginable.

The woman who clutches her skirts in front midway between the hip and the knee beads her body from the hips almost in a bow and drags up, laboriously exhausting her vital energies at every step, is making a foolish and a ridiculous mistake, for which she suffers severely long before arriving at the top.

One of the handsomest pictures painted of feminine beauty is that of a lovely woman ascending a fine, old staircase. Her slender figure is gracefully erect, her lovely face on the column-like throat turned half over her shoulder. The arms are bare, and droop with perfectly natural grace to her knees, where the silken skirts are daintily lifted to allow the free play of tiny, slippered feet. The lady is in the act of ascending, and seems to float upward, the personification of grace itself.

One imagines that he can see her catch her silken skirt at either knee, lifting it just to the ankle, expand her chest, hold her shoulders well back and her arms down. Then the slender body rests squarely on the hips, not dragging forward, and, standing perfectly erect, she glides upward, easily and gracefully.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

**Domino Evening Cloak.**

The latest make of evening cloak recalls the domino style, well plaited in at the back, so that the base is wide and ample. These plaits have to be diminished and arranged in a most clever way on the lining that supports them to prevent the back looking clumsy. Immense hanging sleeves, wide enough to take in any other kind of sleeve, add to the voluminous appearance of the garment. An elegant one worn by a marquise at the fetes given to the king of Portugal was of yellow lampas broche, with silver, lined with ermine, and revers of the same fur, showing in front a long white satin gilet covered with point d'Angletierre. The same lace was quilted inside the ermine-lined sleeves, falling on the arms in a most becoming

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**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.**  
 Generally fair to-night and Friday.

**MUD CAKES.**  
 These Don't Have to be Laid in the Sun to Dry.

Last day of April.  
 White Onion Sets at S. M. Schultz.  
 There was a good rain this afternoon.  
 Iced Drinks at J. L. Starkey & Bro's.  
 The river is in good shape for fishing again.  
 When you want a real good smoke to Morris Meyer.

We don't hear of any May day picnic for tomorrow.  
 Best 5 cent Cigars in town at J. L. Starkey & Bro's.  
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Registration books for the town election opened to day.  
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**SPECIAL SALE**—Eight head of Young Horses and Mules will positively be sold without reserve on Saturday, May 2nd, 1896, to close business.  
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 The Greenville Bank opened for business today. See advertisement.

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 It is estimated that Florida will devote 10,000 acres to tobacco culture this year.  
 Don't forget that the best Cigar in town is "Sporting Club," at the O. D. Brick Store.  
 The negro who escaped from the convict gang yesterday morning has not been captured. A telegram was sent to the State farm for blood hounds but they did not come.  
 Write it on the work-house gate,  
 Write it on the school-boy's slate,  
 Write it on the copy-book,  
 That the young may on it look:  
 Where there's drink there's danger.  
 Selected.  
 Just at this time it seems pretty hard to preserve the parity between some of the Populists holding office and those Populists who are not in office.—Progressive Farmer.  
 Exactly so. What they all want is to get in.

## Some This Way, Some That Way—Read the List.

J. A. Dupree went to Norfolk to day.  
 Owen Dail, of Snow Hill, was here today.  
 J. Z. Brooks, of Grifton, spent to-day here.  
 W. S. Grier, of Baltimore is here looking as happy as ever.  
 Mrs. Zeno Moore is visiting her father in Edgecombe county.  
 Dr. C. J. O'Hagan went to Hamilton to-day on professional business.  
 B. E. Parham returned Wednesday evening from Durham and Raleigh.  
 Silas Shelburn, a prominent tobacco warehouseman of Richmond, is here.  
 J. E. Alexander, of Elizabeth City, spent last night here looking after the Republican fences.

Our Poet, Cardenas and Golden Seal Cigars at Jesse W. Brown's.

The News and Observer says the Democrats of Pitt have selected "a day hallowed by patriotic deeds" to hold their county convention—May 20th. And Pitt will show her patriotism on that day, too.

The editor of the Salisbury Herald says that he never heard a Democrat speak against silver in his life, and he has heard hundreds of Democrats speak in his time. Neither has any other man in North Carolina until 1896, nor will he hear such speeches after the Chicago convention.—Raleigh News and Observer.

**Second Ward Meeting.**  
 The Democratic voters of the Second Ward of the town of Greenville are requested to meet in the Mayor's office, on Friday night, May 1st, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Councilman.  
 ALEX. L. BLOW, Chm.

**Fourth Ward Meeting.**  
 The Democratic voters of the Fourth Ward of the town of Greenville are requested to meet in the Court House on Friday night, May 1st, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Councilman.  
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## Marriages for April.

Register of Deeds King issued eighteen marriage licenses during the month of April, seven of which were for white couples and eleven for colored.  
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**The Hen Preferred an Elevation.**  
 A Wyandotte hen belonging to Mr. Jao. H. Adams, of Bowling Green, has a head of her own and invents strange ways of doing things. She was raised as a house chicken and was expected of course to put on a little more style than the common fowl hatched under the corn-crib and brought up with nothing more than barn-lot manners, but it was not expected that she would have such original ideas about laying and sitting. When she was old enough to think of keeping house for herself she began laying but not in a nest. She perched herself on a pole about seven feet from the ground and laid her setting of eggs from that position. Strange as anything else is the fact that none of the eggs were broken by the fall but were all gathered up. When she was ready to sit she sat on the pole. As this seemed to be a slow process, a box was nailed up near the pole, a nest was made, some fresh eggs put in, and Miss Wyandotte invited to take a seat and make herself at home. This she did at once, seeming proud to know that she had caught on to the correct way.—Gastonia Gazette.

On May 8th there will be an excursion from Grindool to Rocky Mount.  
 April was not much of a month for showers this year. It rained the first day and the last day, but apart from this and the heavy rains of last Friday it could be called a dry month.

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