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**BOMB SUIT
NO. 1.**

SPECIAL SALE

**"FRUIT OF THE LOOM" BLEACHING
ON A 7 YARD WIDE.**

6 1-2 Cents a Yard

CASH OVER THE COUNTER.

C. T. Mumford.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Condensed Report of Proceedings.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

SENATE.

The senate met at 10:30 o'clock. Bills and resolutions were introduced as follows:

Moye, to provide that the auditor require a certificate from the proper officers that work has been faithfully performed by employes of the legislature.

Grant, to stimulate local taxation in rural districts.

Hardison, to protect the people of the state from diseases in second-hand clothing; also to prohibit the sale of liquor under police supervision.

Butler, to increase the duties of the railroad commission in relation to the interstate commerce commission.

Hardison, to increase the public school fund in the state.

Person, to increase the public school fund from fees in the secretary of state's office.

Alexander, to incorporate the American Trust and Saving Company.

Clark, to authorize mayors in towns and cities to solemnize marriage ceremonies.

HOUSE.

The house met at 10 o'clock.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Hauser, to prohibit fish traps in Neuse river.

Sutton, to provide that the existence of a life estate in any land shall not be a bar to sale for partition of such land.

Dockery, to allow Richmond county to issue bonds to pay its floating debt.

Weyms, to allow Cumberland county to hire out its convicts.

Dockery, to amend the charter of Laurinburg so the commissioners and officers shall be elected by the people on the first Tuesday in May.

The bill to allow Edgecombe county to issue \$16,000 in bonds and to levy a special tax to pay for bridges came up on its third reading. An amendment was adopted that the bonds shall not be exempt from taxation. The bill passed.

A bill passed amending the act creating the colored normal school at Fayetteville and naming new trustees, and managers who shall have full control and shall appoint principal and teachers, school to have its pro rata of all school money from any source and not to be removed from Fayetteville.

The bill passed to amend the charter of Edenton was taken up. It divides the town into seven wards instead of four, the aldermen to elect the chief of police.

NIGHT MESSAGE.

The house met at 7:30 o'clock and at once took up bills. The following passed:

To give the active firemen of Wilmington exemption from poll tax, this applying to those who answer not less than 50 per cent. of the alarms.

To amend the charter of the Roanoke Water Power and Navigation Company.

To allow Harnett county to issue bonds and levy a special tax. To allow Pamlico county to levy a special tax.

To allow the commissioners of Craven county to issue bonds, amounting to \$35,000 and levy a tax to meet the interest and create a sinking fund, the bonds to be used in paying for bridges across Neuse and Trent rivers.

To protect deer and partridges in Dare county.

The speaker added Mr. Hancock to the committee on salaries and Mr. Duncan to the committee on penal institutions.

BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., Feb. 3d, 1897.

Henry C. Bridgers, of Tarboro, was in town today on legal business.

Presiding Elder B. R. Hall held quarterly meeting here yesterday in the M. E. church.

Z. F. Highsmith has opened a jewelry shop here.

Alex L. Blow was here Tuesday on business.

The young people of town and community have organized a "literary circle" to meet at the Academy every Friday night. They elected the following officers: President, D. C. Moore; vice president, Mr. White; secretary, B. R. Whitehead; assistant secretary and treasurer, Thos. J. Moore.

Must Have Unmarried Daughters.

Mr. Ensley has introduced a bill in the House that it passed will hit a great many in Greenville a terrible blow. It reads as follows: "To promote marriage in the State, declaring all unmarried men aged 24 bachelors, who shall be taxed \$10 for the first year of bachelorhood and the tax be doubled each succeeding year, the tax to go to the school fund." "Coot" says that Mr. Ensley has certainly got a lot of old maid daughters and wants to get them off his hands. It might be so, but oh my, won't it hit a gang in this town? We know some bachelors here who are at least forty years old.

Three Shop Items.

The sidewalk loafer who doesn't know just how a country newspaper ought to be run is yet to be discovered.

Newspapers are published for pleasure and profit. When the profit stops there is precious little pleasure in the enterprise, and it is speedily abandoned.

An experienced publisher never worries because a man is dissatisfied with something that has appeared in the paper. He knows that the paragraph which offends one person will in all likelihood please twenty.—Press and Printer.

Performance at 8:30.

The performance of the Swiss Bell Rings in Germania Hall tonight will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock. Forty-five seats will be reserved without extra charge, and can be secured at Baker & Hart's store. In any circumstances will keep you from the hall until just in time for the performance you better go at once and have your seats reserved.

Keep Your Money at Home.

Some people in Greenville got caught in the collapse of the building and loan associations at Knoxville, Tenn. Such instances as this, and the way some folks here got fixed in the Oxford land swindle a few years ago, ought to learn them that home investments are the best.

Yesterday Mr. W. L. Brown, insurance agent, settled the damage to the John Flanagan Buggy Co's building sustained by the fire Sunday afternoon. A settlement in three days after a loss is very prompt work.

Hope Fire Company has sent an application for a charter to the Legislature.

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GOODS

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3 Plush Capes worth \$5 and \$6 at your own price.

6 Cloth Capes worth \$2 for \$1.50

6 Cloth Capes worth \$2.50 for \$1.75.

DRESS GOODS.

Not a great big lot, but big values. 8 Dress Patterns, fancy mohair, worth \$4.50 now \$3.45.

4 patterns of brown and blue, green and black, worth \$8 now \$6

Remnants in wool Dress Goods, skirt and dress lengths at your own price.

Ladies Fleece-lined Vest 25 cts
Pants to match 25 cts.

Lace curtains, white, 2 1/2 yard long, worth 75 cts for 50 cts. yards long, worth \$1 for 72 cts.

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, sold everywhere for 25 cts, you can have it for 15 cents.

Linen Collars, latest style 13 cts
Cuffs to match 20 cts.

Gents Wool Underwear, \$2.50 grade for \$2, \$2 grade for \$1.65.
Drawers to match 82 1/2.

Boys Suits, all-wool, \$4 suits for \$3. \$3.50 suits for \$3. \$2 suits for \$1.45.

Big lot of Cheap Pants at your own price.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1897.

THE NATIONAL

TOBACCO GROWERS' AND DEALERS CONVENTION AT OCALA, FLA.

THE WORK DONE.

AS Important Gathering of Tobacco Men From all Sections of the Union.

THE CITY'S HOSPITALITY

And a most Charming and Delightful Pastime in the Land of Sunshine where Butterflies in Mid-Winter Chase one another from Field to Meadow and where Southern Sunbeams ever Glisten in their Most Replen-dant Glory.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

The Tobacco Growers and Dealers Convention which met at Ocala, Fla., January 12, 1897, was an important gathering in more than one particular. Very few, if any, of the delegates outside the State of Florida had any conception of the objects of the meeting when they went into convention. The delegates were appointed by the Governors of the various states by request of the Governor of Florida to attend a convention of tobacco growers and dealers at Ocala, Jan. 12th, and promptly at 12 o'clock on that date the President of the Board of Trade of Ocala, Mr. F. A. Tegue, called the convention to order.

After reading the call for convention by the Governor, he stated that the objects of the convention was to induce immigration to Florida and interest the people of the State in growing cigar tobacco. He then introduced Col. W. D. Chipley, of Pensacola, as temporary chairman.

Col. Chipley spoke for twenty minutes on the diversified resources of Florida. He said in the winter of 1895 in one night by a severe freeze the people of Florida lost five million dollars in orange groves and since that time, while the orange industry was their main dependence, the people had pulled themselves together and from one industry to another they had managed to get along and make a comfortable living, and now, said he, while the freeze of 1895 was far reaching and severe in its effect, yet after all, in his judgment, it was a blessing in disguise

and doubly so now since the down trodden Cuban patriots, struggling for liberty had been forced to leave their tobacco fields and take up their sword for their country, and the strong demand for Cuban tobacco had caused experiments to be made with it in Florida which in every case has proven highly successful. Thus, said he, Cuba's misfortune is Florida's opportunity.

After him came the Mayor's address of welcome. He said to the delegates and visitors to the Convention that the latch string to the door of Ocala's hospitality hung at the boundary lines of Florida, and on the part of the citizens of Ocala he extended one and all a most cheerful and heartfelt welcome.

Dr. Jenkins, vice Director of the Connecticut experiment station responded in behalf of the visiting delegates. His speech of ten minutes impressed us as being the most unique, clear cut and pretty that we ever listened to. A man of graceful movements and firm, quick yankee accent he was interrupted at the end of almost every sentence with uproars of laughter and applause.

He said: "No one except those that have experienced it can have any idea of the keen pleasure that it affords to be transported, so to speak, in one night's time from the bitter, cold, keen, cutting, snow laden winds of the northern lakes to the balmy, bracing southern breezes of the flowery reefed lakes of Florida. Why, I had no idea of the immensity of your State. In one of your beautiful lakes my little State, Connecticut (God bless her, I love her better than all the bal-nice of creation) could be sunk and you would never know it was there except for the fine wooden nut megs that might be seen floating around the top."

After this the permanent organization was effected and a committee on business was appointed to map out the work of the convention.

The main work consisted in discussions by delegates mainly from different sections of Florida on the cigar tobacco industry of the State.

Prior to the civil war tobacco was one of the leading monetary crops of middle Florida, but for some cause its culture never spread and while since that time in different sections of the State small crops of it have been grown not until the last few years has much attention been given it. Two causes have been potent in leading to the present boom in the tobacco industry. The severe freeze of 1894-95 almost literally destroyed the orange industry which at that time had assumed enormous proportions and cost the orange growers, according to good authority, between five and six million dollars.

Discouraged and disheartened at their almost destitute condition they began to look for other resources from which to make a support.

About this time the cruel ravages of the Cuban war had driven many of the Cuban tobacco planters from their farms, thus very materially decreasing the production of Cuban tobacco.

A few prominent tobacco planters not caring to participate in the war came over to Florida to experiment in Cuban tobacco. The result of their trials have been highly satisfactory and during last year there were a number of crops planted in different sections of the State which were sold at very satisfactory prices, even under the disadvantage of the first year's experiment. These have induced numbers of others to engage in tobacco culture this year and no doubt the industry will prove a profitable and permanent one as the territory is so small in which tobacco is grown that there is no danger in over stocking the market.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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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 1/2
Middling	6 3/4
Low Middling	6 1/4
Good Ordinary	5 13-16
Tone—steady.	
PEANUTS.	
Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/2
Maney	2 3/4
Spanish	60 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	4 1/2 to 5
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12
Corn	40 to 65
Corn Meal	50 to 65
Flour, Family	5.50 to 6.20
Lard	6 1/2 to 7
Oats	35 to 4
Sugar	4 to
Coffee	13 to 2
Salt per Sack	75 to 1 1/2
Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	1 1/2
Beeswax, per	20



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Mr. A. M. Ramsey, of De Leon, Texas, was a sufferer from Catarrh in its worst form. Truly, his description of his sufferings seem little short of marvelous. Instead of seeking his couch, glad for the night's coming, he went to it with terror, realizing that another long, weary, wakeful night and a struggle to breathe was before him.

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I have not slept on either side for two years; in fact, I dreaded to see night come. Now I sleep soundly in any position all night.
 I am 50 years old, but expect soon to be able to take hold of the plow handles. I feel glad that I was lucky enough to get P. P. P., and I heartily recommend it to my friends and the public generally.

Yours respectfully,
 A. M. RAMSEY.
 THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Comanche, } ss.
 Before the undersigned authority, on this day, personally appeared A. M. Ramsey, who, after being duly sworn, says on oath that the foregoing statement made by him relative to the virtue of P. P. P. medicine, is true.
 A. M. RAMSEY.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this, August 4th, 1897.
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The Bank of Greenville,
 GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of Condition December 17th, 1896.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$40,456.36	Capital paid in	\$23,000.00
Due from Banks	38,263.30	Undivided Profits	3,045.54
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00	Deposits	81,787.50
Current Expenses	1,764.75	Due Banks	1,131.87
Premium on Stock	1,000.00	Time Certificates	1,255.00
Cash Items	7,792.60	Cashiers Checks	1,480.50
Cash	20,923.58		
Total	\$111,700.59	Total	\$111,700.5

Accounts Received. Correspondence Invited.

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MONDAY SEPT. 7, 1897

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 Higher " " " \$3 00
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 The work and discipline of the school will be as heretofore.
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AND FLORENCE RAIL ROAD,
Columbian schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Nov. 15th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Weldon	11 55	9 44		
Ar. Roeyk Mt	1 00	10 39		
Lv Tarboro	12 12			
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10		5 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11		6 20
Lv Selma	2 53			
Lv Fayetteville	4 36	1 07		
Ar. Florence	7 25	3 4		
	No. 49 Daily.			
Lv Wilson	2 08			6 20
Lv Goldsboro	3 10			7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16			8 10
Ar Wilmington	5 43			9 45
	P. M.			A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Nov. 1, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	N. O. Daily.
Lv Florence	8 40	7 40	
Lv Fayetteville	11 10	9 40	
Lv Selma	12 37		
Ar Wilson	1 20	11 35	
	No. 48 Daily.		
Lv Wilmington	9 25		7 00
Lv Magnolia	10 52		8 30
Lv Goldsboro	12 01		9 36
Ar Wilson	1 00		10 27
Lv Tarboro	3 48		
	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	
Lv Wilson	1 20	11 35	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 leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.2 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Hall x at 11.00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 a. m. except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrive Parrale 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parrale 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., 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 on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clie 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clie 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, 11.0 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.

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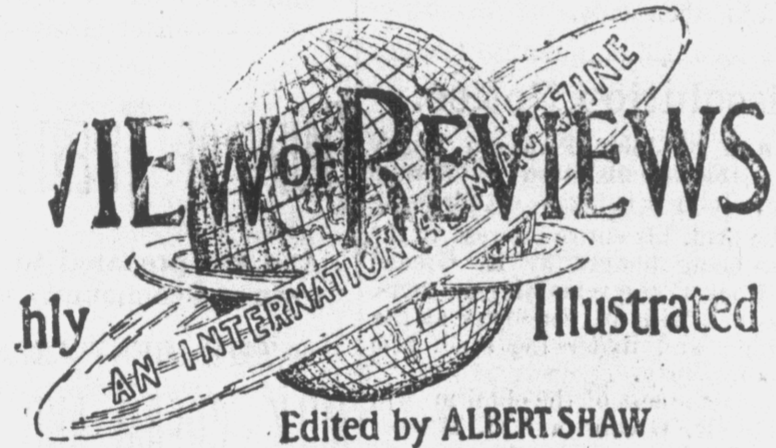
A Chance For Life.
Much curiosity is directed toward Henri Rochefort's "Adventures of My Life." Something of an Ishmaelite, as he is, M. Rochefort's life has been a long skirmish. The following passage gives some idea of the risk he once ran:
"For more than a quarter of a century," he says in his preface, "I have been like a man on a switch-back railway, continually plunged from the highest summits into the darkest depths. A few months after the day when the populace threw down the Sainte-Pelagie doors to liberate me and carry me in triumph to take my seat in the national defense government, I was dragged to Versailles in chains and threatened with death. For a whole hour I was paraded in the streets of the city like another Pougatcheff, and I can still bring to my mind's eye the figure of an old man, attired in a closely buttoned frock coat, who waved a red umbrella and started in the direction of the procession. 'It's Rochefort! Play him alive this time!'"

A Shoemaker Prince.
In addition to Hans Sachs, the shoemaker poet, and Tolstoi, the shoemaker novelist, there is now, according to The Woman at Home, a shoemaker prince, Albert Edward, prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall, duke of Rothesay, count of Chester, etc.—in short, the heir apparent to the throne of Great Britain. It appears, says the journal just named, that the queen of England and the prince consort desired that each of their children should learn from the beginning some useful trade. The Prince of Wales chose shoemaking and soon acquired such perfection in the art that his handiwork became the pride of his fellow cobbler, as it was the envy of gentlemen of fashion. The prince has never attempted to conceal his talent and does not fail even today to pass with a critical eye upon the shoes sent him by the furnishers. And that is why Albert Edward is the best shod gentleman in England.

An Ape's Superstition.
Chief Utan, the auburn haired orang outang at the zoo, is very superstitious, and his convictions with regard to straws are not limited to the mere fact that they tell how the wind blows. The chief believes that chewing a straw with certain supernatural qualities will bring his dinner hour around before 1 o'clock, the regular time, and he daily tries to put this theory into practice. From among the heaps of straw in his cage he selects with great care the longest and straightest, and after having placed it in his mouth he goes to the glass front of the cage and shading his eyes with his hand peers to the right and left in search of the keeper with his dinner. If the keeper is not in sight, the chief throws the straw away as not possessing sufficient "charm" and selects another. This performance is repeated over and over with the utmost gravity until the meal arrives.

Air Used by a Human Being.
Dr. Radcliffe Hall makes the following interesting calculation on the amount of air a human being of the average size and proportions will consume in the space of one minute when in repose, and also when in the different degrees of activity. When at rest, we consume 500 cubic inches of air per minute; if we walk at the rate of one mile an hour, we use 800; two miles, 1,000; three miles an hour, 1,600; four miles an hour, 2,300. If we start out and run six miles in an hour, we will consume 3,000 cubic inches of air during every minute of that time.—St. Louis Republic.

Ancient Bracelets.
Among the Greeks bracelets were worn only by women, but among the Romans they were regarded as a military decoration, and in monumental inscriptions the number of bracelets conferred on the subject is often stated. They were of thin plates of bronze or gold. Sometimes gold wires spirally wound were used. Some bracelets weighing 20 ounces have been found.



THE REVIEW OF REVIEWS
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Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

MARKETS.

By Telegraph.)

NEW YORK COTTON.

	OPEN'G.	HIGH'ST.	LOW'ST.	CLOSE.
Mar.	7.07	7.08	7.04	7.04
May	7.20	7.21	7.17	7.17

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WHEAT—				
May	74½	75½	74½	75½
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May	7.57½	7.57½	7.55	7.57½
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May	3.87½	3.87½	3.87½	3.87½

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair tonight and Thursday.

FAXANFANCIES.

Don't Put any ifs in This Month.

The weather has cleared up fine once more.

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The John Flanagan Buggy Co., has dissolved copartnership. Notice appears in this issue.

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Notice.

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MORRIS MEYER.

FROLICHSOME FOLKS.

They Step Lively During February Weather.

Ashley Wilson is sick.

W. G. Lang, of Farmville, was in town today.

H. W. Whedbee returned home Wednesday evening.

J. S. C. Benjamin is quite sick at his home in Forbestown.

Ex-Senator W. R. Williams, of Falkland, was here today.

Mr. Johns, assistant railroad agent at Ayden, was here today.

Mrs. R. B. Whitehead (nee Miss May Harris), of Wilson, arrived Wednesday evening to visit friends here.

Mrs. R. M. Hearne and little son, of Washington, arrived Wednesday evening to visit her parents at Riverside Nursery.

St. Valentine's day and the 4th of July both come on Sunday this year.

The Swiss Bell Ringers arrived on the morning train and will give their entertainment in Germania Hall tonight.

A conference meeting will be held in the Baptist church tonight at which the presence of every member is requested.

Polk Miller, the noted southern lecturer, will deliver a lecture in Greenville sometime next month. Our people may expect a rare treat.

A California publisher has established a journal called The Man. Before the first edition was off the press 1,100 old maids had paid a year's subscription in advance.

The question is being asked, what good is the Greenville stock law? From the way hogs and cattle have possession of the town it looks like the law is good for them only.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of John Flanagan Buggy Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, John Flanagan withdrawing from the firm, his entire interest in the business being bought by R. Greene and O. Hooker, the remaining partners. The business will be conducted at the same stand and under the same firm name as formerly.

The indebtedness of the old firm will be paid by R. Greene and O. Hooker with whom all persons owing the old firm will settle.

This 2nd day of February 1897,
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R. GREENE,
O. HOOKER.

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