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## WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan. 24, 98.

The Democrats in the House believe that Cuba deserves recognition at the hands of this government; the Republicans, whatever they believe, voted this week to a man to help Spain, by a continuation of the do-nothing policy. And in addition, Mr. Dingley, the Republican floor leader, admitted that the Cuban question was a partisan question. Surely the Democratic party could not ask for more good campaign material to be given them in a single week by their opponents. If the Democrats get the votes of all who believe that it is the right and duty of this country to end the war in Cuba by aiding the Cubans to gain their independence, at the Congressional elections, they will get about three-fourths of the entire vote of the country. Mr. Dingley may dare to make opposition to doing anything to help Cuba the platform upon which he will appeal for votes in his own district, to be returned to Congress but there are few Republicans in the House who will dare to do the same. But no matter what these men may do or say at home they cannot escape the record they have this week made by voting down the Democratic amendments to the Consular and Diplomatic bill, declaring for recognition of Cuba by this government. Let that record be kept before the voters.

The administration in its anxiety to keep down the appropriations in order to wipe out the Treasury deficit has made one mistake that may give it considerable trouble. That is, in reducing the number of letter-carriers in cities. There was some plain talk on this subject in the Senate from Republican Senators. Senator Hoar said: "It is absolutely intolerable that this great branch of the public service should stop or be crippled. Many of the smaller cities of the country are to be deprived practically of mail delivery facilities, and it is time that something be done to avoid serious business embarrassment." And Senator Allison said: "The point is, that the Postmaster General has presented estimates to Congress too low to cover the expenses of his department." The cut in the appropriation for the District of Columbia, which has no representatives in Congress to make a fuss about it, is the deepest of all the amount being nearly two million and a half dollars less than the estimate of the Commissioner, and more than half a million less than the appropriation for the current fiscal year. All of this cutting is done for the purpose of enabling the Republicans to make a good showing in the Congressional campaign of this year, regardless of the inconvenience it may cause.

The slowness of the debate in the Senate on the treaty for the annexation of Hawaii has not prevented its reaching an acute stage, and there may be some sensational developments before it is ended. The bringing of the President of Hawaii to Washington by the administration, for there is little doubt that Mr. Dole

came to the United State at the request, direct or implied, of Mr. McKinley, is being somewhat harshly criticized and many believe that his presence in Washington will be much more likely to make votes against annexation than for it. It is admitted by Senators who favor annexation that they have not yet secured a sufficient number of votes to ratify the treaty; Senators who oppose it say they never will.

The Republicans did not succeed in their efforts to have the old Stanley Matthews resolution declaring all United States bonds payable in silver dollars, at the option of the government, which was introduced by Senator Teller, pigeon-holed. The Finance committee has favorably reported the resolution to the Senate and there isn't the slightest doubt that it will be adopted with a number of votes to spare when it is voted upon, nor is there any doubt of its being pushed to a vote. It is in charge of Senator Vest.

The quarterly meeting of the executive committee of the American Bimetallic Union was held in Washington, this week, for the purpose of taking the preliminary steps for participation in the Congressional campaign of this year. Gen. A. J. Warner, of Ohio, tendered his resignation as President of the Union, on account of bad health, but was persuaded to withdraw it on the promises of members of the committee that they would take up his work while he took a long rest and tried to regain his health. The committee will prepare and issue literature opposing the arguments put forward to support of the Gage currency bill. It will also issue a full and exhaustive reply to the report of the Indianapolis Monetary Commission. The committee was also enlarged and now consists of one member from each State and Territory and the District of Columbia.

The election of a silver chairman and a silver secretary was the convincing answers of the Democratic Congressional Campaign committee to the thousand and one tomfool stories that have been told about the possibility of its doing otherwise.

Fine weather for starting farm work, and the farmers are making good use of it.

## AT THE CHURCHES.

### Where You Can Worship Sunday

Methodist church—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. N. M. Watson.

Baptist church—Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. A. W. Setzer

Episcopal church—Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.

Presbyterian church—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

Christian church—At Mrs. Forbes school house, preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. J. J. Harper.

South Greenville Sunday-school at 4 P. M. D. D. Hasket, Superintendent.

### Hancock Must Go.

Newbern, N. C., Jan. 19.—The good people of this city feel deeply indebted to you for the prompt and continued exposure of the Hancock-Abbott seduction case. The better class of our people hope Governor Russell will drive from place every man who so far forgets himself as to be guilty of conduct that is a disgrace to our civilization.

Our whole community is in a fever waiting for the governor to act. Why should he wait a moment? The girl, Miss Abbott, has told him by letter under her own signature that her seduction by Hancock under the circumstances alleged are true.

If Gov. Russell only knew how our people feel about this matter, he would act at once, and displace Hancock.

Don't let the matter rest until something is done.

Hancock must go. If the authorities will not help us, must we be driven to help ourselves?—Raleigh News and Observer.

### Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds Perkins issued eight marriage licenses this week, four for white couples and four for colored.

#### WHITE.

J. W. Elks and Mary A. Smith.  
J. S. Rollins and Lula Worsley.  
B. F. Tugwell and Alice Moore.  
W. B. Allen and Molly Davenport.

#### COLORED.

James Reeves and Priscilla Foreman.  
Israel Austin and Victoria Wilson.  
J. T. Williamson and Esther May.  
Abner Wilks and Rowena Daniel.

### Free Seed

The free seed distribution under the auspices of the Government is now in full blast. The noon mail today was loaded down with packages sent by Congressman Skinner to the people of this section. They serve as a reminder that it is getting time to be looking after the garden.

IF YOU ARE

## CAUGHT IN A COLD WAVE.

Without being properly clad means a case of grip or pneumonia, possibly, at this season of the year. Cold weather has no terrors for those wearing one of our handsome Melton Kersey or Beaver



## OVERCOATS.

If you want stylish

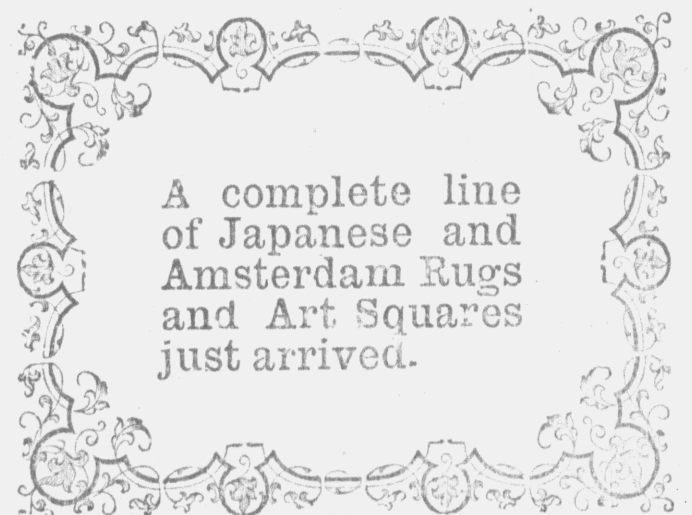
## CLOTHING

that is perfect in fit as well as warm and comfortable, come to us and we will fix you up in swell style.

## FRANK WILSON

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## Lang's Cash House.



A complete line of Japanese and Amsterdam Rugs and Art Squares just arrived.

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### GENTS FURNISHINGS,

ever put on sale in the city. We have a few odds and ends that are specially low. Come and see them before they are gone.

## RICKS & TAFT.

## GENERAL

### MERCHANDISE.

### The Place to Buy

We keep a full and complete line of General Merchandise and you can find anything you may want. Give us a trial, you will be sure to call again. The prices suit everybody.

Alfred Forbes.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1898.

The Manufacturers' Record of this week calls attention to the remarkable development of the South's export trade, which is emphasized by a summary of the statistics of breadstuff shipments for the year 1897 as compared with 1896. The total shipments of corn, wheat, oats and flour from five leading Southern ports aggregated 167,038,972 bushels, against 128,861,847 bushels in 1896. The total increase was 39,077,125 bushels. The total value of the exports of all breadstuffs from the leading ports of the country for 1897 was \$243,121,108, a gain over 1896 of \$66,900,000. At these five Southern ports the total for 1897 was 89,055,052, against \$58,177,834, being an increase of \$31,877,168. Thus of a total gain from the entire country of \$66,900,000 nearly one-half or \$31,877,168 was from five southern ports. Making a comparison by percentages, the increase from these five Southern ports was 55 7-10 per cent, against 23 5-10 per cent for all other ports.

Of industrial enterprises reported for the week the two most important ones look to the development of extensive water-powers—one at Atlanta, Ga., with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, and one at Columbus, Ga., with a capital stock of \$100,000. Each company will develop from 10,000 to 12,000 horse-power for electrical transmission to be used in manufacturing enterprises in and around these cities. The Atlanta enterprise has secured the co-operation of some capitalists in New York largely interested in mineral undertakings throughout the country.

During the week there was reported the organization of a \$100,000 steamship company to operate a line of steamers from Port Arthur, Texas, to Mexico ports, large contracts for freight to Mexico having already made.

Among the new industrial enterprises reported during the week were a \$60,000 cotton manufacturing company at Fayetteville, N. C.; a \$30,000 iron foundry at Rome, Ga.; \$150,000 gold mining company at Daconega, Ga.; large machine-tool works at Covington, Ky.; \$100,000 brewery at New Orleans, La.; \$600,000 telephone company at New Orleans; \$100,000 window-glass factory at Baltimore; \$250,000 corundum mining company to operate in Clay county, North Carolina; \$100,000 steamship line company at Port Arthur, Texas; two \$5,000 telephone companies at Lexington, Va., and a \$10,000 oil-development company at Sistersville, W. Va.

There are said to be employed in the national banks of this country 499 women; and the number is increasing. There are a few banks in this country which are managed by women, and they are well managed, too. One of the most skillful money handlers, and one of the best judges of money in the U. S. Treasury Department in Washington, is a woman, and she sometimes throws out counterfeit after they have passed the scrutiny of other experts.

### Suicide Forfeits Insurance.

Justice Harlan, in the United States Supreme Court in Washington, handed down yesterday an opinion holding that beneficiaries of the policy of an insured person who commits suicide when of sound mind cannot recover on an ordinary policy. The case at issue was that of A. Howard Ritter as executor of William M. Runk, against the Mutual Life Insurance Company of this city. Runk, a citizen of Philadelphia, on November 5, 1891, took out a \$75,000 policy in the Mutual Life. It appeared by the facts as presented that this sum was a part of a \$200,000 increase in the amount of insurance which he carried, all of the increase having been effected at about the same time, and the whole of it bringing up the total of his insurance to \$500,000. On October 10, 1892, Runk killed himself. It was shown that on the day before he did so he wrote a letter saying that he was going to do it in order that his debts might be paid out of the insurance money.

The insurance company contested the claim made for payment of the policy on the ground that Runk was sane when he took his life. The so-called "incontestable clause" of the policy did not figure in the suit because that clause becomes operative two years after the date of issue of the policy and Runk killed himself in less than a year after that date.

Justice Harlan held that it was not supposed, when an insurance company contracted to insure a man's life, that either party had suicide in contemplation or that the life of the insured was at the option of either, and that no company would undertake to insure against suicide. And there could be no recovery, he said, by heirs of an insured person who when of sound mind committed suicide.

This decision is the first authoritative one on this point, it is said, delivered in this country. The first delivered by any court was one handed down by the Illinois Court of Appeals on the very day that argument on the Runk case was heard in Washington. The Illinois decision was submitted to the Federal Court by the insurance company's lawyers. Justice Harlan's decision, counsel of the Mutual Life says, puts the United States in line with most of the countries of Europe, where the principle the justice lays down is established law and has long been, although not until now in this country.—New York Sun, 18th.

### About Woman.

He that hath a fair wife never wants trouble.—Proverbs.

Woman is seldom merciful to the man who is timid.—Edward Bulwer Lytton.

Women have more of what is termed good sense than men.—William Hazlitt

In love affairs, a young shepherdess is a better painter than an old queen.—J. de Finon.

There will always remain something to be said of woman, as long as there is one on the earth.—Stanislas de Bonfiers.

A woman should never accept a lover without the consent of her heart, nor a husband without the consent of her judgment.—Ninon de Lenclos.

The cigarette habit had made so much headway among the school children in the public schools of Pittsburg that even the girls got to buying cigarettes instead of candy, etc. The Superintendent has found it necessary to warn dealers that the law will be enforced against any who sell cigarettes to the pupils.

Girls see by spark-light, there's no doubt—a fact well-known to every beau—hence, other lights should be put out, if not they should be turned quite low.

### ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by Orange Va., Observer.

The kicker never finds any fault with his coffin.

Even an egotist likes to be underrated by the assessor.

An honest politician is one of the noblest works of his party.

Everything is impossible to a mind filled with impossibilities.

The man who blows his own trumpet generally displeases others with his music.

Men usually sympathize with the under dog in a fight—unless the upper dog is theirs.

You may court, you may marry, you may kiss if she will, but you'd better be sure that the old man is still.

Frost has very materially injured the orange crop in Florida, but the alligator crop is reported to be all right.

Oh, see that dear, delightful girl, with such a charming blush—good gracious! look the other way! she's sat down in the slush.

There are more than a hundred places named Washington in this country, but animal instinct seems to lead office-seekers to the proper one.

What the minister mostly needs is a pair of embroidered slippers—he needs 'em to slipper round in, so as not to disturb the somnolent worshippers.

Sam Jones remarks that "the Lord won't keep a young lady pious who has her waist encircled seven times a week by the arms of a spider legged dude." When a girl is in that blissful predicament, she doesn't sigh for any other heaven—this earth is paradise enough for her.

### STATE NEWS

The plant of the Aberdeen Lumber Company, at Aberdeen, was destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. The loss is estimated at \$35,000 with no insurance.

The statement is made that one-fifth more wheat has been planted in North Carolina than last year.

Job Smith, a young man of Onslow county, was killed, while cutting timber in the woods, by a tree falling on him.

### No Alternative.

He was a speculator, and for a year past nothing had been coming his way but expenses. One day his daughter informed him in an unfeeling manner that if he did not give her a diamond bracelet worth at least \$150 she would elope with the coachman.

"Come to my arms, my darling child," he exclaimed, as the tears of joy coursed down his wrinkled cheeks, "come to my arms!"

"But shall I get the bracelet?" she asked hesitatingly.

"Of course not," he smiled de-lightedly. "You get the coachman. I owe him eight months' wages."

That ended it.—Pearson's Weekly.

### Masters With Big Salaries.

At the top of the scholastic profession are the head masters of the great public schools. Some of these draw incomes almost equal to those of judges or bishops.

The head master at Eton gets about £4,500 a year. The head master at Harrow gets a salary of £1,500, plus the profits of a boarding house of 64 boys at £90 each—gross, £7,260. The total income of the head master of Charterhouse is about £6,042 10s.

Rugby may be classed with Harrow as a paying school. Winchester is not so good. A house master at Eton has 40 boys—£111 for board, and £21 each pupil, if the master is a classical man and not only a "dame;" gross, £4,440. Assistant masters at Eton get £300 for the first two years; afterward the fees bring the amount up to an average of about £800.—Strand Magazine.

### Narrow Streets.

In Mainz, Germany, some of the streets are so narrow that wagons and bicycles are not allowed in them. Special permission is to be given, however, to physicians who use wheels to enter them, and as policemen cannot know a physician by instinct these wheels have to have a special mark and number.

### 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	5 1/2
Middling	5 1/4
Low Middling	5 1-1/4
Good Ordinary	4 3/4
Tone—steady!	
PEANUTS:	
Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/2
"ancy	2 3/4
Spanish	60 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

### Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 2
Western Sides	5 1/2 to 6
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 50
Corn Meal	50 to 60
Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.75
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 1/2
Coffee	9 1/2 to 2 1/2
Salt per Sack	65 to 1 5/4
Chickens	12 1/2 to 20
Eggs per doz	120
Beeswax, per	20
Cotton Seed, per bushel	10 to 6

### DIRECTORY.

#### CHURCHES.

**BAPTIST**—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Superintendent.

**CATHOLIC**—No regular services.

**EPISCOPAL**—Services fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

**METHODIST**—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superintendent.

#### LODGES.

**A. F. & A. M.**—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. J. M. Reuss W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

**I. O. O. F.**—Covenant Lodge No. 17 Meets every Tuesday evening. J. V. Johnson N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

**K. of P.**—Tar River Lodge No. 93, Meets every Friday evening. H. W. Whedbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington K. of R. and S.

**R. A.**—Zeb Vance Council No. 1696 meets every Thursday evening. W. L. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

**K. of H.**—Insurance Lodge No. 1169 meets every Friday evening. John Flanagan, D. Henry Sheppard, R.

**A. L. of H.** Pitt Council 236 meets every Thursday night. J. B. Cherry C. W. J. Wilson Sec.

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MONDAY SEPT. 6, 1897

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Primary English per mo.	\$2 00
Intermediate " " "	\$2 50
Higher " " "	\$3
Languages (each) " " "	\$1 00

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W. H. RAGSDALE.

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A Pleasant Simple, but Safe Effectual Cure for it.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable.

The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headache, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has a time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach.

To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Distaste, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids.

These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher of 2710 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling.

I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for and form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

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## NORTHBOUND.

**DAILY No 46—Passenger—Due Mar 2.35 a. m.** nolia 11.02 am, Warsaw 11.15 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 am, Wilson 12.53 p m, Rocky Mount 1.40 p m, Tarboro 2.45 p m, Weldon 4.33 p m, Petersburg 6.22 p m, Richmond 7.15 pm, Norfolk 8.05 p m, Washington 11.30 pm, Baltimore 1.06 a m, Philadelphia 3.50 a m, New York 6.53 a m, Boston 3.00 p m.

**DAILY No 40—Passenger Due Mar 7.15 p m.** nolia 8.55 p m, Warsaw 9.10 p m, Goldsboro 10.10 p m, Wilson 11.06 p m, Tarboro 6.45 a m, Rocky Mount 11.57 p m, Weldon 1.42 a m, Norfolk 10.30 a m, Petersburg 3.14 a m, Richmond 4.00 a m, Washington 7.41 a m, Baltimore 9.03 a m, Philadelphia 11.25 a m, New York 2.03 a m, Boston 9.00 p m.

## SOUTHBOUND.

**DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake 4.0 p m.** Waccamaw 5.09 p m, Chadbourne 5.41 p m, Marion 6.43 p m, Florence 7.25 p m, Sumter 9.10 p m, Columbia 10.30 p m, Denmark 6.12 a m, Augusta 7.55 a m, Macon 11.15 a m, Atlanta 12.25 p m, Charleston 10.50 pm, Savannah 1.50 a m, Jacksonville 7.30 a m, St. Augustine 10.30 am, Tampa 5.25 pm.

## ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

**DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston 5.50 P. M.** 1.03 pm, New York 9.00 pm, Philadelphia 12.05 am, Baltimore 2.50 am, Washington 4.30 am, Richmond 9.05 am, Petersburg 10.00 am, Norfolk 11.52 am, Tarboro 12.12 pm, Rocky Mount 12.47 pm, Wilson 2.37 pm, Goldsboro 3.20 pm, Warsaw 4.13 pm, Magnolia 4.24 pm.

**DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 6.50 A. M.** Boston 12.00 night, New York 9.30 am, Philadelphia 12.09 pm, Baltimore 2.25 pm, Washington 3.46 pm, Richmond 7.30 pm, Petersburg 8.12 pm, Norfolk 2.20 pm, Weldon 9.43 pm, Tarboro 6.01 pm, Rocky Mount 5.49 am. Leave Wilson 6.22 am, Goldsboro 7.01 am, Warsaw 7.53 am, Magnolia 8.05 am.

**DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave except Sunday** New Bern 9.00 am, Jacksonville 10.26 am. This train 12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

## FROM THE SOUTH.

**DAILY No. 54—Passenger—Leave 1.20 P. M.** Tampa 8.10 am, Sanford 3.27 pm, Jacksonville 7.40 pm, Savannah 1.45 night, Charleston 6.53 am, Columbia 6.00 am, Atlanta 8.20 am, Macon 9.00 am, Augusta 3.30 pm, Denmark 4.25 pm, Sumpter 8.08 am, Florence 9.58 am, Marion 10.36 am, Chadbourne 11.38 am, Lake Waccamaw 12.09 am.

Train on Section Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.30 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.20 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.55 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 a. m., Greenville 8.52 a. m., Arriving Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 am daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.20 a. m., and 2.20 p. m. Arrives Farme 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Farme 9.35 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.00 a. m., and 7.20 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 5.30 p. m., Sunday 4.15 P. M. Arrive Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.19 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.05 a. m. and 11.00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.10 a. m. arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10.25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clot 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clot 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, 11.20 a. m. and 4.15 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 Richmore, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

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Gen'l Pass. Agent

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KENTON, Gen'l Manager

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The Danish Housewife's Plan and Its Delicious Results Told by a Traveler.

"Talk about your turkey stuffed with Eye-talian chestnuts or Lynn Haven oysters, all you want to," said the transplanted southern colonel, "but I say give me a thin slice of southern ham cooked as they cook it in Virginia or South Carolina and you can keep all of your stuffed birds."

"I used to think that you southern people knew how to cure and cook hams, too, until I went to Denmark," answered the returned traveler, "but, bless your soul, your southern ham tastes as tame and flat by the side of Denmark ham as northern ham does compared with southern. Of course a ham has got to be good and properly cured at the start, but the biggest part of a sweet, juicy, tasty ham lies in the cooking. Now I've been in 17 countries and I have never tasted such ham as I got in Denmark. The nearer the bone the sweeter the meat cannot often be applied to a ham that you strike in this country, because half the time the meat is about half cooked when you get toward the bone. Now, in Denmark you might carve a hundred hams a day and each one would be done through and through, and yet they are only allowed to come to a boil."

"Why, how can they be done, then?" asked the transplanted southern colonel's transplanted wife. "Ham is a thing that should be boiled for hours and hours over a hot fire. Now, in South Carolina, where I was born, and in Virginia, where the colonel was born, we always put a ham on right after breakfast when we want it ready for a midday dinner, and, furthermore, the cook keeps a little nigger busy keeping up the fire all the time the ham is on the stove. Ham isn't ham if it isn't well boiled before it is baked."

"That's where you and the people in Denmark disagree," remarked the returned traveler. "They say emphatically that ham to be thoroughly cooked should not be boiled. How do they cook it? In a hay box. What is a hay box? Hay boxes are used a great deal in Denmark. A hay box is an ordinary wooden box with a lining of hay about a foot thick. The hay is covered with cheesecloth to keep it in place and for durability. Of course, your hay box can be of any size, but the vessel must fit in it closely. But that is getting ahead of my story."

"When a Danish housewife wishes to cook a ham, she prepares it properly about dark and puts it into a pot of cold water, which she places over the fire. As soon as the water comes to a hard boil she lifts the pot from the fire and puts it into a hay box, carefully covering the top of the box with a close fitting lid. When she gets up in the morning, the ham is thoroughly cooked to the bone. Will the water boil in the hay box? Oh, no! But it keeps at the same temperature all night, and an even temperature is the secret of perfect cooking. The water is just as hot when she gets up in the morning as when she goes to bed at night. The ham is done, and she doesn't have to worry her head as to whether it will be done to the bone by dinner time, and, best of all, she never has to send it to the kitchen to be cooked over. A ham cooked in this way retains all the juice and sweetness and fairly makes your mouth water to think about it."

"Those Danish hay boxes, Mme. Colonel," he went on, "are great things. Such a thing as running water is unknown in the houses of Denmark, but, by George, the people over there seem to be more flush with hot water than we are with all our boilers, coal ranges and miles of hot water pipes. In the cupboard of the washstand in every bedroom or in the closet is a hay box, and at every hour in the day or night you can find a vessel of steaming water there. A little enough thing in itself, eh? But it's the little things that make life livable, isn't it? Yes, you people down south know how to cure and cook hams, and you know how to do it well, but you yourselves would own that you are mere novices at the business if you once got a taste of a Danish ham cooked overnight in a hay box."

## The Household Boss.

"Let's see, you married Darling-ton's widow, didn't you?"  
"Yep."  
"But you always said you'd never marry a ready made wife."  
"Well, I found out afterward that this one was made to order."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

# REDEMPTION.

## MORNING.

I will sing you a song of a beautiful dream  
Which came with the morning's birth,  
A dream of a babe with eyes tinged blue,  
Red lips bestowing warm smiles on you  
And a crown of elves of a golden hue  
With a halo of sinless mirth.

## NOON.

I will wail you a sob of a sorrowful dream  
Which came with the noonday's glare,  
A dream of a youth with eyes flushed red,  
Blue lips exuding blood grapes had shed  
And a crown ofimps on indulgence fed  
With a halo of sin's despair.

## NIGHT.

I will moan you a dirge of a horrible dream  
Which came with the day's demise,  
A dream of a man with eyes blanched white  
Pale lips and palsied with guilty fright  
And a crown of lambent satanic light  
With a halo of hellish guise.

## DAWN.

I will chant you a psalm of a glorious dream  
Which came with the stars' decline,  
A dream of a soul with eyes grace dried,  
Meek lips repentance had sanctified  
And a crown of mercy which Christ supplied  
With a halo of love divine.  
—A. S. Houghton in Twentieth Century.

## He Hoped to Gain Experience.

He walked into the furniture shop with a nervous air and tried to look as if he were quite accustomed to that sort of thing. He gazed about the establishment in search of something and seemed perplexed.

"A nice pair, that," observed the shopkeeper soothingly, as he saw the young man stand still before a couple of chimney ornaments.

"That's what all the relatives and neighbors say," said the young man, blushing a fiery red. "How did you know about it?"

"Well—er—they always are," stammered the proprietor, taken aback. "You see," he added, recovering himself, "I'm a married man myself."

"Yes—exactly," said the customer. "Perhaps you can help me. If you had to—buy a cradle—I mean, if it was—more—than you expected—that is, if they were more than you expected—do you think—that one would do or would one be—too small for—two, and ought I to buy one for each? I shall have more experience of that kind of thing as time goes on, of course."—Pearson's Weekly.

## The Worm Was Up Late.

A father was lecturing his son on the evil of staying out late at night and rising late in the morning.

"You will never succeed," he said, "unless you mend your ways. Remember, the early bird catches the worm."

"And what about the worm, father?" said the young man sneeringly. "Wasn't he rather foolish in getting up so early?"

"My son," said the old man, "that worm hadn't been to bed at all. He was only getting home."

The young man coughed.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

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### TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going south, arrives at 6:57 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.

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

## Weather Bulletin.

Light rain to-night, clearing by Sunday noon, warmer Sunday morning.

### NO CURE—NO PAY.

That is the way all druggists sell GROVES TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills, Fever and all forms of Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c.

## JUST THE NEWS

### The Reflector Gives What You Are Looking For

Attend church tomorrow.  
Java Roasted Coffee at J. S. Tunstall's.

Good Farm Lots to rent, apply to Higgs Bros.

New Corned Mackerell at J. S. Tunstall's.

Cotton Seed Meal and Seed Oats cheap at S. M. Schultz.

Fresh Country Butter every day at Elmwood Dairy. Phone 14.

A beautiful line of Percales just arrived at Lang's Cash House.

There was a right good sprinkling of cotton on the market today.

It is rumored that the Sheriff "pulled" some gamblers Friday night.

Rich Cream in any quantity on hand at any time. Elmwood Dairy Phone 14.

The young folks had a party Friday night at Mr. B. F. Patrick's school house in South Greenville.

Paul Mitrick and John H. Cheek, who were conducting a tailoring business have dissolved copartnership.

For the best Butter get the "Elmwood" made by Mr. Crenshaw at Elmwood Dairy, 25 cents per pound. Phone 14.

Messrs H. A. Williams and B. T. Baily had a "dispute" Friday night in which a few blows came in as part of the argument.

Mr. M. Breazeale was married to Miss Lizzie McGee, of Mount Olive, on Wednesday. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Thos. McGee.

Rev. C. M. Billings has resigned his work at Packsville, S. C., and will, as soon as his wife's health will permit, remove to his wife's home near Reidsville, N. C.

I have taken the agency for the Wilmington Steam Laundry and solicit the patronage of those wanting good work. Shipments made every Wednesday morning, returned Saturday evening. W. F. PREDDY.

## QUO VADIS?

### You Can Look And See for Yourself

E. C. Wells, of Wilson, was in town today.

J. T. Worthington, of Grifton, spent today here.

Mrs. O. Cuthrell returned to Kinston Friday evening.

L. I. Moore returned Friday evening from a trip to Wilson.

Mrs. J. B. Randolph left this morning to visit her parents at Mildred.

H. P. Harding is over from Ormondsville to spend Sunday with his parents.

J. J. Tucker went to Tarboro today to bring his daughter home from school.

Miss Bettie Old of Nansemond county, Virginia, is visiting Mrs. W. B. Brown.

George B. Hughes came down from Tarboro Friday evening and returned this morning.

The condition of Capt. J. T. Williams has been very serious during the last few days.

J. H. Cheek and E. C. White left this morning to spend some days in Wilson and Raleigh.

D. J. Walker and Hugh Parham came over from Kinston this morning to spend the day here.

### Report on the County Home.

The Grand Jury at the late term of Court sent a committee to examine the County Home, in keeping with the usual duties of such bodies of inquest, and they made the following report:

"We the undersigned committee appointed by the Foreman of the Grand Jury of January term of the Superior Court of Pitt county, beg leave to report that we have visited the Home of the Aged and Infirm and have made careful inquiry as to the health, comfort and eatables, and find that there is not any complaint by the inmates. We also find the rooms are clean, plenty of bedding and bed covering, and plenty of wearing apparel, and the cooking apartment in a first-class order.

"We find Alvania Gurganus, a white woman, an inmate of the Home of the Aged and Infirm, has a bastard child about 9 months old, and we recommend that the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners find the father and investigate the matter as the law directs."

B. F. PATRICK,  
W. W. THOMAS,  
R. T. WEICHLER,  
R. G. CHAPMAN. } Com.

### Death Puts an End to Bessie Arledge's Shame

Newbern, N. C., Jan. 20.—Nes has reached here of the death of Bessie Arledge, daughter of the Fusina Sheriff of Pamlico county. Her unfortunate lapse, her terrible condition, and her attempt to destroy the evidence of her sin, culminating in deep disgrace and in the destruction of her health, excited much sympathy wherever the said story has been told. She died from the effect of the concentrated lye given her by her negro destroyer.—Raleigh News and Observer.

### Lively Run-Away.

A run-away horse created considerable excitement on the street this afternoon. The animal was hitched to a short body cart and was left standing in front of Starkey's store. He jumped off for a run and turned the corner towards the postoffice, losing the wheels off the cart and scattering a barrel of pork, a box of potatoes and a lot of collards over the street. Another cart that happened in the way was run over and a wheel smashed.

### No More Cold Weather.

W. W. Farker, writing to the Richmond Dispatch January 12th, said:

"You may say upon my humble authority that I have noticed for years, and often published it in the Dispatch, that if the weather continues warm till the 15th of January it will be warm all winter. I know of but one exception in many years; then the cold wave came on the morning of the 15th, and it continued cold till late in February."

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We wish to inform our many friends and patrons that the capacity of Elmwood Dairy has just been very much enlarged and improved. We are now prepared to promptly fill all orders at the following prices, goods delivered at your door:  
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Sweet Milk, . . . . . 25 cts a gallon  
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Mr. R. E. L. ORENSHAW, a skilled dairyman, who was recently with the State experiment farm at Raleigh, now has charge of our Dairy and will serve you promptly and satisfactorily. We solicit your patronage.  
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R. A. TYSON, Vice-Pres.

REORGANIZED JUNE 15th, 1896.

### STATEMENT OF THE

## The Bank of Greenville,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business, Dec. 15th, 1897.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$42,904.84	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	1,650.67	Undivided Profits	3,797.27
Premium on Stock	1,000.00	Deposits subject to Check	166,294.89
Due from Banks	44,598.00	Due to Banks	199.07
Furniture and Fixtures	1,515.25	Cashiers Checks outstanding	867.38
Current expenses	2,136.57	Time-Certificates of Deposit	960.00
Cash Items	7,857.51		
Cash on hand	30,455.77	Total	\$132,118.61
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$102,118.61</b>		

We study carefully the separate needs of our patrons, and shall be glad to have your account, promising every accommodation consistent with good banking.

## TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by  
**The GREENVILLE SUPPLY CO.,**  
Cotton Buyers  
— and —  
Wholesale Grocers

Cotton sold in Greenville, S. to 5 1-16.

NEW YORK

COTTON	Opening	Noon	Close
January	5.65	5.65	
March	5.68	5.67	
May	5.74	5.73	
August	5.83	5.82	

CHICAGO

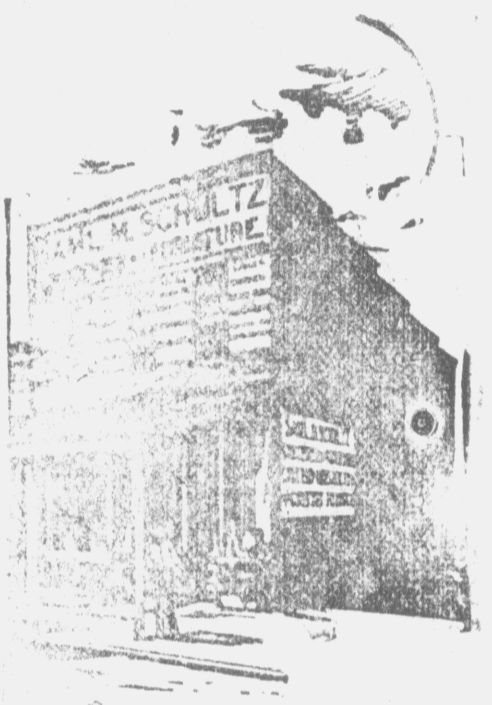
WHEAT	Opening	Noon	Close
January		93 3/4	93 3/4
May	92 1/4	92 1/4	92

RIBS.

	January	May	Close
	470	480	470

PORK.

	January	May	Close
	96 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2



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**Pork, Sides, Shoulders;**  
Farmers and Merchants buying their year's supplies will find it to their interest to get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock is complete in all its branches.

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Always at lowest market prices  
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always on hand and sold at prices to suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH therefore, having no rise to run we sell at a close margin.  
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- \$6.00 Patterns Reduced to \$4.75
- \$5.00 Patterns Reduced to \$3.65
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\$4.00 CALIFORNIA WOOL BLANKETS REDUCED TO.....\$3.00  
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