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TRUTH IN PREFERENCE TO FICTION.

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**They  
are  
Coming  
in.**

We are receiving  
daily our beautiful  
line of

## Spring Fabrics

for the ladies. The designs are much prettier than last season and we are ready with prices to make them go. Do not make your selections until we show our goods to you.

**RICKS & TAFT.**

I Am Here Again with just the line of goods to please the ladies, and the men too. Have just returned from the north with a brand new stock of

**CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS, DRY GOODS.**  
Dress Goods, Notions, &c., which have been opened in the corner store under Germania Hall. My styles the latest, prices very low.

**WE'VE JUST OPENED**  
in the Rialto building (third door from corner) with an entirely new stock of choice

**FAMILY GROCERIES.**  
Embracing everything needed for table and family use. Our stock being new and fresh you run no risk of getting stale goods when you trade with us. We keep the best only of everything in our line.

**Jesse Smith & Co.**  
[GREENVILLE, N. C.]

**JESSE SMITH & CO.**  
FANCY GROCERS

### Don't Dicker.

Chairman Manly has called a meeting of the Democratic Convention of North Carolina to meet in the city of Raleigh on Thursday, May 26th, 1898. Butler has called a Populist convention to meet in Raleigh about the same time. His contemporaneous meeting of the two parties means a dicker and trade by Butler with the Democratic party. It means that Butler expects to join hands with the Democratic party in order to put his dirty hands in the pot. Now we hope our delegates to the Democratic Convention will turn a deaf ear to all proposals. He is nothing but a trading politician and has not the support of his own political family. He is a low down, unprincipled trade politician, without intellect, and without patriotism. Simply pap and nothing more.

Our observation is that our Democratic constituency would be horrified to follow Butler's lead and rally around his banner. For ourself we must say that our arm would be paralyzed and our voice be a still, small one, in obeying his word of command, if we could do so at all. If Butler strikes with the Democrats in the momentous campaign just ahead of us it should be under the general invitation to all voters. When he comes, if he does, he must leave off his epaulette. We honestly believe he will be a handicap to us, come as he may. In plain phrase, we hear our friends all say—"We take no Butler in ours." Butler comes very near to having committed the unpardonable sin to North Carolina and to the Democratic party. He is not quite the man that wears the livery of heaven to serve the devil in, but he has "Caucasian" blazoned on his shield, and serves the Republicans, negroes and low whites. He is not a carpet bagger, but wears the livery and marches under the banner of the carpet baggers. We beg to be excused from taking any Butler in ours.—Elizabeth City Economist.

### University Catalogue.

The catalogue of the University of North Carolina for 1897-'98 is a book of 131 pages, is printed by the students and in typography and general appearance it is excellent. The total enrollment is 605. The attendance, not counting the summer school, exceeds the highest number ever reached by 47, and includes for the first time women among the list of students.

The summer school begins Tuesday, June 21st and ends on the fourth Friday in July. Tuition fee \$5.00; registration fee \$1.00. Students in the summer school have no other fees to pay unless they take chemistry or music.

On Tuesday and Wednesday next Mrs. Georgia James will display Pattern Hats and all the spring novelties.

### A WALK IN THE WOODS.

On a bright March evening, a party of girls for flowers did start, little dreaming this happy band would part.

For they all seemed very merry and glad until some foolish words were said, then some seemed to be mad. Then this happy crowd divided, some going for flowers, the others to go home decided, and on they went to the woods for flowers yellow, and got as many as they all carry together. Soon they started on their way home, not caring any longer to roam, for a very fine time they had had, the only regret was that some were mad. One girl thought of going who did not go at all, she said she was glad she did not go, for she might have been mad also, but then she was the one to make peace, and may she always be able to make a quarrel cease. But twas only school-girls who would behave in such a way. They were very solemn faces at school next day, until the peacemaker was heard to say, you must look at that girl and smile, I guess she'll make up, anyway you should give her a trial. They smiled at each other for quite a little while, then they kissed at last and all the trouble was past. The saddest part was it came near breaking one girl and boys heart. For this boy was the girls dearest beau, and he thought she should not have treated him so, but what of that, true love never runs smooth, and fate took this very evening their love to prove. That very evening she went down the street and what should she do, but this boy meet and her heart jumped in her throat to think he hardly spoke. He bore his trouble beautifully and here is a quotation that will suit him surely: It is this, A smiling face often carries an aching heart. But it is all over now, they know it was too bad, may they always be friends and never again get mad.

ONE OF THE GIRLS.

### MARRIED

OAKLEY, N. C., Mar. 31, 1898.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mahala Highsmith, on March 30th, at 8 o'clock A. M., in the presence of a few friends, Mr. John W. Madry and Miss Mary Highsmith were happily married, Elder Samuel Moore officiating. The attendants were: Luther Wrosley with Miss Lollie Highsmith, J. M. Highsmith with Miss Annie Madry. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom drove here and boarded the train bound north for an extended northern tour.

Miss Mary is one of Carolinas fair accomplished daughters, and Mr. Madry is a prosperous merchant of Rocky Mount. We think him fortunate in winning the hand of such prize.

May joy attend their pathway through life.

A complete line of

## GENERAL - MERCHANDISE,

to select from, such as:

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hardware and Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hardware and BUILDERS' MATERIAL.

We can save you money on all goods purchased from us.

**ALFRED FORBES.**

Perfect Fitting

Perfect Shape

Trimmed Well

Made Well

At Popular Prices

STYLE, MATERIAL,

AND FINISH

RIGHT.

THEY MEET THE WANTS OF ALL

## WARRANTY.

You may buy a pair of Dutchess Trousers at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 or \$5.00

and wear them two months. For every suspender button that comes off we will pay you ten cents. If they rip at the waistband we will pay you fifty cents. If they rip in the seat or elsewhere we will pay you one dollar, or give you a new pair.

Best in the World.

Try a Pair.

**FRANK WILSON**

THE KING CLOTHIER.

## THE WAR NEWS

Interests Everybody.

Uncle Sam is busy with his preparation for conflict. So are we, but our warfare is along mercantile lines, we being enlisted on the side of best goods at lowest prices, against shoddy goods at high prices.

Talking about Goods—You should see our

## HANDSOME - SPRING - STOCK

CLOTHING.

Our Styles and qualities can not be excelled.

HATS.

We carry R. E. Bonner's celebrated makes.

SHOES.

The Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co.'s manufacture all styles.

DRESS GOODS.

The very shades and designs that will delight the ladies.

Ladies Parasols.

A beautiful line in all colors to select from.

Neckwear and Ribbons

The prettiest line you saw.

Then we have White Goods of all kinds, Laces, Embroideries, Fancy Dress White and Negligee Shirts, Mattings, Rugs, &c.

This just gives you a sample of the feast we are prepared to spread before you. Come see our goods and we will do the rest.

**H. M. HARDEE.**

# DAILY REFLECTOR.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

VERY AFTERNOON (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

Entered as Second-Class Mail Matter

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One year, \$3.00  
One month, .25  
One week, .10  
Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.  
Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

We desire a live correspondent at every postoffice in the county, who will send in brief items of news as it occurs in each neighborhood. Write plainly and only on one side of the paper.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1898.

The war excitement has played the mischief with the calculations of revenue receipts at the Treasury Department. The public income for March will be some \$2,000,000 less than was confidently anticipated, and extraordinary expenditures for the national defense will soon make large inroads upon the Treasury cash balance. More taxes or a new loan will be the difficult alternative confronting the Administration if the low ebb of receipts shall much longer continue.—Philadelphia Record.

### A Pair of Socks Tells the Tale.

An old bachelor recently bought a pair of socks. There was nothing strange about this, but what makes the occurrence worthy of note was the fact that he found in the toe of one of them a slip of paper upon which was written: "I am a young woman of 20 and would like to correspond with a bachelor with a view to matrimony," and signed with the address of the young lady. After due deliberation our friend concluded to write to the maker of the socks. In a few days he got a reply to his letter; "I was married three years ago last Christmas." The merchant who sold the socks did not advertise.—Durham Sun.

### Hasn't Worn a Coat in 18 Years

Mr. J. Martin who has recently moved to Charlotte from Union county, tells an interesting story in regard to some of his habits of life. He is now living at one of the cotton mills in the city, and while up town the other day, dressed after his fashion—in shirt sleeves without either coat or vest—stated that he had not worn a coat nor vest in 18 years. He says he can sleep in a pile of cotton seed on a winter night, without any cover, and never suffers from cold. Though well advanced in years, he has never had tooth-ache nor even a cold. In fact, he says, he has never been sick a day in his life. He tips the beam at 250 pounds and his ruddy countenance and robust figure vouch for the truth of his statement.—Charlotte News.

### Could Not be Worse

The press of the State almost unanimously have already declared for a straight fight, with no mixture of fusion of any kind, and those who shape the policy of the Democratic party for the coming campaign will do well to heed what the papers say.

The Commonwealth believes now, has believed all the time, that if the Democratic party had held its head up two years ago and declared for its rights and left off the "mix" that was shoved upon the people Hon. Cy Watson would be our Governor now instead of Dan Russell. At any rate, we can not make it any worse; so we declare for a straight fight and a victory if we can win, and a straight fight and defeat if we cannot win.

We dislike muddy things. Let the color be true whatever it is.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

### Counterfeit Silver Dollars.

Charlotte business men had better look closely at the silver dollars they take in over their counters these days. A number of nearby towns are being flooded with counterfeit dollars, which are unusually good imitations of the genuine article.

The coins have a good ring and easily deceive for that reason. To the touch the counterfeit is easily revealed, however, as the spurious coin has an oilylike surface. There are other marks by which, upon a close inspection, the counterfeit can be detected. The milling is imperfectly done, and the date is crudely marked.

It is learned that a gang of counterfeiters are sending out the spurious coin from Atlanta where they make their headquarters. Agents of this gang have visited several of the small towns around Charlotte and the reporter learns that they have been very successful in passing their worthless money.

A News reporter received information from a government employe this morning that would indicate that the government is on the track of the evil doers and that the matter has been under investigation by the secret service department for several days.—Charlotte News.

### True Enough.

Some one has said that the regularly appearing ads of old established houses will be read and bring results, it makes no difference how bad looking the ad may be. So far so good. An old decrepit building bearing the sign of some ancient house may still draw the old customers who are yet alive. Such a place needs no modern ideas in fixtures or advertising. But how about the new people constantly coming to town or getting married or beginning life; do they seek the old fellow? If you don't get a new customer every now and then you'll dry up. The world changes just as surely as it revolves and all change with it or fall off. Those who advertise attractively stand a far better chance of getting the new people than those where ads are unattractive. They may also catch a customer occasionally from the fellow who doesn't.—Ad Book.

### Our Defenseless Coast.

Would not an appropriation by Congress to enlarge the Dismal Swamp Canal to a ship channel for ships of war, greatly benefit us in time of war by the facility it would afford to our ships of war to be safely and quickly taken to any assailed point on our coast defence? How easy it would be for a fleet of light draft ships of war to pass through the inlets on our coast at Beaufort, Ocracoke and Hatteras and ravage the inland territory of the Albemarle, Tar River and Neuse river sections which could be easily defended if we could meet them with light battle ships from Hampton Roads. With some dredging of not an expensive character they could scour our sounds and come in at the back doors upon the enemy's ships that were doing havoc in our sounds, estuaries and rivers. During the Revolutionary war, in the war of 1812 and in the late civil war ships of war of light draft ravaged our country on these sounds. In our civil conflict all these inland towns were constantly in trouble, and great damage was sometimes done. In the war of 1812 when the English Admiral Cockburn ravaged Hampton in Hampton Roads the towns in Eastern Carolina were in great dread and we have heard it said that the first Mr. Gaston died from fright in expectancy of his coming. Edenton was in great terror and James Sutton who lived at Sandy Point was on the watch out for Cockburn's fleet, and as he looked down the sound, he saw some oyster boats coming up the sound, and supposing them to be the advance of Cockburn's fleet, he fled in great terror to Edenton. But Cockburn was then burning the capital at Washington.—Elizabeth City Economist.

### NO TIME FOR TROUBLE.

Ain't got no no time fer trouble—fer Billy's at the gate  
With a little willer basket that is wrigglin' with the bait;  
An' the river looks invitin', an' it's shady as kin te,  
An' fer all the fish that's bitin', thar's fish 'll wait fer me!  
Down by the river—  
Life is like a song,  
An' the yaller perch are bitin'  
The rosy mornin' long!

Ain't got no time fer trouble—fer weather's mighty fine,  
An' I see the worm wriggle on the fur end o' the line;  
The mockin' birds air singin' in the blossoms all aroun',  
But the best the weather's bringin' is the cork a-goin' down!

Down by the river--  
Life is like a song,  
An' the yaller perch air bitin'  
The rosy mornin' long!  
—Constitution.

### True.

Experience, backed by the general law of average, proves that the first appearance of an advertisement does not bring business nor even create much curiosity. A trial (one time) insertion is a waste of money. If you go in, stay in and it will pay you. "Keeping everlastingly at it" is the only way to success. In continuity is strength, in disconnection is failure. Few people buy anything the first time they hear about it. There is not a solitary case where intermittent advertising has brought returns compared with that form of continuous advertising—that everlasting pounding away at the public day in and day out. It is only in special limited bargains that immediate result are to be expected.—Curtis Publishing Company-Philadelphia.

### Lee's Popularity

Following is an editorial paragraph from the New York World of yesterday:

"It is to be hoped that the apprehension felt in Havana for the personal safety of Fitzhugh Lee is wholly unfounded. The Spanish papers have done their utmost to excite the worst passions of the worst characters in the slums of that city, but it is impossible to believe that even the most reckless criminal would think of hurting a single hair on the head of our brave consul-general. If harm should come to him the war would have begun—and it would be good-by to Spain!"

That sounds well to patriotic Southern ears, coming from a New York paper, but what shall be said of this paragraph from the Herald, also of yesterday?

"Hisses, cat-calls and prolonged hooting greeted the mention of the name of President McKinley last night in a song at the Harlem opera house. Two comedians had interpolated a stanza deriding his position in regard to Spain. A verse in praise of Fitzhugh Lee was received with cheers. The managers of the opera house made ineffectual attempts to repress the demonstration against the President."

The millenium must be near at hand when the name of a Northern Republican President is hissed and that of a Confederate Democratic brigadier is applauded in a New York city—and a Lee at that! Times change and men change with them.

The thing will all blow over, and while there will remain a modified respect for Gen. Lee for his manly and cool headed bearing at Havana in a trying time, he will become, largely, as other men. Nevertheless, this incident is interesting at the present, and is another valuable proof that in a crisis the country can forget both politics and sectionalism and get together.—Charlotte Observer.

### Treasurer Worth Wins.

At a recent term of Wake Superior Court Treasurer Worth, State Treasurer, won his two suits against Stewart Bros., of Winston, ex-public printers, for about \$11,000, money which was paid them in excess of the proper charges for the work done. The Supreme Court handed down a decision affirming that of the court below, and now Stewart Bros. must make quite a big "refund" to the State. They are in the "lowgrounds of sorrow." Treasurer Worth is in the "heights of joy." The more money there is in sight the higher he gets.—Raleigh Post.

There is one danger connected with making our State penitentiary a Federal prison which appears to have been overlooked. The Statesville Landmark says: "Some fine day when Governor Russell's pardon mill is running at full blast he may forget himself and pardon a lot of Uncle Sam's convicts. The fact is, no prisoner in our penitentiary is safe from being pardoned. He may be turned out at any time whether he desires to be or not."

## BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS

MANUFACTURED BY CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. NOTE THE NAME.

## Look Ye People.

WE ARE THE GROCERS  
Who want to supply your needs.

Here are some of our specialties Best Table Butter 25 cts, finest Cheese, all kinds Crackers, Candies and Fruits. Best selected Canned Goods, Pickles and Dried Fruits. Cigars and Cigarettes of best makes. Fresh Vegetables and Flower Seeds. Red Bliss Seed Potatoes. Car load of Corn in sacks. And when it comes to such staples as Meats, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, etc., we occupy the front row. Come to see us and let our fine goods and low prices talk for themselves.

Two bars fine Laundry Soap for 5 cents.  
Agent for the Durham Steam Laundry.

J. L. Starkey & Bro.,  
The Leading Grocers.

We have a large

STOCK OF

FALL AND WINTER GOODS...

just arrived. Come in see us.

OATS HAY AND FLOUR

A SPECIALTY

J. C. CORR & SON

### ALL ABOUT

A handsomely illustrated book 200 pages descriptive of Texas and the resources of that great State will be mailed to any address on receipt of eight cents to cover postage.  
D. J. PRICE  
G. P. & T. A., I. & G. N. E. S., Palestine, Texas.  
East Texas lands are attracting considerable attention. Mention this paper.

### Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Jan. 17th, 1898.  
Departures from Wilmington.

#### NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Meigs a. m. noia 11.02 am, Warsaw 11.15 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 am, Wilson 12.55 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 Mag 7.15 p m. noia 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 4.60 a m, Washington 7.41 a m, Baltimore 9.03 a m, Philadelphia 11.25 a m, New York 2.03 m, Boston 9.00 p m.

#### SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake 4.0 p m. Waccamaw 5.09 p m, Chadbourn 5.41 p m, Marion 6.43 p m, Florence 7.25 p m, Sumter 9.10 p m, Columbia 10.30 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, etc

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—B 5.30 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 4.1 pm, Magnolia 4.24 pm.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 8.00 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 5.40 am, Leave Wilson 6.22 am, Goldsboro 7.01 am, Warsaw 7.53 am, Magnolia 8.05 am.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave except 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 6.33 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, Chadbourn 11.38 am, Lake Waccamaw 12.09 am.

Train on Scotland 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 Parrale 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Parrale 3.30 p. m., Parrale 9.35 a. m., 1.20 p. m., arrives Washington 7.00 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Land 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.; five Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.10 p. m. returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m., five Tarboro 10.05 a.m and 11.00

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 7.00 p m, Clo 8.05 p m. Returning leave Clo 6.10 a m, Dunbar 6.30 a m, 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 Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmond, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk as all points North via Norfolk.

H. M. EMERSON,  
Gen'l Pass. Agent  
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.  
J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

# 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, W. B. Wilson, Sec.

## BOB GREENE & CO

**UNDERTAKER  
FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND  
EMBALMERS.**

We have just received a new hearse and the nicest line of Coffins and Caskets, in wood, metallic and cloth ever brought Greenville.

We are prepared to do embalming in all its forms.

Personal attention given to conducting funerals and bodies entrusted to our care will receive every mark of respect.

Our prices are lower than ever.

We do not want monopoly but invite competition.

We can be found at any and all times in the John Flanagan Buggy Co's building.

**BOB GREENE & CO.**

## Here I Am!

I wish to inform my many patrons and the public that they can now find me in the

## NEW-MARKET-HOUSE

where I am ready to cater to all their needs in the way of

## TABLE SUPPLIES.

I keep the best Fresh Meats, Sausage, Fresh and Salt Fish, nice Groceries, &c. Send me your orders. Goods delivered promptly anywhere in town.

**E. M. MCGOWAN.**

Phone 41.

## Barbers.

**A. B. PENDER,**

FASHIONABLE BARBER.

Can be found below Five Points, next door to Reflector office.

**JAMES A. SMITH,**  
TORSORIAL ARTIST,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Patronage solicited. Cleaning, Dyeing, and Pressing Gents Clothes a specialty.

**HERBERT EDMUNDS,**

FASHIONABLE BARBER.

Special attention given to cleaning gentlemen's clothing.

R. A. TYSON, Vice-Pres. R. L. DAVIS, Pres't. J. L. LITTLE, Cash er  
REORGANIZED JUNE 15th, 1896.

## STATEMENT OF THE

# The Bank of Greenville, GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business Feb. 18th, 1898.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts, ... \$39,401.35	Capital stock paid in ... \$23,000.00
Overdrafts, ... 1,298.50	Undivided Profits, ... 2,687.35
Premium on Stock, ... 1,000.00	Deposits subject to check, 109,566.99
Due from Banks, ... 50,473.36	Cashiers checks outstanding, 874.56
Furniture and Fixtures, ... 1,517.75	
Cash Items, ... 1,567.68	
Cash, ... 40,870.26	
<b>\$136,128.90</b>	<b>\$136,128.90</b>

## Manufacturers in the South.

The more northern sections and the world at large are just learning that the South can supply iron and steel at prices which defy competition, and make a fair profit at the business. Alabama is now selling iron products in England under all European competitors, and Pittsburgh is beginning to realize, reluctantly, that there is a probability of the iron centre moving further southeast. The New England cotton mills have been forced to concede to the South a virtual monopoly in the manufacture of certain lines of clothes. They acknowledge that they cannot compete with the Southern mills in the coarser clothes. This may be regarded as merely a beginning.

## Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 20
Western Sides	54 to 54
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 120
Corn	40 to 52
Corn Meal	50 to 64
Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.70
Lard	54 to 16
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	44 to 6
Coffee	94 to 0
Salt per Sack	65 to 150
Chickens	124 to 15
Eggs per doz	1 2
Beeswax, per	7
Cotton Seed, per bushel	10 to 2

## 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	64
Middling	54
Low Middling	57-14
Good Ordinary	42
Tone—steady.	
PEANUTS.	
Prime	24 to 24
Extra Prime	24
Fancy	24 to 24
Spanish	55c bu
Tone—steady.	



ESTABLISHED 1875

## SAM M. SCHULTZ

—Dealer in—

## Pork, Sides, Shoulders

Farmers and Merchants buying a year's supplies will find it to their interest to get our prices before purchase elsewhere. Our stock is complete at its branches.

## Flour, Sugar, Coffee

Always at lowest market prices

## Tobacco, Snuff, Cigar

as we buy direct from manufacturers.

A complete stock of

## FURNITURE

always on hand and sold at prices that suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH therefore, having time to run we sell at a close margin.

S. M. SCHULTZ

## THE PROBLEM SOLVED.

The New Medical Discovery Tested.

Results of the test in various forms of dyspepsia.

Chronic indigestion or dyspepsia, while a very common trouble, has for some time been looked upon by able physicians as a serious thing, and that no time should be lost in treating it properly at the start, because recent researches have shown that the most serious, fatal and incurable diseases have their origin in simple dyspepsia or indigestion.

Diabetes is simply one form of indigestion, the sugar and starchy food not being assimilated by the digestive organs. In Bright's disease the albumen is not properly assimilated.

While consumption and dyspepsia are twin diseases, and it is beyond question that dyspepsia makes a fertile soil for the seeds of consumption.

But the trouble has been to find a remedy that could be depended upon to cure dyspepsia, as it is notoriously obstinate and difficult to cure.

This has been the question which has puzzled physicians and dyspeptics alike, until the question was solved three years ago by the appearance of a new dyspepsia cure in the medical world known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which it was claimed was as a certain, reliable cure for every form of stomach trouble.

Physicians, however, would not accept such statements without first giving the new remedy many tests and carefully observing results.

For three years the remedy has been thoroughly tested in every section of the country and with surprising and satisfactory results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be honestly claimed to be a specific, a radical lasting cure for indigestion in the various forms of acid dyspepsia, sour stomach, gas or wind on stomach, too much bile, undue fullness or pressure after eating and similar symptoms resulting from disordered digestion. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were not placed before the public until this three years' trial left no doubt as to their value and they have recently been placed in the trade and can be found on sale at all druggists at the nominal price of 50 cents per package.

No extravagant claims are made for the remedy. It will not cure rheumatism, pneumonia, typhoid fever nor anything but just what it is claimed to cure and that is every form of stomach trouble.

No dieting is necessary, good wholesome food and plenty of it and you may rest assured that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest it.

Druggists claim for it that it is a pleasure to recommend it to dyspeptics, because it gives such universal satisfaction.

Little book on stomach diseases sent free by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

## SEE THAT?



## What Is It?

It is a picture of the celebrated

# PARKER FOUNTAIN PENS

Best in use The outfit of no business man is complete without one.

## The Reflector Book Store

has a nice assortment of these Fountain Pens also a beautiful line of Pearl Handle Gold Pens. You will be astonished when you see them and earn how very cheap they are.

You may never,  
But should you ever?

## Want Job Printing

Come to see us.

## Reflector Job Printing Office.

Anything from a

## Visiting Card

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Full sheet Poster.

## The Daily Reflector

Gives the home news every afternoon at the small price of 25 cents a month. Are you a subscriber? If not you ought to be.



## The Eastern Reflector.

TWICE-A-WEEK.

Is only \$1 a year. It contains the news every week, and gives information to the farmers, especially those growing tobacco, that is worth many times more than the subscription price.

# DAILY REFLECTOR.

## 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.

## Weather Bulletin.

Fair tonight, slightly colder near coast, Friday fair

# CURED OF RHEUMATISM.

Coxville, Pitt Co., N. C., April 7, '97.  
 MRS. JOE PERSON:

When you were here in July, 1893 I was suffering with Rheumatism. I had to walk with a stick. You advised me to try your Remedy. I took five bottles. It made a cure of me.

Yours truly,

MRS. W. S. ROACH.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy is

FOR SALE BY

JOHN L. WOOTEN,  
 Greenville, N. C.

## Notice.

I wish to inform the public that I will continue in the Brokerage business, and will carry a full line of all kinds of groceries and fruits. Thanking my friends for the patronage given me in the past, I solicit a continuance of their orders. Office at present in S.T. White's store.  
 W. F. MORRILL.

## APRIL SHOWERS

Bits of Today's News Sprinkled Out.

April.  
 Fourth Month.  
 Knights of Pythias meet tonight.  
 Corn planting time is nearly here.  
 Daughters of Rebekah meet tonight.  
 The fool killer did not get around much today.

CHEAP—3 Dozen Eggs for 25c at S. M. Schultz.

That is a dandy swing in Jim Starkey's.

This month gives us and five Saturday.

There was no joke about April starting in with some cool weather.

Nice line of Hams and Shoulders just received by Jesse Smith & Co.

The noon train has got to coming in two hours or more late the last few days.

Large quantities of peanuts have been shipped from here by steamer the past week.

Mrs. J. S. Tunstall's grand millinery opening will take place next Tuesday and Wednesday, April 5th, and 6th. Everybody cordially invited to call.

No need of sending off after them when you can get Bagsters Teacher's Bibles at Reflector Book Store cheaper than it will cost you to order.

A new supply of the famous Parker Fountain Pen at Reflector Book Store. Silver dollar, special, mottled and gold band styles. They are the best fountain pen on the market.

Patrons of the Wilmington Steam Laundry are pleased with their work. Have yours ready to go in with Wednesday morning's shipment. Goods delivered Saturday evening.  
 W. F. PREDDY.

## THE FOOL KILLER

Says These Folks Don't Belong on His List:

J. A. Dupree went to Bethel today.  
 J. S. Norman has returned from Baltimore.

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

S. H. Abbott, of Kinston, came over this morning.

J. W. Wiggins returned to Washington this morning.

H. B. Clark came in from Washington Thursday evening.

Mrs. W. G. Lang, of Farmville, is visiting Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr.

Misses Lovie Daniel and Laura Smith went to Parmele today.

Mrs. E. B. Higgs and children went to Scotland Neck today to visit relatives.

Miss Dot Flanagan, of West Greenville, is spending a few days with Miss Hattie Smith.

H. W. Whedbee and F. C. Harding went to Grifton last night on legal business and returned this morning.

We had no frost here this morning, the wind and clouds last night keeping it off.

Somebody is accusing that display of straw hats in Munford's window of making the weather turn cold.

City tax collector, H. Sheppard, has his delinquent tax list about ready for publication. This is the last day of grace the delinquents can get.

## Early Vegetables.

THE REFLECTOR is indebted to Mr. J. J. Evans for the first radishes of the season. He brought us some Thursday evening and they were fine for the time of year.

## Warning to Delinquents

The Physician's Black List for Pitt county is undergoing revision, and this is to give notice to all delinquents that if their accounts are not settled by the 15th of April their names will appear on the black list.

## Spain Says Will Fight First.

London, March 31.—A cablegram from Madrid today states that Spain has decided to grant autonomy to Cuba similar to that granted to Canada by Great Britain, that being the limit. Before they will grant absolute independence to Cuba they will fight America.

## Keeps Dillydallying.

Today was set as the time for Spain to make a final answer to the demand of the United States to grant absolute freedom to Cuba, but the news that comes from Washington is that instead of making the answer Spain has asked to be given until April 15th to do so. This means that Spain is just dillydallying to get time to increase her preparations for war and to get her torpedo flotilla stationed as she wants it. Then she is going to be sassy enough to Uncle Sam.

The President was preparing to send a message to Congress this afternoon

## Advertising Postulates.

That the well-established and cherished newspaper is the best of all mediums.

That the daily newspaper is a better medium than a weekly.

That quality of circulation is, in many cases, a factor outweighing its extent.

That your story should be terse, and pertinent, and engagingly told.

That the statements should be truthful through and through.

That a great business should never cease to bombard the public mind.

That you should use your space to describe your own goods and not to decry your neighbor's.

That when you have caught your customer you should see that he continues to be your customer.

That advertising is not all that is necessary to make successful trade; but merely a great and necessary help.—Fame.

The cotton market dropped several points today. That looks like the war scare is getting worse.

## TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by

SPEIGHT & CO.

Cotton Buyers.

Greenville, N. C.

Cotton sold in Greenville, 5 7-16

NEW YORK FUTURES.

COTTON	Opening	Noon	Close.
May	5.97	5.97	5.98
July	6.06	6.03	5.99
August	6.08	6.05	6.01

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

Opening	Close	Tone
322	323	Quiet.

CHICAGO:

WHEAT	Opening	Noon	Close
May	103½	104	103½
PORK.			
May	960	962½	952½
RIBS.			
May	510	507½	505

# REMEMBER

This mammoth stock of

# CLOTHING

DRESS GOODS,  
 Shoes, Hats, Notions.  
 FURNISHING GOODS

is still being sold

# AT PRIME COST FOR CASH

You have only a few more days in which to get these goods at such low figures. You must not forget this is two stocks combined in one and we have too many goods on hand and must close them out at cost. Come, look over and you will buy. A chance of a life time.

**C. T. Munford,**  
 Next Door Bank of Greenville.

## To the Trade!

Watch this space for our  
**SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT**

which will appear in a few days. We have a beautiful line of Spring Goods and will tell you about them soon.

**J. B. CHERRY & CO.**

## DO YOU CATCH Spring Fever?

The restless bounding of blood and pulse—eyes brightening and drinking in freshness and the Renaissance of life.

Dress Goods opening.

New Dress Goods of fabric and creation.

Burnt Orange, Cerise, and Turquoise Blue, the very latest of Parisian colors and effects—stylish and becoming to the fair figures that grace our thoroughfares.

For all these things and more call at

**LANG'S CASH HOUSE.**

## AT WHOLESALE ONLY.

50000	LBS MEAT,
3000	LBS LARD,
500	BARRELS FLOUR,
200	BOXES TOBACCO,
100	CASES BAKING POWDERS,
100	CASES SOAP,
100	CASES LYE,
100	CASES WASHING
25	SACKS COFFEE,

We also have in stock Sugar, Butter, Cheese, Canned Goods, Snuff, Wrapping, Paper and Bags and many other things to numerous to mention. Send us your orders. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

**The Greenville Supply Co.**