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Spain is Sick
BUT
RICKS & TAFT

can make all competitors sick when it comes to low prices and Good goods. We carry a full line of

Dress Goods, Notions,
Clothing, Shoes, &c.
Ricks & Taft.

Four Americans Killed

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Key West, May 12.—The Hudson which has just arrived here brought four dead and one wounded from the crew of the Winslow in the fight at Cardenas

(A Raleigh boy, Ensign Worth Bagley, is an officer on the Winslow, being second in command.—Ed.)

It is reported that the Tecumseh was blown up in the fight at Cienfuegos, but the report is not yet confirmed.

Key West, May 12.—The Wilmington and Machias are shelling Cardenas this afternoon.

Paid the Penalty.

Special to Reflector.

Washington, N. C., May 12.—Horton Perry, colored, who committed rape on a white girl named Annie Smith in February, 1896, was hanged here today. Perry was tried and convicted twice. On the scaffold today he made a full confession and begged his friends to take warning and profit by his sad end. He stepped on the platform at 11:30, the drop fell at 12:08, and at 12:21 he was pronounced dead.

Though the hanging was private many negroes came to town. A large crowd gathered around the jail and the military company was out to prevent any disturbance.

During Sheriff Hodge's administration of nearly 15 years this is the first man he has had to hang.

Ordered to Join Dewey

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Washington, May 12.—The Oregon, Marietta and Nichtheroy have been ordered to go at once to join Dewey at Manila. Gen. Merritt will have command of the troops at the Philippines and Gen. Wheeler has been ordered to Tampa to command the cavalry in Cuba.

WORTH BAGLEY KILLED.

North Carolina Loses the First Officer in the Spanish-American War.

TWO BATTLES YESTERDAY IN WHICH AMERICA GETS HER FIRST SET-BACK.

Bombardments in Progress at Cardenas and Porto Rico—German, French, Japanese and Russian Warships Interfering with Dewey.

Time to be Scared

By Telegraph to Reflector.

New Haven, Conn., May 11.—The Starin line steamer, Erastus Corning arrived here this afternoon after being detained six hours by American patrol boats under suspicion of being a Spanish craft. The patrol boat fired two shots at the Corning, one of which struck the latter's bow. The Corning carried thirty passengers. The women among them shrieked and fainted and there was a general panic on board.

Americans Meet a Set-Back.

By Cable to Reflector.

Port Antonio, Jamaica, May 12.—Four American warships took position off Cienfuegos yesterday and bombarded the city for eight hours. The Spanish forces replied vigorously and heavy losses are reported on both sides. Americans made three attempts to land boats but were furiously repulsed by the Spaniards each time. Twenty Spaniards are known to be wounded, while the American losses are unknown. This is the first set-back with which the Americans have met since the beginning of the Spanish-American war.

You Can Count on Dewey.

By Cable to Reflector.

Hong Kong, May 12.—A Trader which arrived here this morning reports that a Spanish warship was sunk by the American gunboat, Concord, of Dewey's fleet, off Iloilo. This leaves only two Spanish warships in Asiatic waters.

Dewey is preparing to capture Cebu on Iloilo.

Worth Bagley Killed.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Key West, May 12.—Ensign Worth Bagley, of Raleigh, N. C., and six others were killed in the fight at Cardenas.

Some Better Success at Cardenas.

By Cable to Reflector.

London, May 12.—Simultaneously with the bombardment of Cienfuegos yesterday, six American warships bombarded Cardenas, the eastern gate way to Havana harbor. The Yankees landed a boat at Cardenas and captured the signal station completely destroying the Spanish batteries thereon. The American warships then raked the Spanish shore batteries which replied murderously and prevented further landing. The Spanish gunboat Antonio

Lopez was sunk by shells from the American ships and the Ligera was also badly crippled. While attempting to land more boats the Americans were vigorously repulsed. Bands of Cubans on shore tried to aid the Yankees, but their efforts were ineffectual.

Cable Station Destroyed.

By Telegraph to Reflector.

Tampa, May 12.—The cable station on the south Cuban coast is destroyed.

Bombarding Porto Rico

By Telegraph to Reflector.

New York, May 12.—A special to the Journal from Fort Defiance says nine American warships are bombarding San Juan, Porto Rico, this morning.

North Carolina Loses First Officer
By Telegraph to Reflector.

Washington, May 12.—Secretary

Long this afternoon issued Capt. Remey's official report of the bombardment of Cardenas, showing four killed and three wounded. Ensign Worth Bagley, of Raleigh, N. C. was the first officer killed in the war. Lieutenant J. B. Bernadon was the first wounded.

The Wilmington Windson, and Hudsoncruising off Cardenas when a torpedo boat ran out from the shore and suddenly sent a heavy bomb through the Winslow blowing up her boiler. A second shot displaced her rudder and she drifted helplessly until the Hudson went to her rescue and took her in tow, and the two were assisted by the Wilmington. The Wilmington finally silenced the masked shore battery with great loss of life to the Spaniards. Neither the Wilmington nor Hudson received any injury.

New York, May 12.—Two foreign torpedo boats were sighted off Nanucket south shoals yesterday afternoon.

International Complications

By Cable to Reflector.

Hong Kong, May 12.—German, French, Japanese and Russian warships are preventing Dewey from landing at Manila. International complications are imminent.

Two Sides

By Cable to Reflector.

London, May 12.—U. S. Ambassador Hay is definitely informed that the Cape Verde fleet is at Cadiz, while the Madrid Minister, Bermejo, denies that the fleet is at Cadiz.

Headquarters for

MEN AND BOYS

CLOTHING.

CLOTHING.

SHOES,

Furnishings,

FRANK WILSON.

THE KING CLOTHIER.

The valleys, hills and woods, in rich array,
Welcome the coming of the longed for May.

There's a Top Notch

IN the public favor that we tried hard to reach, and succeeded. Not by any trickery or false advertising, but by plain statements of store facts, and have goods at the price when you come. It's simply: "Better goods for less money, or more goods for the same money than any other house." And we are proving it now, come in and see for yourself.

H. M. HARDEE

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1898.

The Kinston Free Press says the following plain and timely truths that people in every town where a paper is published ought to consider:

Most people have no idea how much hard work and how much expense are connected with publishing a newspaper. Some people (usually those who do not support the paper) think it should give the news free, post bulletins, etc., forgetting that it costs a lot of money for telegrams; and of course nearly all think that to give them a left-over copy is nothing more than right—of course it costs no more to print one more copy. It seems hard for some people to realize that the only sources of revenue to a paper are selling papers and advertising space. It is just like merchandise to a certain extent. It costs money to produce, and there is a loss unless pay is obtained for what is produced.

The British Empire

The British Empire is fifty-three times the size of France, fifty-two times that of Germany, three and one-half times that of the United States of America, thrice the size of Europe, with treble the population of all the Russias. It extends over 11,000,000 square miles, occupies one-fifth of the globe, contains one-fifth of the human race, or 350,000,000 people, embraces four continents, 10,000 islands, 500 promontories and 2,000 rivers. It is estimated that the empire possesses one-third of the sheep of the world, one-fourth of the cattle and one-twelfth of the horses. The total shipping under the British flag is 10,452,000 tons.—Indianapolis News.

JUST FOR FUN

Salted mines—Those in Havana harbor,

Button, button, who hasn't a patriotic button?

The Spaniards may have hypnotized the natives of the Philippines for years, but they couldn't hoodewey.

The Spanish fleet has fooled Sampson and returned home, which simply proves that the Spaniards prefer comedy to tragedy.

Bianco's men will probably have that Mantanzas mule "warmed over" many times, and be glad to have even that to eat before long.

Jingo—"That was thoughtful of Dewey of stop the battle to let the men get breakfast." Bingo

"Not at all. It was quite unnecessary. The men enlisted to fight on water."

Belle—"That idiot Sappy is the most stupid man. He never has a thing in his head." Nell—"Oh, you wrong him. I met him on the street to-day, and he said 'Aw, Good Bordig, Bess Dell.'"

Hoax—"I see there's a Mr. Knight, of Kansas, who is an applicant for a position in the State Department at Washington." Joax—"Hope he gets it. Then we'd have the State Department working Day and Knight."

Proverbs by Solomou and Another Fellow

- "I have been young and now I am old, yet have I never seen" a lazy farmer prosper nor a careless farmer grow rich.
- "All the ways of a man are right in his own eyes," but the Lord giveth the crop to him who worketh it well.
- "Better is a dinner of herbs," from thine own garden than much rich provender bought on credit.
- "In all labor there is profit," but cotton grows not upon careless weeds nor potatoes upon burr grass.
- Improved implements are a blessing to the wise farmer, but the fool houseth them in his fence corner.
- The wise man planteth an orchard and fenceth it securely and in the season thereof he sateth fruit to the utmost of his desire, but the fool turneth his calves therein and buyeth more trees the next year.
- Blessed is he who soweth what has own household can eat, and after that a money drop. But he who farmeth for money alone shall be hungry at harvest time.

Limits of "More or Less"

"The expression 'more or less' has seldom had a legal interpretation," explained a well-known lawyer to a Washington Star reporter, "though for all general purposes, the meaning is pretty generally understood. In transfers of land, of property of various kinds, and of quantities in contracts in specifications for buildings and the like, when the exact equations cannot be stated, more or less very frequently appears. As it indicates, it means that the parties to the agreement cannot state with certainty what they will need or find in case they are purchasers. There have, however, been a number of decisions on the general question, but this does not always settle disagreements that constantly arise from its use. I think the generally understood meaning of the term is that it implies that 20 per cent, one way or another is the maximum, and to that extent it is safe to use it. In brief, therefore, more or less means that one-fifth of the quantity indicated can run with the contract or agreement, and it will be held to be good."

Killed Six Hawks at One Nest.

Mr. Walter Barnes must be put down as a good and loyal citizen in the proper use of the gun whether he turns it to killing Spaniards or not. Not long ago he discovered a hawk's nest near his home in the country, close by which was a hawk which he shot and killed. A day or two thereafter passing the same place with his gun he saw and shot another hawk. This has been repeated until he has killed six hawks at this one nest, all old ones of the chicken eating variety. Mr. Barnes thinks he will get some more and if he keeps on as he has started he will break up the breed in his neighborhood.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

In the new congressional library at Washington there is a reading room exclusively for the blind. It will eventually contain practically all the books and periodicals published in the blind alphabets of every language. This is the only separate department for the blind in any library in the world.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

Since the declaration of war the United States Navy has taken nine Spanish steamers, nine schooners, two sloops and several fishing smacks, not to mention the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Manila. The value of the ships taken as prize money is \$3,000,000. The Spaniards have taken one American boat, valued at \$40,000.

Since Commodore Dewey took Manila the sun never has set on the Stars and Stripes, remarks the Raleigh Observer. When the Englishman boasted that the sun never set on English soil and asked a Frenchman to account for it, the man of France said it was because the Lord was afraid to trust Englishmen in the dark. The explanation in America's case is that by her recent acquisition of the Philippine Islands the sun rises on some part of American possessions before it sets on some other.

A Seeming Inconsistency

Some years since, Dr. —, now the popular president of a flourishing western college, was the pastor of a congregation in an eastern city. He was one day preaching with great earnestness and, in defining his position on the question at issue, said: "In the language of the immortal Luther, 'Here I stand; I cannot do otherwise, God help!'" He had not finished the familiar quotation when, owing to the fact that he was unconsciously on the very edge of the platform, he fell off and down a distance of about three feet. He quickly picked himself up, and, entering the pulpit again, he said: "God helping me I will not change my moral position, but I will take my stand just a trifle farther from the edge of the platform." The sermon proceeded without any further quotation from the "hero of the reformation.—Ram's Horn."

A Hundred Reasons

Can be given why Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best and most effectual cure for every form of indigestion. They are in Tablet form which retains their good qualities indefinitely, while liquid preparations become stale and useless with age. They are convenient, can be carried in the pocket and taken when needed. They are pleasant to the taste. After each meal dissolve one or two of them in the mouth and mingling with the food, they constitute a perfect digestive, absolutely safe for the most sensitive stomach. They digest the food before it has time to ferment, thus preventing the formation of gas and keeping the blood pure and free from the poisonous products of fermented, half digested food. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets make the complexion clear by keeping the blood pure. They increase flesh by digesting flesh-forming foods. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the only remedy designed especially for the cure of stomach troubles and nothing else. One disease, one remedy, the successful physician of to-day is the specialist, the successful medicine prepared especially for one disease. A whole package taken at one time would not hurt you, but would simply be a waste of good material. Over six thousand men and women in the State of Michigan alone have been cured of indigestion and dyspepsia by the use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Sold by all druggists at 50 cents per package.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by

SPEIGHT & CO.

Cotton Buyers.
Greenville, N. C.

Cotton sold in Greenville, 5 1/2

NEW YORK FUTURES.

COTTON	Opening	Noon	Close
May	6.22	6.21	6.34
July	6.51	6.34	6.33
August	6.37	6.38	6.38

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

Opening	Close	Tone
332	382	Steady

CHICAGO.

WHEAT	Opening	Noon	Close
July	112 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2

PORK.

July	1105	1197 1/2	1210
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RIBS.

July	615	612 1/2	627 1/2
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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.

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

Tobacco, Snuff, Cigar

Flour, Sugar, Coffee

Always at lowest market prices as we buy direct from manufacturers

A complete stock of

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Always on hand and sold at prices that suit the times. Our goods are all bought and sold for CASH therefore, having no rise to run we sell at a close margin.

S. M. SCHULTZ

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 12th, 1898.

Departures from Wilmington.

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 4—Passenger—Due Wilmington 9:00 a. m. nolla 10.46 am. Warsaw 12.05 a. m. Goldsboro 12.05 am. Wilson 12.55 p. m. Rocky Mount 1.37 p. m. Tarboro 2.45 p. m. Weldon 4.33 p. m. Petersburg 6.22 p. m. Richmond 7.15 pm. Norfolk 6.05 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. nolla 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 p. m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake 40 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 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 p. m. 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 6:50 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 4:17 pm, Magnolia 4:24 pm.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 7:30 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 9:4 a. m. Tarboro 6:01 pm. Rocky Mount 5:40 am. Leave Wilson 6:2 a. m. 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 6:33 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 Farmelo 9:10 a. m., and 4:00 p. m., Tarboro 9:45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3:30 p. m., Farmelo 9:35 a. m., 6:20 p. m., arrives Washington 9:10 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., 6:10 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

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., Clio 8:05 p. m. Returning leave Clio 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

Train No. 78 makes close connections. Weldon for all points daily, all rail via telephone, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R R for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

H. M. EMERSON,

Gen'l Pass. Agent

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

CITIZEN 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	57-1/2
Low Middling	57-1/2
Good Ordinary	44
Tone—steady	

PEANUTS

Prime	2 1/2 to 2 3/4
Extra Prime	2 1/2
Fancy	2 1/4 to 2 1/2
Spanish	55c bu
Tone—steady.	

We have a large STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS

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OATS HAY AND FLOUR

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I keep the best Fresh Meats, Sausage, Fish and Salt Fish, nice Groceries, &c. etc. on my year orders. Goods delivered to you wherever in town.

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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		
	\$136,128.90		\$136,128.90

Have You Cancer?

I have had cancer on my face for 14 years and have tried all the cancer doctors of any reputation in this country. I went to Atlanta and put myself under treatment of a cancer doctor of great reputation. I tried all treatments that presented, with but little if any benefit. It appeared first under my eye in a small lump, not larger than a pea, and it started from that to eating until it has now eaten away one of my eyes, one of my ears is gone, and a good portion of one side of my face. I became heartily discouraged by the treatment of all cancer doctors and determined to quit and try blood medicines. I tried all the blood medicines of any repute in the country with but little benefit. Accidentally or I might say providentially Mrs. Joe Person passed by my house last summer and came in to see me, and asked me to try her Remedy and Wash. I was altogether discouraged and in bad health every way, and had given up to die. I thought then I would make one more trial and try her Remedy. I did so and the very first dose I ever took did me more good than any medicine I ever took in my life. I commenced building up at once. I had indigestion, dyspepsia and chronic costiveness and it relieved all in a short time. I continued to use it for six months and continued to improve all the time. It did me more good medicines I ever used. Cancer that has developed itself as far as mine had is impossible of cure, but if I could have gotten it five years ago, I know it would have cured me. I believe I would have been in my grave long ago had it not been for Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. It relieves the pain and suffering from the cancer, and gives me good, sweet, restful, I had no appetite and strength. I would urge and advise any one who has the least appearance of cancer to begin on Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash at once. I believe it will cure any cancer if only taken in time, before it gets such deep hold. Don't delay it when anyone says Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash, they are not buying a humbug, it is all that is claimed for it. I believe if anyone will use the Remedy for six months, that I will utterly kill the taste for liquor. I believe it equal to the Keeley Cure. I have been a moderate drinker in my time, but since taking the Remedy, I have lost all taste for liquor, and it is repulsive to me now.

S. LEE THOMPSON,
Sweptownville, N. C., July 17, 1897

FOR SALE BY
JOHN L. WOOTEN,
Greenville, N. C.

Give the Dogs a Chance.

People who are habitual dog haters should read with some care an incident of life in Newark, where a pet dog led a distracted mother to her little two-year-old, which had strayed from home. The dog had kept near the child until the stupid individual into whose hands the child had fallen started a crowd of boys off with it to drown it, on account of its strange actions. The mother came up just in time to rescue the dog and then it in turn took her to where the child was. The only thing the matter with the dog was that it wanted to protect its little mistress. Nine-tenths of the time dogs that are simply overheated, fatigued or thirsty are set upon by a wild crowd of human beings, who go into a panic every time a dog pants and are ready to kill every innocent animal on general suspicion. Hydrophobia is bad enough, but it is a rare disease, while the ignorant dog hater is ever with us. Give the dogs a chance.

NOTICE.

order to allow business due to War risks on freight shipped by the Old Dominion S. S. Co. this Company has decided to assume the risk on freight shipped by their steamers. This information is authorized by the company.

J. J. CHERRY Agent
Greenville N. C., April 25, 1898.

Greenville Market.
Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 20
Western Sides	5 1/2 to 6 1/4
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 52
Corn Meal	50 to 64
Flour, Family	4.75 to 5.70
Lard	5 1/4 to 16
Sts	35 to 40
ugar	4 1/4 to 6
offee	9 1/4 to 0
salt per Sack	65 to 150
Chickens	12 1/2 to 15
Eggs per doz	1 1/2
Beeswax, per	7
Cotton Seed, per bushel	10 to 12

Reduced Rates in May

The Seaboard Air Line announces the following Reduced Rates for Special Occasions to take place in May.

BALTIMORE, MD.

Quadrennial Conference of the M E Church, South.
Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 2nd-4th, with final limit May 31st.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

National Order of Elks.
Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 7th-9th, with final limit of fifteen days.
General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the U S
Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 17th-19th, with final limit of June 4th.

NORFOLK, VA.

Southern Baptist and Auxiliary Conventions.
Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 2nd-6th, with final limit of fifteen days.

CHARLOTTE, N C

Twentieth of May Celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.
Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 16th-19th, and one cent per mile travelled from points within a radius of two hundred miles, tickets on sale 18th-19th with final limit May 23rd.
Reunion of Confederate Veterans.
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MAY FLOWERS.

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M. L. Starkey left this morning for Washington.

Joab Hemby, father of Mrs. J. S. Smith and Mrs. W. H. Smith, of this town, is very sick at his home in the country.

Mrs. S. M. Merritt.

The subject of this sketch was born in Pitt county, near Greenville, August 4th, 1826, and was a daughter of Mr. Wiley Brown, who in his day was one of our most prominent and well-to-do citizens. At the age of 19 she was married to Mr. Samuel Moore, also a prominent and wealthy citizen of this country. Her husband was a large turpentine dealer, and five years after marriage they moved to Brunswick county where they lived a few years and then moved to South Carolina.

In 1883 she was left a widow and returned to North Carolina to make her home with relatives. Two years later she was again married to Mr. William A. Merritt, of Ridge Spring, S. C., and went back to that State. In 1892 she was again left a widow and spent the remaining years of her life alternately in Atlanta, Ga., and among her relatives in North Carolina.

Mrs. Merritt went to St. Augustine, Fla., to spend the winter of 1897, and was there taken with la grippe from which she never recovered. She was taken to St. Joseph's Infirmary in Atlanta, where she passed peacefully into rest on the evening of May 2nd, 1898. Her remains were interred at Aiken, S. C., by the side of her first husband.

Mrs. Merritt was a member of the Episcopal church, and lived the life of an earnest, faithful Christian. Her days were full of acts of charity and kind deeds. Being possessed of ample means, she bestowed these with benevolent hand wherever most good could be accomplished.

She leaves a brother, Dr. W. M. B. Brown, of Greenville; two sisters, Mrs. S. B. Wilson, of Greenville and Mrs. J. J. Thomas, of Elm City, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Mattie Baker, who now resides in Atlanta.

"Farewell sister, farewell sister!
Peaceful be thy silent rest!
Slumber sweetly, God knew best
When to call thee home to rest.
Farewell sister, farewell sister!
We must say our last farewell,
Till we meet beyond the river,
Happy there with thee to dwell."

Even the babies are up in arms these exciting times.—Salt Lake Herald.

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