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THE WAR TAX.

Some Things That Require Stamps.

The Treasury Department has issued a pamphlet containing the revised rulings in reference to tax stamps made by Commission Scott. We publish below some of these rulings that may be of interest to REFLECTOR readers:

A policy of insurance is not valid unless it bears the proper cancelled revenue stamp.

Deeds and mortgages executed by a sheriff, in compliance with an order of the court, are subject to a tax.

Orders for the payment of money, drawn by the secretary of an order or beneficiary society on its treasurer, in favor of a third party, requires a 2-cent stamp.

Certificates of deposit drawing interest, if left a certain time, are taxable, first, at the rate of 2 cents, but left until interest accrues, stamps at the rate of 2 cents per \$100 must be added.

Certificates of "proof of loss" for use of an insurance company, being a statement made as to the facts and circumstances attending a fire, is not a certificate requiring a stamp.

Certificate of protest of every note, bill of exchange, etc, whether protested by a notary public or by any other officer duly authorized by law, must be stamped.

When a sale is made of live stock at a live stock exchange or any similar place, or an agreement to sell entered into, the seller must give to the buyer a bill or memorandum, or other evidence of such sale, agreement of sale, or agreement to sell, to which must be affixed the stamp required—viz, 1 cent for each \$100 in value of such sale, agreement of sale, or agreement to sell, and 1 cent for each additional \$100 or fractional part thereof.

Money orders issued by express companies must be stamped at the rate of 2 cents for each order.

Foreign express money orders cashed in the United States, are subject to taxation at the rate of 2 cents.

A 2-cent stamp is required on an order for cash drawn on a merchant by one of his customers.

If papers in the nature of receipts are given in lieu of checks and are used as commercial instruments, they are checks and not receipts, and are subject to tax.

Mere agreements to build houses are not taxable, but if bonds are included for the faithful performance of work or contracts, they are held to be subject to tax as bonds. Marriage bonds require a stamp of 50 cents.

Where a bond is given with a guaranty company as surety, the bond should have, in addition to a 50-cent stamp, a stamp denoting one-half of 1 cent on each dollar or fractional part thereof, paid by the principal obligor on the bond as a premium.

"Broker's note, or memorandum of sale of any goods or merchandise, stocks, bonds, exchange, notes of hand, real estate or property of any kind or description issued by brokers or persons acting as such, for each note or memorandum of sale, not otherwise provided for in this act, 10 cents."

SUPERIOR COURT.

Work of the January Term.

The following cases were disposed of up to the noon recess today: Joe Robbins, carrying concealed weapon, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

S. T. Hooker, affray, pleads guilty.

Bill Mayo and Elias Sutton, affray, plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Wm. Bowers and Hardy Harrington, affray, plead guilty, Harrington fined \$5 and half costs, Bowers to pay half costs.

Ulyses Hines, carrying concealed weapon, pleads guilty, sentenced 3 months in jail with leave to hire out.

William Wilkinson, assault with deadly weapon, not guilty.

Sam Allen and Kate Silverthorn, fornication and adultery, not guilty.

Jane Dawson, larceny, guilty.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

Four bold thieves held up a suburban train near Chicago, Ill., and robbed Rev. F. A. Hardwood of \$40 and a gold watch.

In the full uniform of a Knight Templar Admiral Schley will attend the annual ball of that order in Chicago, Ill. tonight.

Rev. Edward Benton Coe, of New York, a Yale graduate of '62, is Dr. Dwight's selection as his successor at the University.

Four unknown men attempted to hold up the Mexican Central passenger train near Ciudad, Juarez, Mex., on Saturday night, but were scared off by the passengers and fled.

The safe of the Ashburnham, Mass., bank was blown to pieces with dynamite, Monday morning. The burglars got away with \$2,000.

The postmastership of Pembroke, Me., is said to have been held by one family longer than that of any other town in the country. William Kilby was appointed to the office in 1800, and his direct descendant's have handled the mails of the little village ever since his retirement in 1840.

Stole Some Chickens.

A few nights ago some one stole three chickens from a coop in the rear of Mr. S. M. Schultz's store. During all his years in business this is the first time anybody has bothered his chicken coop.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina for an amendment to the stock law fence around the town of Greenville, N. C., requiring the County Commissioners to extend said fence from its eastern terminus on Tar river to the bank of said river to the town line.

Greenville, N. C., Jan 9, 1899.

UNCLE JESSE DEAD.

Greensboro, Jan. 7.—Rev. J. A. Cuninggim died at his home in this city at 9 o'clock tonight. He had been ill for some time, but the immediate cause of his death was heart failure. The funeral will take place Monday.

Uncle Jesse, as he was called for many years, was one of the oldest members of the North Carolina Conference, M. E. Church South. After long and successful service in the pastoral relation he was called to the responsible work of presiding elder. In that capacity he served the Raleigh district four years, and with the close of the last conference year completed his time limit on the Durham district.

Admonished by failing health and the infirmities of age, he realized that his work in the ministry was finished. He was too feeble to attend the conference at Elizabeth City, but he wrote a very pathetic letter to his fellow laborers in the ministry, asking to be placed in the superannuated relation. His request was granted with the hope that his life would be spared yet a long time. But that was not to be: his earthly career closed within a few weeks after he laid down his work.

A mighty man among North Carolina Methodists has fallen. A more lovable character or a minister better beloved has rarely, if ever, lived to bless his fellow men.—Raleigh Post.

[Dr. Cuninggim was a near relative of the family of Maj. H. Harding in Greenville.—REFLECTOR.]

The Evening Daily.

There is no doubt that the evening daily is the daily for the advertiser in a small city. It comes into the home after the merchant's work is done and he can sit down and study it and his competitor's ads to his utmost satisfaction. The good wife has time to look over its columns, and the same order of things holds good in the home of the mechanic and the laborer. The morning daily of a small city is laid to one side by the busy merchant at his store, and the busier housewife at her home. The laborer or the mechanic has no time to read it before he goes to work, and is not allowed to read during working hours. You can always depend upon it that the evening daily has the larger circulation for these very reasons, and is, therefore, the better medium.—American Advertiser.

A fire in Hotel Richlieu, Pittsburg, Monday resulted in the death of three persons and the serious injury of five others.

FOR Handsome New Year Gifts GO TO

SAM T. WHITE'S

—WHERE YOU CAN FIND A NICE SELECTION OF—
 Artotype and Medallion Pictures,
 Gold Plated Candelabras and Pitchers, Bert Glass Globe Lamps.
 Gold Plated and Banquet Lamps
 Gold Plated Centre Tables, Brass
 Tables, Onyx Top Mirrors and
 numerous other things: will be glad to show you at any time.

SAM WHITE.

An Opportunity Presents Itself

AT OUR STORE

To Buy Clothing

more to your liking than it has ever been our pleasure to offer you. Our stock is full of new and nobby things that can be had at prices to suit all.

Our aim in business is to send our fellowmen away from our store with values that will make us lasting friends. Economy and necessity should go

hand in hand. Clothing is a necessity, buying now is economy. Come here and combine the two. Remember we carry the largest stock of clothing ever exhibited here.

Also remember our HATS and CAPS cover the principal points. We fit your head and your pocketbook at the same time. We are anxious to show goods. Before buying be sure to see us. Yours to please,

FRANK WILSON.

THE KING CLOTHIER.

N. B. - -Open every evening until 10 o'clock

AT FIVE POINTS.

I have moved in the Cheap John store at Five Points and will move off the balance of my stock in three months if I have to almost give them away. The greatest bargains known are occurring at our store daily.

Come before they are all gone.

ALFRED FORBES

R. B. JARVIS & BRO. Safely : Housed.

—Headquarters for—

DRY GOODS, Notions, SHOES,
 DRY GOODS, Notions, SHOES,
 DRY GOODS, Notions, SHOES,

Hats, Trunks and Pants.
 Hats, Trunks and Pants.

A full line of—

FAMILY SUPPLIES.

All goods delivered free to any part of the city.

R. B. JARVIS & BROS.,
 R. B. JARVIS & BROS.,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

We are in our new quarters and invite you to come and see us. We will continue to sell

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

at the lowest price possible. We can save you money.

J. C. COBB & SON.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Rain tonight and probably Wednesday.

SYRUP OF FIGS



THE EXCELLENCE OF SYRUP OF FIGS is due not only to the originality and simplicity of the combination, but also to the care and skill with which it is manufactured by scientific processes known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co. only, and we wish to impress upon all the importance of purchasing the true and original remedy. As the genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co. only, a knowledge of that fact will assist one in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured by other parties. The high standing of the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co. with the medical profession, and the satisfaction which the genuine Syrup of Figs has given to millions of families, makes the name of the Company a guaranty of the excellence of its remedy. It is far in advance of all other laxatives, as it acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels without irritating or weakening them, and it does not gripe nor nauseate. In order to get its beneficial effects, please remember the name of the Company—

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Large 8 room house—6 stables, barn, buggy house, large garden, good water on premises. Location suitable for hotel or boarding house. Apply to J. H. COBB, Ayden, N. C.

NEW YEAR GREETING.

Everything Talked About today is New.

Odd Fellows meet tonight. The weather is getting on another shaky feeling.

White shad were in the Newbern market Saturday.

There was an old time Tuesday in court week crowd here today.

I pay cash for Hides, Furs, Eggs and Turkeys.
SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Mr. J. S. Smith has sold his house and lot in South Greenville to Mr. H. L. Coward. Mr. Smith will build him another home.

FOR RENT—The Stephens house and lot in Greenville—House contains six rooms. Apply to J. A. ANDREWS.

The party who took the orange wood cane from the opera house the day after the band concert, will please return it to W. B. Polard.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "wouldn't hab no trouble 'tall 'bout gettin' rich ef dey held on as tight to de money dey earns as dey does to de money dey borrows."—Washington Star.

Dr. Odom, the eye specialist, has put up an immense sign on the square in front of the Court House, and has another large sign in front of Hotel Macon. These signs call attention to what he can do and where he may be found.

Thirty or more persons were killed in a train collision between New York and Buffalo Monday afternoon. In another collision between two Union Pacific trains near Sidney, Neb., several people were killed.

NEW LEAF

Turned Over—Some of The Writers.

W. H. Cox, of Kinston is here. J. F. Leggett left this morning for Raleigh.

F. C. Harding went down the road last night.

Adrian Savage left this morning for Richmond to buy horses.

Ben Joyner and his sister, Miss Suddie, have gone to Bethel to attend school.

Bruce Mizelle, of Jamesville, who has been visiting E. H. Taft, returned home today.

Congressman Harry Skinner came home from Washington Monday evening to attend court.

R. Williams and J. M. Reuss left this morning for Raleigh to represent Greenville Lodge at the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons. J. H. Harris, of Ayden Lodge also went.

His Mother Dead.

The tobacco boys and other friends here extend sympathy to Mr. T. M. Anderson, one of our buyers, in the loss he has sustained by the death of his mother, which occurred in Wilson Saturday night.

Four Brothers Marry Four Sisters.

A most remarkable wedding has just taken place at the small village called Trail, ten miles north of here, four brothers being married to four sisters. The four knots were tied at the home of the four sister brides, who are the daughters of a prosperous farmer named James Hochsetetter. Their ages range from 18 to 28 and the ages of their respective husbands vary only slightly.—Canal Dover, O., Dispatch, 3rd.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of G. E. Little, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same for payment on or before the 21st day of December, 1899, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery of same.

This Dec. 21st, 1898.
G. H. LITTLE,
Executor of G. E. Little

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

—as quoted by—
W. A. PORTERFIELD & CO.,
—STOCK BROKERS,—
Greenville, N. C.
—under the management of—
W. G. ALLEY.
Office over Baker & Hart's Hardware Store.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Cotton	Op'n'g	High	Low	Close.
March	5.71	5.78	5.69	5.76
May	5.79	5.85	5.77	5.82
August	5.88	5.93	5.86	5.91

LIVERPOOL.
February and March.

Opening.	Close.	Tone.
37	37	Quiet & Steady.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Opng.	High	Low	Close
Tobacco.	148	148½	146½	146½
Sugar.	129½	130½	126½	126½
B. R. T.	89	89½	88½	88½

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat.	Op'n'g	High	Low	Close.
May	70½	70½	70½	70½
Ribs.	500	502	500	502½

LOCAL MARKETS

—As reported by—
SPEIGHT & CO.,
BUYERS OF COTTON, RICE AND PEANUTS.
Greenville, N. C.

Cotton	54
Best Rice	70
Peanuts—Spanish	40
Peanuts—Virginia	35 to 40

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt county made in a certain Special Proceeding therein pending, entitled, "J. H. Cobb and Sarah Cox against C. A. Blount and others," I will on Monday, February 6th, 1899, sell at public sale before the Court House door in Greenville, to the highest bidder, a certain tract or parcel of land in the county of Pitt adjoining the lands of A. C. Tucker, Thomas Nobles, deceased, and others, containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less and known as the "King place" formerly belonging to M. L. Blount, deceased. Terms of sale—cash.
This the 20th day of December, 1898.

ALEX L. BLOW,
Commissioner.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Jennie Boyd, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate should present the same for payment on or before the 2nd day of January, 1900, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery of same.
This 2nd day of January, 1899.
HERBERT EDMUNDS,
Executor of Jennie Boyd.

—ESTABLISHED 1875.—

SAM'L SCHULTZ

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.
Prepared buckwheat, fancy Ponce molasses, side meat, hams, shoulders, coffee, sugar, flour, tobacco, snuff, cigars, cigarettes, cheroots, Elgen butter, mountain butter, full cream cheese, macaroni, sausage, oat flakes, hominy flakes, cottonseed and hulls, cottonseed bought at 10 cents per bushel.

D. M. FERRY GARDEN SEEDS.
STANDARD Sewing MACHINES
100 BAGS SALT.
BEDSTEDS,
BUREAUS,
MATTRESSES,
CHAIRS, Etc,
AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.
Come to see

SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.
Phone 55.

UP-TO-DATE STORE

That is the place want to visit. I have just opened in the Rialto building with a choice stock of GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS and the best of general Tables Supplies. I carry an—
UP-TO-DATE STOCK
and am ready to supply your needs Give me a call.

J. S. NORMAN,

Did It Ever Occur To You

That when you buy it economy to get the best

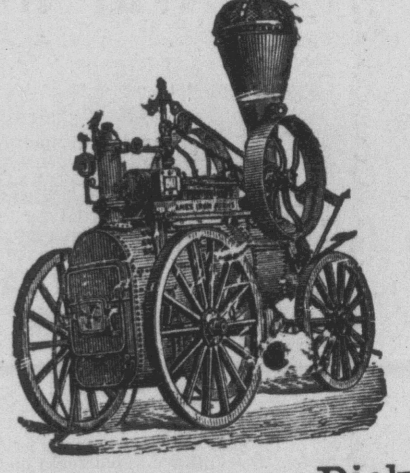
That is what we have,
The best of everything.

You may need.

We can supply all your needs in Fine Candies, Fruits of all kinds, Nuts, Raisins, &c. We have Fine CIGARS. 25 in a box, put up especially for us.

J. L. STARKEY & BRO

BARNHILL & ALLEN.



At our shops on Dickerson avenue we repair all kinds of Machinery, Gins & Farming Implements. We also manufacture
arts,
wagons,
Brackets,
Posts,
Balusters.
Let us have your work.
BARNHILL & ALLEN.

Our

SPECIAL 1899

☀ JANUARY ☀

1899 SALE.

OF

Fine Dress Goods and Trimmings

will be the great event of the year and you are cordially invited to attend. For this month prices have been marked away down from regular selling prices on all Fine

Woolen Dress Goods, Trimmings

We have a nice variety of choice styles left yet and you can now get a Bargain. When you come ask to see our Special Bargain Counter.

J. B. CHERO.

Loom to Weaver

Clothes Choosing

isn't such a hard matter, for the eye tells the nobbiness, pattern and fit. But clothes buying is somewhat harder, because you must use good sound judgment as to values and some of the value getting doesn't show until after usage. Don't know of a place in the city where you're less liable to go amiss than in our store, the cloths are our weaves, and clothes our make, and we ask only a small profit above our mill cost. Men's, Young Men's and Boys' CLOTHES under the best conditions.

At—
C. T. Munford's.

Have you a GUN, or a PISTOL, or a BICYCLE, or a LOCK, or most anything that needs fixing? IF SO, bring it to

E. PENDER & CO., Greenville, N. C.

We have employed Mr. Ed. Moore, one of the best GUN and BICYCLE workmen in the State and any repair work you bring us will be promptly and thoroughly done.

BICYCLE SUPPLIES

OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE.

TOBACCO FLUES

ARE OUR OLD STAND-BY. WE MAKE GOOD FLUES. Prices as low as any ones.

S. E. PENDER & CO.