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THE LEGISLATURE.

They Keep Doing Good Work.

Below are some of the important matters introduced Monday:

HOUSE.

By Nicholson, of Beaufort, petition from E. S. Simmons asking for appointment of chief shell fish commissioners.

By Davis, of Hyde, asking that Col. W. H. Lucas be appointed chief shell fish commissioner.

By Giles, to give each member of the First North Carolina Regiment who is serving in Cuba a medal.

By Boushall, to incorporate the Raleigh Storage Warehouse Company of Raleigh, capital \$10,000.

By Craige, of Buncombe, to place the offence of cruelty to animals within the jurisdiction of magistrates; to allow clerks of court under certain circumstances to pay out money to minors who are wards of the law; to prevent the necessity of kissing the Bible when taking the oath; to amend the law in reference to service of summons by publication.

There was some discussion of a bill to repeal the Act of 1897, allowing counties to pay special veniremen. Several members, among them Nicholson, of Beaufort, said they approved the measure. A motion was made to table, and this action was taken, despite a favorable report from the committee.

SENATE.

By McIntyre, to incorporate the Carolina and Northern Railroad Company.

By Ward, to repeal chapter 157, laws of 1895, relating to election of justices of the peace.

By Ward, to restore white government in North Carolina.

By Justice, to punish public drunkenness.

By James, to amend chapter 380, laws of 1889, concerning drainage.

MORE ABOUT LOUISBURG.

All Praise the Dispensary.

The Dispensary as managed in Louisburg does much less harm than the bar-rooms, for several reasons.

1. Less liquor is sold, and there is less drunkenness and fighting and other violations of law.

2. It is sold under such restrictions as to remove many of the evils of the bar-rooms. It is not sold in a smaller quantity than a half pint and cannot be drunk on the premises. This does away with treating and social drinking. It is not sold after sun down, and hence no drinking, card playing or gambling at night. In the dispensary order is maintained and there is no cursing, swearing, fighting, &c.

3. It removes the most corrupting influence from the town government.

4. It pays more money into the town and county treasuries.

W. K. A. WILLIAMS.

Misses Nancy and Polly Carden, two aged sisters who lived four miles from Durham, were burned to death in their home Monday morning. About daylight their house was discovered on fire, and when neighbors reached the scene the roof was falling in and the skeletons of the two women were found after the building had burned down. One of them was 81 years old and the other 65.

PORTERFIELD'S FAILURE.

Says He Expects to Pay Up

The following account of the failure was sent out from Washington:

Washington, Jan. 30.—William A. Porterfield & Co., bankers and commission stock brokers, who have extensive connections in North Carolina, South Carolina and the South, and also a local business here, today made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, naming Richard H. Taylor and Thomas F. Young as assignees. The assets are stated to be \$30,814.49 and liabilities \$40,449.88.

Mr. Porterfield, senior and managing member of the firm, makes the following statement:

"I have worked twenty hours a day for the past month and am simply a physical wreck. My efforts to keep things moving through this advancing market were successful up to the past few days, when through the talk of supposed friends and published interviews by former partners, our financial standing has been weakened, and our Southern clientele made a run upon us. Our finances being scattered in Southern banks were not available for immediate use; and this; together with considerable moneys due us by responsible people, but uncollectible upon a moment's notice, makes a combination of circumstances which we cannot overcome.

"Considering the state of the markets and the worn out condition of my assistants, I concluded that this was the only move left to protect our customers and ourselves. We settled up all our local obligations and discontinued business in Washington last week, as we were unable to place transactions here on a commission basis satisfactorily. We have paid over \$81,000 to customers during the past week. From the condition of our accounts I think our assignees will be able to make satisfactory settlement with all customers."

Mr. Porterfield squared up last week with all customers here, where he did an immense business. His failure is generally regretted.

Six Score and Two.

That was the number of people made happy during the month of January through the agency of Register of Deeds Moore's office. He issued sixty-one marriage licenses, twenty-six of them being for white couples and thirty-five for colored.

Waiting for More.

The weather wise say the remnant of Saturday's snow is waiting for another one. There was a little to fall Tuesday night.

JUST RECEIVED

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SAM WHITE.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Feb. 1, '99.

Mr. C. S. Dixon has been quite sick for several days, but is up again.

If Winterville was not a dry town it would be a very wet one these times.

Mrs. Kate Smith, of Jonesboro, is visiting relatives in town this week.

John Hurst has a case of the grip which is about to develop into pneumonia.

Mr. Dink Stokes is now working in the cigar factory, making six hands in all besides stemmers.

B. F. Manning & Co. are very busy indeed taking inventory of their goods, but just come right on if you want anything and see if they do not take time to wait on you.

Mr. H. B. Phillips, general manager of the Beaufort County Lumber Co., and Mr. S. E. Whaley, timber estimator for the same, are stopping with J. D. Cox.

Mr. Parker will put up 1000 yards of wire fence in Greenville this week and 1000 yards in Bethel for Blount Bros. next week.

Look here—We are compelled to turn our especial attention now to making cotton planters, tobacco trucks, fertilizer distributors, tobacco flues, etc., but still have a nice lot of wagons and carts on hand. You had better call however before they get too scarce.

A. G. COX MFG CO.

The Union Meeting was completely snowed under. Rev. Blanchard and Dr. Lewis returned home Saturday night, Rev. Davis remained over till Monday night. If it had not snowed we expected a large crowd Saturday and Sunday, and judging from the beginning it would have been an excellent meeting.

Remember that Johnson & Parker carry a fine stock of groceries. You would do well to call and see them before buying elsewhere.

The following pupils made the honor roll in Winterville Academy during the second quarter ending Jan 30, 1899: Julia Burney, Lizzie Burney, Minnie McGlohon, Bessie Ives, Lillian Campbell, Kate Chapman Dora Cox, Maggie Braxton, Mabel Petty, Bonner Kittrell, Clara Petty, Miriam Johnson, Helen Cox, Lillie Parker, Effie Cooper, Mary Parker, Annie Nelson, Eula Cox, Mabel Cox, Berta Stocks, Corinne McGlohon, J. T. Stokes, D. S. Chapman, L. O. Cox, A. C. Caraway, Eddie Hines, Lester Cox, Ray-Croom, Lewis Manning, Ernest Petty, Heber McGlohorn, Janie Cox, Roy Cox, F. F. Cox, Grover McGlohon, Oscar McGlohon, Luther Wingate, John Hurst.

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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 compare 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,

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1899

The School Fund.

We are candid to confess that the so called education of the negro has proven a failure, as we believe. It is one of the features in the negro problem that our mind has reached a positive conclusion. We honestly believe that the first impulse of a negro, after he has acquired the rudiments of scholastic education, is to become a negro preacher, a negro politician or to turn an honest penny by utilizing his skill in penmanship by forging another person's name to a financial paper. There may be, there probably are, some rather rare exceptions to this general view of the negro constitution, but as a class, education is no blessing to them. By the Omnipotent fact, they are the inferiors of all the races, the "servant of servants," by divine decree, and every advancement of the race but confirms that divine denunciation. The first impulse of a negro after he leaves the school room is to occupy the pulpit, and the next step in ambition's ladder is to sell himself to some corrupt Republican white man, who has become the Annanias of his party.

We heard yesterday of a case which belongs to a class. A negro boy completed his education in the schools with a high reputation for proficiency. He had not long been out of the school before he had forged the name of his father, an old time darkey who had accumulated some property. He broke his father up, was indicted for forgery, employed a lawyer to defend him. Was convicted. Cheated him out of his fee. And was sent to the Penitentiary. What was education worth to him? Worse than nothing. Education, as much as it is commended, is not always a boon. This negro boy is one of a large class. He was an educated negro, and he paid the penalty of his education in the penitentiary. This view is of negro education per se.

But there is another view. An education forced out of a poor man for another poor man to whom he is under no obligations, who is of an alien race and, at heart, hostile to the man who is forced to educate him. Is there any equity at the base of such an education. Is it not on the contrary, an injustice to him who educates the alien.

If then education be no boon and blessing to a negro, if it be an injustice to another poor man with scant rations to be forced to educate him, and if then in addition to this the education thus procured tends to break the social barrier that protects the white man in the purity of his blood and family, then is it right, just, or politic to perpetuate the wrong and injustice.—Elizabeth City Economist.

The Facts About The Citizens Meeting Against The Dispensary.

Cor. Greensboro Telegram:

It has gone abroad that a citizen's meeting of the town of Fayetteville passed resolutions protesting against the dispensary act of a fusion legislature demanding a popular vote on the question. It might be well for the people of the state to have some of the facts about this meeting:

1. It was held in the office of one of the stockholders of the hotel which never paid expenses except when a bar was run in the hotel.

2. There were 31 citizens in attendance, most of whom were in some way financially interested in the sale of liquor. And these were somewhat divided in their cause.

3. A number of citizens who were invited did not attend among whom was the Mayor of the city, and numbers were not invited at all.

4. The refusal of these representing the liquor interests of the city, shows the animus of the liquor business.

The saloon advocates care but little about religion or morals. They care little about the home or the church. They think only of the dollar made by it. They sang out "white supremacy" before the last election, and now they desire the negro rule established so that they may be able to overcome the will of over 1200 white voters, said to be the majority of the white voters of the county.

The dispensary men won an honest victory before the house and now the people who have cried out against the fusion Legislature will not gracefully accept the act of a white man's legislature. The action speaks much against the saloon advocates. The men who have stood for the dispensary are disinterested and have made denials in fighting the money power which the saloons represent. While most of those who are now trying to overthrow the work of the house are personally interested in the saloon traffic, if not as sellers, they are as drinkers and endorsers.

A new petition is now being circulated by the liquor men to put it to a popular vote of the people. This means that these men do not care for the great issue of November 8, 1898, but only for the advancement of personal interests. The Christian people of Cumberland county are awakened as never before. They are largely democrats and they desire that the dispensary shall stand until the constitution is amended. They will then be ready to vote for prohibition against dispensary. For the present the dispensary is the best solution of the liquor traffic.

Chas. A. G. Thomas, Fayetteville, N. C. Jan. 27, 1899.

Conquering in Order to Civilize.

London, January 28.—Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, speaking in Birmingham this evening, at the annual dinner of the Jewelers and Silversmith's Association said:

"We now see our cousins across the Atlantic entering the lists and sharing in a task which might have proved too heavy for us alone. Under the circumstances, the first business of this 'the worst government of modern times,' is to draw closer the bonds which unite us to the other members of the English speaking race and to promote their co-operation in the great work of civilization, which appears to be the mission of the Anglo-Saxon race."

Speaking of the government's imperial policy, Mr. Chamberlain said:

"Providence shapes our ends and intends us to be a great governing

power, conquering in order to civilize, administer and develop vast areas of the world's surface, primarily to our advantage, but to their own advantage as well.

"As to the result of this mission hitherto, an impartial witness, Rear Admiral George Dewey, has said that one of the mightiest factors in the civilization of the world was the imperial policy of England; but it will not be longer the imperial policy of England alone, for all the nations that have sprung from our loins will share in the task which has hitherto fallen on our shoulders alone."

CATARRH OF STOMACH.

A PLEASANT, SIMPLE, BUT SAFE AND 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; headaches, 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 of this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has 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 Diatase, 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 any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

Send for little book mailed free, on stomach troubles, by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

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NOTE THE NAME

A gentleman remarked recently that had a stranger or an outsider come to North Carolina, and made the cures among our people that Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy had made, the people would be stirred as never before. Read this and suppose a case:

Eleven years ago I had a child that was delicate from birth, and for six months she was under constant care of the best physician we had in our town. But his medicine seemed powerless to control the bowel trouble, which had become chronic dysentery. She also suffered from some aggravated blood trouble, which caused large sores and risings to break out on her body. Off time there would be as many as 20 or 25. We had several doctors to treat her at different times, but nothing reached her case. They would lance these risings, but as soon as one was cured another broke out, and the doctors gave me no hope of her cure. After she had led a life of agony and suffering for six months, I was inspired to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. There was a change for the better in twenty-four hours, it seemed to check the bowels at once, and after using a few bottles my child was entirely cured, and has never since had any sign of trouble and is now in perfect health. A few years after this I had two sores to break out on my ankle, and strange to say I did not think of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. I was under the treatment of doctors for three years, but the sores continued to get worse until they had eaten to the bone. I then thought of trying Mrs. Joe Person's Wash and did so, and it is almost useless to say it soon made a cure.

I wish I could speak so that every man, woman and child, in North Carolina could hear, that I might tell them what Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash did for me and mine. I advised one of my friends who had been a terrible sufferer for a long time, with nurses sore mouth. She used the Remedy and Wash, and it soon made a cure.

I have recommended it to ever so many of my friends, for indigestion and other ailments, and I have never known it to fail to cure yet. There is no medicine equal to it.

MRS. RACHEL READE LONG, Roxboro, Person Co., Oct. 8, 1898.

DIRECTORY.

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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.

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EPISCOPAL.—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 3 p. m. W. F. Harding, superintendent.

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LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. Williams, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. W. F. Burch, N. G. D. D. Overton, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. Dr. E. A. Moye, Jr., C. C. H. A. White, K. of R. and S.

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

Jr. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. L. L. Hargrave, Councillor.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Schedule in Effect August 7, 1898

Departure from Wilmington.

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No. 40—Passenger—Due Me

35 a. m. to 10.01 a. m. Warsaw 11.11 a. m. Goldsboro 12.03 a. m. W. Wilson 12.49 p. m. Rocky Mt. 1.30 p. m. Tarboro 2.31 p. m. Weldon 3.25 p. m. Petersburg 4.34 p. m. Richmond 5.44 p. m. Norfolk 6.55 p. m. Washington 7.41 p. m. Baltimore 8.53 p. m. Philadelphia 9.50 a. m. New York 6.53 a. m. Boston 3.00 p. m.

DAILY No. 40 1/2—Passenger—Due Ma

7.15 p. m. to 8.55 p. m. Warsaw 9.15 p. m. Goldsboro 10.10 p. m. Wilson 11.06 p. m. Tarboro 6.45 a. m. Rocky Mount 11.57 p. m. Weldon 1.48 a. m. Norfolk 10.05 a. m. Petersburg 3.14 a. m. Richmond 4.06 a. m. Washington 7.41 a. m. Baltimore 9.03 a. m. Philadelphia 11.25 a. m. New York 7.31 a. m. Boston 9.00 p. m.

DAILY No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 p. m. New Bern Sunday 5.40 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake

3.45 p. m. Waccamaw 4.56 p. m. Chadbourn 5.28 p. m. Marion 6.34 p. m. Florence 7.15 p. m. Sumter 9.32 p. m. Columbia 10.50 p. m. Denmark 6.12 a. m. Augusta 7.55 a. m. Macon 11.15 a. m. Atlanta 12.35 p. m. Charleston 12.50 p. m. Savannah 1.50 a. m. Jacksonville 7.30 a. m. St. Augustine 10.20 a. m. Tampa 6.15 p. m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 40—Passenger—Post

1.03 p. m. New York 9.00 p. m. Philadelphia 12.05 a. m. Baltimore 2.50 a. m. Washington 4.30 a. m. Richmond 9.05 a. m. Petersburg 10.03 a. m. NC. Weldon 11.50 a. m. Tarboro 12.21 p. m. Rocky Mount 1.00 p. m. Wilson 2.20 p. m. Goldsboro 3.05 p. m. Warsaw 3.90 p. m. Magnolia 4.12 a. m.

DAILY No. 40 1/2—Passenger—Leave

9.30 A. M. Boston 12.00 night, New York 9.30 a. m. Philadelphia 12.00 p. m. Baltimore 2.25 p. m. Washington 3.46 p. m. Richmond 7.30 p. m. Petersburg 9.12 p. m. Norfolk 2.20 p. m. Weldon 9.43 p. m. Tarboro 3.00 p. m. Rocky Mount 5.40 a. m. Leave Wilson 6.22 a. m. Goldsboro 7.01 a. m. Warsaw 7.53 a. m. Magnolia 8.05 a. m.

DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave

except New Bern 9.00 a. m. Jacksonville 10.25 a. m. This train 12.15 p. m. arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 50 1/2—Passenger—Leave

2.10 P. M. Tampa 8.10 a. m. Sanford 3.07 p. m. Jacksonville 8.00 p. m. Savannah 1.45 night. Charleston 6.23 a. m. Columbia 7.45 a. m. Atlanta 7.50 a. m. Macon 9.00 a. m. Augusta 2.30 p. m. Denmark 4.17 p. m. Sumter 6.06 a. m. Florence 8.55 a. m. Marion 9.31 a. m. Chadbourn 10.38 a. m. Lake Waccamaw 11.09 a. m.

Train of Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 4.15 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 at 11.18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 a. m. except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.30 a. m., and 2.15 p. m. Arrive Parrale 9.10 a. m., and 4.45 p. m. Returning leave Parrale 9.35 a. m. and 6.50 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro 2.10 p. m., 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. R. R. leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m. Arrive Tarboro 10.00 a. m. and 11.00 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mt at 4.30 p. m. arrive Nashville 5.05 p. m. Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 8.00 a. m. Nashville 8.35 a. m. arrive Rocky Mt 9.05 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leave Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.15 a. m. arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10.25 a. m.

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.

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HER NAME AT THE TOP

"U. S. BROOKLYN" WENT ABOVE
"H. M. S. SPHINX."

A Heroic Feat at Muscat by Some of Uncle Sam's Old Time Jack Tars That Thrilled the Hearts of a Whole Ship's Crew.

There was once another Brooklyn, the forerunner of the present armored cruiser, but the old Brooklyn, which, during the civil war, gained the name of the "Butcher Shop," had no resemblance to the floating fortress that hurled destruction into the fleet of Admiral Cervera.

The old ship bore a great spread of canvas and had but auxiliary steam power. Her lofty masts and creaking yards would seem singularly out of place today, but they served their purpose in their own time. Her open deck, with double row of muzzle loading, smoothbore guns, looked like a scene from a mediæval drama, and when she went to sea the flapping of the sails and the snap of the cordage were not an unwelcome lullaby to those who slept beneath her cool white decks.

This old Brooklyn sailed one day from New York, bound upon a roving cruise and came in time to the Azores islands, whence she sailed for Lisbon and Gibraltar and, passing through the Mediterranean and the Suez canal, steamed slowly down the scorching Red sea. A stop at Aden for a day or two made her ready for a journey to the Persian gulf, but when the gulf of Ormaz was reached the skipper thought to take a look at Muscat, and so the course was shaped for the capital of the son of Abraham, whose forefathers for hundreds, nay, thousands, of years, had been sheiks of the desert.

In all her journey the good ship had entered not a port where the proud cross of St. George could not be seen from the staff of a British man-of-war, but here at Muscat it was thought that at least our flag would be the only token of western civilization in evidence. But it was not so, for, as the Brooklyn rounded a high promontory that shut in the little harbor, there, lying at anchor, was seen the English gunboat Sphinx with her milk white flag floating above her.

Muscat had much that was strange and weird to interest the Americans, but neither the palace of the sultan, with its double wall, between the two parts of which are kept the tigers whose duty it is to guard the palace at night, nor the imperial barem's grim exterior, nor the gorgeous apparel of the sultan himself had half the attraction for the westerners that the grim, sheer face of the promontory that shuts in the harbor had; for there upon the bleak wall of this towering height were painted the names of many ships, and high above them all, in a place that seemed inaccessible, were the words, "H. M. S. Sphinx."

The men of the Brooklyn stared at that name day after day, until it seemed burned into their brains, and the spirit of emulation grew within them.

The night before the Brooklyn was to sail for Persian waters there were evidences of a secret movement among the crew, and after the night had fallen still and black a boat pulled off from the vessel's side, and with muffled oars made rapidly for the shore. It carried many things of various sorts, and among them a lantern, whose tiny glimmer those on the ships watched with bated breath as it reached the shore and slowly began the ascent of the promontory. Now it would disappear and then glitter again like a star of hope and comfort, and so it went slowly on, ever up and up the face of the outlined precipice. The hours dragged slowly by, and it was far into the night when a tired boat's crew clambered slowly over the Brooklyn's side and dropped exhausted into their hammocks for a short sleep before the call of "all hands" in the morning.

The Brooklyn sailed away just as the sun began to show above the eastern horizon, and as she swung upon her course and stood for the waters of the open gulf a cheer burst from the throats of the whole ship's company. For there, in great letters of white that caught the warmth of the rising sun, far above the name of her majesty's ship Sphinx, far above the highest name of all, could be seen the legend "U. S. S. Brooklyn."

And there today, looking down upon the tiger guarded palace and the harem of the sultan, ever before the Arabs and the Beloochistanese of the tiny sultanate, still gleams the magic name that Schley and Cook once again made famous and that shall endure in history when Muscat itself shall be forgotten. — Washington Post.

Story of Lincoln.

This Lincoln story is told in Short Stories: A New York firm applied to Abraham Lincoln some years before he became president for information as to the financial standing of one of his neighbors. Mr. Lincoln replied as follows:

Yours of the 10th inst. received. I am well acquainted with Mr. X. and know his circumstances. First of all, he has a wife and baby, together they ought to be worth \$50,000. Secondly, he has an office, in which there are a table worth \$1.50 and three chairs worth, say, \$1. Last of all, there is in one corner a large rathole, which will bear looking into. Respectfully yours, A. LINCOLN.

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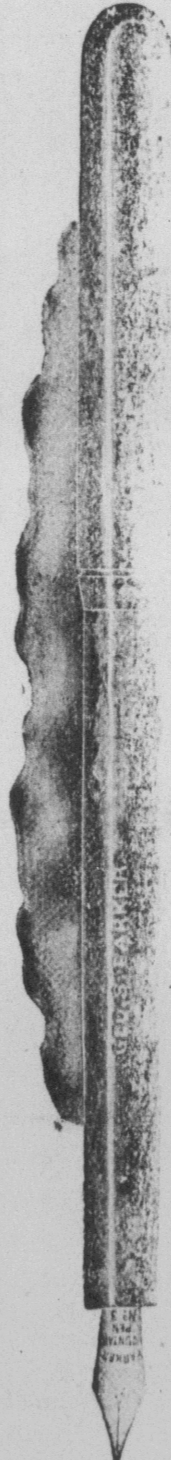
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THE DAILY REFLECTOR

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair and continued cold tonight and Thursday.

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Special to Reflector.]

Tarboro, N. C. Feb. 1st.—At a joint meeting last night of our Town Commissioners and Board of Trade, at which the leading business men and property owners were present by invitation, the question of municipal ownership of water works, sewerage and lights was discussed, and by a unanimous vote decided in favor of municipal ownership and the Board of Town Commissioners were directed to ask our present Legislature to authorize the town to issue bonds to the amount of \$50,000 to accomplish same.

There being some uneasiness felt in this community in regard to the spread of smallpox, which is prevalent in one or two sections of this county, upon request of the Board of Health compulsory vaccination was ordered.

A resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to urge an increase in the appropriation for Fishing Creek was adopted.

The Board of Trade elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President—W. E. Fountain (re-elected.)

1st. V. P.—D. Lichtenstein.

2nd. V. P.—S. S. Nash.

Sec.—J. A. Weddell.

Treas.—A. M. Fairly.

Board of Directors—Hon. George Howard, Judge Fred Phillips, Dr. L. L. Staton, John F. Shackelford, W. H. McNair, Dr. J. M. Baker, Capt. W. H. Powell, Jr.

The meeting was enthusiastic and unanimous in an expression of progress and greater development of the community.

SHORTEST MONTH.

And These Are the Shortest Items.

February.

Shortest month of the year.

Gardening begins this month.

The cold wave came on schedule.

Services in the Methodist Church tonight.

County Commissioners meet next Monday.

The streets are not in condition for a cake walk.

Spring poems are once more being sprung on the public.

It takes a fellow with plenty of push to acquire a pull.

They are having record-breaking snow storms out west.

I pay cash for Hides, Furs, Eggs and Turkeys.

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There has been a kind of forced holiday on the tobacco market for a few days.

Mortgages were planted pretty liberally in January. Crops will be planted next.

This month don't bring any fives, there are just four each of every day in the week.

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FEBRUARY ONCE A YEAR.

But New Names Come Every Day.

Ex-Gov. Jarvis went to Raleigh today.

M. H. Quinerly went to Kinston Tuesday.

Jesse Speight went down the road Tuesday evening.

W. F. Burch went to Weldon today to meet his family.

S. A. Crews, of the Wilmington Messenger, spent today here.

A. W. Outterbridge returned Tuesday evening from Lewiston.

Mrs. W. B. Ricks and children left this morning for New York.

Mrs. R. E. L. Crenshaw and children left this morning for Raleigh.

Rev. A. W. Setzer returned Tuesday evening from Plymouth and

Rev. N. M. Watson is in Raleigh attending a meeting of the Conference paper committee.

Mrs. A. V. Johnson, of Scotland Neck, who has been visiting Mrs. C. T. Munford, returned home today.

Willie Proctor returned Tuesday evening from Berkley, Va., where he has been spending some time with his sister.

G. B. Hughes went to Raleigh today. The boys say he has gone off to get married and that they will give him a cordial reception when he returns with his bride.

Only White Voters to Sign.

The petition to be sent to the Legislature for the establishment of a Dispensary here will be signed only by white registered voters of the county. Those who have blanks in hand to secure signatures should ask only white registered voters to sign it.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
March	613	611	609
May	620	615	613
June	621	617	613
August	623	620	619

LIVERPOOL.

February and March.

	Opening.	Close.	Tone.
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	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
May	74 1/2	75	74 1/2

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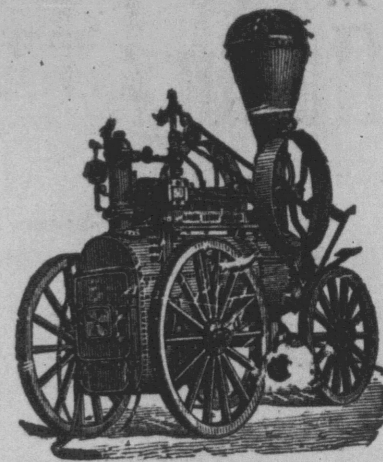
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Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$77,330.42	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Overdrafts : : : : 5,668.24	Surplus Fund : : : : 742.81
Due from Banks : : : : 25,031.03	Undivided Profits less
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,540.85	Expenses paid : : : : 2,125.32
Cash Items : : : : 19,775.12	Deposits subject to chk : 112,442.10
Cash : : : : 19,247.42	Due Banks : : : : 479.57
	Cashiers' chks outstanding 2,303.28
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