

## NO SMALLPOX IN TARBORO.

Tarboro, N. C. March, 8th. 1899.  
DEAR REFLECTOR:

I was surprised to notice in a recent issue that your city authorities found it necessary to persuade, urge and threaten the people of Greenville to take the universally acknowledged hygienic precaution of being vaccinated.

I was still more surprised, however, to see as one reason urged for submitting to this ordinance, that in the neighboring towns, Tarboro, among the rest, the disease was prevailing.

Let me assure your readers, that there has not been a case of smallpox in the town of Tarboro and that there is not a case in the county. I have confirmed what I am writing, in a conversation, a moment ago, with a member of the Board of Health, just from a meeting of the Board. There were three cases near town of a very mild type, long since well and gone about their business. Beside this the negro physician who attended the cases near town living outside the corporate limits of Tarboro, has had a disease pronounced smallpox, of the very mildest type. He is still held in quarantine for prudential motives. I am told by members of the Board of Health that every body in town has been vaccinated except about twenty five who would be attended to today or tomorrow.

With thorough vaccination an epidemic of smallpox is an impossibility, so do not be afraid of us.

J. B. MORTON.

Pastor of Presbyterian Church at Tarboro and Greenville.

## SMALLPOX.

### Found in Thirteen Counties.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan, who has just returned from a tour of inspection of several of the eastern counties, says that he found smallpox in thirteen different counties. Most of the cases are of mild form but occasionally some bad cases were found. The mission of Dr. O'Hagan and the other physicians who accompanied him on the trip was to locate the disease and wherever it was found to give the people proper instruction about isolating it in pest houses and taking necessary steps to prevent its spreading. He says that simply quarantining a town is practically without effect, and that the greatest safety is in a house to house vaccination.

## OVER THE COUNTRY.

Forty-seven warrants were issued at St. Louis, Mo., for violators of the Sunday liquor law.

William Cotter, engineer of an ocean steamer, is under arrest at New York for smuggling opium.

Georgia fruit, which escaped the recent big blizzard, has been destroyed by the storm of Sunday last.

On many farms in Arkansas cotton-pickers and planters are at work in the same field, the farmers being unable to remove the crop earlier on account of the scarcity of labor.

The hens will soon be warbling their spring lays.

## WILL GET HORSES.

### And Better Fire Protection.

The Town Council held a special meeting Wednesday night to consider the matter of procuring horses for the use of the fire department. After discussing the question it was decided to purchase a pair of good horses, and Councilmen A. L. Blow and W. L. Brown were appointed to look after getting them.

Chief A. J. Griffin, of the fire department, is also taking steps to have better regulations among the department for quicker work in case of fire. To effect this he has decided to divide the apparatus, and instead of keeping it all down town the hand engine will be placed out among the tobacco houses for the better protection of that section. Arrangements for this have been made with Evans & Hooker for the present to keep the hand engine in the Eastern warehouse, which is nearer central among the tobacco houses and is convenient to the eastern out there. By this means a fire any where in that portion of the town could be reached from the warehouse much quicker than it could from down town. The steamer and the hook and ladder truck will be kept in their same quarters.

## KING VIRUS.

My name is Virus:  
Do you see the "point?"  
I am a potentate,  
And all classes come under my merciful sceptre,  
From the editor to the poet,  
I'm not a broker,  
For I believe not in "pits;"  
I'm not a union man,  
For I work with nothing but 'scabs';  
But I am the real thing  
Just the same,  
And my services are daily required  
Fencing the hoi polloi  
Away from the pest-house.  
King Virus:  
That's me.  
Whoop, hooray,  
What a business I am doing these days!  
From humble environments I have arisen  
By my genius' force  
To occupy  
A position among the most recherche;  
From herding with the stupid kine  
I, with one bound,  
Sprang into society's arms—  
And other limbs.

I am a king,  
A rebel,  
A socialist,  
And a life-saver!  
All coons look alike to me.  
I am President  
Of the Workingmen's Loafing Society,  
And also of  
The Young Ladies' Anti-Hugging Club:

I'm a better man than Dewey,  
And Fitzsimmons is afraid of me.  
I'm a rip-roaring, fire-snorting monarch,  
And my name is

King Virus!  
Do you "take" my drift?  
—Louisville Times.

Cole's Mucilage and Cement at Reflector Book Store. Nothing equals it for quick, permanent sticking.

## THE DOG.

That incorrigible punster, Ben Weaver has handed us the following reflections which he desires published:

The dog is not a letter or a figure, though we have heard him called a K. 9.

The dog is a digitigrade carnivorous animal. This will be news to most persons, who had always supposed that a dog was simply a dog.

It has been bruited about that the dog is the best friend to man among the brute creation.

He pants after the thief. When once he gets hold of the thief's pants, he makes breaches.

A barking dog never bites; that is to say, when he begins to bite he stops barking. Conversely, a biting dog never barks, and for similar reasons.

The hair of a dog will cure his bite. That is a cure-ous superstition among hair-brained young men who are fast going to the dogs.

Dogs are dentists by profession. They insert teeth without charge.

The sea dog loves his bark. Did you ever see one that didn't?

The bark of a tree is unlike the bark of a dog. Even a dogwood knows this.

Every dog has his day, although dog days last but a few weeks in the year. There must be a Sirius error here.

The dog's star is the dog's planet. They planet so that their days come while the star is in the sky.

They do not fear it. It is not a Skye terror.

When a dog enters a pitch battle he uses the dog's tar.

Brutus says, "I had rather be a dog and bay the moon than such a Roman."

He had seen dogs roamin' around on the bay.

Sea?

A living dog is said to be better than a dead lion. There is no lyin' about this, but a dead dog is dog gone bad.

Tray was a good dog, but a tre is worse than the duce when it is against you.

Dogs were the original Argonauts. They have never given over their search for the fleas.

The bull dog is a stubborn fellow. He is not easily cowed.

A great many stories about the dog have obtained currency. The man who has left a part of his clothing with the dog has current. See?

Puppies are born blind. They are not sea dogs then.

There are many types of dog, including the dogerrototype.

But perhaps we had better paws here.

How'l this do for the dog?  
—Rocky Mount Motor.

The Atlanta Constitution asserts that the following appears on the letter-head of a J. P. in one of the small towns of Georgia: "General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Notions, Hats, Shoes Groceries, Hardware, Coffins and Caskets, Livery and Feed Stable. Physician and Surgeon, Justice of the Peace, Licensed to Marry."

An Irishman, who attends the 'phone exchange in a near by town, answered a call by saying: "Who do ye want to see?" "Dunnohue," came the answer. "Who?" "Dunnohue." "Dunnohue?" "Well, ef yiz don't know who how in de devil do I know who?"

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FURNISHER,  
AND HATTER.



# NO RUN-DOWN, TAG-END STOCKS,

Even at this time of year, at  
**FRANK WILSON'S**  
If you want a **SUIT** as low

as **\$3.00** we can fit you this week as well as any time. If you want an elegant **Overcoat** at

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# FRANK WILSON.

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Come before they are all gone.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1899.

Instead of adjourning sine die as is the usual custom when its sixty days' work have been done, the Legislature on Wednesday took a recess until June, 1900.

There was a turn-about in the State printing contract after all, and instead of Barnes Brothers getting it, as was first announced, the work was turned over jointly to Edwards & Broughton and E. M. Uzzell. This change was due to the fact that Barnes Brothers declined to sign the contracts when taken to them by the Legislative committee selected to have charge of the printing.

## Feminine Rights in Poland.

That was a nice little fraulein at the Rainy Day Club the other day, says the New York Times, and she told the club some interesting things about the "old" woman. It was of the woman 300 years ago in Poland who banded her sisters together and presented a petition to the King asking for woman's rights. They were very feminine rights indeed that the Polish women wanted. They wanted, first, the King to decree that fathers should not be allowed to decide upon the men their daughters were to marry; secondly, they wanted the King to make it binding upon all men who went a-courting that they should ask the important question and have the marriage solemnized all within a year; thirdly, they declared that it was necessary to the happiness of all concerned that the young men and maidens of the kingdom should be called together in a certain place once a year, that the brave young men of the country might see what fair young women there were to be chosen for wives. Last, but not least, realizing that all women might not be naturally as beautiful as might be desired, they begged the King to allow all cosmetics and everything that might be utilized to enhance the beauty of women to be admitted to the kingdom free of duty, that the poorest maiden in the kingdom might be able to increase her charms without a great expenditure. The Rainy Day Club was delighted with the idea, and there was some thought of starting a woman's rights branch immediately.

An unusual damage suit has been filed at Centalla, Mo., where Howard Larkin seeks to recover \$1500 from the Western Union Telegraph Company because the "singing" of its wires frightened his team and caused it to run away.

## The Old Congress and The New.

The Fifty-fifth Congress, which ends its labors and existence today, has had a career notable for the importance rather than the wisdom of its acts. The republicans did not have an absolute majority in the Senate as they did in the House, but by management the administration has carried most of the measures for which it really cared. Currency reform has been ignored, but the Dingley tariff bill was enacted in 1897. Hawaii was annexed, war was declared against Spain and a treaty of peace was ratified on the expansionist lines marked out by the President. To correct the deficiency of revenue caused by the prohibitory rates of the Dingley tariff and augment the funds applicable to the war, a tax in 1898, was imposed on tea, various new internal taxes were levied and the public debt was increased by the issue of \$200,000,000 of government bonds. A phenomenal increase of the army and a reorganization of the navy have been provided for. The aggregate of appropriations in the two years of the Fifty-fifth Congress was increased by the war and general extravagance to about \$1,600,000,000, or some \$500,000,000 more than the normal expenditure. Many jobs, such as the Nicaragua canal, the Pacific cable and the shipping subsidy bill were averted in view of the impending deficit of over \$150,000,000.

The Fifty-sixth Congress will be republican in both branches, so that the policy of the President's party will, if possible, be still more thoroughly carried out in the next two years than in the two years just past. The Senate will have a decided republican majority. In the House there will be 185 republicans, 163 democrats, 6 populists and 3 silverites. As a result of the "solidity" of the party's power, such measures as the shipping subsidy, Pacific cable and Nicaragua canal will probably be advanced when Congress next meets. Currency reform is likewise promised, but the politicians are already hedging upon it.—Baltimore Sun, 4th.

To Cure Constipation Forever.  
Take Cascarets; Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

## Pay Your Small Bills.

The Philadelphia Saturday Post thus calls attention to a prevalent evil:

"Men who would never think of allowing a note or a large account to stand open are too frequently careless in regard to small accounts. After all, says a writer in one of the trade journals, we are judged by small things, and what good is it if a man meets his bank obligations promptly and he causes a number of people to whom he owes petty accounts to go about talking of how hard it is to get him to pay up. Be as particular about the little accounts as the big ones. Do not snub a collector because he calls for a small account when it is due. It is your fault that he has to call. Some people resent either being drawn upon or called upon for a small bill. They forget it is the other man who has to stand the expense and trouble of collecting. Be also as prompt in collecting your own accounts as in paying others. If the losses made each year by small debts neglected because they are small, could be recovered there would be handsome dividends in most businesses."

The grocer, the druggist, the furniture dealer, the dry goods man, the clothing merchant and the newspaper man are all put to a

great deal of trouble in collecting small accounts. In the aggregate these probably amount to more than the large accounts they carry, and if the small debtor refuses to pay his bill it often embarrasses the merchant. If people could be educated up to paying their small bills, nearly every business would be on a safer basis.—Charlotte News.

## Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

Andrew Carnegie has been quoted recently as saying that "it is a sin for a man to die rich." He has been quite lavish in his gifts to libraries and other things for the benefit of the poor.

Rockefeller and Armour have also made some very liberal gifts recently.

The world applauds these princes of fortune for their benevolence, and properly so; and their names will thus be linked with an ever-widening stream of good that is to flow from the wise use of their great fortunes.

Some day, perhaps, men will cease to regard all rich people as cheat-thieves and rascals.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.  
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

## Populist and Republican.

Butler is an advocate of the amendment to the State constitution. He thinks it will eliminate the negro and divide the white vote.

Pritchard's friends say he will be the next Republican candidate for Governor. He is against the amendment.—Wilsson News.

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Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York, 318

The roll of the Cuban army shows that half of the 50,000 men on the lists were officers, and they insist upon officers pay. The insurgent establishment seems to have been organized very much on the same lines as is the Republican State machine in Pennsylvania. The machine always had more officials than private machinists, and a hungrier gang never infested a State since the locusts overran Egypt.—Philadelphia Record.

The management of the largest and newest hotel in Boston has just decided to exclude "drummers" or traveling salesmen from the house on the ground that it does not wish to have the lobby turned into a business office.

## FORESTS OF STONE.

They Exist in Various Parts of the World.

Old forests are apt to get into the most impossible places and to turn into the most preposterous shapes. All our coalfields are ancient forests far underground, then crushed and cooked into a hard mineral substance. The forests of plants which once grew as mighty trees, for outside of fairyland who would ever imagine a majestic woodland of club moss and reeds and the little sand weed called the horsetail! In Greenland, right under the ice-fields, a buried forest has been found in which the plants were all palms and tropical creepers, proving that once the arctic regions were as hot as the Indies.

In the Wash, between the counties of Lincoln and Norfolk, there is an old forest under the sea, with stumps of fallen oaks and elms still visible in places when the tide is low. This was all dry land in the days of the ancient Britons.

Out in the desert of Arizona there is a dead forest on the surface of burning rock and drifting sand, where no plant save the cactus can now find any water. When the place was first discovered, a negro cook thought it would be an excellent place for camping, so he took an ax and delivered a mighty blow upon the fallen trunk of a big red pine.

His ax was ruined, the haft smashed and his fingers so badly hurt that he sat down and howled, for that tree was changed to massive rock, which looked as fresh as though felled but yesterday. The whole prostrate forest of big timber had been changed into valuable and beautiful onyx, jasper and agate.—Chicago Tribune.

## THE TRUE MANIA.

Interesting Facts About a Lichen of the Saharan Desert.

According to M. Chastrey, the true manna of the Scripture is the thallophyte, known to botanists as *Canoua esculenta* and *Lichen esculentus*. The nomads of the Sahara and south Algeria call it *Onseh-el-Ard*. It is also found in Persia, Arabia and Mesopotamia. It is grayish, about the size of a small pea, and farinaceous inside. Some say the spores are brought by wind and develop with dew. Others think it leaves a germ or seed behind it when it perishes. It should be collected in the morning of its appearance, because it dries in the sun and is lost in the sand. It can be preserved in a closed vessel. The lichen does not cling to any foreign body, but lies on the sand in a layer sometimes nearly an inch thick and can be collected easily. It is rather sweet in taste.

The Arabs, whose lives it often saves, boil it in water, and thus get a gelatinous paste, which they serve in various ways. To preserve the manna they dry it in the shade or, they wrap the paste in skins. Analysis shows that the lichen contains 16 parts of water, 14 of nitrogenous matter, 20 of non-nitrogenous matter, 5 of mineral matter, 32 of sugar and amylose matter and 4 of fats. The Arabs of Chaambra and the Algerian douars never fail to gather it after dews and rains as a welcome addition to their diet and a gentle laxative.—San Francisco Chronicle.

## Mend Your Bird's Legs.

Young chickens and other birds frequently break the bones of their legs, and if properly attended to these fractures can be easily cured with very little trouble. As soon as the injury is noticed the fracture must be carefully cleaned and washed with warm water and then wrapped with a bit of antiseptic cotton. Splints are then prepared for the fractured limb, preferably of split elder wood, the pith of which is taken out. These splints are fastened to the cotton with a drop of glue, and held tightly in place by being wound with linen thread. The bandage and dressing are left undisturbed for from three to four weeks, then the leg is soaked in tepid water until the bandage comes off easily. The fracture will have completely healed in that time.

Cannaries and other pet birds can be similarly treated in case of a fracture of a leg, only the elder splints are substituted by pieces of cardboard and the bandage is left but two weeks on the little winged patients.

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Sincerely,  
Mrs. M. E. RAMSAY.

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## TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	No 88	No 85	No 102	No 93	No 41	No 49
Jan. 15, 1899.	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	A M	P M	P M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 50	9 43				
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	10 39				
Leave Tarboro	12 21		6 00			
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	10 36	6 45	6 40	12	
Leave Wilson	1 58	11 14	7 10	6 20		
Leave Selma	2 56	11 57				
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	1 08				
Ar Florence	7 25	3 15				
		P M	A M			
Ar Goldsboro			7 50			
Lv Goldsboro				7 01	3 2	
Lv Magnolia				8 00	4	
Ar Wilmington				9 40		

## TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED	No 88	No 85	No 102	No 93	No 41	No 49
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	A M	P M	P M	P M	A M	P M
Lv Florence	9 50	7 40				
Lv Fayetteville	12 25	9 43				
Leave Selma	1 00	10 52				
Arrive Wilson	2 25	11 31				
		A M	P M	A M		
Lv Wilmington			7 00	9 45		
Lv Magnolia			8 34	11 19		
Lv Goldsboro			9 35	12 10		
		P M	A M	P M	P M	
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 06	11 31	10 38	1 15	
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 15	12 07	11 35	1 53	
Arrive Tarboro			7 04			
Leave Tarboro	12 21					
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 07			
Ar Weldon	4 42		12 58			

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3 35 p.m., Halifax 4 15 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5 08 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 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 30 a.m. and 2 30 p.m., arrive Farme 9 10 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Farme 9 35 a.m. and 6 30 p.m., arrive Washington 11 00 a.m. and 7 20 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday at 5 30 p.m., Sunday 4 15 p.m., arrives Plymouth 7 40 p.m., 6 10 p.m., returning, leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 7 50 a.m. and Sunday 9 00 a.m., arrives Tarboro 10 05 a.m., 11 00 a.m.

Train on Midland N.C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 05 a.m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a.m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a.m.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9 30 a.m., 3 40 p.m., arrive Nashville 10 10 a.m., 4 03 p.m., Spring Hope 10 40 a.m., 4 25 p.m., returning leave Spring Hope 11 00 a.m., 4 35 p.m., Nashville 11 32 a.m., arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a.m., 6 00 p.m., daily except Sunday.

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**EPISCOPAL.**—Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent. Divine service and sermon every Sunday morning and evening. Evening prayer Wednesdays at 4 P. M., and Litany Fridays at 10 A. M., Rev. I. A. Canfield, Minister in Charge.

Extra Lenten services Tuesdays at 4 P. M. and Thursdays at 7:30 P. M.

**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. E. E. Griffin, N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. Dr. W. H. Bagwell, Jr., C. C.; R. L. Carr, 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. G. J. Woodward, Councillor.

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. F. M. Hodges, Worthy Chief; D. S. Smith, Sec.

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### Origin of the Postal System.

The wonderful postal system, which has reached out until it includes every country on the face of the earth, had its beginning in the mind of an ingenious Frenchman.

In 1658, early in the reign of Louis XIV. M. de Velayer established a private penny post. Boxes were set up at the street corners for the reception of letters and offices were opened in various quarters of Paris. Collections were made once a day from the street boxes, followed many hours later by a single delivery, and thus the first postoffice in the world was established.

M. de Velayer was so greatly encouraged by the success of his enterprise that in order to develop it still further he printed certain forms of billets or notes which were intended to cover all the ordinary requirements of business in great towns. These forms contained blanks which were intended to be filled up by the pen with such special matter as might be necessary to complete the writer's object. The idea at once became popular, and the printed forms accompanied the expansion of the postal service throughout the larger cities of France, and it was many years before they fell into disuse.—Harper's Round Table.

### Still Smoking Twelve Years After.

The man had been absent from New York for a number of years. During his absence many changes had taken place. Some of his friends had moved away and some had died. Though he had taken the New York papers pretty regularly, he had not kept up with these friends of his as he should have done.

One evening he called upon a woman friend who was living at a hotel. Arrived at her rooms, he found her surrounded by a crowd of people, but he finally reached her and shook her by the hand.

"You are just the same," he said admiringly. "You haven't changed a particle," which was not at all true, for her hair had turned so white that she had the air of a marquise in some old picture. "And your husband, too," he went on, "he is just the same as ever. I saw him just now down in the lobby. He was smoking."

The woman looked a trifle startled for a moment, then recovered her composure with considerable effort.

"I am sorry to hear," she remarked gravely, "that my husband is still smoking. He has been dead for 12 years."—New York Sun.

### Shooting Stars.

When a shooting star breaks into flame in our atmosphere, the residuum of the combustion remains in the air and can be found in what is known as atmospheric dust. The virgin snow of the polar regions was often seen to be spotted with traces of dust which contained particles of iron. Like particles are found on church towers and elsewhere. Among the minute bodies that dance in the sun's rays there are certainly particles of shooting stars.

The sands of the African deserts when examined by a microscope present traces of very small iron particles which seem to have been subjected to a high temperature, and the Challenger on its remarkable trip in the Atlantic found at times in its dragnet fragments of magnetic iron which we have every reason to believe fell from the sky. Sir William Thomson (Lord Kelvin) and Richter have even seen in the aerolites the disseminators of the germs of life throughout the universe.—Chautauquan.

### The Strength of a Bear.

Few people know that a grizzly bear can give points to any other carnivorous animal in point of strength. A grizzly bear weighing just 400 pounds has been watched carrying a heifer weighing its own weight for two miles up the most steep and rugged mountain side, and this without pausing for one instant for rest.

The big white polar bear, though not really so dangerous a customer, is capable of performing the most extraordinary feats of strength. A polar bear has been seen to move with his paw a boulder six men had with difficulty put in position to guard a cache of provisions.

### Purifying the Air.

It is found in many factories that the hands do much more work in a given time if they have good air to breathe. Some firms have quite elaborate provisions for the purifying of the atmosphere of the workrooms.

In the absence of these a simple plan is to put a spoonful of oil of turpentine into a liter bottle of well water, shake it well, and then blow it about the room through an atomizer. An improvement is to mix a few drops of acetate ether with the turpentine.—St. Louis Republic.

### Wasted.

"I didn't know you were so sarcastic when I married you."  
"Did you not? Possibly you have forgotten I said, 'This is so sudden,' when you proposed after four years' courtship."—Collier's Weekly.

If two tuning forks of the same pitch are placed facing each other, the one sounding, the other silent, in a few seconds the one which was silent will be giving out a distinctly audible sound.

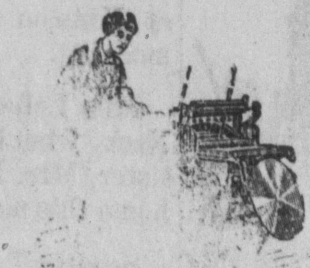
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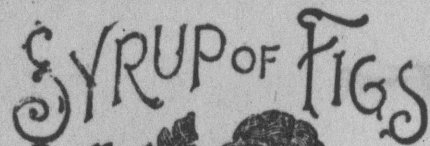
# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Generally fair tonight and Friday, warmer tonight.

### WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Maximum	46
Minimum	22
Mean	34
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	.00



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## MARCH AHEAD.

### And Catch Up With the Procession.

W. M. Bond, of Edenton, is here attending court.

P. H. Gorman arrived this morning from Kinston.

R. W. King returned Wednesday evening from Richmond.

J. N. Gorman, of Richmond, came in Wednesday evening.

Senator F. G. James came home Wednesday evening from Raleigh.

Mrs. F. G. James and Bart returned home from Raleigh Wednesday evening.

The children of Policeman R. M. Kennedy, who have been visiting at Kinston, returned home this morning.

Miss Lelia Shields, of Scotland Neck, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Higgs, returned home this morning.

Senator T. G. Skinner, of Hertford, returning from Raleigh, came to Greenville Wednesday evening to visit his brother, Charles Skinner, at Hotel Macon.

### If I Were You, My Boy.

I would learn to be polite to everybody.

I wouldn't let any other boy get ahead of me in my studies.

I wouldn't go in the company of bad boys who use bad language.

I would see if I could get people to like me by being civil to everybody.

I wouldn't be ashamed to do right anywhere. I wouldn't do anything I would not be willing for everybody to know.—Little Christian.

I have just brought in a lot of fine Horses and Mules that will be sold at reasonable prices. Call on me if you want a good animal.

R. W. KING.

## SPRING SLIPS.

### They Are Beginning To Sprout.

A beer mug—the hobo's face. No more legal holidays until Good Friday.

Services in the Baptist church tonight.

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In his lectures Bob Ingersoll pokes fun at the devil. The devil's turn may come after a while and then he may turn the joke on Bob.—Wil. Star.

That printer's devil in Boston who learned he had fallen heir to \$20,000,000 by the death of an uncle in San Francisco, didn't permit himself to become excited lest he lose his job as devil.—Wil. Star.

### Can Talk Spanish.

THE REFLECTOR has received from B. W. Wrenn, passenger traffic manager of the Plant System Savannah, Ga., a very interesting little book entitled "What to say in Spanish and how to say it." The book gives words and sentences in both English and Spanish. We will have to study up on it and be ready to talk to our Cuban and Philippine neighbors when they drop in to see us.

### Feasting.

The editor was in the best kind of luck Wednesday evening. The express brought a bucket of fine New River oysters from his friend, Capt. E. L. Hart, of Wilmington, and his brother sent him half a dozen partridges. With such remembrances as these he don't need to care if eggs are high.

### SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN LOT.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, made in a certain Special Proceeding therein pending, entitled "Lillie Baker vs Sophia Baker and others" I will, on Monday, April 3rd, 1899, before the Court House door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, that certain part of lot No. 58 in the plan of the town of Greenville adjoining the lots of T. C. Cannon and J. A. Braddy on the south; the lots of J. A. Braddy and B. F. Tyson on the east; the lot of B. F. Patrick on the north and Greene street on the west. It being that part of said lot No. 58 upon which situated the dwelling of the late Sally Ann Jones, deceased. This February 25th, 1899.

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April	625	626	626
June	626	626	625
August	626	627	628 1/2
Receipts	12,000		

### LIVERPOOL.

February and March.		
Opening.	Close.	Tone.
3 24	3.23	[Quiet

### CHICAGO.

Opening.	Noon.	Close.
Wheat.		
May	70 1/2	70 1/2
Ribs.		
May	472 1/2	475
		1477 1/2

### STOCKS.

Opening.	Noon.	Close.
A. M. T. 196 1/2	194	194 1/2
A. S. R. 143	143 1/2	143
B. R. T. 95	94 1/2	96

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 4TH, 1899.

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	\$77,858.55	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Overdrafts	2,978.45	Surplus Fund	742.81
Furniture and Fixtures	1,540.85	Undivided Profits less	
Due from Banks	31,116.20	Expenses and Taxes paid	3,941.98
Cash Items	3,584.19	Deposits subject to chk	118,914.22
Cash	30,688.37	Due Banks	39.09
Rev. Stamps	134.50	Cashiers' chks outstanding	1,263.01
	\$147,901.11		\$147,901.11

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BATISTE		LACES
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