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WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, Nov. 22, '99

Mr. Thos. Bullock, of Bethel, was in town Monday.

R. H. Hunsucker, of Kinston, was over again yesterday.

A wedding here and one near by on the 29th. Guess who?

Mr. Dock Clark seems to take well as a tobacco drummer. He keeps busy all the time.

G. W. Parker will be glad to send price list to any one or answer any inquiries that may be made concerning wire fence.

W. O. Barnhill and wife, of Greenville, also Mr. M. Wollard, wife and little boy of Whichard's were the guests of Mc. G. Bryan Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Edwards have our deepest sympathy in the loss of their little girl, Velmerree. She was next to the little baby that died two weeks ago, and was the pet of the family.

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A Day of Reckoning Will Surely Come.

Dr. J. D. Hufham, greatly respected and beloved by the people of North Carolina, has still more endeared himself to all right thinking people because of his open statements in regard to the cruel management of the unfortunate inmates of the State's prison. While we rejoice at Dr. Hufham's stand, we are sorry that the editor of the great Baptist paper, The Biblical Recorder, has seen proper to rather vindicate the cruel treatment accorded convicts by one Lewis Summerell, a penitentiary supervisor. His insinuation at the News and Observer and the secular press of the State is discourteous to say the least of it, and certainly uncalled for in a great religious paper. We are with Dr. Hufham and Josephus Daniels in this matter and unhesitatingly condemn the cruelties proven to have been inflicted upon the helpless convicts, and with Dr. Hufham we thank the News and Observer and the Morning Post for making these things public. One thing is very evident, that the public would never have known any of these things had not those two good Raleigh dailies given the evidence to the public, for it is reasonable to suppose that the Board of Directors and Superintendent would have covered up everything, since they have passed over this revolting evidence and declared the management "tolerable." A day of reckoning will surely come.—Warren Record.

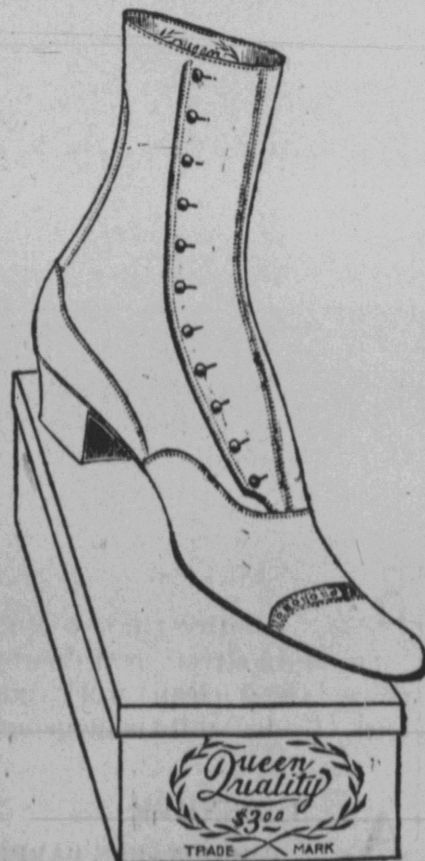
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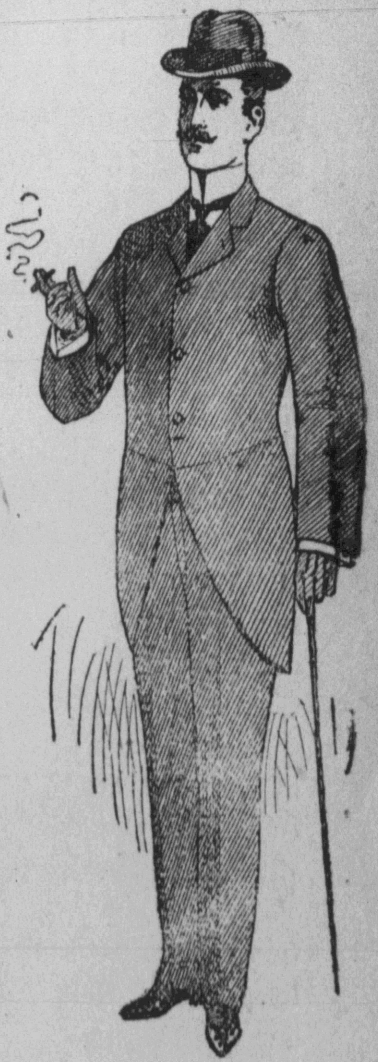
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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER, 22, 1899

As the time draws near for the holding of the convention of tobacco growers, in Raleigh on Dec. 6th, we again publish the call of President J. Bryan Grimes for the purpose of impressing the importance of the meeting upon the minds of the farmers. Pitt county, and every other tobacco growing county, ought to be well represented at the convention. The price of tobacco concerns all, and there is reason to believe the price is controlled arbitrarily, therefore the matter should be investigated and proper steps taken to protect the planters. Let the convention be largely attended by representative men.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20, '99

Representative Richardson, of Tenn., is the first one of the four candidates for the Democratic nomination for Speaker of the House, which carries with it the Democratic floor leadership during the Fifty-sixth Congress, to reach Washington and open headquarters. Richardson says he has received more pledges of support than any one of the other three candidates—Bankhead of Alabama, DeArmond, of Missouri, and Sulzer, of New York—and expresses confidence in his success, but the friends of the other candidates also express confidence of the success of their man in this good-natured contest for the democratic leadership in the House. Mr. Bailey, of Texas, has not yet reached Washington, but he stated during the last session that he would not again be a candidate, but would support Mr. Bankhead for the honor. Some are predicting that there will be a deadlock in the caucus and that the friends of all the candidates will compromise by nominating Mr. Bailey again.

If there were any doubt about Representative Henderson having been the administration's choice for Speaker, it would have been dissipated by what has occurred since his arrival in Washington. Almost before he had removed the dust of travel from his clothes, he called at the White House to know whether Mr. McKinley had any orders to give as to the Committee assignments, aside from the packing of the Committee on Banking and Currency in favor of the single gold standard bill, which was ordered last summer. Mr. Henderson is going to be a McKinley Speaker, and this House, instead of registering the will of Czar

Reed as the last one did, will register the will of Mr. McKinley.

In order to get control of the Senate Finance Committee of which a majority have for years been silver men, even since the Committee was controlled by the republicans the gold worshippers are going to reorganize the Senate Committee, giving the republicans nine members in those consisting of thirteen and seven in those consisting of eleven. Even then the gold men will only have a majority of one in the Finance Committee, as Jones, of Nevada, classed as a silver republican and Wolcott, of Colorado, who calls himself a republican bimetallic, can be counted upon to act with the silver men on the question of reporting a bill to enact the single gold standard. The four democratic members of this Committee are Vest, of Mo., Jones of Arkansas, Daniels, of Va., and Chilton, of Texas, all staunch silver men. Unless Mr. McKinley gets frightened by those republicans, who although willing to vote for a gold standard bill if compelled to do so, believe it will be bad policy to pass one on the eve of a Presidential campaign, such a bill is likely to be jammed through at this session of Congress. It will depend largely upon the attitude taken by Mr. McKinley in his message to Congress.

Although the election is over, Ohio republicans are still getting fat slices of pie from the official counter. One of the last to be fed was Mr. H. W. Hart, a young lawyer of Alliance, who has been appointed U. S. Consul, at Dusseldorf, Germany, considered a very desirable post, to fill a vacancy caused by death.

The statement that Boss Hanna had told Mr. McKinley that he would not remain at the head of the republican national committee is believed to be nothing more than a ruse to head off the fight against Hanna, by prominent republicans. Hanna may retire, but if he does, it will be because he knows it is a choice of going apparently of his own will and getting kicked out.

False Economy

Ask the merchant who does not use the columns of the daily press why he does not advertise, and nine times out of ten he will tell you that he can't afford to do so; that his business does not pay expenses. Foolish man! He doesn't reason backward from effect to cause. It is here that the paradox comes in. The reason he can't afford to advertise is because he doesn't advertise. Let him try the experiment! Unless an experience shall fail he will get his money back fourfold, gospel measure. It is false economy to attempt to save money by neglecting the surest way to bring it in.—Philadelphia Record.

Japanese theatres have their boxes so arranged that the ladies can change their dresses, as it is not considered stylish for a lady to appear an entire evening in one dress and with the same ornaments

The Hickory Democrat says, "when we remember that the Republican party of North Carolina contains four negro voters for every white voter in their ranks, it is easy to decide just how sincere their leaders are in declaring that they oppose the constitutional amendment because they fear it will disfranchise white men."

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"Good and Bad Eels." "So you think that little eels are sweet and that big eels are rank and strong, do you?" said a fish dealer. "Well, you're off—it isn't the size of the eel that governs his taste. It is his habitation and way of life. But most people think as you do, and throw away the big eel and cook the little one, and then, if the little fellow is strong, they think it is because he wasn't little enough. Nothing could be further from the truth.

"The eel that inhabits a stream with a hard, clean, sandy bottom is sweet and edible, be he as big as your leg or tiny as your finger, for this eel finds food scarce, and he must exercise and keep sober and hustle—else he will starve—and this active career makes him healthy and wholesome. But the eel that lives in the mud, where provisions are plentiful, is unfit for the table, for his life is sluggish, his habits and organs are bad and his flesh, when cooked, tastes and smells of the muddy element. That is why the Schuylkill eel is worse than carrion for table purposes, while the eel of the upper Delaware makes a dainty dish."—Philadelphia Record.

More Miles Than You Can Count.

Statements as to the distance of the pole star from the earth which have appeared in some of the newspapers lately have been ridiculously inadequate. One of the estimates made is 255,000,000 miles. Now, if one will remember that the sun is 93,000,000 miles away and that its light comes to us in eight minutes, he will see that if the foregoing estimate of the distance of the pole star were right its beams could reach us in about 15 days. It would be only about 2,700 times as far off as the sun.

Light travels 6,000,000,000,000 miles in a year, and even the most modest guesses as to the parallax of Polaris make it 35 light years. Pritchard's estimate in 1887 was 90 light years, but he has since modified his figures. Hence, if one will write 210 and add 12 ciphers thereto he will have the number of miles which the most conservative authorities believe intervene between the earth and the pole star.—New York Tribune.

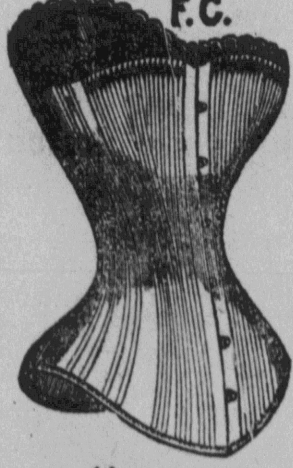
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The bicycle craze, which reached its maximum in 1896 or 1897, is now distinctly moribund. The parks, the streets and the roads adjacent to the city are no longer crowded with cyclists, male and female, but now show only here and there a survive enthusiast.—Baltimore Sun.

WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. AND BRANCHES AND ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY OF SOUTH CAROLINA. CONDENSED SCHEDULE

Table with columns for TRAINS GOING SOUTH, DATED July 31, 1899, and TRAINS GOING NORTH. Lists stations like Weldon, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Florence, etc., with departure and arrival times.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12 12 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12 25, p. m., arrives Sanford 1 43 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 2 30 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 3 41 p. m. leave Fayetteville 3 46 p. m., arrives Wilmington 6 40 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8 15 a. m., Maxton 9 20, a. m., Red Springs 9 53 a. m., Hope Mills 10 42 a. m., arrive Fayetteville 10 55. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4 40 p. m., Hope Mills 4 55 p. m., Red Springs 5 35, p. m., Maxton 6 15 p. m., arrives Bennettsville 7, 15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs & Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

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., Kingston 7 55 p. m. Returning leaves Kingston 7 50 a. m., Greenville 8 52 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11 15 a. m., Weldon 11 33 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 10 a. m. and 2 30 p. m., arrive Parmele 9 10 a. m. and 4 00 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9 35 a. m. and 6 30 p. m., arrive Washington 11 00 a. m. and 7 30 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 Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 55 a. m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 35 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 55 p. m., Nashville 11 23 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a. m., 6 00 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11 40 a. m. and 4 15 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 5 50 a. m.

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BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Thursday evening. Rev. J. N. Booth, pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. C. D. Rountree, 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.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday-school 3 p. m. J. R. Moore superintendent.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services. 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. D. D. Overton, N. G. F. M. Hodges, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. J. L. Fleming, C. C.; S. C. 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. A. D. Johnson, Councilor.

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

I. O. H.—Greenville Conclave No. 540, meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. W. B. Wilson Archon; D. S. Smith Sec.

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STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina.

The Democratic State Executive Committee has been called to meet in Raleigh Dec. 11th.

The town of Monroe has voted by a large majority in favor of public schools.

A \$75,000 cotton factory company has been chartered at New Bern.

The Western N. C. Conference is in session at Concord.

The Masonic fair at Wilmington this week is a great success.

The Goldsboro Argus has enlarged the size of both daily and weekly editions. This is due to its large and increasing patronage.

The Newbern Journal says that a contract has been given to Mr. R. S. Neal, to build a new warehouse in Newbern for the A. & N. C. railroad.

A Smile in Each.

Few horses go as fast as the money that's put on them.

Losing his balance has brought about many a bookkeeper's downfall.

An uptown storage house announces that its motto is "Keep moving."

The yeast cake may be an early riser, but it only does it for a loaf. It's funny that we speak of persons being in pain when the pain is in them.

A fellow might be said to have an end in view when he can see his finish.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

Freight cars were piled up 20 feet in a wreck on the Reading Railway, at Vormelsdorf Saturday night.

Reports received by Surgeon General Wyman, of the United States Marine Hospital Service, show that the yellow fever has about run its course at Key West, Fla.

Pritchard Kills Honeycutt.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 20.—On Saturday ex-Sheriff Pritchard and Jacob Blaylock, of Mitchell county, attempted to arrest a man named Honeycutt, who murdered Greer Philipps, some time ago in Mitchell county. Honeycutt shot and killed Blaylock, and Pritchard, a moment later, killed Honeycutt. Pritchard, who killed Honeycutt, is a brother of United States Senator Pritchard.

EVERY DAY FOLKS.

But Different Ones Each Day.

Sidney Betts returned to Henderson today.

J. L. Fleming left this morning for Williamston.

J. A. Dupree left this morning for a trip up the road.

J. F. Leggett, of Tarboro, came down Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Moore left this morning for Elm City.

Mrs. S. M. Haurahan, of Grifton, spent today with Mrs. S. A. Cherry.

B. J. Pulley went down the road on Tuesday evening's train and returned this morning.

J. W. Ashburn, of Winston and Walter Langston, of Wilson, are here enjoying a week's hunt.

Call for Convention of Tobacco Growers.

To the tobacco planters of North Carolina:

By the authority of the North Carolina Tobacco Growers' Association formed in Raleigh, October 19th, 1899, I call a convention of the tobacco planters of North Carolina to assemble in Raleigh December 6th, 1899.

Planters in every tobacco-growing county are requested to form county associations and send delegates, as many as they wish, to this convention. In counties where there is no local organization individual growers are urged to attend, so that if possible all the tobacco-growing sections of the State will be represented.

Planters from Virginia and South Carolina are asked to join us.

Representatives of the tobacco journals, manufacturers and warehousemen of the State are invited to be present and furnish such data and information as they may have, which will aid us in ascertaining the true cause of the present depression in the prices of leaf tobacco.

The continually diminishing prices have been keenly felt by every planter, and it is hoped that in this convention some practical plan may be evolved by which producers with judicious, conservative and persistent concert of action may better their condition.

If the prevailing low prices are due to over production we should face the situation and endeavor to remedy it. If it is found that the price is fixed by arbitrary methods we should vigorously protest and determine to make that protest effectual.

Every intelligent farmer should recognize the advantages to be secured by intelligent organization and determined co-operation.

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
President North Carolina Tobacco Growers' Association.
Grimesland, N. C., Nov. 6, '99.

GRIFTON ITEMS.

GRIFTON, N. C. Nov. 18, 1899.

DeWitt McCotter left for Hookerton this morning.

Tom Davis, of New Bern, arrived yesterday afternoon.

Capt. W. J. Pope, of Lenoir, is here.

There will be an oyster supper at Lang's hall tonight. The Masons give it for the benefit of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

All are invited to attend the big rally and barbecue here Dec. 1st.

J. S. Pittman passed through from Kinston where he has been selling tobacco.

L. J. Chapman and Spencer Brooks, of Quinerly, were here today.

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For advice, in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, the "Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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WINE OF CARDUI

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

W. S. Blount went over in the Maple Cypress section today.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Showers tonight; Thursday fair.
 WEATHER YESTERDAY.
 Maximum 60
 Minimum 34
 Mean 47
 Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.) 00

COTTON MARKET.

As wired to Speight & Co., cotton and peanut buyers.
 New York future quotations today are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
January	7 31	7 31
March	7 36	7 36
May	7 40	7 40
Oct		6 90

Receipts 53,000.

LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Jan & Feb	3 63	3 61

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May	71 1/2	71 1/2
Ribs—May	5 10	5 07 1/2

LOCAL MARKET.

Spot cotton in Greenville	7 1/2
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A SHOWER.

Not Meteors But News.

Jr. O. U. A. M. meets tonight.

Fresh Mountain Butter at S. M. Schultz'.

THE REFLECTOR office for job printing.

Ormond & Carr have their Wilson Heaters, go and see them.

Try the Arab pen at the Reflector Book Store.

Prayer meeting in the Methodist and Presbyterian churches tonight.

Fresh Mason's Standard and City Soda Crackers, at J. S. Tunstall's.
 New assortment of the famous Parker Fountain Pen, at Reflector Book Store.

Colored crayons and all kinds of tablets and box papers at Reflector Book Store.

Double ruled tablets, the very thing for practicing writing, at Reflector Book Store.

The tobacco market had block sale again Tuesday, and could not get through with all the warehouses

The weather wise are predicting that this week will close up the pretty weather November has been giving us.

It is not be out of place to again remind the people of the county that business will be suspended in Greenville on Thanksgiving Day.

FOUND—A purse containing a sum of money. Owner can get same by correctly describing property and paying for this notice. Call at REFLECTOR office.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will have an entertainment in the opera house to-morrow (Thursday) night. There will be refreshments and music. Admission free.

There will be choir practice in the Baptist church tonight. All who will take part in the music for Thanksgiving services in the Methodist and Baptist churches are requested to be present tonight.

FRESH OYSTERS.—We have just opened in Greenville and are prepared to furnish Oysters by the measure in any quantity. We have boats running to the sound to keep us supplied with fresh stock. We are in the store near Five Points, one door below REFLECTOR office. Send us your orders for Oysters. LEWIS & GASKILL.

Thoughts for Meditation.

The grace of the Spirit comes only from heaven and lights up the whole bodily presence.—Spurgeon.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never come.—Lowell.

Make but a few explanations. The character that cannot defend itself is not worth vindicating.—F. W. Robertson.

When a man has been guilty of any vice or folly, the best atonement he can make for it is to warn others not to fall into the like.—Addison.

They slumber sweetly whom faith rocks to sleep. No pillow so soft as a promise; no coverlid so sure as an assured interest in Christ.—Spurgeon.

The meanest, most contemptible kind of praise is that which first speaks well of a man and then qualifies it with a "but."—Henry Ward Beecher.

Warehouse for Grifton.

The Grifton Tobacco Warehouse Manufacturing Company of Pitt county was granted articles of incorporation Monday by the Secretary of State. The capital stock is \$5,000. Among the incorporators are J. R. Harvey & Co., Joel Patrick & Co., L. A. Cobb, E. J. & J. Z. Brooks and Conrad and Spivey of Grifton, N. C.

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STATEMENT OF THE

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1899.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$92,276.37	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured : : : 5,750.50	Surplus fund and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 4,621.67
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,550.85	Bills payable : : : 30,000.00
Cash Items : : : 14,443.12	Deposits subject to chk : 108,953.92
Cash : : : : 22,098.77	Due Banks and Bankers : 678.75
Due from Banks : : 31,808.31	Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,612.81
Rev. Stamps : : : : 434.31	
	\$168,867.23
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