

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

O. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Owner.

TRUTH IN PREFERENCE TO FICTION.

TERMS: 25 Cents a Month.

VOL. 11.

GREENVILLE, N. C., TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1900.

NO. 1576

## Perfumes and Toilet Articles.

You are invited to call and examine the most complete and elegant line of perfumes, toilet articles and toilet soaps ever shown in the town. Exquisitely fragrant and lasting quadruple extracts.

Colognes, Florida Water, Violet Water, Lavender Salts, Hair Tonics, Curling Fluid, Toilet Medical and Complexion Soaps, Manicure Goods, Tooth Paste, Tooth Powders, Liquid Dentifrice, Toilet and Infant Powders, Elysian Face and Complexion Powders, Toilet Creams, Lotions and Beautifiers, Mme. DeJoux' Oriental Lotion the most wonderful beautifier of the age.

Everything required on the toilet tables of modern men and women. For sale by

### ED. H. SHELBURN

#### LORENZO BROWN AT LARGE.

##### He Escapes Jail The Second Time.

Lorenzo Brown, colored, who was confined in jail under sentence of death, the day of execution being set for the 26th inst., has again gained his liberty, breaking jail Monday night for the second time.

Sheriff G. M. Mooring gave THE REFLECTOR these particulars of how the prisoner made his escape: Monday evening about the usual hour for feeding, Deputy Sheriff S. I. Dudley, accompanied by George Sparrow, colored, who has been serving as a waiting boy about the court house and jail, went to the jail to give the prisoners their supper. It is the custom at such times to carry all the meals in one basket, unlock the cells and allow the prisoners to come out in the corridor and get their rations from the basket, this consuming about five minutes time. Monday evening as the prisoners were getting back into the cells Deputy Sheriff Dudley heard some of them whispering together. This somewhat aroused his suspicion and he concluded to walk around the corridor and see if everything was all right. Three other prisoners occupied the cell with Brown, and as the deputy went by he counted four men as usual in the cell and passed on. When he left the jail he told Sheriff Mooring about hearing the whispering.

A little later Deputy Dudley and the waiting boy both went back to the jail to take some oil for the lamps, and the deputy again walked around the corridor and as before counted the four men in Brown's cell. This seemed to reassure him that all was safe.

Before retiring that night Sheriff Mooring also went over himself to look around the jail. This was about 11 o'clock, and as he neared the jail he saw a colored man standing as if keeping watch. The Sheriff passed on in the jail yard when he saw another colored man draw up in the shadow of the jail as if to escape observation. Going up to this man it proved to be George Sparrow, his waiting boy. Upon going around the building the Sheriff found a hole cut through the wall. He then went inside the jail to see if any of the prisoners were gone. Every cell was securely locked just as Deputy Sheriff Dudley had left them, but in Brown's

cell there were now only three men and Brown was missing.

The Sheriff believes that the other prisoners, aided by George Sparrow, had planned Brown's escape and that while supper was being given to them Brown hid himself on top of the cell while a dummy was fixed inside to represent the fourth man. There were marks on the jail wall which showed that some of the cutting of the hole had been done on the outside. When the Sheriff asked George about it the latter feigned drunkenness and began jabbering about something else. The Sheriff discharged him this morning.

Lorenzo Brown was convicted of rape at the April term, 1899, of Superior court, and sentenced to be hanged on the 10th of the following June. An appeal was taken to the Supreme court. Soon after court he escaped from jail,

but was captured in LaGrange the next month and brought back. When the Supreme court heard the case in September the judgment of the lower court was confirmed and the Governor set the 26th day of this January as the day of execution. For sometime an effort has been made in behalf of the condemned man and there is now a strong petition in the hands of the Governor asking a commutation of the sentence.

#### Notice.

Every lady member of the Methodist church is earnestly urged and requested to be present at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the M. E. church.

FLOSSIE HÜMBER,  
Secretary.

#### Noisy.

We thought the town ordinances prohibited loud outcry by hotel porters who go to meet trains, but as much noise as ever can be heard around the depot.

#### Advertising Always Necessary.

The best time to advertise is when it is desirable to draw profits from a business venture. Since the enjoyment of profits is the permanent object of financial investment, it follows that advertising is always necessary. All successful merchants have found this to be true.—Philadelphia Record.

A woman is never completely happy in receiving a present unless she can find out how much it cost.

Some people have a family tree in order to show how respectable they are in spite of their ancestors.

## You Don't Need

Christmas presents but once a year, but

## You Do Need

Good Clothing every day in the year.

## Clothing.

It has been said that the clothes often proclaim the man. Be that as it may, one thing is sure, if we fit you out your outfit is right. My stock is always up to date in style and quality.

### FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER

## The White Line

Becomes popular at this season of the year, and as usual

I am in the lead with a beautiful line of EMBROIDERIES, INSERTIONS AND LACES. Then when it comes to

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS AND FURNITURE,

My store is the place for you to find just what you want. Neither stock nor prices can be surpassed anywhere. Only want a chance to convince you of this.

### C. T. MUNFORD

THE NEW BIG STORE.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT.

R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

J. L. LITTLE Cashier.

RE-ORGANIZED JUNE 15TH, 1896.

STATEMENT OF THE

### BANK OF GREENVILLE,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 2ND, 1899.

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	\$91,440.21	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Due from Banks	44,140.88	Undivided Profits less	
Cash Items	9,047.89	Expenses paid	5,840.31
Cash	22,677.48	Bills payable	17,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,928.85	Deposits	118,711.57
Rev. Stamps	313.76	Due Banks and Bankers	339.50
		Cashiers' chks outstanding	4,157.69
	\$169,549.97		\$169,549.07

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

## Bargain IN Trunks.

*I have on hand a Big line of Trunks and not having room to handle them, I will offer for sale any one from the smallest size to the largest*

### AT COST.

*Any one wishing a trunk it will pay them to see us before purchasing.*

### C. S. FORBES.

Greenville, N. C.

Phone 6.

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

EVERY AFTERNOON [except Sunday

Entered at the Post Office at Greenville, N. C., as Second-Class Mail Matter.

## SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One year \$3.00  
 One month .25  
 One week .10  
 Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.

Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

We desire a live correspondent at every Postoffice in the county who will send in brief items of news as it occurs in each neighborhood. Write plainly and only on one side of the paper.

TUESDAY, JANUARY, 16, 1900.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15, 1900.

If the republican grumblers in the House had nerve in proportion to their dissatisfaction, the McKinley muzzles would be quickly thrown aside and the House would do some business, instead of wasting time, as has been done ever since the reassembling of Congress, waiting until the Committees have prepared some bills in accordance with their instructions, as the democrats stand ready to help them at any time to restore the proper functions of the House. They nearly all have bills in which their constituents are interested, that they would like to get action upon, but they dare not move without permission. When the republican floor leader neglects to move an adjournment promptly enough, Speaker Henderson prods him by saying: "The gentleman from New York moves that the House do now adjourn." As Mr. McKinley's agent, Speaker Henderson is out-Reeding Tom Reed right along.

That the republican leaders do not feel sure of their ability to jam the ship-subsidy job through Congress is shown by the presence in Washington of Ex-Senator Edmunds, who has been employed, he says by the shipping interests to lobby for the bill. Mr. Edmunds has made elaborate arguments before the committees of the House and Senate in favor of the bill, but those arguments were not intended for the committees, a majority of both having been persuaded to support the bill long ago by Boss Hanna and his assistant pushers. Mr. Edmunds is not a cheap man, and he would not have been employed if his services had not been considered necessary. His arguments are expected to brace up the weak-kneed republicans who have candidly acknowledged themselves to be afraid of the ship-subsidy bill, as well as to furnish texts for the republican editors to preach from.

It begins to look as though the opposition to the reciprocity treaties negotiated under the Dingley tariff act might be strong enough to defeat them all. Mr. Kasson, who represented the U. S. in negotiating them, and who has been active in trying to get favorable action on them, has gone to Florida for his health, and they are now at a standstill. It is said that he will return later in the session and resume his efforts in behalf of the treaties, but their opponents claim to be gaining strength all the time.

Senator-elect Blackburn spent Sunday in Washington, receiving

the congratulations of his friends, but returned to Kentucky today so as to be present at his second re-election, tomorrow, which will begone through so as to leave no room for casting doubt on the legality of his election. When he comes back to Washington, to resume his duties as Senator, he will be given a complimentary dinner which promises to be an old-fashioned democratic love-feast, participated in by all the democrats in Congress and by many others.

The friction between General Miles and Adjutant General Corbin has reached an acute stage, and Miles has filed a vigorous protest with Secretary Root, in which he asked whether he or Corbin was in command of the Army, and cited instances where Corbin had pigeon holed orders which did not suit him instead of issuing them.

It seems that one of Boss Hanna's chief literary agents, First Assistant Postmaster General Perry Heath, has also been sharing in the administration's financial favor. Last June, Perry Heath became the largest stock-holder in the Seventh National Bank of New York City, of which his brother became Vice President, and that immediately that bank was made the depository for post office funds in New York. Of course, neither politics nor Heath's official position had anything to do with it. Whoever heard of one of the Hanna school of politicians working his official position for his personal profit?

Nothing in this world is so good as usefulness. It binds your fellow creatures to you and you to them; it tends to the improvement of your own character; and gives you a real importance in society much beyond what any artificial station can bestow.

## Unintentional Wife-Killing.

The case of Alfred Morrison, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., the uxoricide who says that he killed his wife in mistake for a burglar, bids fair to become as noteworthy as the Molineux affair. Morrison has been charged with premeditated murder, although his wife before she died declared him innocent of deliberate intent to kill her.

The District Attorney of Westchester county has acted wisely in this matter; for mistaken-for-a-burglar homicides have become quite as numerous as didn't-know-it-was-loaded killings—with the difference, however, that it is nearly always a wife who is removed when a husband dreams of burglars or imagines he sees them in the house. Usually, also, when this so-called mistake is made the wife is in a position and attitude favorable for deliberate aim and mortal wounding—which is seldom the case when a real burglar is unexpectedly flushed in a darkened bedroom at midnight.—Philadelphia Record.

Of course we are in favor of the amendment, but if we were not one of its most earnest champions, we would be disgusted at the action of those negro Republican clubs up North, who are organizing to send speakers and money to North Carolina to work for the defeat of the amendment. Congressman Linney and Senator Pritchard met with these clubs in Washington City and encouraged the negroes in their plan. We are sure that this exodus of negro politicians to this State will receive the condemnation of every peace-loving citizen of our State, and we deeply regret this intended invasion.—Milton Herald.

## When I Was a Boy.

It is sometimes good to remember the days that are past—to review and collect from former experiences the crumbs that are left that nothing be lost.

I shall at present speak of farming. My father was a farmer, and I began to plow at the age of seven years.

His primal object of farming was to raise his own supplies. I never knew him to buy a grain of corn, nor a pound of meat, a chicken, horse, cow, mule, nor anything of that sort. He usually had such things to sell. It was common for men to drive their wagons to his crib and load them with corn, and buy bacon from him. Now and then he would sell a horse. Always he had something to sell, and the buyers would come to him to purchase.

He did not plant much cotton, no tobacco.

He always had money in his pocket, and bought a tract of land almost every year.

If in those days a farmer bought corn it shook his credit, for he was considered a poor farmer.

My observation is that the farmers now that raise their own bread and meat at home are successful, but those that buy their corn, meat, flour and all such things as they must have are failures.

Now who are the wiser, the farmers of the olden time that made their provisions at home, and kept out of debt, or those of these days that grow so much cotton and tobacco and buy what they eat, and are so enslaved with debt?

Return to the good old way. Plant corn enough to fatten your hogs. Raise your supplies at home. Have your smoke house at home and your corn crib at the same place, well filled. Raise chickens: Have your own milk and butter and such things at home.

Then what cotton or tobacco you make will be your own.—P. D. Gold, in Wilson Times.

"Col." Glenn is early in the field, as a candidate to succeed Senator Pritchard whose term does not expire till 1903. But sometimes the early bird catches the worm and sometimes he doesn't.

If you do not why don't you  
 Send your Laundry to the  
**Wilmington Steam Laundry?**

Try us once and you will be convinced that it is the best. Shipments made every Wednesday morning. They do no work for colored people. HUGH S. SHEPPARD, Agent

ESTABLISHED 1875.

**S. M. Schultz.**

HAS PROVIDED FOR YOU

4,000 pounds Candy,  
 25 barrels Apples,  
 25 boxes Sweet Florida Oranges,  
 15,000 Coca Nuts,  
 500 pounds Mixed Nuts,  
 500 pound Raisins,  
 Seeded Raisins, Currants, Citron,  
 Figs, Dates, Bananas.

1,000 Dolls. WATCHES, GUNS  
 PISTOLS, VASES, LAMPS  
 and SCREENS.

WAGONS, and  
 ALL KIND of  
 TOYS, CHEAP.

Come to see me.

**SAM M. SCHULTZ**  
 lone 55.

## PAINT YOUR HOUSE WITH

# Ruchter's Fire Proof Paint

THE MOST DURABLE THAT CAN BE USED.

FOR SALE BY

**J. W. BRYAN.**

Full line drugs always on hand.

A SINGLE STANDARD only is possible, whether as a test of excellence in journalism, or for the measurement of quantities, time or values; and THE PHILADELPHIA RECORD after a career of over twenty years of uninterrupted growth is justified in claiming that the standard first established by its founders is the one true-test of

A PERFECT NEWSPAPER.

To publish all the news promptly and succinctly and in the most readable form, without elision or partisan bias; to discuss its significance with frankness, to keep an open eye for public abuses, to give besides a complete record of current thought, fancies and discoveries in all departments of human activity in its daily editions of from 10 to 14 pages, and to provide the whole for its patrons at the nominal price of one cent, that was from the outset, and will continue to be the aim of "The Record."

## THE PIONEER

one-cent morning newspaper in the United States, "The Record" still leads where others follow.

Witness its unrivaled average daily circulation, exceeding 185,000 copies, and an average exceeding 145,000 copies for its Sunday editions of its plan of publication in every important city of the country testify to the truth of the assertion that in the quantity and quality of its contents, and in the price at which it is sold, "The Record" has established the standard by which excellence in journalism must be measured.

## THE DAILY EDITION

of "The Record" will be sent by mail to any address for \$3.00 per year or 25 cents per month.

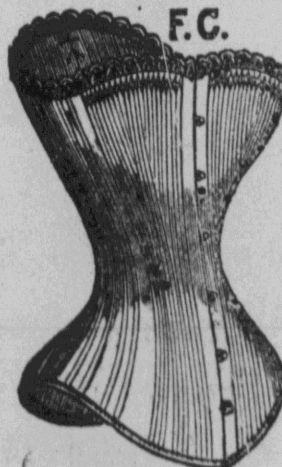
## THE SUNDAY EDITION

at 2c. per copy or \$1.00 per year, together with the Daily, will give its readers the best and freshest information of all that is going on in the world every day in the year, including holidays, will be sent for \$4.00 a year or 35 cents per month. Address

THE RECORD PUB. CO.,  
 Record Building, Philadelphia, Pa

# F. C. CORSETS

MAKE  
 American Beauties



CORRECT  
 SHAPES.  
 ARTISTIC  
 EFFECTS.



All  
 Lengths.

NEWEST  
 MODELS.

FANCY and  
 PLAIN.

**KALAMAZOO CORSET CO.**

SOLE MANUFACTURERS.

**J. C. COBB & SON.**

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

## TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED July 31, 1899.	No. 103 Daily		No. 104 Daily		No. 105 Daily		No. 106 Daily		No. 107 Daily	
	A	P	A	P	A	P	A	P	A	P
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 58								
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52								
Leave Tarboro	12 21									
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40	12 52					
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 30	2 40					
Leave Selma	2 55	11 10								
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 22								
Ar Florence	7 25	2 24								
			P	A						
Ar Goldsboro					7 55					
Lv Goldsboro								7 01	3 21	
Lv Magnolia								8 09	4 25	
Wilmington								9 40	5 50	

## TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 78 Daily	No. 103 Daily		No. 104 Daily		No. 105 Daily		No. 106 Daily		No. 107 Daily	
	A	P	A	P	A	P	A	P	A	P
Lv Florence	9 40									
Lv Fayetteville	12 20									
Leave Selma	1 55									
Arrive Wilson	2 35									
Lv Wilmington										
Lv Magnolia										
Lv Goldsboro										
Lv Wilson										
Ar Rocky Mount										
Arrive Tarboro										
Leave Tarboro	12 21				7 04					
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30									
Ar Weldon	4 22				1 00					

Wilmington & 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., Kinston 7 55 p. m. Returning leaves Kinston 7 50 a. m., Greenville 8 32 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11 18 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 N. C. R. R., 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 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 55 p. m., Nashville 11 22 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 2 50 a. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connector. Weldon for all points North, daily, all rail. a Richmond.

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

## BARBERS.

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP.  
 I have moved my Barber Shop to the shop in front of Munford's new big store. I have also associated with me Julius Fleming, who has been working with me for a long time. We have fitted up for the handsomest shop in the town, and offer the public the best service ever offered here. We appreciate highly the liberal patronage we have received in the past. We cordially invite all of our past customers and all others who desire first-class service to come to see us in our new shop. We intend to please you and will do so regardless of expense or labor. We are ready at all times to accommodate you with first-class shave or hair cut.  
 EDMUNDS & FLEMING.  
 opposite Munford's Big Store.

G. J. NOBLES,  
 FASHIONABLE BARBER.  
 On Main street, next door to post office Good clean work guaranteed. Under white management.

A. B. PENDER,  
 FASHIONABLE BARBER,  
 Can be found below Five Points. Next door to Reflector office.

# DIRECTORY.

## CHURCHES.

**EPISCOPAL.**—Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent. Divine service and sermon every Sunday morning and evening. Evening prayer Wednesdays at 7:30 P. M., and Litany Fridays at 10 A. M., Rev. I. A. Canfield, Minister in Charge.

**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 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.

**CATHOLIC.**—No regular services

## LODGES

**A. F. & A. M.**—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. B. 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; R. M. Moye, C. C.; T. M. Hooker, 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. J. B. White, Councillor.

**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.

## Southern Railway.

THE STANDARD RAILWAY

—OF THE—

## SOUTH.

Direct Line to all Points.

**Texas,  
California,  
Florida,  
Cuba and  
Porto Rico.**

Strictly **FIRST CLASS** Equipments on all through and Local Trains; Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on all Night Trains; Fast and Safe Schedules.

Apply to Ticket Agents for Time Tables, Rates and General Information, or address,

**B. L. VERNON,** T. P. A.,  
Charlotte, N. C.  
**F. R. DARBY,** C. P. & T. A.,  
Asheville, N. C.

No trouble to answer questions  
**F. S. Gannon, J. M. Culp, W. A. Turk**  
V. P. & G. V. T. af. Man' G. P. A.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

## THE DREADFUL CIGARETTE AGAIN.

The Analytical Sanitary Commission of the London Lancet drawn to the American cigarette by the extravagant and sensational reports of some of our trashy medical journals, and in consequence have undertaken a careful analysis of numerous samples of cigarettes.

This very careful analysis confirms the belief that has been held generally by most reasonable persons, that cigarettes are not more harmful than tobacco in any other form; in fact the small amount of tobacco contained in them make them less harmful unless large numbers of them are smoked.

The allegation in regard to the presence of foreign poisonous material in cigarettes is shown to be unfounded. The one poisonous material found was copper in the paper, and it was present in such minute amounts as to be harmless.

The percentage of nicotine seldom exceeds one per cent while in other kinds of tobacco it may reach four times that amount. Another very interesting fact brought out is that the popular idea that nicotine is the chief toxic body in tobacco is erroneous; the chief poisonous bodies in tobacco smoke are related to the group of organic bases known to chemists as pyridins. However, as long as the poison is present it matters but little what its name is.

The Lancet commission suggests, that if those who are so emphatically solicitous about the health of the young community, would turn their attention to the prevention of smoking among boys, much good would be done. It is doubtful, however, if the use of tobacco by the young will ever be stopped entirely by legal measures. No doubt the desire to smoke arises from the natural craving of the half starved physical system for stimulation, for the use of tobacco as well as other stimulants is far more prevalent among those classes, who are illy nourished because of insufficient and improper food, and who are living under unhygienic conditions. To get at the root of the evil it will be necessary to elevate the condition of the lower class by teaching them good cookery, by the provision of proper hygienic conditions on the part of municipalities and by forcing landlords to provide suitable tenements and see that they are kept in a decent and healthful condition. In addition to this parents should know the injurious effects of narcotics of all kinds on the growing child, and use their influence to prevent their use before much good will be accomplished. M. D.

## SYRUP OF FIGS



ACTS GENTLY ON THE  
**KIDNEYS, LIVER  
AND BOWELS**  
CLEANS THE SYSTEM  
DISPELS EFFECTUALLY,  
COLD'S HEADACHES  
OVERCOMES & FEVERS  
HABITUAL CONSTIPATION  
PERMANENTLY  
ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS.

BUY THE GENUINE - MAN'F'D BY  
**CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**  
LOUISVILLE KY. SAN FRANCISCO CAL. NEW YORK N.Y.  
FOR SALE EVERYWHERE. PRICE 50¢ PER BOTTLE.

## OVER THE LINE.

Happenings This Side of New Year.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

Norfolk Oysters at cost, by measure, at W. C. Hines.

Ye olde folks quadrille takes place in the opera house tonight.

By express fresh Mountain Butter 25 per lb at S. M. Schultz'.

Dr. R. L. Carr is out again and is back at his office ready to serve all needing dental work.

I am off after horses and mules and will have some fine stock here in a few days. J. F. KING.

There are some splendid factory sites around Greenville on which we would like to see sights of factories.

One of the steamers on the river has an awful whistle. It is enough to drive ail the varmints out of the lowgrounds when it blows.

The latter part of this week I will have in a shipment of fine horses and mules. See them at the new stables on Fifth street. R. W. KING.

LOST—White setter puppy with yellow spots, about 5 months old. Five dollars reward will be paid for information leading to recovery. ERNEST FORBES.

STRAYED—from the depot stock yard two Jersey cows, one hornless red ox, one black cow, one white and red cow and one spotted heifer. A suitable reward will be paid for their return to my farm. G. T. TYSON.

LOST—My overcoat, heavy blue cloth, velvet collar, was taken from the railing of the Judge's stand in the Court House, Thursday afternoon. The person having it will please return it before cold weather comes. AUG. M. MOORE.

The Philadelphia Record will be sold to satisfy the creditors of the late William M. Singerly. It is stated that the paper is at present earning \$350,000 net profits a year, and should bring about \$3,000,000 at public sale.

T. F. Christman & Co., who have recently opened in the old Marcellus Moore store on Five Points, have an advertisement in this paper. They carry an up-to-date stock of groceries and buy all kinds of country produce. They invite you to call on them.

Powell & Co., have again opened their city restaurant, as will be seen by advertisement in this issue. They have the finest oysters that come to the market. You can get some idea of the size by looking at the shells hanging in front of their door.

The bark of the dogwood tree is worse than its bite.

When love comes in at the door, flattery flies out at the window.

As a girl's birthdays accumulate there is each year a more noticeable absence of presents.

## CITY RESTAURANT.

We have again opened our City Restaurant and are prepared to serve meals at all hours.

QUAIL ON TOAST

and

NORFOLK OYSTERS

served in any style are

OUR SPECIALTIES.

We also supply oysters by measure. We have good cooks, polite waiters, clean tables and can serve you quickly.

POWELL & CO.

# The Reflector Book Store

## EVERY THING IN THE WAY OF

## BOX PAPER, TABLETS.

## Pens, Pencils. Slates, Inks, &c.

Subscriptions received for

# All Magazines.



10 cts.



10c. Wiro Stand 5c



5 & 10 cents.

Never spill when turned over.

# JOB PRINTING

give us a call.

## Reflector Job Printing Office

—ANYTHING FROM A—

Visiting Card

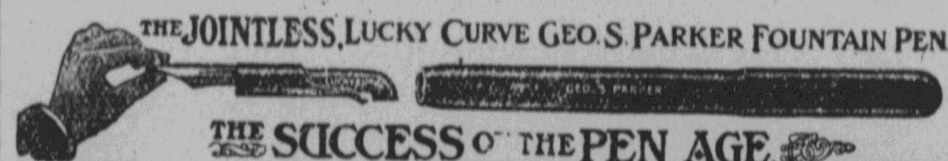
TO A

Full Sheet Poster.

The Eastern Reflector

TWICE-A-WEEK

Is only \$1 a year and contains the news every week, and gives information to the farmers, especially those growing tobacco, that is worth many times more than the subscription price.



THE SUCCESS OF THE PEN AGE.

SALE AT REFLECTOR BOOK STORE.

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair tonight; increasing cloudiness Wednesday.

### WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Maximum	60
Minimum	36
Mean	48
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	.00

# HIGGS & TAFT.

**Dry Goods,  
Furniture,  
Elmwood  
Heater,  
Buck's Stoves.**

**Prices right.**

# HIGGS & TAFT.

## COTTON MARKET.

As wired to Speight & Co., cotton and peanut buyers.

New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
January	7 31	7 28
March	7 34	7 31
May	7 38	7 35
Oct	6 80	6 76

Receipts 23,006.

### LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close
Jan & Feb	4 17	4 17

### CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May.	66½	65½
Ribs—May.	5 82½	5 80

### LOCAL MARKET.

Spot cotton in Greenville	7½
---------------------------	----

## THE PRICE OF A SUIT

of clothes is not always the true expression of its worth. It is equally true that a good suit of clothes cannot be sold for less than a certain sum. If you pay less you get less, and when you get down to a certain point what you get is worth nothing and your money might as well have been thrown in the street. Suits made by the

**Greenville Tailoring Co.**

are the best. Look at our new samples and let us make you a suit. Pressing, cleaning and altering done on short notice.

**LEE & PRIDY**

Proprietors.

## They Travel in Both Directions.

J. G. Rawls returned to Wilson today.

Henry Miller went to Kinston Monday evening.

E. E. Griffin returned Monday evening from Virginia.

M. L. Starkey came in Monday evening from Elizabeth City.

Mrs. W. A. Bowen left this morning for Plymouth to visit relatives.

F. M. Hodges and little son returned Monday evening from Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown left this morning for Portsmouth, Va., in response to a telegraph announcing the sickness of Mr. Ames, father of Mrs. Brown.

## Daughters of Rebekah Officers.

At the last meeting of Helens Lodge Daughters of Rebekah the following officers were installed for the ensuing term:

- N. G.—Mrs. D. D. Overton.
- V. G.—Miss Eva Whitfield.
- R. S.—Miss Bessie Harding.
- Treas.—Mrs. W. H. Bagwell.
- P. S.—T. H. Tyson.
- R. S. N. G.—D. L. James.
- L. S. N. G.—Mrs. J. S. Tunstall.
- R. S. V. G.—L. H. Pender.
- L. S. V. G.—Miss Sarah Hooker.
- Wor.—Mrs. J. S. Smith.
- Con.—Miss Lena Matthews.
- O. S. G.—W. R. Parker.
- I. S. G.—Miss Emma Harris.
- Chap.—Miss Appie Smith.

## Mayor's Court.

Mayor Moye had only a light docket the past week, there being but two cases to dispose of since last report.

C. L. Cauley, for being riotous and disorderly, was fined one penny and costs, amounting to \$2.76.

Frank Forbes, for being disorderly, using profane language and driving recklessly on the streets was assessed \$2.50 and costs making a total of \$5.25.

## How Much Longer?

It has been several months since the ordinance was passed requiring property owners on Evans street, between Third and Fifth streets, to make sidewalks of brick or cement in front of their property, but there are yet places where there are only dirt sidewalks.

## Come To See Us.

At the old Marcellus Moore store, on Five Points, where we have just opened a new and fresh stock of

## Heavy and Fancy Groceries.

Consisting of Meats, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Canned Goods, Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars, Confections, Fruits, in fact everything to be found in an up-to-date Grocery.

We pay the highest market prices for all kinds of

## Country Produce,

either in cash or in barter. When you want to sell or when you want to buy come to see us. To all who favor us with their patronage we promise entire satisfaction.

**T. F. CHRISTMAN & CO.**

at Five Points.

## NOTICE.

This is to state that the firm of Drs. O'Hagan & Laughinghouse has not been dissolved. The only change made is, that for the better convenience of our patrons we have established a down town office.

Dr. O'Hagan will occupy the old stand. Dr. Laughinghouse will occupy the new office situated on Fourth street, just behind Frank Wilson's clothing store in the Perkins block of buildings where the old post office used to be.

DRS. O'HAGAN & LAUGHINGHOUSE

# TO THE TRADE.

We have just returned from the Northern Markets and added a great deal to our already large stock of goods. We can suit all. Those that want

## CHEAP GOODS

Also nice ones, call and see our mammoth stock. LOOK AT OUR STOCK OF

## STOVES

We can repair your old ones Agents for Clark's O. N. T Cotton, Champion Mowing Machines and Rakes. In Boots and Shoes we cannot be undersold.

## Flour, Meat, Lime, & C.

We will match all competition for we sell stacks of these.

**DRESS GOODS and CLOTH-  
IN STOCK ARE COMPLETE**

Call and see us. No trouble to show goods.

# J. C. COBB & SON.

## DON'T FAIL TO SEE

THE DISPLAY OF

Handsomely Decorated  
Hand Painted China

NOW ON EXHIBITION AT OUR STORE AND WHICH WE INTEND TO GIVE AWAY.

We guarantee that our prices on goods will remain the same.

This ware is rapidly taking the place of White Granite or Iron Stone China. It has that soft, white, velvet finish; is of the finest quality, and without doubt the best in the world. The shapes are the very latest patterns and have been designed to meet the tastes of the most fastidious.

It is only by our guaranteeing to use a large quantity of this ware that we have been able to get it at a price that puts it within the reach of all.

Our assortment consists of Cups and Saucers, Pie Plates, Breakfast Plates, Dinner Plates, Platters, Covered Dishes, Cream Pitchers, Sugar Bowls, Tea Pots, and everything else which goes to make up a FINE SET OF DISHES.

We earnestly invite you to call and inspect it, when we will cheerfully give you full information.

Very respectfully,

# PULLEY & BOWEN.

## NEW ARRIVALS

New  
BROADCLOTHS  
CASHMERES,  
CREPONS,  
SUITINGS,  
WORSTEDS,  
OUTINGS,  
PERCALES,  
GINGHAMS.

Complete line of—

## TRIMMINGS,

and up-to-date SHIRTS, SHOES  
HATS, CAPS and TRUNKS.

# R. B. JARVIS & BRO.

## J. F. KING,

IS BACK IN GREENVILLE AND IS AGAIN ENGAGED IN THE

LIVERY BUSINESS

HIS OLD STAND, ON FIFTH STREET. HE WILL KEEP A GOOD LOT OF

HORSES & MULES

for sale and can always supply you with the kind of animal needed.

His livery is equipped with good comfortable vehicles and careful drivers.

Horses boarded by the meal, day or month.

J. F. KING

Near Five Points

# J. B. CHERRY & CO.

We desire to return sincere thanks to our many customers for their liberal patronage during the past year.

For the new year you will find us at the same place ready to do business with you.

Come to see us often.

Yours to please,

# J. B. CHERRY & CO.