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On Wednesday evening the 17th inst, at the home of the bride's father Elihu Briley, Esq. Mr. S. A. S and Miss Lucy Briley were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, Rev. J. T. Grubbs of the Christian church officiating. They were attended by Miss Lennie Fleming with Wm. House, Miss Bertha Briley with L. N. Briley, Miss Maggie Andrews with G. S. Hodges, Miss Lizzie Spain with Jno. Briley. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the groom's father S. H. Spain, Esq. where an elegant supper was served. They received many presents, both useful and ornamental. We wish for them a happy and prosperous voyage over life's sea.

#### Flag Raising.

Acme Council No. 16, Jr. O. U. A. M. will raise the flag over the public school building in South Greenville Friday afternoon. Every member of the Council is requested to meet in their hall at 3 o'clock sharp. The Council, headed by the Osceola Band, will march in a body to the school building. Prof. W. H. Ragsdale will deliver the flag. Public cordially invited to attend the exercises.

#### Newspaper Etiquette.

Parties wishing to enter the printing office at this season should be governed by the following rules: Advance to the inner door and give three distinct raps or kick the door down. The "devil" will attend to the alarm. You will give him your name, postoffice address and the number of years you are owing for the paper. He will admit you. You will advance to the center of the room and address the editor with following countersign: Extend the right hand about two feet from the body, with the thumb and index finger clasping a \$10 bill, which drops into the extended hand of the editor, at the same time saying: "Were you looking for me?" The editor will grasp your hand and the bill and pressing it will say: "You bet!" After giving him the news concerning your locality you will be permitted to retire with a receipt for an obligation properly discharged. —Marcus (Iowa) News.

#### Military Company.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

It is often heard on the streets, aip throughout the country, and in fact abroad, why is there not a good military company in Greenville? This a pertinent question. Greenville once boasted a splendid military organization, and it was not a useless thing. There is greater and more vital necessity and reason now why such a company should be organized here. There is as good material of fine young men here as any where. There are men who would make splendid commanding officers and inspire a confidence and respect as would challenge the admiration of the citizenship, and would guarantee that safe protection at all times that is expected of such an organization. It is not a hard matter to count up 48 young men who would make the very finest company in the State and no community is more able in every respect to keep a good company than "Old Pitt County."

It is to be hoped that the spirit will be revived and kindled into a living flame. Let steps be taken at once and let the books be opened for enlistment. A first-class military company is a good investment.

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#### Daughters of Confedacy.

The Daughters of the Confedacy will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Harry Skinner. The will have a celebration of the anniversary of both Lee and Jackson, as the former is on the 19th and the latter on the 21st. All members are requested to be present.

#### A Friend in the Family.

In the olden times when the patronage of a potentate was desired a friend at court was of the utmost necessity to the aspirant. In these days when the patronage of the public is desired by the merchant a friend in the home is indispensable. That friend is the advertisement. It is a tireless advocate whose arguments are irresistible, and the success of whose pleading is assured. Philadelphia Record.

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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
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THURSDAY, JANUARY, 18, 1900.

The grand jury at a term of court just held in Mecklenburg county made a good lick at the gambling that is carried on in high life. Speaking of the report the Charlotte Observer said.

They stated that they "deplored" the increase of crime and attribute it very greatly to the large amount of gambling of every description prevailing everywhere. This gambling, the jury believed, was inculcated largely by the example of "the fair, deft hands of the progressive euchre players."

Gambling in high life, said they is winked at, while the little coons throwing craps back in some livery stable and on the creek banks for a nickle a game are always coralled by the police.

## Outlook For Senatorial Primary.

Up to this time the following are avowed candidates for the Senate to succeed Butler: Gen. Julian S. Carr, Hon. F. S. Simmons, Maj. A. M. Waddell and ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis. An Atlanta paper announced Col. R. B. Glenn's candidacy to succeed Senator Pritchard, but Pritchard's term does not expire until 1903, and this announcement is a long way in advance.

It is generally agreed that the Senatorial contest will be deferred until after the August election. This is wise, because it will doubtless cause a good deal of friction and some complications and if the contest took place before August might reduce the majority for the constitutional amendment, which is so important that it should not be complicated with any personal issues.

The prospects are better for the selection of the Senator by primary election than they have ever been before. Nearly all the candidates have already announced themselves in favor of the primary and the Democratic State executive committee left the decision of the matter to the State convention, which is more than likely to favor the plan.

Therefore, it seems likely that the people of the State will this year be enabled to choose their Senator by ballot, instead of leaving that important function to a Legislature composed of a few individuals, who are likely to allow personal considerations to influence them, more than a regard for the choice of the people.—Charlotte Observer.

The Cotton States Association of Commissioners of Agriculture, which held its convention last week in New Orleans, has named August 21 as the time for the next convention, which is to be held in Raleigh, N. C.

## A Thrilling Experience.

As north-bound train No. 34 was pulling rapidly out from the station last Saturday at midnight, a Pullman conductor, who was at the ticket office, ran to get on his car. When he attempted to get in he found the vestibule doors closed. The doors extended over nearly all the steps. When last seen going round the curve he was holding on to the railing with just enough "toe holt" to keep from slipping off. The train was late and Engineer Kinney was probably making better than a mile a minute. This high rate of speed, with the cold night air, would in all probability have forced the conductor to loose his hold before he reached Danville had not Ticket Agent DeButts wired ahead to Morehead station eight miles north, to stop the train and allow the luckless conductor to get in his car. It must have naturally surprised and shaken up the passengers when the engineer applied the air brakes in the woods. Had it not been for Mr. DeButts' presence of mind, that Pullman conductor might have been riding in the baggage car ahead dressed in his best suit of clothes.—Greensboro Telegram.

## Aiming At The Paper Trust.

A special to The Charleston Post from Washington says:

"Representative Bellamy, who has introduced a bill in the house of representatives aimed at the paper trust of the country, is receiving considerable support. The bill if passed by congress, would be a direct blow to this trust, which has been enabled by the duty to keep up high prices on paper. The removal of the entire duty on wood pulp and the reduction of the duty on manufactured paper 50 per cent., as the measure proposes, would do much toward breaking up the present combination existing. The paper trust, it is needless to say, is fighting the removal of the duty on manufactured paper tooth and nail, but the sentiment in the house in favor of the passage of the bill is found to be very great.

"The southern members of congress, including, it is believed, the entire South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia and Texas delegations, are in favor of Mr. Bellamy's measure. The measure is especially in the interest of rural newspapers and is receiving a large support from that quarter. The sentiment in favor of the passage of this, or some bill similar to that of Mr. Bellamy's measure, is not found alone on the democratic side of the house. At least one republican in the house, Mr. Tompkins of New York state, has declared himself in favor of the removal of the duty on wood pulp. He goes further even than does the proposed measure of Mr. Bellamy, and says he would like to see the entire duty on paper, manufactured, removed if possible. Other republicans in the house, some of them otherwise strong protectionists, coming from the rural districts, are being besieged by their constituents to support the bill, and many of them are declaring themselves in its favor. It begins to look as if the sentiment in the house might become strong enough to compel the reporting of the bill from the ways and means committee of the house, where it is now pending, and its passage through the house of representatives. If the bill of Mr. Bellamy should pass through the house, a strong effort would be made to secure its passage through the senate."

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## New Cure for Appendicitis.

Physicians are interested in a new treatment for appendicitis which has just been successfully tried by Dr. Geo. J. Helmer, of New York. Heretofore a surgical operation has attended the treatment of such cases. Dr Helmer does not employ the surgeon's knife.

The patient on whom treatment was tried is a young woman living in Harlem. Her attending physicians favored the usual operation, Dr. Helmer, according to The New York World, first tried his plan. This is simply forcing out the matter which clogs the appendix by superficial treatment.

The largest muscle of the human body, the posas magnus, which is just back of the appendix, is manipulated with the hand in such a way that a spasmodic contraction causes it to snap back again the vermiform appendix, forcing out of that organ any foreign substance it may contain.

In the case of the young woman she was relieved in eight minutes.

## Unpaid Insurance Claims.

Insurance Commissioner Young, is now examining the annual statements of insurance companies being filed with his department.

He is anxious to have a list of all unpaid insurance claims in the State and asks that parties holding them will notify him of them during this month.

Under the law the companies are required to make return of their unpaid claims, but often this is not done, and the facts are not set forth. Mr. Young desires, therefore, that the holders of such claims will inform him to the end that the matter may be investigated and the insurance companies not accustomed to pay their claims may be debarred from doing business in the State.—Raleigh Observer.

## The Amendment Essential to Civilized Government.

The amendment is to protect the white race against the most foul criminal combination between low whites and stupid negroes that ever threatened civilized government in North Carolina. If the white people of North Carolina are not protected against this combination, then civilized government is at an end in East Carolina.—Elizabeth City Economist.

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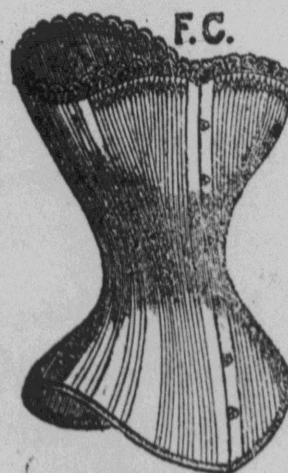
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### TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED July 31, 1899.	No. 78 Daily		No. 35 Daily		No. 108 Daily ex. Sunday		No. 41 Daily		No. 49 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 30	8 58								
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52								
Leave Tarboro	13 21					6 00				
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40	12 52					
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 20	2 40					
Leave Selma	2 55	11 10								
Ar Fayetteville	4 30	12 22								
Ar Florence	7 25	2 34								
		P M	A M							
Ar Goldsboro					7 55					
Ar Rocky Mount							7 01	3 21		
Ar Magnolia							8 09	4 25		
Ar Wilmington							9 40	5 50		

### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 78 Daily	No. 35 Daily	No. 108 Daily ex. Sunday	No. 41 Daily		No. 49 Daily	
			A M	P M	A M	P M
Ar Florence	9 40				7 45	
Ar Fayetteville	12 20				9 45	
Ar Selma	1 55				10 56	
Ar Wilson	2 35				11 33	
			A M		P M	A M
Ar Wilmington						6 50
Ar Magnolia						8 30
Ar Goldsboro						9 27
			P M		A M	P M
Ar Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	10 39	1 16	
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11	1 53	
Ar Tarboro					7 04	
Ar Fayetteville	12 21					
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30				12 09	
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 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 10 a.m. and 2 30 p.m., arrive Parmele 9 10 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Parmele 9 25 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. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 55 a.m., arriving Smithfield 9 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 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.

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

**CATHOLIC.**—No regular service.

## 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. 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

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

## SMALLPOX SPREADING.

Dr. R. H. Lewis, the secretary of the State Board of Health, declared yesterday that smallpox is much more prevalent in North Carolina now than last year, and that unless prompt and vigorous measures are taken to enforce compulsory vaccination in the towns and counties the disease will spread to much greater proportions.

The reports received from the various counties in the State by Dr. Lewis January 1, 1900, showed that there were over 175 cases of the disease in North Carolina. Since then smallpox has made its appearance in many more counties and the number of patients has undoubtedly doubled.

Dr. Lewis was stringent in his criticism of physicians, who, for various reasons, deny the existence of smallpox when it breaks out in a community. Several instances of this kind have been brought to the attention of the State Board of Health of late.

"Most of the trouble in stamping out the disease comes from kicking physicians," Dr. Lewis said, "who deny the diagnosis. In many instances these doctors declare the disease chickenpox. It is seldom that chickenpox attacks adults. The kicking physicians generally cause all the trouble. If one physician in a community denies the diagnosis in a case of smallpox, there are hundreds of people ready to espouse his views. Where the profession is united in the diagnosing of the disease there is no trouble whatever.

"The only possible way to stamp out the disease," Dr. Lewis declared, "is to enforce compulsory vaccination. There is no hope for the people in an infected district unless they submit to vaccination."

January 1, 1900, the disease was reported in fifteen counties in the State, as follows: Cabarrus, Carteret, Chatham, Currituck, Davidson, Guilford, Halifax, Hertford, Mecklenburg, Nash, Northampton and Randolph.

Since then Dr. Lewis has been notified of the appearance of smallpox in the following counties: Surry, Gates, Davie, Rowan, Watauga, Union and Richmond.

In Richmond county there are seven cases at Hamlet, and twelve persons who were exposed to the cases are held in quarantine. The patients are railroad employees who worked on a construction train.

Dr. Lewis was asked if he thought there was much probability of smallpox breaking out in Raleigh this year.

"I certainly do," was the reply. "A great many people have never been vaccinated, and that class is likely to introduce the disease here at any time."

Dr. Lewis expressed the opinion that it would not be necessary for those persons who were vaccinated last year to submit to vaccination again this year.—Raleigh Post.

## A Substitute for the Philosopher's Stone.

In mercantile life success depend upon publicity. The merchant who permits his business to remain untrumpeted can never obtain prominence; but he who insists upon making himself known to the public through the medium of newspaper advertisements will rise from obscurity and troubled fortune to fame and affluence. In like manner, the successful merchant who has always advertised can sustain and still farther develop his trade. The advertisement does for business what the ancient alchemists believed the philosopher's stone would do for the baser metals.

## SMALL CHAT.

### Squibs Found Here and There

Services in the Baptist church tonight.

Don't miss the fun in the opera house tonight.

Even the cats are running mad in Wilmington.

Tomorrow is the anniversary of Gen. Lee's birthday.

See Matthews, the Hypnotist, in the opera house tonight.

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

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Prof. Matthews, the hypnotist, put two boys to sleep in C. T. Munford's window this afternoon. See what he can do at the opera house tonight.

Mr. R. L. Humber has sold the old dwelling house that stood near his machine shop on Fifth street, and it is being moved down near the wharf.

You help the Osceola Band as well as get the worth of your money in fun by attending Prof. Matthews' performance in the opera house tonight.

This is not the time to let cotton factory talk lag. Greenville has been the loser many times in the past by not taking advantage of opportunities then present.

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

On Wednesday physicians set the limb of Mr. Jacob Joyner, who met with the terrible accident last Friday in which his thigh was broken. He is getting on remarkably well.

## A Smile in Each.

Even the best blood labors in vein.

The head waiter holds his property in fee.

The saloon presents a bar to many a man's success.

Most actresses paint a whole lot better than they draw.

A man has to be a pretty clever financier to palm off a hard-luck story as collateral for a loan.

Some men would rather hunt work than find it.

Talk isn't always cheap. Sometimes it costs a man his reputation.

Some people don't believe in hiding their faults under a bushel.

Men are naturally attracted by a woman who wears fetching clothes.

## 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 ct  
s.



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

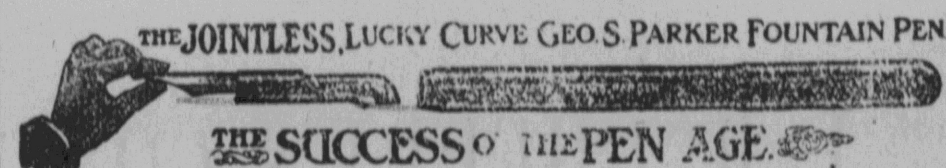
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## Full Sheet Poster.

## 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.



SALE AT REFLECTOR BOOK STORE

**THE DAILY REFLECTOR**

**WEATHER BULLETIN.**

Rain tonight and Friday; followed by fair.

**WEATHER YESTERDAY.**

Maximum	55
Minimum	50
Mean	48½
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	.00

**HIGGS AND TAFT.**

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

**Prices right.**

**HIGGS & TAFT.**

**PREPARATIONS**

**FOR SPRING**

are now in order. Every body is beginning to overhaul the house and wardrobe preparatory to Spring fixing, but many cold days will yet come. Just between the seasons is such a hard time to get what you want, too soon for spring, too late for winter. We have considered your wants by preparing for this between seasons and can show you

**Many Winter and Spring Attractions.**

Did you ever see so many seasonable things crowded in such a small place? White and Spring goods are both scrambling for supremacy. In a few days we will receive and place on display a grand line of WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, &c., to which we will call your attention later.

**J. B. CHERRY & CO.**

**COTTON MARKET.**

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

New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
February	7 37	7 39½
March	7 39	7 40
May	7 42	7 43
Oct	6 78	6 73

Receipts 19,006.

**LIVERPOOL.**

	Opening.	Close.
Jan & Feb	4 19	4 20

**CHICAGO MARKET.**

Wheat—May.	65½	65½
Ribs—May.	5 82½	5 75

**LOCAL MARKET.**

Spot cotton in Greenville	7½
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**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 & PRIDDY**

Proprietors.

**THERE BE FEW.**

**Personal List Short today.**

J. A. Dupree went to Bethel today.

W. R. Parker went to Everetts today.

J. E. Langley left this morning for Washington.

B. R. King, of Goldsboro, came in this morning.

J. F. King returned Wednesday evening from Richmond.

Eugene Wilson returned Wednesday evening from Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grimes left this morning for Norfolk to visit relatives.

Presiding Elder F. A. Bishop returned Wednesday evening from Hyde county.

Miss Lillie Moore left this morning for Raleigh to visit her sister, Mrs. C. P. Spruill.

T. E. Roberts, of Chase City, Va., who has been spending a few days here, left this morning.

Mrs. Jane Langley left this morning for Washington to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Clark.

Mrs. Nelson, of Greenville, came up Monday to take a position as saleslady in the store of Mess. M. Hoffman & Bro. Mrs. Nelson is a lady of culture and refinement, is hightoned in every way and is quite an acquisition to Scotland Neck. Mess. Hoffman & Bro. are to be congratulated in securing her services and the town and community on her coming. She is boarding at Dr. R. M. Johnson's.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

During a murder trial at New Brunswick, N. J., the other day one of the witnesses testified that in Hungary all persons intending to immigrate to the United States are given to understand that nearly every American carries a revolver, and is very quick on the trigger. To this fact, the witness said, is due the readiness of Hungarians to use knives and guns in quarrels.

**SYRUP OF FIGS**



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

BUY THE GENUINE—MAN'FD BY **CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**  
 SAN FRANCISCO CAL. NEW YORK N.Y.  
 FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS PRICE 50¢ PER BOTTLE

**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.**

**PRETTY AS A PICTURE.**

That is what all the ladies say about our new line of

**Embroideries and Laces.**

We have all the newest and latest designs—Insertions, Edgings, Nainsook, Swiss, Cambrics, Vals, Torchons and All Overs.

It will delight you to look at this line, and you will find our prices as pleasing as the goods.

**PULLEY & BOWEN.**

**NEW ARRIVALS**

New { **BROADCLOTHS CASHMERES, CREPONS, SUITINGS, WORSTEDS, OUNINGS, PERCALES, GINGHAMS**

Complete line of—

**TRIMMINGS,** and up-to-date **SHIRTS, SHOES HATS, CAPS and TRINKS.**

**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