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The first thing an acrobat must learn is to take a tumble to himself.

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If an honest man is the noblest work of God, where does the self-made man come in?

The musical conductor is a world-beater. Although time and tide wait for no man he beats time every evening.

The bachelor seems to have a single aim in life.

Mr. Ground Hog knew what he was talking about after all.

When a girl goes out sleighing she should be dressed to kill.

The author who is widely read has no cause to turn green with envy.

Most vegetation thrives on sunlight, but wild oats grow best in the dark.

After March Term.

County Commissioner O. W. Harrington, who is on the committee to have the necessary repairs made to Greenville bridge across Tar river, tells THE REFLECTOR that the bridge will not be torn up for repairs until after March court. The contractors will then have the work ready to push so as to have it completed before April court begins. This is a good arrangement and will give the people less inconvenience than by having the bridge up while one of the courts is in session.

A Mistake.

Mr. J. J. Cherry calls attention to an error made by our Pactolus correspondent in saying that his seine beach near Yankee Hall had been rented for this season. He says it has not been rented yet, but is for rent.

\$500 REWARD.

For Capture of Laughinghouse Robbers.

On Friday February 16th, 1900, between 10 and 11 o'clock, A. M., J. J. Laughinghouse, of Pitt county, N. C., was held up and robbed about seven miles from Greenville, N. C., on the principal public road in the county. The robbery was committed by four negroes described by him as follows:

The leader was 5 feet 11 inches in height, medium build, weight 160 pounds, clean shaven, black, very erect and intelligent looking.

The second negro about the same height, and near enough like the leader to be his brother. This one had a slight moustache.

The third was a round face negro, about 5 feet 3 inches in height, weight 150 pounds, clean shaven, color same as those above described.

The fourth was a ginger cake color, height 5 feet 4 inches, clean shaven, big mouth, thick rolling lips, very vicious face.

They all appeared to be young negroes between the ages of 21 and 25. The money gotten consisted of three or four 50 dollar bills, remainder in 20, 10 and 5 dollar bills also a check for \$500, on Norfolk bank; and a watch, open faced, gold lined, joint case, white enameled Roman dial, pendulum, stem winder, engraved case, No. 399 336, private mark 1728, Waltham movement, 15 jeweled, nickel No. 5-462,714, with name J. J. Laughinghouse scratched inside of outer lid with pen knife. When taken it had a thick glass on it.

The capture of these negroes will be rewarded by a cash payment of \$500.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

A woman is a labor-saving device to pile up wood for a man to saw.

It takes a woman about nine minutes to pick out a husband, and three women and seven hours to pick out a hat.

A woman will break her heart because a man doesn't love her enough, and then love him a lot better because she thinks he doesn't.

The only time a woman ever does what you think she is going to is when you think she is going to do what you don't think she is going to.

Lots of women never feel really at home unless they are always visiting somewhere.

No woman cries very long over a mistake, unless there is no man handy that she can blame it on.

Love is like apple pie; the home-made kind is the best. The other kind always has a lot of seeds and pieces of the core in it.

Noah probably never appreciated the flood much because he knew there weren't any magazines that he could write a lot of articles about it for.—New York Press.

The Reflector Book Store has been appointed as one of the depositories for furnishing school books. We have just received a large shipment of such books as are used in both the public and private schools of this county, and are ready to fill orders. When you want anything in the way of books and school supplies come to the Reflector Book Store.

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STATEMENT OF THE—

BANK OF GREENVILLE GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 2ND, 1899.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts : \$91,440.21
Due from Banks : : 44,140.88
Cash Items : : : 9,047.89
Cash : : : : 22,677.48
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85
Rev. Stamps : : : 313.76

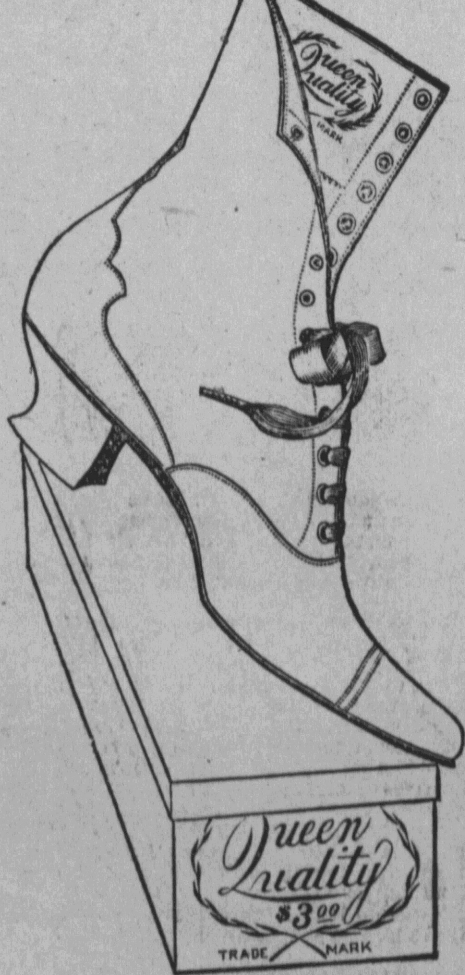
\$169,549.97

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Undivided Profits less
Expenses paid 5,840.31
Bills payable : : 17,500.00
Deposits : : : : 118,711.57
Due Banks and Bankers : 339.56
Cashiers' checks outstanding 1,157.65

\$169,549.97

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1900.

Another office on the State ticket which the people have not heretofore filled at the polls, is Commissioner of Labor and Printing. Mr. H. B. Varner, editor of the Lexington Dispatch, will be a candidate for that office before the Democratic State Convention. Besides being a popular and influential editor, Mr. Varner is a prominent Democrat and an active party worker. He is chairman of the executive committee of his county.

Somebody with more mouth than brain has said: "Just look at the difference. On the Democratic side several candidates have been mentioned for every office, while on the Republican side there has not been one around named for for the offices." That is dead easy to explain. There are enough good men in the Democratic party to fill the offices several times over and it is a little difficult to centre right down on a man for each before the nominating convention meets. But in the Republican ranks there is so little material fit to fill an office that it is difficult to find enough to go around once.

Democratic Convention.

A convention of the Democratic Party of Pitt County is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Greenville on Saturday, March 31st, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Convention to be held in the city of Raleigh on the 11th day of April, 1900, for the nomination of candidates for the various State offices.

Township Primaries will be held on Saturday, March 24th, at 2 o'clock P. M., to appoint delegates to the County Convention.

The several townships will be entitled to appoint the following number of delegates, to-wit:

- Beaver Dam, 4.
- Belvoir, 2
- Bethel, 8.
- Carolina, 7.
- Chicod, 15.
- Contentnea, 18.
- Falkland, 7.
- Farmville, 5.
- Greenville, 23.
- Pactolus, 4.
- Swift Creek, 9.

All persons who are in favor of the white people controlling the State and County governments are invited to participate in these meetings.

By order of the Democratic Executive Committee of Pitt County.
 ALEX. L. BLOW,
 W. L. BROWN, Chairman.
 Secretary.

OUR RALEIGH LETTER

Political News From the State Capital.

RALEIGH, N. C., February 19.

Judging from the eagerness with which nearly every Democratic visitor to Raleigh last week, on the occasion of the visit of Mr. Bryan, enquired for political news especially with regard to the availability and probable success of the several candidates for the position of Governor and other State offices—I feel that there is nothing of which I could write this week that would prove more interesting to your readers as a whole.

I took pains to interview representative politicians and business men from the various counties, and herewith (without submitting any opinion of my own) incorporate essentially the views and some of the arguments advanced by the friends of Messrs. Aycock, Cunningham, Justice and Davidson, as to the desirability and fitness and especially the availability and strength of those several gentlemen.

WHAT THE AYCOCK MEN SAID.

That one of these gentlemen will be nominated is practically a foregone conclusion—but which one? Let's canvass the opinion of these representative visitors and see if we can get an idea along this line. Here are some of the things which Mr. Aycock's friends said, these gentlemen being nearly all from the eastern counties, east of Goldsboro chiefly:

"We think Aycock will carry the bulk of the votes of all the counties lying east of Goldsboro, and will of course receive a large vote in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and part of the 4th districts. We grant that Cunningham will exhibit considerable strength in some of the northeastern counties, will get votes in the 5th congressional district, as well as the 6th probably—and his friends claim that he has the 5th (his home district) practically solid behind him. But we claim Aycock will lead on first ballot, if he is not nominated on that ballot.

"His splendid ability as a lawyer and as an orator and his strong party fealty, are the claims which we present in his favor, coupled with his past reputation along these lines (acquired during his term as U. S. District Attorney during Mr. Cleveland's last term, and his good work on the stump during the campaign of 1898) and his personal popularity. We are counting on winning this fight."

It was noticeable that those prominent politicians from the extreme east, were nearly all Aycock men, the Cunningham men from that section generally being business men or farmers not particularly regarded as active "politicians," though prominent as local Democrats of strong party predilections.

AS TO CUNNINGHAM'S AVAILABILITY.

Most of those of all classes from the more central eastern counties and from the 4th and 5th Congressional districts whom I met talked up Col. John S. Cunningham, and I was struck with the earnestness with which they advocated his fitness and especially the stress they laid upon what they termed his "patent and remarkable availability" this year.

Those identified with agricultural and mercantile pursuits were especially active in urging this latter point, declaring that their man was more popular with all classes than any other available candidate in the State. I asked some of them to particularize and here is what they said, in part:

"He is a practical farmer and merchant and all round business

man (with very large business and agricultural interests) and with natural and acquired executive ability of the highest order. He is known personally by nearly every farmer and working man, as well as by his hosts of professional friends, throughout the biggest portion of the State, and everybody who knows him loves him, I know of absolutely no man possessing more personal friends and who acquires them more rapidly and permanently.

"He is several thousand voters stronger with the agricultural and working class generally, and with what is known as the 'business interests' than any lawyer in the State because they know he has vast pecuniary and landed interests identical with theirs, and is sure to look after these interests.

The fact that he is not a lawyer is in his favor, because (although we think it unjust and lamentable) there is still a deep seated prejudice among a large number of voters in the country, in every county in North Carolina, a prejudice in which he nor you nor I approve of but that does not alter the fact

His ability is un-questioned. He is a beautiful speaker, a red hot campaigner and would make a brilliant and winning canvasser. He and his friends have not been doing as much talking as some others, but I warn you right now: Don't you bet any of your good money on Cunningham not being nominated for Governor April 11 unless you want to lose it.

The 5th Congressional district is coming here with its 130 votes sold for Cunningham; he is going to get a big vote in the 4th, 6th and 7th districts, and some from the third and first and he's a coming man, we believe. His candidacy will add thousands of votes to the chances of carrying the Amendment (or we must and will carry that righteous measure) and in all the State there is no stronger advocate and champion of it than John S. Cunningham.

And then a crowd of the popular Colonel's friends in the lobby of Yarboro began to applaud the speaker and to chime all sorts of nice words of endorsement of their favorite. There is not room in this letter to print them, and I would be afraid to incorporate them any way, unless some one might accuse me of showing partiality and I'm not; only repeating the gist of these interviews as a matter of political news and development, in which our readers are all interested at this particular time.

THE EX-POPULIST VOTE.

There is probably one point in this argument that should be noted however and I will do so briefly.

You must remember said the speaker that fully 15,000 farmers who had voted with the populist in 1892, 1894 and 1896 came to our rescue in 1898 and again voted the Democratic ticket.

Now we must retain that vote at all hazards. Subtract those 15,000 ex-Pops. from our less than 19,000 majority, and we have a small margin—too small for comfort. Place them on the other side and we find our selves in the minority again by over 10,000. Now which candidate for governor is most likely to retain that vote, all lawyers but one? To ask the question is to answer it. Col. Cunningham would command the votes and hearty support of every one of these men and thousands of others who have not yet returned to their old party. Not that Cunningham is anything of a Pop. (I don't like to accuse him of it, for in all North Carolina there is not a more pronounced Democrat or stronger party man) but that, withal, he is a conservative man and a man of the people, there you have it: He is a 'man of the people.'

JUSTICE AND DAVIDSON

There were few visitors west of Greensboro, to which section the strength of Messrs. Justice and Davidson is principally confined.

Kind words of both gentlemen were not lacking, however, and it is evident that both will receive a flattering vote on the first ballot, and from what could be learned it is probable that their friends intend to stick to them as long as there is a chance of winning the nomination.

"We think," said a prominent western Democrat, "that it would be wise to nominate a western man for Governor this year, notwithstanding that the candidate at the last election (Watson) was a western man. It is advisable to have a man who is close to the people of the west, as the enemies of the Amendment are making their biggest fight in our section. If the convention agrees with us, then Justice or Davidson is the one to select. We all know their ability and sterling Democracy."

"TOM MASON FOR GOVERNOR." Since the above detailed information and arguments were given me I have had a talk with several leading eastern Democrats who assured me that it was by no means impossible that Hon. Thomas W. Mason of Northampton might yet be brought out by his friends for the gubernatorial nomination.

"If he enters the race," said one of them today, "he will have a big following and will receive a most flattering vote at the start. Conditions may become such that it will be politic and advisable to nominate him. My! but what a campaign he would make! Talk about your stump-speaker, 'Tom' Mason's superior is not to be found in North Carolina."

SECRETARY OF STATE.

So far only two gentlemen are seriously discussed here in connection with the Democratic nomination for Secretary of State, viz., Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, of Pitt and Hon. D. H. McLean, of Harnett, both exceedingly popular gentlemen and widely known. A leading Democrat from another county visiting in Raleigh this week, declared that Mr. Grimes already had a great following, especially among the farmers. "The fact that he is the President of the State Tobacco Growers Association and is leading the fight, now on, for the tobacco farmers to receive a fair price for their crop, makes him especially strong with that element of the party," he added. Mr. McLean is one of the best and leading lawyers of the east and will have many supporters in the convention.

Just as I had finished the above paragraph a Randolph county friend informs me that his county will also have a candidate for Secretary of State, viz: Mr. W. P. Wood, who he declares is a most excellent and deserving Democrat.

MINOR MENTION.

According to the summary, made by the State Auditor, of the return of the assessed valuation of real and personal property in North Carolina for 1899, the amount foots up \$250,801,827. The preceding year the total assessment was \$234,953,369, showing an increase of very nearly eighteen million dollars during the last year, which is much larger than ever before reported in the given time. The greatest increase was in Durham and Mecklenburg counties, the millions of property owned by the railroad, telegraph and telephone companies is not included in the above, but is assessed separately by the Corporation Commission. Neither is the value of bank stock included.

Among the Senatorial candidates here during Mr. Bryan's visit were Hon. A. M. Weddell, Ex-Gov. Jar-

vis and Hon. F. M. Simmons. Gen. Julian S. Carr could not be here as he was in New-York on business at the time. Talking with Maj. Waddell on the subject, he stated that he was heartily in favor of the primary plan and that he believed that to be the best way to settle the matter most satisfactorily to the people. Gen. Carr is known to favor this plan, and has all along and it is also stated that Mr. Simmons is also willing to such arrangement. So it appears altogether probable that the convention will order the primary, according to the suggestion made at the last meeting of the State Committee. Gen. Carr and Mr. Simmons are regarded here as the leading candidates, but Maj. Waddell's friends are sanguine of his success.

Very little is heard about Congressional candidates as yet, as they will not be elected in August.

It is now understood (since the conference between Mr. Bryan and Senator Gorman) that the Democratic national convention shall be held in advance of the Populists for obvious and good reasons.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	No. 23	No. 35	No. 108	No. 41	No. 49
Jan. 14, 1900.	Daily	Daily	Daily ex-Sunday	Daily	Daily
	A M	P M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 55			
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52			
Leave Tarboro	12 21	6 00			
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40	12 52
Leave Wilson	1 55	10 25	7 16	6 20	2 40
Leave Selma	2 54	11 03			
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 20			
Ar Florence	7 25	2 24			
	P M	A M			
Ar Goldsboro			7 55		
Lv Goldsboro				7 01	3 25
Lv Magnolia				8 09	4 35
Wilmington				9 40	6 00

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 75	No. 102	No. 32	No. 40	No. 45
	Daily	Daily ex-Sunday	Daily	Daily	Daily
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M
Lv Florence	9 45	7 45			
Lv Fayetteville	12 20	9 45			
Leave Selma	1 50	10 56			
Arrive Wilson	2 35	11 33			
			A M	P M	A M
Lv Wilmington			6 50	9 45	
Lv Magnolia			8 20	11 16	
Lv Goldsboro			9 27	12 26	
			P M	A M	P M
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	1 30	1 16
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11	1 5
Arrive Tarboro		7 04			
Leave Tarboro	12 21				
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30	12 09			
Ar Weldon	4 32	1 04			

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12 05 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., arrive 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 4 25 p. m., Halifax 4 45 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 12 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 10 a. m., 11 00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 35 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 10 a. m., 3 40 p. m., arrive Nashville 11 10 a. m., 4 03 p. m., Spring Hope 10 40 a. m., 4 25 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11 30 a. m., 4 55 p. m., Nashville 12 15 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 3 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 2 50 p. 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 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. R. L. Humber, N. G. E. E. Griffin, 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.

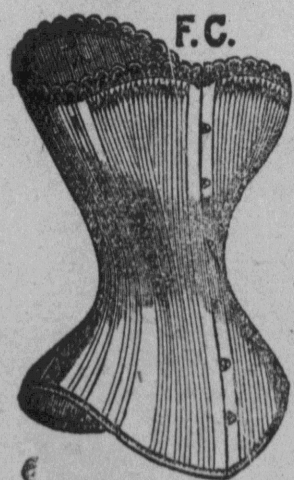
J. R. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. J. B. White, Councilor.

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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FRANK WILSON.

Mr. J. M. Ramsey the "Blind Man Eloquent", of Tennessee, will lecture at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening at 7:45 P. M. His subject will be the Epworth League. He is a live man and will charm and interest you. Come and hear him.

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Danish Hospitality.

A correspondent of the Dundee Advertiser writes from Denmark: "The people of Denmark, though sprung from the same stock as ourselves, are infinitely more polite and hospitable—so much so that my friend the Scotch landowner, who is Scotch to the backbone and never more Scotch than when out of Scotland, early came to the conclusion that their politeness, besides being a mighty trouble to themselves, was a sheer waste of time. I did not find it so. I rejoiced that it was one of their characteristics, for they were ever willing to show me their farms and their dairies and their bacon curing establishments, though I had been assured before leaving this country that the Danish creamery at least was shut against the stranger."

"Like most continental people I have met, the Dane puts himself to no end of trouble to help you, and after he gives all the information you want you must needs go to his home and drink his drink and smoke his cigars, as old friends in this country might do after years of separation."

Where Dr. Johnson Was Married.

One of the most interesting entries in the parish register of St. Werburgh's, Derby, relates to the marriage of Dr. Johnson and the widow Porter, which was celebrated in St. Werburgh's. It reads:

"Mard.—Saml Johnson, of ye parish of St. Mary's, in Lichtfield, and Elizabeth Porter, of ye parish of S. Phillip, in B'ham."

Why the couple should have traveled from Birmingham to Derby to be wed is greatly dark. Even Boswell confessed that he could not understand the reason. Johnson, however, gave him an amusing account of the journey. They must have looked a queerly matched pair as they walked up the aisle of St. Werburgh's, he an awkward, big boned, shambling man, she "a young person of nearly 50" and possessed of scant attractions.—Westminster Gazette

SALE OF LAND FOR PARTITION.

NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County.

John White, Mary Cannon, Margaret Hill vs. H. C. Beddard and wife, Francis Beddard.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court issued in a certain special proceeding entitled as above, obtained on the 19th day of February 1900, the undersigned commissioner will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in the town of Greenville on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 12 o'clock M., the following described piece or parcel of land to-wit: An estate for the life of Francis Beddard, in that piece or parcel of land lying and being in Pitt county, Contentnea township, adjoining the lands Frank Tripp, Joseph Jones and wife, and Martha Stocks, and known as the Fred White land and being the same devised in the last will and testament of Fred White to Percy Jones subject to an estate for the life of Francis Beddard which said estate is to be sold as above set out. This 19th day of February 1900.
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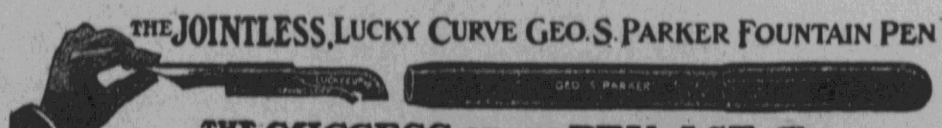
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	Opening.	Close.
February	8 75	9 00
March	8 55	8 59
May	8 53	8 54
Aug.	8 38	8 40
Oct.	0 00	7 48

Receipts 36,006.

LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Feb & Mar	4 53	4 55

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FEBRUARY FOLKS.

Come Few and Ear Between

Joseph Rawls left this morning for a trip up the road.

Miss Bettie Tyson left this morning to visit in Baltimore.

Presiding Elder F. A. Bishop came in Monday evening from Wilson.

Miss Mamie Galloway, of Grimesland, is visiting Miss Bertha Patrick.

Miss Mary James returned Monday evening from a visit to Washington.

G. A. Clute left this morning for Clinton, where Mrs. Clute is still quite sick.

Lee Stewart returned Monday evening from a visit to relatives in Washington.

C. G. Joyner, of Baltimore, who has been spending a few days here, left this morning.

Miss Mamie Hines, of Wilson, who has been visiting Miss Etta Hines, returned home today.

Mrs. Faison Peirce (nee Miss Annie Noell) of Warsaw, arrived Monday evening to visit Mrs. H. A. White.

Dr. F. M. Moye, of Wilson, who is very prominent in Masonic circles, came down Monday evening to visit the Greenville Lodge and assist in conferring the Royal Arch degrees.

The Press on Duty.

The newspapers do more to shape public sentiment than all other agencies and instrumentalities combined. A free, enlightened, faithful press can do a vast deal in making a measure detestable or in making a measure popular and well appreciated. It can in a correct sense both kill and make alive. There are over 100 Democratic newspapers in North Carolina. We do not know the exact number. It may even reach 125. Let these unite heartily and determinately for any cause, for any redress of a wrong, for any measure of relief, as as is the proposed suffrage amendment, and they can do more to reach the mind and arouse the interest and stir up a patriotic ardor than any other instrumentality. Public speaking is very essential because there is a particularly magnetic power in the human voice and deep emotion, and because so many voters who do not read can hear the facts and arguments presented in a forcible and clear way. But the press is mighty and has great interests at stake and a most important duty to perform. It must be very urgent and intent from now until the victory is won for good government. It must watch and defend, and "may no soothing sound of Meia's harp lull its hundred eyes to sleep." It will do its duty. It will enlighten, persuade, advise. It will stand as sentinels upon the very watch towers of liberty, and will watch the enemy at every turn whether he make an open fight or resort to midnight tactics and a campaign of lies, slanders, misrepresentations and deceptions. The enemy is wily, cunning, unscrupulous, full panoplied for wrong, and aided by the most artful of leaders—Satan. Sustain the press.—Wilmington Messenger.

The Life of Competition.

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