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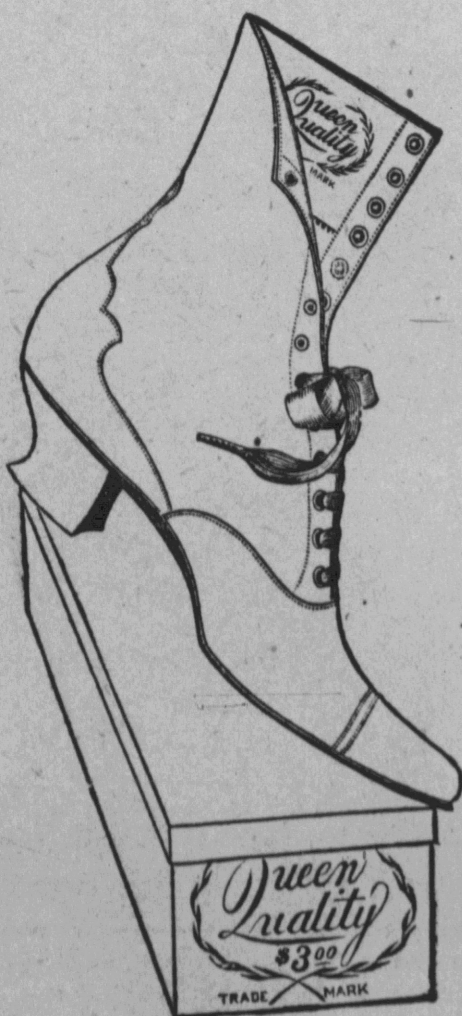
We have all the newest and latest designs—Insertions, Edgings, Nainsook, Swiss, Cambrics, Vals, Torchons and All-Overs.

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and Oxfords is here.

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AGENT FOR THE QUEEN QUALITY SHOES.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Mar. 3, 1900

Several new cases of mumps.

J. F. King, of Greenville, was here Tuesday.

Three new dwellings are going up.

J. I. Smith and Miss Pearl Campbell were on a visit to Miss Lillian Campbell Wednesday.

Sam Laughinghouse, of Grifton, stopped over here yesterday from mail to freight time.

Agent Green is back from Washington and busy making daily shipments for the Manufacturing Co. and Cigar Co.

Farmers are beginning to use more agricultural lime. Marshall Cox, living several miles east of here, has a carload on the track here now.

Farmers are not fighting the fertilizer trust in the right way. Instead of buying less they are buying about as much as ever.

If your team does not suit you perhaps you can make an exchange here at J. J. Bryan's stables. It is not impossible for a trade to work to the advantage of both parties.

Those who come here sick get well. These who are well get better. It was been just the reverse with several parties leaving here. The secret lies in our excellent mineral water.

TO THE TRADE.

Our goods are—

Good,
Cheap,
Honest,
Anti-trust,

Home made right here in North Carolina, Pitt county, by home folks. Special brands made to order. WINTERVILLE CIG. Co.

Attention Please.—We are making the following:

The best back bands,
The best cart saddles,
The best carts and wagons,
The best Cotton Planter (Cox),
The best fertilizer distributor,
cheap enough so every farmer can afford to own one. Every purchaser of a pair of our cart wheels also gets a nice premium.
A. G. Cox Mfg Co.

\$7,000 Stolen from a Mail Pouch.

New York, Feb. 28.—It became known at noon today that several money packages, said to contain about \$7,000, and intended to pass through the Long Island City postoffice, disappeared yesterday afternoon while en route from New York to Long Island City.

William Caar, the driver of the wagon which carried the mail from the ferry in Long Island City to postoffice, has disappeared, and is suspected of having stolen the money packages.

No matter how run down it may feel the clock never takes a day off.

It is much better to sit in the lap of luxury than to stand on ceremony.

If the good die young there must be a lot of long-lived people in the world.

SHOES, GOOD SHOES, SHOES THAT WEAR AND Fit and Look Well.

YOU WILL FIND LOTS OF PLACES WHERE YOU WILL HAVE TO PAY MORE, BUT NOWHERE CAN YOU GET BETTER QUALITY THAN I GIVE. I HAVE JUST RECEIVED MY SPRING LINE OF!

Fine Shoes,

and have them in Patent Leathers, Vicis, Tans, Cordovans, India Kids.

All styles, sizes and widths for men, boys women children. To make a long matter short we have shoes to fit everybody and will be glad to have you come and see them.

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

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Again you
hear from us.

THE TIME HAS COME FOR YOU TO SEE WHAT WE ARE DOING ON SPECIAL SALES. WE CALL ATTENTION TO OUR

Black Dress Goods

34 in. Wool Serge good value at 35c now will be sold at **23c.** 54 in. Venetian cloth all colors will be reduced from \$1 to **82c.**

Good quality all wool Serge 36 in. regular price 40c now to be run at **31c.** Fine all wool silk Finish Henri e e regular \$1 now **87c.**

Fine Wool Henrietta 42 in. wide big value at 50c now cut at **43c.** 48 in. all wool fine quality Brilliantine good at 60c now **48c.**

All Wool Imperial Serge 45 in. wide big value at 60c now will be run **48c.** 50 in. silk warp Serge extra fine regular \$1.25 now **\$1.05.**

This only lasts Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 5th, 6th and 7th. Goods sold at these prices for cash only.

H. M. Hardee

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D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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SATURDAY MARCH 3, 1900.

It is said that General Cronje had to inquire as to the forms of surrender before he could act under them. Heretofore, the Boers have been familiar only with the etiquette for receiving surrenders.

Mr Quay will most-probably be seated. A number of Senators who were willing to voice against considering the matter will not be able to resist his "pleasing personality" when it comes to a direct vote on the question.

The chances are that the House has been buncoed into passing the Porto Rican bill. It is believed that the Senate will knock the two years limit out of the bill and will raise the duty back to 25 per cent. Then in conference the House will recede from its position.

Local politicians must not run away with the idea that the national campaign will altogether swallow up local issues this fall. The Democratic party stands for decent and honest candidates and will insist on them no matter how hot the national election may be.

As events prove the President took the winning side in the Porto Rican debate. It may also be observed that if the decision had been contrary to what it was, the President would still have been on the triumphant side. He stayed on the fence until the vote was taken and then hopped down to join the victors.

It is a curious fact that more interest was taken in the west than in the east in the attempt to carry through the Porto Rican infamy. If a Congressman went west, he was sure to come back opposed to the bill, while in the east and in Washington particularly, nobody seemed to care much about the matter. The House galleries were poorly filled throughout the whole debate.

The Republicans have been forced to hold up the Hay-Pauncefote treaty surrender, to modify the ship subsidy steal, to compromise their platform pledges on the currency bill by inserting a clause looking to bimetalism and to modify the Porto Rican tariff in order to pass it. Altogether, the G. O. P. is in tolerably bad position for a presidential year.

The statement of Captain Concas, of the Maria Theresa, one of the Spanish vessels engaged in the Santiago fight, just published, says that his vessel was under orders to ram the Brooklyn, supposed to be the only fast vessel in the American fleet, and that he would have done so had it not been for the outward loop of the Brooklyn ordered by Commodore Schley, of which so much has been said. This should certainly settle the question.

At last comes the information that Ladysmith has been entered by the British army.

This following so quickly upon the surrender of General Cronje it seems as if the war must cease to be, and ere long the liberty loving Boers must become loyal subjects to the British crown. In this day of civilization, in this day of churches, schools, and christian education the idea that "Might makes right" seems to have a firm holding in the political mind, and in the policy that determines the course of State craft, as well as in the minds of some individuals. If the Transvaal must become a province of Great Britain, and the Contented, Free, wanting to be let alone, German Boers, must become British subjects, then we hope the shake up will result in a step forward in the great civilizing movement, England pretends to have inaugurated wherever her grasping hands reaches and wherever her guns and soldiers go.

It seems to be the taking away from him who hath but little and giving to him who hath more than he needs.

The Statesville Landmark says that if Mr. Mebane is nominated by the democrats it will not be obligatory upon members of that party to vote for him, he not being a democrat, and the point is well taken. If the office which has been filled so acceptably by Mr. Mebane is to continue to be considered a part of party spoils, it would be bad politics for the party to nominate other than a straight democrat but if it is desired to lift this one office above partisan politics, some party must set the initiative and why should it not be the democratic? —Durham Herald.

The man who monkeys with the kitty in a poker game is apt to get scratched.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar., 2 1900.

The republican leaders of the House are still shaking from the fright given them by their narrow escape from a humiliating defeat on the Porto Rico tariff bill. The figurative sack cloth and ashes of Ash Wednesday came very near being real for them that day. They amended the bill by reducing the tariff from 25 to 15 per cent, which Representative Berry aptly said merely changed the crime from grand to petty larceny, and by limiting its operation to two years, which was an acknowledgment that the whole principle of the bill was a wrong one, and they could not get the votes needed to pass it without resorting to every known form of political bull-dozing and cajolery. Had the Republicans of the House voted their real sentiments the bill would have been defeated more than a two-thirds vote instead of being passed by a vote of 172 to 161. The constitutional question involved in this bill will not down. It will be heard when the bill is taken up in the Senate, and it will be heard all during the coming Presidential campaign, and like other great questions until it is settled right.

Senator Aldrich explained the gold standard bill agreed upon by the Conference Committee, to the Senate, but he did not attempt the impossible task of defending the measure, which ought to be officially entitled. A bill to put money in the pockets of the rich at the expense of the poor.

Within 24 hours of the time that the House was passing the bill to rob the poor Porto Ricans by imposing a duty upon the products they have to sell, the Senate was taking the first step towards making Hawaii a state, by passing the bill providing a territorial government for Hawaii. If there is any logical reason for making this unjust distinction between prosperous Hawaii and half-starved Porto Rico, it has been carefully concealed from the public.

The House Military Committee has endorsed two pet schemes of the administration to provide promotion for favorites that to give the Adjutant General of the army the rank, pay and allowances of the major general, which will be in the nature of a reward to Gen. Corbin for his subserviency to Alger, and his underhand attacks upon Gen Miles, his superior officer and that authorized the President to select a retired brigadier general from promotion to

major general, which is intended to give Gen. Shafter the difference between the pay and emoluments of a brigadier general and a major general, retired, as a reward for the Cuban campaign, the greater part of which he spent lying in a hammock. "Funny" old world.

Of course, the disagreeable weather in Washington had nothing to do with the departure for Cuba, via Florida of Secretary Root. He is going to make an "official inspection" of Cuban ports, using a government transport after he reaches Tampa. What part his wife, son and daughter, who accompanied him, are to take in the "official inspection" is a question which he may be able to answer. To some persons this trip looks like a winter junket for his family at public expense.

The bill providing for the ship subsidy job has been favorably reported to the Senate. The report which was made on the bill will be widely circulated by the republicans for the purpose of trying to create a public sentiment for the \$200,000,000 job, but it is very doubtful whether they will try to push the bill through until after the Presidential election, as word has been passed around among the republicans in Congress to keep the total of appropriations made at this session of Congress down as much as possible, with the understanding that the money can safely be made to fly at the next session which will not be held until after the Presidential election.

Something good, Mullet Roe 5 cents a pair at S. M. Schultz's.

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. Terms strictly cash.

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 Near Five Points
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 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.
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 At J. A. Smith's old stand, Prompt attention. Good work. Give me a call.

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 CONDENSED SCHEDULE
 TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	No. 23 Daily		No. 35 Daily		No. 49 Daily		No. 41 Daily		No. 40 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Jan. 14, 1900.										
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 58								
Ar Rocky Mount	12 05	9 52								
Leave Tarboro	12 21	6 00								
Lv 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 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			
Lv Wilmington						9 40	6 00			

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED	No. 78 Daily		No. 102 Daily		No. 82 Daily		No. 40 Daily		No. 46 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Jan. 14, 1900.										
Lv Florence	10 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						
Lv Wilmington					5 00					
Lv Magnolia						6 50	9 45			
Lv Goldsboro						8 20	11 16			
						9 27	12 26			
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	10 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., leaves 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 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 05 a. m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a. m.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 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 02 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 2 50 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection Weldon for all points North daily, all rail, via Richmond.

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J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

WINE OF CARDUI

A SURE MEDICINE.

HANDSON, VA., Dec. 21.
 I have been suffering from female weakness for four years, and have taken many medicines, but Wine of Cardui and B Ack-Draught have done more for me than anything else.
MRS. CAROLINE EVANS.



MELREE'S Wine of Cardui

It is a mistake to take any and every kind of medicine when you are sick. There is danger in it. Most of the so-called cures for "female weakness" do nothing more than deaden the pain temporarily, and when the effect wears away the patient is weaker and sicker than before. It is never wise to take chances. You have only one life, and that is dear and precious. If you have any pain, ache, disorder or weakness in the feminine organs, nothing will help you like Wine of Cardui. It helps do away with morning sickness during the early stages of pregnancy, and modifies the pains of childbirth; recovery is rapid and future health is assured. The Wine is purely vegetable, being made of herbs whose medicinal properties act directly upon the organs of womanhood. It is a long-tried remedy, and has many years of success behind it. It is sure. Why take a chance medicine when you can get a sure medicine?
LADIES' ADVISORY DEPARTMENT.
 For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, Ladies' Advisory Dept., THE CHLORODYNE MEDICINE CO., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Druggists sell Large Bottles for \$1.00.

WINE OF CARDUI

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 thir 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. 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.

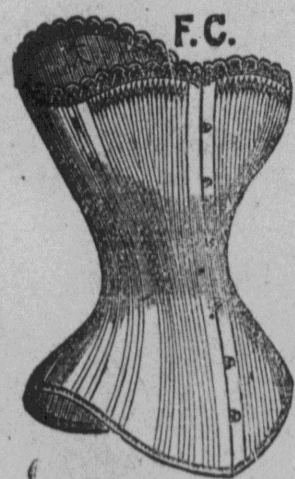
Jr. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. J. B. White, Councilor.

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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STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina

A homicide occurred at McCall, Richmond county, Friday morning, a mill operative named Maddox killing a fellow workman named Bullard.

A charter is granted the Raleigh Telephone Company, capital \$15,000. It will first equip an exchange there then build lines to other towns.

Pinehurst is preparing to have a colored baby show about the first of March. It will be a novelty; probably the first of its kind ever held in the South.

The northwest gale yesterday morning made high tides on the seaside and in the Cape Fear. The water was so high at the Wilmington Compress that 250 bales of cotton had to be moved out.—Wilmington Star.

A few daws ago M. C. Lawson, of Granville county, lost a team of fine horses and had a narrow escape from death. He undertook to ford Tar river when the water was very high, with the result that his horses were washed down and drowned.

By the latest returns Mecklenburg is the banner county financially as well as industrially, of the State. Wake county, up to the last returns, was the largest tax paying county, but Mecklenburg now takes the lead by something over \$200,000.

About a year ago Fred Morrow, a white man of Vance county, killed a negro woman who insulted his wife. Morrow fled and has since been in hiding until this week, when he returned home and surrendered to stand trial.

The Salem knitting mills will add a large electric motor and prepare for business. The plant is now running night and day.—The smallpox hospital at terra cotta works, which has been doing good business since October, has been closed for lack of patients.—Winston Journal.

Postmaster Arrested For Embezzlement.

Marion, Feb. 28.—Leonard R. Owens, postmaster at this place, was arrested this afternoon under a warrant issued by United States Commissioner J. W. Johnson on a charge of embezzling the funds of the postoffice. The warrant was issued at the instance of Postoffice Inspector Meyer, who for several days has been investigating the condition of the office and has discovered a deficiency in the postmaster's accounts amounting to over \$1,000. At a conference of Mr. Owens' bondsmen, who are highly reputable and responsible citizens, Mr. T. Lanneau Lide, a capable and reliable young gentleman, was selected to fill the position of postmaster temporarily, and has entered upon the discharge of his duties.—Columbia State.

CHURCH SERVICES

Where You Can Worship Sunday

Methodist church—Sunday school at 3 P. M. and preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. by Rev. N. M. Watson.

Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. and preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. by Rev. J. N. Booth.

Presbyterian church—Sunday school 10 A. M.

Episcopal church—Sunday school at 3:00 P. M.

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.

A Conjuror at Colombo.

Our conjuror's appearance placed him at once above the suspicion of concealing anything up his sleeve, for sleeve he had none. His dress was a scant white drapery which began at the shoulders and ended at the knees, leaving both arms and legs uncovered. Placing himself on the deck directly in front of us, with his boy assistants a little way off on either side, he began operations.

First he spread on the deck a small cotton pocket handkerchief. Thereon, in the form of a small hillock, he put two handfuls of loose friable earth, in which he planted the mango seed. This accomplished, he dispatched a boy with a flat tin for water. In the meantime taking a hooded snake from a shallow basket and waving it—the while it hissed angrily and enlarged its neck—over the little mound of soil, as he did so chanting on a strange pipe. The water fetched, he sprinkled a few drops on the earth, then covered the heap with a small square of fringed turban cloth.

After again repeating his incantations he lifted the top covering and revealed a tiny green shoot, not unlike the first appearance of a bean above the ground.—Blackwood.

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 FEBRUARY 13TH, 1900.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$99,707.39	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85	Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 8,015.29
Due from Banks : : 70,085.60	Deposits subject to check : : : 162,422.45
Cash Items : : : 2,995.62	Due to Banks : : : 137.46
Cash : : : : 19,930.16	Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,207.53
Rev. Stamps : : : 135.01	
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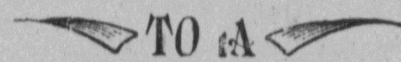
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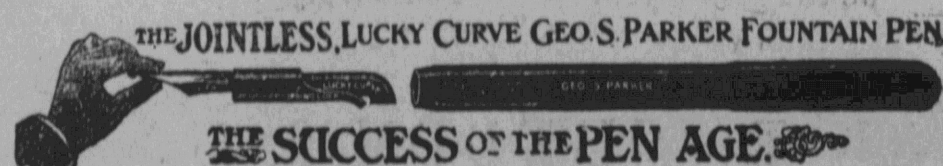


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 New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
March	9 36	9 40
May	9 39	9 39
Aug	9 32	9 30
Oct.	8 09	8 10

Receipts 28,000.
LIVERPOOL.
 Opening. Close
 Mar & Apr 5 20 5 26

CHICAGO MARKET.
 Wheat—May. 65 1/2 65 1/2
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ON THE HIGHWAY.

Held Up Long Enough to Take Their Names.

Mrs. W. R. G. Smith has the measles.
 Little Mary Brown is quite sick with pneumonia.
 Maj. Fleming went to Wilson this morning.
 N. H. Whitfield left this morning, going north.
 Miss Emma Harris left this morning for Richmond.
 Miss Pearl Campbell went to Richmond this morning.
 J. J. Laughinghouse went to Tillery this morning.
 F. G. Whaley returned from Weldon Friday evening.

Miss Pattie Skinner returned from a visit to Tarboro Friday evening.
 Mrs. Pattie Winstead, of Rocky Mount, came in Friday evening to visit relatives.

Mrs. Annie Pearce, who has been visiting Mrs. H. A. White, left this morning.

W. B. Brown returned Friday evening from New York where he has been buying spring goods.

Miss Katie Johnson, of Tarboro, who has been visiting Mrs. C. T. Munford, returned home this morning.

DEAD GOEBEL INSULTED.

Dastardly Act of Unknown Parties.

Frankfort, Feb. 28.—Unknown persons stripped the state capitol building of emblems of mourning with which the front of the building was draped in memory of Governor Goebel. A court of inquiry was held. In the court of appeals today, R. J. Breckinridge, democratic attorney general, filed a motion demanding that the court recognize him. Republicans attorney general Pratt objected. The court declined to pass on the question at once in order the matter submitted, as a decision would involve all of the contents over minor state offices.

The republican joint caucus of the legislature met tonight and after a long discussion concerning election laws in the south and particularly the Goebel election law of this state decided to take the initiative in a moment to bring the matter before congress. The purpose is to call a convention of states, in which Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Missouri, Virginia North and South Carolina shall take part, congress to amend the national election so as to take out of the hands of the state governments the details of at least congressional and presidential elections.

Several prominent republican leaders in addition to the republican members of both houses, were present tonight. National Committeeman John Yeakes made a speech. He declared that the elections laws in the state mentioned practically amounted to disfranchisement of the republican voters,

Revenues Working Against the Amendment.

The internal revenue business in this section is run, it appears, as a campaign organization against the amendment and in favor of negro rule. It is noticeable that the distillers in this section who are not outspoken against the amendment are being chastised with the lash. Their distilleries are being seized. The negro rule distillers can run any way they please, make false entries or anything else, but they are not molested. The whole revenue system has degenerated into a political machine as hot with corruption as hades itself. But despite that the white people will carry the amendment and rule their affairs.—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

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