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## SOUP

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Ayden, N. C.

#### WILL NOT RUN.

FARMVILLE, N. C., April 4 1900. EDITOR REFLECTOR:

In your issue of THE DAILY REFLECTOR of March 30th some one has written a letter mentioning my name in connection with the Sheriff's office. I would say to my known friend that I thank him for his kind words but I am not nor indeed can I be a candidate before the convention for the office of Sheriff. Pitt county has abler and worthier men than I to fill her offices and I seek no political preferment. Very resp't.

W. R. HORNE.

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#### TOWN MATTERS.

##### Meeting of Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday night.

The usual committee reports were made, showing the work done and condition of things in their charge.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan was present and addressed the Board, making some suggestions as to tiling street drains and building cisterns or artesian wells to furnish adequate supply of water in case of fire. He expressed hearty commendation of the work the street committee had done in inaugurating the use of tiling and putting it in the place of the wood drains so far as they were able. He said he hoped this Board and their successors would continue this good work.

The cistern on the Clark property on Greene street, holding some over 2,500 gallons was tendered to the use of the town provided the Board make arrangements for keeping it properly filled. The tender was accepted, the cost for putting the cistern in condition for use not to exceed \$10.

The Mayor was instructed to serve notice on certain Evans street property owners that they must pave in front of their premises, as required by an ordinance of the town, within 30 days after date of notice.

The Tax Collector was instructed to collect license taxes from the tobacco buyers, the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Kingston case showing that towns have the right to impose and collect such tax.

The Tax Collector and Police made their monthly reports, all showing about \$1,500 in the treasury.

W. C. Hives was exempted from the payment of dog tax on the three blood hound puppies he recently purchased.

Dr. Laughinghouse was allowed to keep a sign in front of his office on Fourth street.

The salary of the janitor of the Mayor's office and guard house was reduced \$3 per month for the summer months.

C. D. Rountree was elected tax list taker for 1900. He is to furnish two complete books for the tax list of the town and be paid therefor \$55.

Accounts aggregating about \$706 were allowed and orders for the same drawn on the Treasurer.

##### Mr Flanagan Honored.

Our townsman Mr. E. G. Flanagan, who is in Raleigh attending the meeting of North Carolina Undertakers' Association, was elected Treasurer of the association, he was also placed on the committee on by-laws.

The officers of the association are: President—J. M. Harry, of Charlotte.

First Vice-President—H. W. Simpson of Newbern.

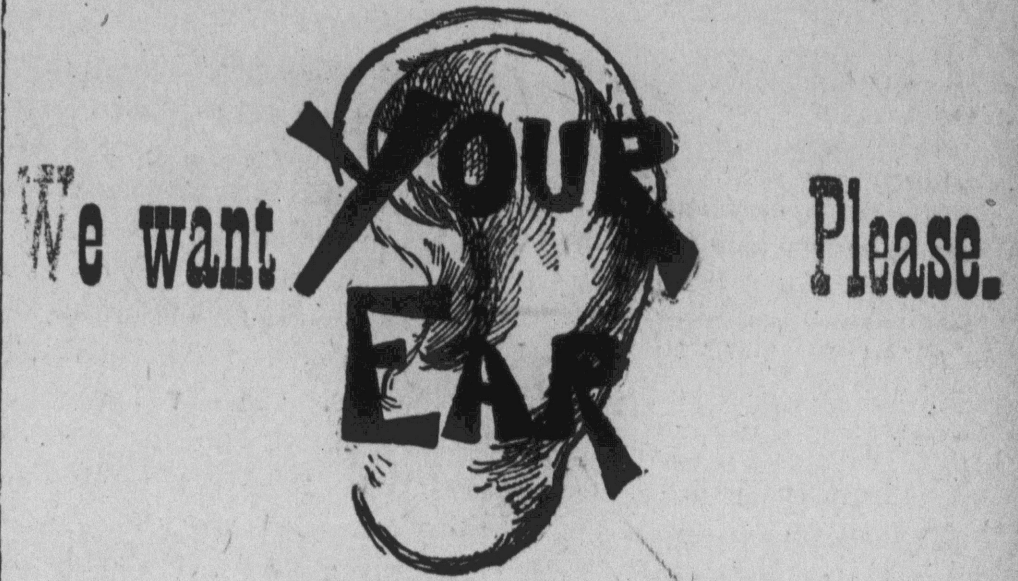
Second Vice-President C. W. Brown, of Asheville.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1900.

## WILLIAM GASTON.

[Sketch read by Mrs. Dr. E. A. Moyer before the End of the Century Club.]

William Gaston Judge of the Supreme Court of North Carolina was a native of New Bern, born September 19th, 1778. His father, Dr. Alexander Gaston, a native of Ireland, and a man of letters, was one of the most determined patriots of his day.

He was killed on the 20th of Aug. 1781, under the most painful circumstances. He was retreating from the attack of the Tories with his wife and two children when a party of Tories appeared.

Mrs. Gaston was left on the wharf while her husband pushed off in a boat, one of these monsters leveled his gun over the shoulder of Mrs. Gaston and her patriotic husband fell dead, leaving her and two children, a son, of which she should have justly been proud and a daughter who afterwards was the wife of Chief Justice Taylor. Happily for Judge Gaston, and happy for his State, his mother was a woman of great energy of character and of devoted piety.

Naturally of a quick temper, her counsel, example and advice taught him to subdue it. The great object of her life seemed to be to prepare herself for a better world and to train in wisdom's ways the precious charge left to her care under such afflicting and tragical circumstances. She felt like the mother of Moses, the words of Pharaoh's daughter: "Take this child, nurse it for me and I will give thee thy wages."

His unparalleled success in after life, his extensive usefulness and exalted public services prove how faithfully her duty had been discharged.

"This tells to mothers what a holy charge is theirs; with what a kingly power their love may rule the fountain of the new-born mind, warns them to wake at early dawn and sow good seed before the world sows its tares."

Judge Gaston has often been heard to declare that what ever distinction he had attained in life, was owing to his pious counsel and faithful conduct. Under her eye his early education was conducted.

In the fall of 1791 he was sent to the Catholic College at Georgetown, then only 14 years old.

The rigor of this bleak climate, the painful and rigid discipline and exiled from the comforts and attentions of affection caused his health to give way and in the Spring of 1793 it was feared he was sinking under consumption, and it was advised by his physicians that he should return to the mild air of his native climate. Under the care of the Rev. Thom-

as P. Irving he was prepared for College.

He entered the Jr. class at Princeton in the fall of 1794. He graduated at the early age of 18 with the first honors of the renowned and ancient institution.

The proudest moment of his life was when he communicated the information to his mother that he had not only graduated, but with honors.

Their meeting on his return home was one of no common character. Loaded with all the honor of science and literature he kneels at the feet of her who was the author of his being and true cause of his success. In 1798 before his arriving at manhood he was admitted to the bar. The elevation of his brother in law, John Taylor to the bench in this year threw all his business into his hands which at once became heavy and lucrative. To his well disciplined mind, laborious habits and indefatigable industry, this only stimulated him to increased exertion. He not only sustained this responsibility, but his reputation was established, it continued to increase with such rapid strides until he attained by the approbation of all, the head of his profession. The people who delight to honor merit, soon perceived the rich jewel that was among them.

When only twenty two he was elected a member of the Senate from Craven county. But the labors of his profession and duties to those who entrusted their fortune and lives to his hands, with his small patrimony denied to him that service to the people that they required. He did not appear again in public life until 1808 when he was elected member of the house of commons from New Bern of which body he was chosen speaker. He was again re-elected the following year but declined, but was not allowed to remain from the service of the people very long. 1813 was elected a member of Congress, in 1815 re-elected. This period was one of extraordinary excitement. He took a prominent stand in opposition to the Administration sustained as it was by the ability of Lowndes of S. C. and the intellectual power of Calhoun of the same state and the restless eloquence of Clay of Kentucky. Amid this galaxy of the political firmament, the bright star of North Carolina when with peculiar brilliancy amid the influence of Webster, Grosvenor and others. But whatever line of conduct Mr. Gaston pursued that course was marked by talent, labor and genius of the highest character. His efforts in Congress in the Previous Duration and the Loan Bill are left to us and have attracted the admiration of competent judges for their power and eloquence. He resigned at the end of the second term and did not appear again in public life until 1827 when from the increased indisposition of Mr. Stanly, who had been elected to supply his place. This he accepted as a matter of duty, not of inclination as a return of gratitude for favors received not with the hope of honors or laurels yet to be required. In 1834 he was elected Judge of the Supreme Court to supply the vacancy occasioned by the death of Judge Henderson. On the 23rd of January 1844 Judge Gaston took his seat in the Supreme Court Bench. He complained: for he had felt for some days chilly sensations, and affluity of breath. During an argument from Hon. Robert Strange at the bar, he was attacked with faintness and carried from his courtroom to his chamber. A physician was called in who soon relieved him. That evening he seemed more lively than usual. He told several anecdotes at which his friends laughed

heartily. It was but the flicking of an expiring luminary. He was relating an account of a convivial party at Washington City with graphic delineation and spoke of one whom that occasion announced himself a Free Thinker on the subject of religion. "From the day" said he I mind that man met distrust—I don't say that a Free Thinker from education and high motives be an honorable man but I dare not trust him. A belief in all ruling Providence who shapes our ends and will reward us according to our deeds. We must believe and feel that there is a God—Allwise and Almighty. As he pronounced this last word he raised himself up from his bed to give it great emphasis, in a moment there seemed to be a sudden rush of blood to the brain and he fell back a lifeless corpse. His spirit fled from the scenes of earth to meet his God in whom he had throughout his whole life trusted and whose Almighty name last vibrated from his tongue. Of such a man may our State be improved. She has inscribed his name on her towns and counties and as long as talents are revered, services honored and virtue esteemed, the name of Gaston will be cherished. (died Jan. 23, 1944.) His taste for poetry was of an elevated character which he had cultivated to some extent.

## ANOTHER MAN.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

We see in your paper the names of several estimable gentlemen for the office of Sheriff, and yet we are of the opinion that the strongest and most suitable man has not been mentioned. He is a man who never puts himself forward for any office, and only once has he been called upon to carry the banner of Democracy, which he carried triumphantly to the front, leading a forlorn hope.

Two years ago he went into the campaign when he had to be hauled on account of sickness and carried his section of the county, which was more than any other man could, or ever has done.

He is a fine campaigner, and if nominated, he will make a bold and fearless fight in the coming campaign.

Nominate him and you will see the grandest victory won in the next election that has been witnessed in this county for nearly a century.

No man of his age has ever done more for his party, than he; he has worked harder to bring the forces together than any other man in the county. He is a man always ready to serve his fellow man, and we are sure that he is the only man that can carry the section of the county in which he loves.

If nominated his election is sure; and no man, will fill the office more creditable than he. Nominate him and he will be elected.

We present the name of C. L. Barrett, of Farmville.

THE VOTERS.

## Plenty of Timber.

From the number of candidates that are being daily announced in THE REFLECTOR, there seems to be no dearth of sheriff timber in our neighboring county of Pitt.—Washington Messenger.

And the returns are not yet all in.

California is now coming to the front as an oil producing State. There is a monthly production of above 160,000 barrels and active prospecting operations are under way which will doubtless soon increase the output.

## Major Grant Opposes Negro Office Holding.

Goldsboro, N. C., April 3.—The hly white Republican county convention convened in the court house this afternoon. Maj. H. L. Grant called the convention to order and delivered a speech of considerable length.

He said in part, that for twenty years he had fought to down the idea of negro supremacy, believing the ascendancy of the negro to political office detrimental to the party, and that it would eventually disrupt the party. He paid his respects to H. E. Hagan, the colored chairman of the executive committee. He said that Hagan's assumption of power was unprecedented and intimated that he had been paid for this attempt to ride rough shod as he had done.

Major Grant put himself on record as opposed to the amendment, but said at the same time he was opposed to a negro holding office, and when the test of his Republicanism was made that he should vote for a negro or give up his Republicanism, he would give up his Republicanism. He took the position that an educated negro looked to but three vocations—preaching, teaching and politics. He said that while a negro, under the constitution had a right to hold office, yet public sentiment was stronger than law, and public sentiment was opposed to negroes holding office.

Speaking of the negro Congressman White, he said, addressing himself to the negroes, "You have not a worse enemy to your race."

Major Grant took the position that White had dishonored and disgraced the Republican party by drawing the color line, and had virtually said, "We control the votes and control Republican politics." If nominated, he said, White would never be elected; that the Democrats and many Republicans would see to his defeat.

A bill to allow women to vote in town elections was killed in the New York Assembly.

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Patrick & Greene composed of B. F. Patrick and W. B. Greene and doing a mercantile business in the town of Greenville, N. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. B. F. Patrick having sold his interest in said business to B. E. Patrick retires from said firm. All persons indebted to said firm will make payment to B. E. Patrick and W. B. Greene.

This the 28th day of March 1900.  
 B. F. PATRICK  
 W. B. GREENE.

B. E. Patrick having purchased the interest of B. F. Patrick in the business heretofore conducted under the firm name and style of Patrick & Greene, the undersigned having formed a new partnership will continue the business under the same firm name and style of Patrick & Greene.

All the indebtedness of the old firm is hereby assumed by the undersigned. All persons indebted to the old firm will make payment to us.

This the 28th day of March 1900.  
 W. B. GREENE,  
 B. E. PATRICK.

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Jan. 14, 1900.	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 30	5 53				
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 58	10 25	7 16	6 20	2 40	
Leave Selma	2 35	11 03				
Lv Fayetteville	4 25	2 24				
Ar Florence	P M	A M				
Ar Goldsboro			7 55			
Lv Goldsboro				7 01	3 25	
Lv Magnolia				8 09	4 35	
Wilmington				9 40	4 00	

## TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 28 Daily	No. 30 Daily	No. 32 Daily	No. 34 Daily	No. 36 Daily
A M	P M	A M	P M	A M
Lv Florence	10 45	7 45		
Lv Fayetteville	12 30	9 45		
Leave Selma	1 55	10 56		
Arrive Wilson	2 35	11 33		
Lv Wilmington			P M	A M
Lv Magnolia			6 50	1 15
Lv Goldsboro			8 27	
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 48	11 33	1 30
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11
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., arrives Bennettsville 7 15 p. m.

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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 6 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 32 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.

**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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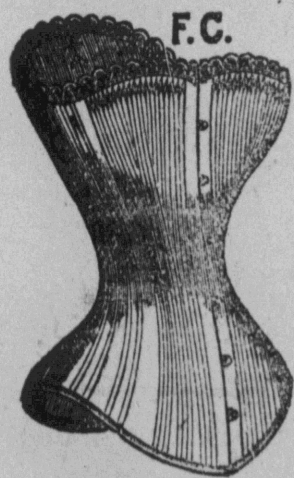
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## SMALL CHAT.

### Squibs Found Here and There

Daughters of Rebekah meet tonight.

Nice lot of Apples just received at T. F. Christman & Co's.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. Work in the third rank.

Something good—Heinz Sweet and Sour Pickles at S. M. Schultz's.

Fresh lot Seven Springs Water just received at Bryan's Drug Store.

Try a barrel of our Marvelous Flour, the best sold.

T. F. CHRISTMAN & CO.

Nice Lot Fancy Candies just received. We get Chocolate Almonds every week. J. S. TUNSTALL.

D. W. Hardee is having a six room dwelling built on one of his lots in South Greenville.

For ten days you can get a box of Egg White Soap and a large doll with four costumes, all for 30 cents, at Bryans' Drug Store.

FOR RENT.—House and lot in South Greenville known as the Mary Tucker house. For terms apply to B. F. Patrick.

Several men arrived Wednesday and Thursday nights to join Teets Bros. Shows, which perform here April 10th.

Solicitor Moore requests us to state there will be no court next week, and the jurors and others summoned need not attend.

Thursday evening the tender to the southbound passenger train between Weldon and Kinston, caught on fire and the train had to be stopped near Parmele for the fire to be extinguished.

### A Smile in Each.

If money talks women ought to make good bank tellers.

Some people are so aristocratic that they don't even have common sense.

If beauty were even skin deep the cosmetic manufacturers would be forced to shut up shop.

Willie "Why did they call 'em the Dark Ages?" Bobby—I, s'pose because there were so many knights.

"Nell "So they went off and got married, did they?" Belle "yes, and they were always such good friends' too."

Muggins "No man knows what the morrow may bring forth." Buggins "I knew yesterday that to-day would bring April 4th."

No, Maude, dear, the people who are born with silver spoons in their mouths are not usually the ones who eat with their knives.

"So you want a job in the chorus, eh?" said the stage manager. "Can you run the scales?" The applicant looked his scorn. "Can I run the scales?" he exclaimed. "Why, say boss, I made thirty-five a week last summer with a slot weighing machine."

THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply Iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

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## OVER THE COUNTRY.

The Mexican army is hereafter to be recruited voluntarily, and not from convicted criminals.

Allen Brooks, colored, who assaulted Mrs. F. W. Hart, a white woman, near Bloomingdale, Ga., was lynched.

John Galy, colored, who was under arrest for attempted murder, at Richland, Va., set fire to the jail and was burned with it.

Because of a misunderstanding with workmen the entire plant of the New York Air Brake Company at Watertown, N. Y., is tied up, and 1000 men are idle.

It is reported that Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge will leave the Democratic party and become editor-in-chief of the Louisville Ky. Commercial, a Republican organ.

### Laid at Rest.

The remains of Miss Sarah Hooker, who died Wednesday morning, were interred in Cherry Hill cemetery Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Services were conducted in the Methodist church and at the grave by Presiding Elder F. A. Bishop. The music was very impressive, especially the solo "Nearer my God to Thee," sang by Mrs. Walter H. Grimes. There were many beautiful floral tributes from sorrowing friends.

The pall bearers were Messrs. D. E. House, J. L. Starkey, M. H. Quinerly, W. B. Greene, C. O' H. Laughinghouse, and C. C. Vines.

### Surgical Operation.

Wednesday morning Drs. C. C. Joyner and E. A. Moye performed an operation on Mrs. R. P. Sugg, removing from her breast a large tumor. She is doing remarkably well and unless some unlooked for accident occurs she will be able, in a few days, to return to her home in Greene county.

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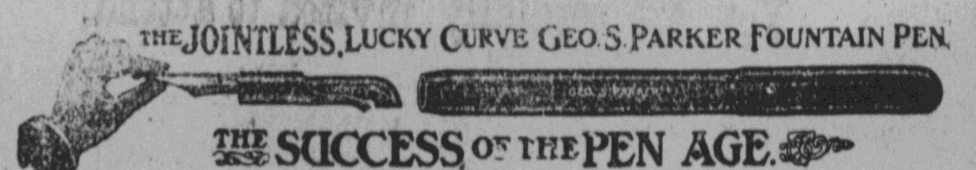
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Fair, continued cool tonight with possibly light frost. Cloudy, warmer Saturday.

Maximum	57
Minimum	32
Mean	44½
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	0.00

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	Opening.	Close.
May	9 25	9 23
Aug.	9 12	9 11
Oct.	8 12	8 09
Dec.	7 92	7 94

Receipts 12,000.

### LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Apr & May	5 17	5 15

### CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May.	67½	66½
Ribs—May.	6 97½	6 92½

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Miss Emma Benton came up this morning from Ayden.

Seba King returned this morning from a trip to Wilson.

Mrs. M. T. Cowell left Thursday evening for Winterville.

George Holderness, of Tarboro, spent Thursday night here.

Rev. F. A. Bishop went to Washington this morning.

Robert Carr, of Greene county, spent the day in Greenville.

R. L. Humber returned from Scotland Neck Thursday night.

L. E. Fountain left this morning on a trip to Norfolk and Baltimore.

R. E. Lee returned this morning to Panacea Springs for his health.

W. S. Greer, who has been spending a few days here left this morning.

Jarvis Sugg came up from Washington Thursday and spent the day here.

E. B. Ficklen returned Thursday evening from a short trip up the road.

Mrs. W. F. Harding left this morning for Greensboro to visit her mother.

Miss Rosa Willoughby left Thursday evening for Ayden to attend school.

C. D. Smith went to Ayden Thursday evening and returned this morning.

J. A. Andrews left this morning for Martin county, to see his mother who is quite sick.

Miss Mamie Lang, of Farmville, was here Thursday evening enroute to Kinston.

R. L. Smith returned Thursday evening from Ohio, where he has been purchasing a car load of horses.

H. B. Hardy, who has been here this week representing the News and Observer, left this morning for Tarboro.

Miss Bettie Tyson returned Thursday evening from Baltimore, where she has been visiting for some time.

Johnie White, who has been attending the A. & M. College, at Raleigh, returned home Thursday evening. His health has been so bad while at school he was compelled to return.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

### Proceedings of the April Term.

The following cases have been disposed of during this week's court:

Bob Bryant, affray, pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

E. S. Laughinghouse and Joe Raspberry, affray, plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

William Hyman, perjury, guilty, sentenced to one year in penitentiary

Hardy Harrington, assault with deadly weapon, guilty, fined \$10 and cost.

Spicer Brimage, assault and battery, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Jerry McLawhorn, Lewis Stocks and J. B. Stocks, resisting officer. McLawhorn not guilty, both Stocks' guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Ira Albritton, assault with deadly weapon, pleads guilty, fined \$25 and cost.

A. H. Critcher, assault with deadly weapon, plead guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Ed. Cox, affray, pleads guilty, not yet sentenced.

Henry Vines, assault with deadly weapon, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

W. H. Clark, carrying concealed

weapon, guilty, fined \$5 and cost.

John Creech, larceny, guilty, one year in penitentiary.

Elias Carman, assault with deadly weapon, guilty, motion for judgment continued.

John Corbitt, larceny, guilty, 4 months in county jail.

Jason Joyner, assault, guilty, fined \$10 and cost.

Susan Kinion vs. J. H. Kimon, for divorce, judgment for plaintiff.

Raymond Greene, larceny, sentenced 4 months in jail.

Jerry McLawhorn, carrying concealed weapon, not guilty.

Oscar Haskett and William Johnson, affray, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Ed Forbes and William Lewis, affray, not guilty.

Thos. Williams and Alex Baily, affray, Baily guilty, Williams not guilty, not yet sentenced.

Laura Raspberry, forceable trespass, guilty, judgment suspended and defendant discharged.

Wm. Randolph, maiming, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

### Mayors Court.

Mayor Moye has had four cases before him since last reported, as follows:

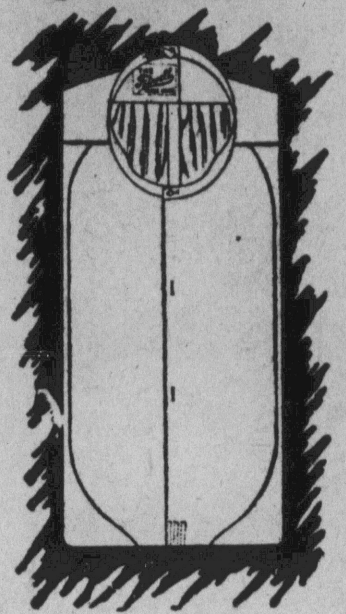
W. J. Turnage and Jacob Latham, assault. Turnage plead guilty. Both recognized for their appearance before the September term of Superior Court.

H. C. Kinsaul, drunk and disorderly, guilty fined \$5 and cost amounting to \$7.25.

Carrington Carter and James Boykin, drunk and disorderly and assault. Boykin not guilty. Carter guilty, fined \$2.50 and cost amounting to \$5.50

Geo. Taylor, riotous and disorderly conduct and assault, guilty, fined \$2.50 and cost amounting to \$5.65.

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### Resources.

Loans and Discounts	\$99,707.39
Furniture and Fixtures	1,928.85
Due from Banks	70,085.60
Cash Items	2,995.62
Cash	19,930.16
Rev. Stamps	135.01
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$194,782.63</b>

### Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid	8,015.29
Deposits subject to check	162,422.45
Due to Banks	137.46
Cashiers' chks outstanding	1,207.53
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$194,782.68</b>

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