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SOUP

Van Camp's Celebrated Soups.

A nice bowl of soup for 10 Cents.

Ox Tail, Mock Turtle, Bonillon, Tomato, Chicken.

Pumpkin Pie and Plum Pudding. These are fine goods. Try them. For sale by

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The Leading Grocer.

ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by the Orange Va. Observer.

There is method in the meanness of every man.

There is a wide difference between a gold standard and an honest one.

Many a rascal tries to play you for a sucker when he appeals to you for succor.

It is by the hard-ship of struggle that you reach the shining shore of success.

The crows have great caws for complaint this spring, as corn planting is so late.

"Dress does not make the man," but it does make the woman—supremely happy.

There is no tariff on tongues in the Senate. They courteously call each other liars any time.

It is indeed a loving wife who wouldn't swap her husband for a handsome new Easter hat.

The average woman seldom understands herself, but she can see clear through every other woman.

This is the iconoclastic age, when boodle takes the place of brain, and mammon is substituted for merit.

There is said to be a new kissing bug coming. Well, it can't kiss any sweeter than the old one—the girl who loves you so.

An education built not upon the solid foundation of common sense is but the varnish which hides the scrubby metallic furniture.

Just about the time a man concludes that all the wisdom of the world is concentrated in his cranium, the world discovers that his head is as barren as the desert of Sahraa.

Stables and Team Burned.

Sunday night the barn and stables on Mr. W. B. Brown's place, about five miles from Greenville, were completely destroyed by fire. There were in the stables three mules and one horse which were burned to death, also about twenty five barrels of corn were lost.

Mr. Brown says he has no idea how the fire originated. The loss amounted to about \$600 with no insurance.

Absent Three Days

Superior Court Clerk D. C. Moore will be absent from his office Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The office will be kept open during his absence by his deputy.

It is Coming.

Greenville is going to have a cotton mill. Subscriptions for that purpose have already reached about \$40,000, and a meeting of the subscribers and others interested is called for the 19th. We believe the subscriptions for the mill will reach \$100,000 before they close.

Self-Sacrifice for Others

Miss Laura Haygood was teaching in Atlanta, Ga., for thirteen hundred dollars a year. She thought of the millions of ignorant women and children in China, and felt that she must go and spend her life in teaching them about Jesus. She has been there for some years. Her health is failing. Surely the angels will rejoice when they take her soul from China to Heaven and when they come to lift her body from the China grave yard to be taken to the Home above.

A. D. BETTS, Ayden, N. C.

Some Funny Things.

An exchange says that this is a funny world! Funny men! When everything does not go just to suit some men they rush around to the paper and order their ad stopped. The cause may be jealousy of a rival, and of the space he takes, it may be because he can't keep his rival off the same page with himself. Not willing to pay enough for his ad. to pay for the blank paper it is printed upon, he expects to control the disposition of that page—to dictate who is or who is not to be admitted to the same. In their jealousy and bigotry they forget the hundreds of nice things the paper has constantly said in the past years, the many courtesies extended, etc. Perhaps at some time in the past the paper has generously refrained from ventilating something that would have been a hurt to the firm or members of the firm. There nearly always comes a time when the paper, by speaking or by keeping silent, becomes an angel of mercy, but men ungratefully forget these things. Yea, they rush in and order their ad. stopped and then wait breathlessly to see the paper suspend the next day. Funny world! Funny men!

Out Again

His many friends are glad to know that Mr. Jacob Joyner, who some time ago, while out hunting fell and broke his hip, is able to get around some with the use of crutches.

MEETING CALLED

Now for the Cotton Mill

The subscriptions to establish a cotton mill in Greenville is now in round numbers about \$40,000, and it has been decided to call a meeting of the subscribers on Thursday, April 10th. This meeting will be held in the Court House at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time all subscribers and all others interested are requested to be present.

Those who are interested in the future of Greenville and want to see a cotton mill established should help along the movement. This opportunity should not be allowed to pass without getting a mill. It would prove a vast benefit to both the town and county, and everybody should work for it. Every cotton farmer in the county should be interested.

The Idle Congressman

The popular idea that a Congressman spends his time sitting around the corridors of Washington, driving over the asphalt pavements or attending receptions and elaborate dinners is far from the truth, as are most popular conceptions. The Congressman is pretty hard worked even if he hoes his duty and his constituents would not let him be idle if he were so inclined.

Some idea of a Congressman's work may be gathered from the statement of Representative Gibson, of Tennessee, who thinks he is entitled to re-election. He issues a statement to his constituents what he has done during one term. Here is an extract:

Eight hundred and twenty-three war claims put through, amounting to \$1,200,000.

Sixty-five private pension bills.

Forty-one men commissioned in the army by his influence.

Twenty-nine postmasters appointed.

Seventy four new postoffices established.

Twelve thousand calls at the pension office.

Twenty-nine thousand packages of seed sent.

Twenty-seven thousand pamphlets and books sent out.

One hundred and sixty seven thousand copies of his own speeches sent out.

Forty-seven thousand letters to his constituents.

From which may be judged there are some Congressman who earn their pay.—Charlotte News.

Will Play at the Fair

The Osceola Band has closed a contract with the Secretary and will go down and make music for the New Berne Fair next week. The people who attend the fair this year will have the pleasure of hearing some very fine music. We congratulate our boys on their being selected as musicians for the fair, but it is no more than their merit deserves.

Begins Monday

Next week is the New Bern fair. Many people will go from this section. Coming later in the year when the weather is more favorable this is going to be the best fair yet held.



We want

Please.

If you want a Summer wear responsible house

GOOD SUIT

for Spring or get it of a responsible house and pay a fair

and proper price for it. If a cheap and shoddy garment is offered to you at a price that seems to be very small, don't take it, it isn't worth while. These are the facts: Our clothing is made as well as it can be made; it is properly cut and trimmed and finished; it is of the best material and it is sold direct to the wearer at the lowest price that is possible. We are showing a magnificent stock of

Spring Suits

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MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1900

Faces from all over the State are turned toward Raleigh now, all interests being in the great Democratic State Convention there on the 11th. We hope the best of harmony will prevail and that the convention will bring out the best ticket that could be named. The ticket and the amendment must sweep the State.

North Carolina is about to lose another of her ablest men. Dr. E. A. Alderman, President of the State University, has been chosen to the presidency of Tulane University, at New Orleans. Tulane is the leading University of the South and this selection is an honor both to Dr. Alderman and to his State. While we believe the entire State would regret to see Dr. Alderman leave, he could hardly be expected to do otherwise than accept so tempting an offer. He is a man of ambition, and having already reached the highest position in his profession that his own State can give, when a place so much higher and more in keeping with his aspirations is tendered him it is but natural that he would accept it. Beside being so much above it in rank, the salary of Tulane is more than twice as large as the University of North Carolina.

Ran Into Flames.

Night before last two cars were burned on No. 35, the fast mail which passes Charlotte about 10 p. m. The train after leaving Charlotte retains its number but not its name. Here it is the Southern; there and beyond it is lost in the Plant System. On the border land between Georgia and Florida, some where in the tropical foliage, is a town by the name of Yemassee. Wednesday night, or Thursday morning rather, the woods about Yemassee were on fire. The engineer of No. 35 did not realize the fact that the flames were extending toward the track until too late. The train ran right into the flames. The engine was cut loose, and cleared the flames, but the mail and express cars caught fire, and burned up. The contents of the cars were saved, but the cars were total wrecks. The rest of the train was saved. The fire was the cause of the delay on the C. C. & A. yesterday. The morning train did not reach here until 7:30 last night.—Charlotte News, 6th.

The one secret a woman can keep is her age.

Hatteras' New Lightship.

"The Graveyard of American Shipping," as the famous Diamond Shoals off Hatteras is well termed is to have another lightship. This one, which is being constructed in Massachusetts, is designed especially for the service and is particularly staunch. That the Light-house Board realizes the importance of having a beacon at this dangerous point is evidenced in that they have paid much attention to the building of this vessel and have provided as far as possible for every contingency which can arise by reason of the fearful storms which visit Hatteras.

Years ago it was deemed next to impossible to keep a boat at this place and this, notwithstanding the fact that it is one of the most important on the Atlantic coast. This meant that shipping was to be almost at the mercy of wind and storm, but man's ingenuity was called into play, the result that a new vessel is being erected, and the belief is that she will fill the required service.

As are the other vessels which have served at this point, this one will have a number instead of a name, and hers will be 71. She will be one of the strongest boats ever built for the lighthouse service. Her dimensions are 112 feet between perpendiculars, 28½ feet molded beam, 14 feet 10½ inches deep. The hull will be divided by watertight steel bulkheads into five compartments, and there will be two hollow steel masts, through which the wiring for the masthead flashlights will run. These lights, three in number on each mast, are to be adapted for electricity or for oil lamps. The cluster masthead lights will be fifty-nine feet above the water line. The masthead cluster will consist of six 100-candle power 100-volt lamps, and these lights will be controlled by an automatic flashing device. The vessel will be steam propelled and fitted with electric lights and all modern appliances, and she will have mushroom anchors, steam windlasses, etc.

An "Albemarle pippin" grower of Virginia says the only place in the world where the real succulent, genuine, thoroughbred pippin can be grown is on the slopes of the Blue Ridge, and that these royal apples sometimes bring \$500 an acre in the orchard.—Wilmington Star.

Philadelphia's Baptist Temple has been placed on the tax list, despite the exemption of church property, because it was giving promiscuous entertainments in the church building, to which admission was had by the purchase of tickets, which were on sale to the public just as tickets to any other secular entertainment are offered.

The University of California holds in trust a fund the interest of which must be used each year for a purchase of a medal to be presented to the most advanced student. This year the interest happened to amount to as much as \$240, and the regents of the University were at first puzzled how to put such a large sum into one gold medal. The conditions under which the trust is held would not permit of giving the fortunate student a \$100 medal and the balance in cash, as was proposed, so it was decided to enclose the medal in a case into which the surplus gold should be so worked that it could be easily taken out and disposed of as the holder might see fit.

Greensboro and Guilford county are proposing to expend \$600,000 for improved country roads.

THE AMENDMENT.

The following is the amendment to article 6 of the State constitution, adopted by the General Assembly of 1899, and to be submitted to the voters for ratification next August:

Section 1. That article VI of the constitution of North Carolina be and the same is hereby abrogated and in lieu thereof shall be substituted the following article of said constitution:

ARTICLE VI.

SUFFRAGE AND ELIGIBILITY TO OFFICE—QUALIFICATIONS OF AN ELECTOR.

Section 1. Every male person born in the United States, and every male person who has been naturalized, twenty-one years of age, and possessing the qualifications set out in this article, shall be entitled to vote at any election by the people in the State, except as herein otherwise provided.

Sec. 2. He shall have resided in the State of North Carolina for two years, in the county six months, and in the precinct, ward or other election district in which he offers to vote, four months next preceding the election; Provided, That removal from one precinct, ward or other election district to another in the same county, shall not operate to deprive any person of the right to vote in the precinct, ward or other election district from which he has removed, until four months after such removal. No person who has been convicted, or who has confessed his guilt in open court upon indictment of any crime the punishment of which is, or may hereafter be, imprisonment in the State prison, shall be permitted to vote, unless the said person shall be first restored to citizenship in the manner prescribed by law.

Sec. 3. Every person offering to vote shall be at the time a legally registered voter as herein prescribed and in the manner hereinafter provided by law, and the General Assembly of North Carolina shall enact general registration laws to carry into effect the provisions of this article.

Sec. 4. Every person presenting himself for registration shall be able to read and write any section of the constitution in the English language; and, before he shall be entitled to vote, have paid on or before the first day of March of the year in which he proposes to vote, his poll tax as prescribed by law, for the previous year. Poll taxes shall be a lien only on assessed property, and no process shall issue to enforce the collection of the same except against assessed property.

Sec. 5. No male person who was, on January 1, 1867, or at any time prior thereto, entitled to vote under the laws of any State in the United States wherein he then resided, and no lineal descendant of any such person, shall be denied the right to register and vote at any election in this State by person of his failure to possess the educational qualifications prescribed in section 4 of this article: Provided, he shall have registered in accordance with the terms of this section prior to December 1, 1908. The General Assembly shall provide for a permanent record of all persons who register under this section on or before November 1, 1908, and all such persons shall be entitled to register and vote at all elections by the people in this State, unless disqualified under section 2 of this article: Provided, such persons shall have paid their poll tax as required by law.

Sec. 6. All elections by the people shall be by ballot, and all elections by the General Assembly shall be viva voce.

Sec. 7. Every voter in North

Carolina, except as in this article disqualified, shall be eligible to office, but before entering upon the duties of the office he shall take and subscribe the following oath: "I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and maintain the constitution and laws of the United States, and the constitution and laws of North Carolina not inconsistent therewith, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my office as _____ So help me, God."

Sec. 8. The following classes of persons shall be disqualified for office: First, all persons who shall deny the being of Almighty God; Second, all persons who shall have been convicted or confessed their guilt on indictment pending, and whether sentenced or not, under judgments suspended, of any treason or felony, or any other crime for which the punishment may be imprisonment in the penitentiary, since becoming citizens of the United States, or corruption and malpractice in office, unless such person shall be restored to the rights of citizenship in a manner prescribed by law.

Sec. 9. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

The movement in favor of senatorial primaries has assumed such proportions that we do not believe the politicians will have the nerve to attempt to defeat it. The fellows who manipulate the machine do not favor it but the people can have no reason for opposing it.—Durham Herald.

Charlotte is to have a new \$50,000 college building. The trustees of the Presbyterian college for women have decided on plans for this structure. The building is to be 3 stories high and of brick, stuccoed. The frontage will be 300 feet long with a wing 200 feet in length. The building will contain the dormitories, dining hall and an auditorium that will seat 800 people. The money for the new building has all been subscribed by Charlotte people.

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.

BARBERS.

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP. I have moved my Barber Shop to the shop in front of Mumford'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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CONDENSED SCHEDULE

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATE	Jan. 14, 1900.		No. 83 Daily		No. 85 Daily		No. 103 Daily ex Sunday		No. 41 Daily		No. 45 Daily	
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 55										
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 53										
Leave Tarboro	12 21		6 00									
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00	9 53	6 37	5 40	12 52							
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 20	2 40							
Leave Selma	2 55	11 03										
Ar Fayetteville	4 30	12 30										
Ar Florence	7 25	3 24										
		PM AM										
Ar Goldsboro			7 55									
Ar Goldsboro				7 01	3 25							
Ar Magnolia				8 09	4 35							
Ar Wilmington				9 40	6 0							

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATE	Jan. 14, 1900.		No. 79 Daily		No. 102 Daily ex Sunday		No. 82 Daily		No. 40 Daily		No. 46 Daily	
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Ar Florence	19 45		7 45									
Ar Fayetteville	12 30		10 45									
Ar Selma	1 55		12 56									
Ar Wilson	2 35		11 33									
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Ar Magnolia					8 1							
Ar Goldsboro					9 27							
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Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11								
Ar Tarboro			7 04									
Leave Tarboro	12 21											
Ar 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., returns leaves Sanford 2 30 p.m., arrives Fayetteville 3 41 p.m., leaves Fayetteville 3 46 p.m., arrives Wilmington 6 40 a.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., arrives 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 1 18 a.m., Weldon 11 33 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Weldon 8 10 a.m. and 2 30 p.m., arrive Farme 9 11 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Farme 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 30 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 leaves Rocky Mount at 10 a.m., 3 40 p.m., arrives Nashville 11 10 a.m., 4 03 p.m., Spring Hope 10 40 a.m., 4 25 p.m., returning leaves Spring Hope 11 30 a.m., 4 35 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.

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CHURCHES

EPISCOPAL.—Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent. Lay Services every 2nd and 4th Sunday morning.

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.

CHRISTIAN.—Services at the Opera House every 2nd Sunday morning and night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor.

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, 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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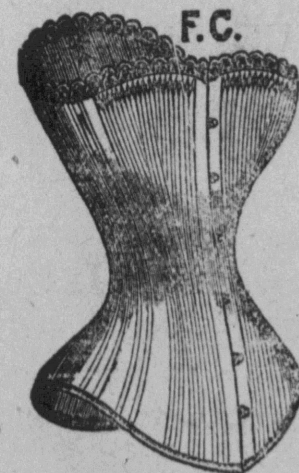
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Call and examine our line of fancy ties. PULLEY & BOWEN.

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

A band of gypsies are encamped out near Mr. E. B. Higgs, with a drove of horses.

Teets Bros. are today erecting their tent on the lot opposite the Court House, where they show tomorrow.

The County Board of School Directors met here today. They had only routine business to transact.

The End of the Century Club meets tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. W. King.

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

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.

If the past Sunday had been Easter the new bonnet wearer would have been delighted with the weather.

We don't want to get all the fair sex after us at once, but right now we venture the prediction that Easter Sunday is going to give us bad weather.

If nominations for Sheriff are all in you can prepare your ballots. The county nominating convention will be held in May.

The Herald Square Opera Company will be here Wednesday night. The company is highly commended wherever it has been.

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

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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 : \$25,000.00
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	
Total \$194,782.63	Total \$194,782.63

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us

The Kinston Daily Free Press is two years old. It has met with much success, which was well deserved, and will soon be improved.

MILLINERY OPENING.—Mrs. M. A. Leggett will have her Millinery opening Tuesday and Wednesday. Ladies are all especially invited to call and examine her stock of goods.

A man's will can seldom prevail against a woman's won't.

Blessings seldom come singly, except in the case of single blessedness.

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—DEALER IN—

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Whichard, N. C.

The Stock complete in every department and prices as low as the lowest. Highest market prices paid for country produce.

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Kinston, N. C.

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Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Egg, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Loullord and Gail & Ax Snuff, Red Meat Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, American Beauty Cigarettes, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currents, Raisins, Glass and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

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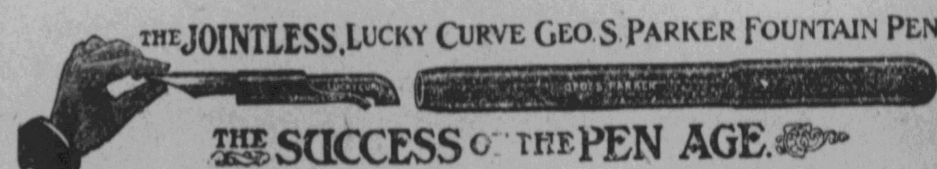
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FOR SALE AT REFLECTOR BOOK STORE,

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair, colder tonight with frost in central and south portion. Fair Tuesday.

Maximum	82
Minimum	47
Mean	64½
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	0.00

HIGGS & TAFT'S LOCALS.

Tables for any room.
 Pretty line toilet sets.
 Lounges and couches.
 Beautiful bed room suits.
 Photo pictures in colors.
 Lamps for hall or bed room.
 Buck's stoves for every body.
 John Kelly's shoes for ladies.
 French plate mirrors for parlors.
 100 rolls matting, carpet effects.
 Largest line of rugs in Greenville.
 Lace curtains, shades and poles.
 Rice & Hutchin's shoes for men.
 Dry goods and notions for every body.

Combination cases for the sitting room.

Buffets and sideboards for dining room.

Laces and embroideries for ladies and children.

Crescent and Monarch bicycles, 25 baby carriages.

We can and will sell stoves and furniture at rock bottom prices. We buy these goods only in car lots, thus obtaining the lowest possible prices. Respectfully,



HIGGS & TAFT

COTTON MARKET.

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

New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close.
May	9 37	9 37
Aug.	9 23	9 23
Oct.	8 15	8 17
Dec.	8 01	8 01

Receipts 10,000.

LIVERPOOL.

	Opening.	Close.
Apr & May	5 18	5 20

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—May	67½	66½
Ribs—May	7 10	

LOCAL MARKET.

Spot cotton in Greenville 9½.

Easter 1900.

To those of our patrons who have not inspected our Spring and Summer stock we extend a cordial invitation to look over our very superior line of

Imported And Domestic Cloths,

the cream of the market in Casimers, Worsteds, Flannels, Chivots, Vicunas, Thibet Cloths and every novelty and staple suitable to the use of careful and fashionable dressers. As is well known, we GUARANTEE PERFECT FIT and SATISFACTION. To give this we should have ample time for careful work, and therefore ask your order as early as possible to forestall the usual Easter Rush.

Yours respectfully,

Greenville Tailoring Co.,
 Wanted at once, first class Tailor

SPRING BLOSSOMS.

Pretty Weather Brings Them Out.

R. M. Hester, of Tarboro, is here.
 C. T. Lipscombe spent Sunday in Ayden.

A. M. Moore left Sunday morning for Raleigh.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan went to Weldon this morning.

F. G. Whaley returned to Halifax this morning.

Dr. J. N. Bynum, of Farmville, spent the day here.

Capt. A. J. Griffin left for Norfolk Sunday morning.

Henry T. King left this morning for Raleigh to attend the State Convention.

Mrs. P. E. Dancy came Saturday night from Scotland Neck to visit Mrs. F. G. James.

Miss Nannie Moye, of Kinston, came over this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. R. W. King.

Ex Gov. T. Jarvis left this morning for Raleigh to attend the Democratic State Convention.

Rev. D. W. Davis preached an excellent sermon in the opera house Sunday and left this morning.

W. P. Ormond has received an appointment as storekeeper and gauger for a distillery at Trenton, Jones county, and will soon leave to take charge of it.

Seth Peel and wife, who were here with Lehr and Williams Comedy Company, returned this morning and have accepted an engagement with Teets Bros. Show.

Week of Prayer

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church are observing this week as a week of self-denial and prayer. A service will be held in the church each afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mission Service

In place of the regular preaching in the Baptist church Sunday night a missionary service was held in which the children took part. A collection was taken for foreign missions.

New Church Building

Lumber is being placed on the lot to build a Christian church on Dickinson Avenue. Sometime ago the members of this church purchased a desirable lot for a house of worship and they are now getting ready to build. They expect to begin work very soon and hope to have the building ready for dedication by next fall. It will cost about \$3,000.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

By the breaking of a dam in the Colorado river several villages in Texas were almost swept away. The city of Austin sustained great damage. Thousands of dollars in property and many lives were lost.

In the burning of a house near Petersburg seven children lost their lives.

Pittsburg, Pa., had a million dollar fire Saturday night.

A Smile in Each.

A woman begins to show her age when she doesn't care who looks over the family Bible.

A great many men have tried to kill time, but time has seen them all in their graves.

The average actress is fond of making a scene, and some of them can spoil one, too.

When a man's wife plays poker he is justified in referring to her as his better half.

Riches take unto themselves wings. That is probably the reason some people experience no difficulty in making the money fly.

Sat Down On Them.

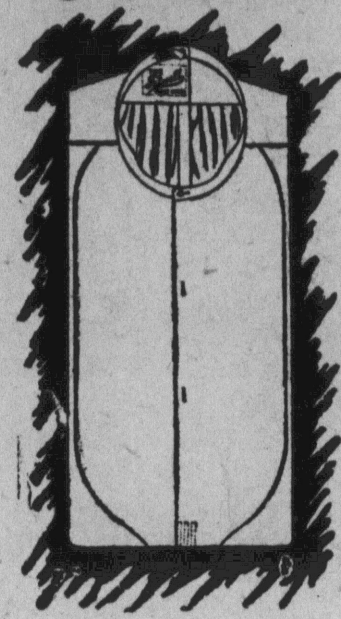
When the Hawaiian Government bill was under discussion in the House of Representatives Thursday Congressman White (colored) and Linney, of this State, and Congressman Pugh, of Kentucky, offered amendments to strike out the educational and property qualification, and the House very unceremoniously sat down upon all three of them, although Mr. Linney accompanied his amendment with a frantic attack on the proposed constitutional amendment for this State.

The position in which White and Linney found themselves was a somewhat embarrassing one, for if they passed over in silence this effort to establish qualified suffrage in Hawaii they could not consistently oppose it in North Carolina, and yet they had reason to know that these amendments would be squelched, and that thereby this Republican Congress would be practically endorsing and justifying qualified suffrage in the South, for the arguments advanced for its justification in Hawaii are the same arguments as are advanced for its justification in the South, the only difference being that they have really more application and force in the South than they have in Hawaii where the purpose is apparent to get rid of the native as a voter and put the government in control of a few thousand Americans and other white people of the islands.

By this act the Republicans in Congress effectually estop themselves from criticising movements to restrict suffrage in the South—Wilmington Star.

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Price 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

They wear well, look well and 'Fitwell.'

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Greenville, N. C.

GRAND SPRING OPENING!

Wednesday and Thursday,

April 4th and 5th.

We will hold our semi annual opening. We will place on display our large and splendid stock which includes the latest and best makes and weaves.

You are cordially invited to attend.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Staple and Fancy Goods.

We are now in shape to meet all fair competition and supply all your needs. We buy

Flour, Sugar, Hay, Lime

and in fact all of the heavy goods in car lots, and can and will sell low for cash. Our

DRY GOODS STOCK

is more complete than ever before and prices not so high. Call and see us, we want to sell you. Remember we carry a full line of

Stoves and Stove Fixtures.

Our stock is complete in every department and we can suit you in price and quality. Call and see us at Alfred Forbes' old stand. Your friends.

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