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D. J. WHICHARD, Editor and Owner.

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GREENVILLE, N. C. TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1900.

NO. 1679

ICE CREAM.

I HAVE JUST PUT IN A
Handsome Ice Cream Cabinet

and will have on hand at all times, day or night, the finest cream possible. Fruit Creams a specialty. When you want cream for dinner or supper send here and get it. Price per gallon \$1.25, 1/2 gallon 75c, 1 quart 40 cents.

NO ICE CREAM EQUALS THAT OF SHELBURN'S

ED. H. SHELBURN

The Old Reliable.

Base Ball	Died.
The following games were played Monday:	Miss Bettie House, died this morning about 11 o'clock at her home near House Station. She had been in very poor health for some time but was taken much worse last night and died this morning. She leaves four sisters and three brothers. The burial will take place tomorrow at the family burying ground near her home.
At Chicago: R H E	She had many friends in Greenville who sympathize with the sorrying brothers and sisters.
Chicago 4 10 0	It isn't wise to agree with a woman when she tells you her hat isn't becoming to her.
New York 0 4 3	The small boy whose grandmothers are both dead stands a pretty good chance of not being spoiled.
At Pittsburg: R H E	Even the crude man may acquire a certain amount of polish from the bootblack.
Pittsburg 6 10 2	
Boston 3 9 1	
At St. Louis: R H E	
Brooklyn 3 9 2	
St. Louis 2 5 0	
At Cincinnati: R H E	
Philadelphia 7 13 1	
Cincinnati 4 10 3	
Detroit:—Detroit 3, Chicago 4.	
Buffalo:—Buffalo 10, Milwaukee 9.	
Cleveland:—Cleveland 6, Minneapolis 3.	
Indianapolis:—Indianapolis 11, Kansas City 6.	

H. M. HARDEE,

New Oxfords,
New Opera Slippers,
New Baby Shoes,
New Baby Sandals,
New Misses Sandals,
New Shoes.

Umbrellas.

All colors Silk \$1.40
Ladies' good durable goods 39 cents.

Ladies' White Parasols
Ladies' Black Parasols
Ladies' Plaid Parasols
Children's Parasols in all colors.

Hamburgs.
Narrow, short lengths 43 cents.
6 in. fine quality 12 cents.
The whole line on display. See them.

The Big Store.
H. M. Hardee.
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The Big Store.

GENT

John Strootman's

FINE LADIES' SHOES.

Ribbons.
Ribbons wide, Ribbons narrow,
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Ribbons plain, Ribbons plaid,
Ribbons cheap, Ribbons that ought to be had.

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"Dowager" for stout ladies.
"Warners" for un-healthy ladies.
"C. & B." for the particular ladies.
E. & G. for all the ladies.

Organdies 20 cents,
Lawn plain 10 cents,
Lawns fancy 6 cents,
Piques plain 10 cents,
Piques fancy white 13 cents,
Imported dimities all kinds 20 cents,
Summer fabrics.

Gloves.
Le Triomphe Kid for pair col-
Glove the best guaranteed. All ors **\$1.00.**

THE PRIMARIES.

BELVOIR.

W W Bullock, chairman, T A Thigpen, secretary.
Delegates. Alternates.
J A Briley NS Stocks
R A Parker John Faithful
R W Faithful Charley Pollard
J A Tyson D C Barrow
W W Bullock Rufus Clark
Executive Committee—E D Hathaway, D C Barrow, R A Parker, J A Briley and Charlie Parker.
Magistrates—D C Barrow, W W Bullock and D J Holland.
Constable—Charley Pollard.

BETHEL.

Called to order by S Cochran. S A Gainer made chairman and R J. Grimes, secretary.

Executive Committee—S A Gainer, chairman, M A James, W G Little, R J Grimes and B W James.

Magistrates—S T Carson, Ben Whitehurst, S A Gainer and Cadie James.

Delegates Alternates.
R J Grimes Robert Staton
N Worseley Z D McWhorter
W G Little T H Barnhill
M A James J J Carson
B M Whitehurst J C Taylor
G L Moore J T Nelson
R R Whitehurst W D Manning
S A Gainer J S Brown
B W James G W Bullock.
W G Bullock nominated for Constable.

CHICOD.

Meeting called to order by Dr C M Jones, who was made permanent chairman, J J Elks, secretary.

Delegates. Alternates.
G W Venters N T Cox
W L Smith J J Oakley
J M Cox Robert Smith
R G Chapman Shade Stocks
T C Cannon J K McGowan
W F Carroll L A Arnold
J T McLawhorn Adam Gaskins
P W Arnold Calvin Mills
J J Elks Ed Holliday
J A K Tucker J D Buck
W L Clark H H Proctor
W E Proctor W M Moore
Alston Grimes R F Stocks
Dr C M Jones George Sutton
Israel Edwards Robert Dixon
J B Galloway Thomas Stokes
Hardy Stokes J B Williams
Fred Mills Macon Haddock
E S Dixon
G W Stokes.

Constable—J B Galloway.
Delegates from Chicod were instructed to vote for J J Laughinghouse for Sheriff.

For Justices of Peace—R G Chapman, W L Smith, J M Cox, J A K Tucker, Alston Grimes and W B Carson.

Executive Committee—Alston Grimes, J M Cox, J J Elks, Israel Edwards and W E Proctor. J J Elks was elected chairman.
SWIFT CREEK.

Delegates. Alternates.
E A Johnston R H Garriss
L B Mewborn J P Quinerly
J J B Cox W F Mewborn
Job Moore Dr J E Nobles
A B Garriss L H Cox
Calvin Tucker J C Gaskins
J A Hardee B A Gardner
J J Moore Leon H Cox
N H Whitfield James Williams
H J Williams A I Roach
J W Garriss.

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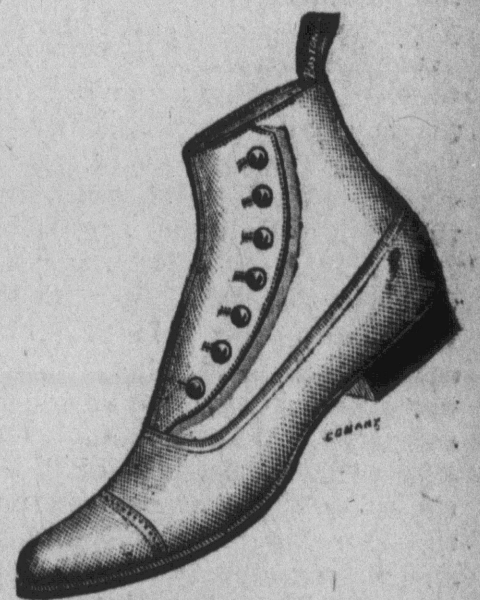
Don't spoil your appearance by wearing a shoddy shoe but come to me for a pair of these

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We keep a variety of the newest styles, and make it a point to carry only such'

SHOES

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 26TH, 1900

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$89,993.99	Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85	Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid 9,762.36
Due from Banks and Bankers : : : 37,090.15	Deposits subject to check : : : 126,288.40
Cash Items : : : 1,970.25	Due to Banks : : : 510.45
Cash : : : : 30,516.73	Cashiers' chks outstanding 2,211.07
Rev. Stamps : : : : 272.01	
\$161,772.28	\$161,772.28

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TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1900.

The Danger of Over-Confidence

We see in various esteemed contemporaries, within the past couple of weeks, warnings to Democrats against over-confidence with regard to the fate of the constitutional amendment. An Asheville lawyer, who is nameless, says in a private letter to a friend in Wilmington: "I am afraid our people are too confident. We will have a hard fight, but I believe we can win." Ex-Judge W. R. Allen, member of the lower house of the Legislature from Wayne, said in Raleigh, a few days ago, that the danger to the Democratic party is in being too cock sure. Candidate-for-Governor Aycock is speaking much the same way. We note this kind of talk with satisfaction—in it lies the safety of the amendment and the Democratic ticket. Months ago, when everybody else was joyous and jubilant, The Observer assigned to itself this position on the firing line and on account thereof established some reputation as a croaker. But it remains a truth that a political victory is never won until it is won, and while the end of this campaign is in view, it will not be attained unless the means are employed. There is work and a great deal of it—close, systematic, diligent work—ahead of the Democratic party, and it stands it in hand to look the facts squarely in the face.—Charlotte Observer.

Yes, the above is every bit true. We have not carried this election yet by a great deal, and there is a possible danger of not carrying it. It is better to be needlessly alarmed than to be carelessly over-confident.

And in the same connection a word of warning to the Democrats of Pitt county, who are just on the eve of nominating a county ticket would not be out of place. We hear some say that "it matters not who is put on the ticket this year, they will be elected." Better not be too sure of that! There is danger of a great mistake along this line. Not the man who makes the most noise and does the most wire-pulling to get delegates in the convention always makes the best run in the field. There are men who could be put on the ticket who would lose votes for the ticket and for the amendment as well. There are men who could be nominated who would cause the party to have to fight over again the battles of four and six years ago, with a danger of meeting the same result.

Don't be too confident in this matter. Don't think that anybody you nominate can be elected just because he is on the ticket. Don't take any chances. Put the best men on the ticket, men whose Democracy is above question and who place the interests of the party above their own ambition.

WASHINGTON LETTER

From Our Regular Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14, 1900.

The administration programme of hushing up the scandal connected with the embezzlement of a large sum of money from the Cuban postal receipts by C. F. W. Neeley, who has been chief financial agent of the Cuban postal system, and others, will be combatted by the Democrats in Congress, who regard the present as an excellent time for a thorough investigation of all Cuban receipts and expenditures. Senator Bacon says he waited nearly a week to give the republicans an opportunity to propose an investigation before offering his resolution instructing the Senate Committee on relations with Cuba to investigate receipts from all sources since the occupation of Cuba by our troops, and expenditures for all purposes during that period, and report to the Senate at the earliest possible date. Of his resolution, Senator Bacon said: "My purpose is to have a thorough investigation of the moneys which have been received and disbursed in Cuba. We know that there has been some improper disbursements. In view of the fact, it is our duty to thoroughly sift the whole matter. Our only excuse for being in Cuba is our desire to govern the Island for the benefit of the Cubans, and we ought to see whether we are doing our duty toward those people." That a number of Cuban officials, including the director of Posts and the Auditor of postal accounts have been suspended, is proof that the public is being deceived by official statements saying that Neeley is the only Cuban official who has been implicated in the stealing. If a proper investigation is made, it will probably be ascertained that there has been a ring of thieves working on the Cuban revenues, but that is just what the administration doesn't wish to be ascertained.

Senator Teller arraigned the officers of the Ordnance Bureau of the Navy department for incompetency and ignorance, during the discussion of the armor clause of the naval appropriation bill, and the arraignment was indorsed by Senator Allison. Mr. Teller said the ignorance displayed by officers of that board, when they appeared before Congressional committees for the purpose of giving information had been some times absolutely pitiful, and that he could get more information out of a private citizen in ten minutes than he had ever been able to get out of one of those officers in an hour; also that there were engineers in civil life who could make infinitely better guns than any officer on the Ordnance Board, but that the Board would not listen to them.

Adjutant General Hart, of Delaware, who is in Washington on business said of the political outlook in his state: "We will elect every state officer from governor down, and a legislature that will chose two democratic U. S. Senators. The republicans are in a hopeless state of disorganization, and are beaten from the start. If the rest of the country do as well as the rest in Delaware in November, there won't be much left of the G. O. P."

Even the absent-minded man seldom forgets his troubles. The motto of the grass widow is: "Make hay while the sun shines." Some men are always good natured because they have nothing else to do. Instead of making the most of their opportunities, some men permit their opportunities to get the better of them.

ELECTION PRECINCTS.

Voting Places for the August Election.

In accordance with Chapter 507, Laws 1890, the county Board of Elections, for Pitt county, at a meeting held on the 7th day of May 1900, divided the county into election precincts and designated the polling places as follows:

BEAVER DAM TOWNSHIP
Beaver Dam Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place at May's Chapel.

BELVOIR TOWNSHIP
Belvoir Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place at Parker's School House near Gum Swamp Church.

BETHEL TOWNSHIP
Bethel Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place in the Town of Bethel.

CAROLINA TOWNSHIP
Carolina Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place at Stokes on the W. & W. R. R.

CHICOD TOWNSHIP
Chicod Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place at Black Jack.

CONTENTNEA TOWNSHIP
Contentnea Township is hereby divided into two election precincts viz.

Precinct No. 1:—All that part of the Township lying west and south of the following line to wit: Commencing at the Beaver Dam Township line on the old Plank Road, near Warren's Chapel, and running with the public road leading by Warren's Chapel, to the forks of the road near the old Frank Tucker homestead, thence with the public road leading to the Greenville and Scuffleton road near Lorenzo McLawhon's; thence with the Greenville and Scuffleton road a northerly course to the branch called the Ringgold mill run near C. A. Hooks, residence; thence down said branch or mill run to Swift Creek, thence down Swift creek to the public road leading by C. C. Bland's, thence with said public road to Hancock's Meeting House; thence with the public road leading by Caleb Worthington's to Fork swamp; shall constitute Precinct No. 1 of Contentnea Township, with the polling place in the town of Ayden.

Precinct No. 2: All that part of said township lying east and north of the above line shall constitute Precinct No. 2 of Contentnea Township with polling place in the town of Winterville.

FALKLAND TOWNSHIP
Falkland Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place in the town of Falkland.

FARMVILLE TOWNSHIP
Farmville Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place in the town of Farmville.

GREENVILLE TOWNSHIP
Greenville Township is hereby divided into two election precincts viz:

Precinct No. 1:—All that part of the township lying north of Tar river, together with that part of the town of Greenville lying between Tar river and the following line, to wit: Commencing on Tar river at the mouth of the branch forming the eastern boundary of said town, and running up said branch to Third street, thence a westerly course with Third street to Pitt street, thence a southerly course with Pitt street to Dickinson avenue, thence with Dickinson avenue a south-westerly course to the western boundary of said town, thence a northerly course with said boundary line to Tar river; shall constitute Precinct No. 1, of Greenville township, with the polling place at the Court House in Greenville.

Precinct No. 2:—All the remainder of said township shall constitute Precinct No. 2, with the polling place at Five Points in the town of Greenville.

PACTOLUS TOWNSHIP
Pactolus Township shall constitute one election precinct with the polling place in the village of Pactolus.

SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP
Swift Creek Township is hereby divided into two election precincts as follows:

Precinct No. 1: All that part of the township lying south of Swift

creek shall constitute Precinct No. 1, with the polling place at Centreville.

Precinct No. 2. All that part of the township lying north of Swift creek shall constitute Precinct No. 2, with the polling place at the public school house near L. B. Stokes. F. C. HARDING, Chairman Co. Board of Elections. LEONIDAS FLEMING, Sect. Co. Board of Elections.

A Row Over 30 Cents

In a small colored Baptist church to the southeast of the city, there is trouble—much trouble. There is talk of deposing a minister and there is also talk of a split in a congregation that has been noted for harmony.

Intelligence of the schism came to light yesterday morning, when the pastor, Rev. R. Williams, came before Squire H. C. Severs and swore out a warrant against Deacon Calhoun for disturbing religious worship. Ten witnesses were summoned, eight of them being members of the church, while two were Reverends Massey and White, who were witnesses for the defendant.

The evidence showed that on last Sunday night Parson Williams asked Deacon Calhoun to take up a collection. The deacon passed around the hat and obtained 30 cents. This he deliberately transferred to his trousers pocket. The parson left the pulpit and engaged him in conversation; and it was observed that as the parson whispered the deacon nodded his head negatively.

The parson seemed out of temper. He went back to his pulpit but he announced no theme for discourse. Instead he began to abuse Deacon Calhoun. He said the deacon was not truthful or honest; and he added, in connection, that his congregation also needed to look after their moral welfare. Each one of them had promised to pay him 25 cents a month for preaching and very few of them had kept this contract.

The parson's audience lost temper and filed out of the church almost in a body. The deacon spoke out in meetin' and said that he had retained the 30 cents to liquidate a part of the church debt. At this one old negro woman yelled that she had contributed 10 cents to the parson which she wishes to be returned. With much solemnity Deacon Calhoun handed her the dime and retained 20 cents for the church debt.

Reverends Massey and White, who were visiting clergymen, followed the congregation into the open, and finally persuaded them to return and hear the parson's discourse, which did not fail to leave the text now and then and dwell upon the sinfulness of brother Calhoun.

Ever since the occurrence Rev. Williams has nursed his wrath, and at length he sought recourse at law. The result was a surprise to him. After hearing all the evidence in the case Squires Severs and D. G. Maxwell decided in favor of Calhoun and ordered that Williams pay the costs. Then the parson, after the manner of his race, went out and borrowed the money to pay the fine from the congregation that he had vilified.—Charlotte Observer.

BARBERS.

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP.
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 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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Opposite Munford's Big Store.

WILMINGTON & WELDON R AND BRANCHES AND ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY OF SOUTH CAROLINA. CONDENSED SCHEDULE. TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No 83 Daily		No 85 Daily		No 108 Daily ex- cept Sunday		No 41 Daily		No 49 Daily	
	A	M	P	M	P	M	A	M	P	M
Leave Weldon	11 50	8 58								
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52								
Leave Tarboro	12 21		6 00							
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40	1 15					
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 30	1 42					
Leave Selma	2 55	11 03								
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 30								
Ar Florence	7 25	2 24								
		P M A M								
Ar Goldsboro			7 55							
Lv Goldsboro					7 01	3				
Lv Magnolia					8 09	4 8				
Wilmington					9 40	6				

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No 78 Daily		No 108 Daily ex- cept Sunday		No 82 Daily		No 40 Daily		No 46 Daily	
	A	M	P	M	P	M	A	M	P	M
Lv Florence	9 45		7 45							
Lv Fayetteville	12 20		9 45							
Leave Selma	1 55		10 55							
Arrive Wilson	2 35		11 35							
		A M			P M	A M			P M	
Lv Wilmington			6 50							
Lv Magnolia			8		1 1					
Lv Goldsboro			9 27							
		P M			A M	P M			A M	
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	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 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, 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 32 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 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 55 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, 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.

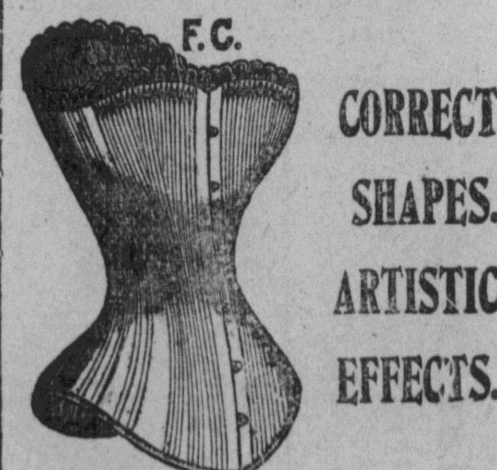
Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11 40 a m and 4 32 p m, returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a m and 2 50 p m.

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

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BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Wednesday 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.

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

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. J. Z. Gardner, Worthy Chief; D. S. Smith, Sec.

I. O. H.—Greenville Conclave No. 540, meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. W. B. Wilson, Archon; D. S. Smith, Sec.

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Notes on Anything Handy and Newsy.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

Everything is suffering for rain.

Try a Lime-ade at Bryans Drug Store.

New Corned Beef at T. F. Christman & Co.

Try Pine apple Snow at Bryan's Drug Store.

FOUND—A keg of fresh butter at J. S. Tunstall's.

The firemen did not get a meeting Monday night.

Linen lawn at \$1 a yard at Pulley & Bowen's.

Vancamps Corned Hominy at T. F. Christman & Co.

Limeades at Wooten's Drug Store. Phone 68.

FOUND—Woolen homespuns at Pulley & Bowen's.

Up to date line of Pulley Belis at Pulley & Bowen's.

New Vermont butter just arrived at T. F. Christman & Co.

FOUND—A fresh lot of butter just received at J. S. Tunstall's.

Just received a new line of shirt waist silks at Pulley & Bowen's.

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THE REFLECTOR thanks David C. James and Charlie O. James for an invitation to the commencement exercises of Oak Ridge Institute May 20th to 22nd.

MR COX NOT IN IT.

JOHNSONS MILLS, N. C., May 14. EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Some few weeks ago I had the pleasure of viewing in print the idle vaporings of the frantic brain of some of my misguided friends, or friend as the case may be, placing my name before the public as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff at the next Democratic convention of Pitt county. Now I would say through the columns of your paper, that it is a pity that my friends, or friend, who got up that communication should have wasted so much time and talent on such an insignificant proposition. I don't take it as a compliment at all because of its insignificance. If I have any aspirations at all, it is something of more importance than such a small matter as the office of Sheriff.

I take this method of saying to all those who are in the woods, and it is full of candidates for the nomination for Sheriff, that they give themselves no uneasness whatever, as I utterly refuse to be one of any party in the scramble for office, therefore I hope, for the present at least, my friends will let my name "requiscat in pace."

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee held in Greenville on the 14th day of April, 1900, a convention for the nomination of Democratic candidates for the Legislature and the various county offices and for the appointment of delegates to the First Congressional District Democratic convention, was called to meet in the Court House, in Greenville, at 12 o'clock M., on Saturday, May 19th, 1900.

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Oct.	8 06	8 00
Dec.	7 88	7 80

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	Opening.	Close
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W. F. Harding spent the day in Bethel.

J. T. Bruce left this morning for New York.

C. M. Daniel returned Monday from Tarboro.

Herbert White went over to Parmele this morning.

Rev. J. D. Bundy returned Monday evening from Weldon.

Mrs. J. N. Hart left this morning for Conway, N. C. to visit relatives.

W. T. Delamar went to Kinston Monday evening and returned this morning.

Robert Tunstall went over in Greene county Monday evening to see his mother, who is sick.

Mrs. S. W. Andrews took the train here this morning for Elm City where she will make her future home.

T. C. Williams, Jr., after spending a few days here left this morning for Norfolk.

J. S. Smith, John Ivey Smith, Fred Cox, B. E. Parham, E. M. McGowan, R. L. Smith, A. C. Holloman and J. R. Moore left this morning for Richmond to attend the Richmond Street Fair, there his week.

CARD FROM EX-CHIEF POLICE JAMES.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Newspaper notoriety I abhor, but, by reason of numerous inquiries made by the public generally concerning the late action of the Board of Aldermen for the town with reference to its policemen, and fearing that my friends may form ill conceived opinions based upon mistaken facts, I deem it my duty to briefly state, through your columns, without unnecessary comment, the true facts as they occurred in the deliberations of the honorable Board.

Seven members of the Board secretly met in caucus on Thursday, the 10th inst. for the purpose of considering, it is said, the short comings of the police force. Charges were preferred against one of the assistant policeman, and it was decided to dismiss him without form or ceremony. Against me no charges were preferred and consequently it was the unanimous verdict of that caucus that I should be retained in my position. The Mayor was instructed to notify me that my conduct as an officer of the town had been investigated with the result as just stated. This information was promptly conveyed to me.

The caucus adjourned to meet the following afternoon, at a call meeting of the Board, to ratify and confirm the decision, at which the different members had arrived without a dissenting vote. To my surprise, chagrin and humiliation a motion was made at said meeting by Mr. J. N. Hart, who attended the caucus, that I should be dismissed from the force, which motion was carried by the votes of Messrs. J. N. Hart, W. R. Parker, J. B. White and E. M. McGowan, all of whom participated in the action of the caucus, and agreed that in the absence of charges, I should not be disturbed.

I politely and respectfully asked for reasons of my dismissal, and insisted that some charge should be preferred to justify their action. I asked for reasons prompting them to a violation of the sacred obligation of a caucus agreement. I demanded to be informed of the causes that led them to such a sudden, arbitrary and revolutionary course. But these demands and requests they refused to yield, and with tyrannous and barbarous power, without indictment and trial, and without reason or excuse,

they, under whom I had served nearly eleven months, contemptuously hustled me from the office to which they elected me, and at a time when my term would soon expire. Was it just and fair? Was it done on the eve of the town election, with the idea and hope that it would be a popular political stroke, which would command the endorsement of the public and procure a re-election of these members? Was their action predicated upon sound reason and mature judgment? Would not a polite request for my resignation have been more considerate, and served these purposes in a better way? Let the public judge. W. B. JAMES.

HEARD AND SEEN IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, N. C., May 14.
 Capt. Geo. H. Brown has repaired and painted his residence, improving it much.

Capt. Womble, late of the Str. Bruce, is now master of the Str. J. D. Patterson.

Services at all the churches on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Bishop preached at the M. E. Church, Rev. Mr. Hines, of Norfolk, at the Missionary Baptist. The pastors of the other churches filled their own pulpits.

W. H. Stancill, of near Washington, is at the residence of his sister Mrs. Ann Randolph, who is dangerously ill, if not dead.

Lumber has a black eye. Baltimore wharves are piled up, and numbers of crafts lying in the basin unable to discharge their cargoes.

Peas and strawberries are moving freely.

Mrs. Henry Cherry died last week. JIM NASTIC.

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