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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE

"LADIES"

WE WISH TO SAY WE ARE GOING TO MAKE OUR STORE HEADQUARTERS FOR YOU.

White Goods and Embroideries.

Just received a beautiful line of Dimities, Stripped, White Goods, Plain White Goods, Organdies white and in colors. The whole line is beautiful, and we extend a cordial welcome to all Latest designs in Window Curtain Goods. Silks for Shirt Waists. Beautiful things in Pine Apple Tissues.

You are welcome. No trouble to show our line.

W. T. LEE & CO.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Party cloudy tonight, warmer increasing cloudiness Friday and probably rain variable winds becoming southeast.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

What The Law Makers are Doing.

WEDNESDAY, 27.

SENATE.

Among the new bills introduced were these:

By Woodard, to establish a normal school at Wilson.

By Sugg, to provide for a spring term of court in Greene county.

By London, to amend the Constitution and provide for longer terms of schools.

HOUSE.

A large number of new bills were introduced in the House, all of them being of local character.

The general pension bill appropriating \$200,000 for Confederate veterans and widows of veterans a ed by unanimous vote.

On Wednesday Senator H. A. London, of Chatham county, introduced in the Senate a bill which provides for the white people of any town, city or district to tax themselves for the purpose of having a longer school term. It is a good bill and ought to pass without opposition.

The text of the bill is as follows: "An Act to Amend Article IX, Section 2, of the Constitution of North Carolina:

"The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

"Section 1. That section 2, Act 9, of the Constitution of North Carolina, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"But nothing contained herein shall prohibit the people of any race, living in any county, city, town, township, or territory, from levying a special tax for educational purposes of that race, if a majority of the qualified voters of that race shall, at any election duly held for that purpose, decide to levy said tax, which tax shall be levied upon the property and polls of that race alone."

"Sec. 2. That this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the whole State at the next general election," etc.

Some men have less difficulty in passing counterfeit money than in passing a saloon.

WEDMORE-HUMBER.

Pretty Morning Marriage.

At 8:15 o'clock this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Humber, on Fifth street, their sister, Miss Flossie, was married to Mr. Harry C. Wedmore, of New Haven, Conn. The ceremony was very impressively performed by Rev. F. A. Bishop, Presiding Elder of this district, and was witnessed by quite a number of friends.

The parlor was lighted with wax tapers adding much beauty to the scene.

Miss Clara Bruce Forbes played the wedding march as the couple entered the parlor, and "You'll Remember Me" while the words that made them man and wife were beingsaid.

The bride was attired in a tailor made suit of brown.

After the ceremony a brief moment was given to congratulations from those present, when the couple drove to the depot to take the morning train north. They will stop in Washington for the inauguration and spend some time in Baltimore, before going on to their home in New Haven. They will hold a reception there on the 9th of April, just after Lent.

The bride was a favorite in Greenville and there are general regrets at her going so far away, but she is followed to her northern home by the best wishes of all.

The couple received many handsome bridal presents.

Justice Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court, recently delivered an address at Yale University, in which he made assertions that will strike any one who is familiar with general court proceedings in this country. He said of jurors in trials that they are treated as if they were "unworthy of confidence not being allowed the privilege of seeing their family during the trial of a case, are constantly guarded by a vigilant officer and are locked up every night as criminals." Of the treatment of a witness he said "he is treated like a liar and is browbeaten by opposing lawyers." He further said significantly that "the ability to annoy, terrify and debase a witness in the public view has been the chief basis of many a lawyer's reputation and success." Most people who have had observations in court trials will at least take in what Justice Brewer meant.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina

The Goldsboro Water Works Company has gone into the hands of a receiver.

The Governor has appointed W. M. Webb, of Morehead City, chief oyster commissioner to succeed Theophilus White.

The smallpox quarantine of the Baptist Female University, Raleigh, has been raised, the authorities declaring there is no further danger.

A Plea for Schools.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Feb. 26.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:—With pain I noticed in the columns of the Raleigh News and Observer of today that there were good, honorable, worthy citizens of Greenville in Raleigh opposing the establishment of graded schools in Greenville. I also am glad that that foremost man of his State—that liberal educator—Hon. T. J. Jarvis, with another worthy gentleman, was on hand fighting for the measure.

Now, while those of the opposition may think they have the best interest of their town at heart, to my mind they are making a big mistake. I concede that there is some reason why they should oppose it, but it is not the reason of a liberal people—it is not the reason of a people who are willing to pick up their town bodily, as it were, and shove it up to the highest notch of civilization. They show a spirit too narrow to ever attain the best possible good to themselves or their fellows. Selfishness destroyed the Roman Republic, and this same spirit will corrupt and destroy the supreme ideals of any people.

Greenville cannot afford to be dormant while every other town about her is absorbing everything tending to the betterment of their general welfare. There are educated men in Greenville—not a few—but not half enough. It is a sad fact that the educational standard in Greenville is but little above that in the surrounding country, and everybody knows that the country standard is a shame on the fair name of our county. Mr. Editor, I am a country boy, and I know whereof I speak.

I hope you who are in sympathy with this educational movement will spare no pains nor labor to get the good people of Greenville to vote for graded schools. Electric lights are not to be compared in value to the establishment of these schools. Education should be the dominant thought in every honest man's heart at this time. There are good schools in Greenville, but the spirit, the mainspring to progress, is lacking. Parents do not feel any responsibility toward the schools, in a word, they are not obliged to send to any school in Greenville, and lacking this obligation there are many who send to school as little as possible. Must compulsory education indeed be the only remedy that will ever secure the proper attitude toward the education of the youth of our land? It seems so, and if it must come, let it come!

J. F. STOKES.

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Even we never saw such elegance for so little money! Designs and colorings entirely new. Get a look at the new styles. No other store ever offered qualities as good as these for less than one dollar, and we could probably get that for these neckties too if we should ask it, but the price is

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R. A. TYSON, Vice-President. J. L. LITTLE, Cashier
RE-ORGANIZED JUNE 15TH, 1899

STATEMENT OF

BANK OF GREENVILLE

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At close of business February 5th, 1901—Condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts \$152,623.83	Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Due from Banks and 56,284.93	Surplus and profits, (net) 10,024.32
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,921.85	Deposits : : : 209,680.00
Cash Items : : : 3,757.39	Cashiers' chks outstanding 1,384.00
Cash : : : : 32,295.93	Due Banks : : : : 794.50
\$246,883.93	\$246,883.93

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Or SPECIAL SALE

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HAMBURGS AND EMBROIDERIES Just Received.

Prices from 2 cents per yard to 15 cents and 20 cents. Also our CHECKED and STRIPED DIMITIES, LONG CLOTH, NAINSOOKS, etc. All of which are being sold CHEAP.

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D. J. WHITCHARD, Editor.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1901.

Insurance Laws.

The annual report of the Insurance Commissioner, Jas. R. Young, shows a very gratifying condition of the insurance business in North Carolina, both for the assured and the companies.

The department was established by the Legislature of 1899. Before that time the business was in the office of Secretary of State, who was charged with the collection of taxes from insurance companies and their supervision.

Under the separate department there was collected for the first year and paid into the State Treasury \$92,865.21, against \$84,879.28 collected the year before.

The increase in collections for the first year under the Insurance Commissioner was \$7,985.93, although the companies that left the State because of the provisions of the Craig act had paid the year before about \$11,000.

The supervision under the Insurance Commissioner has been well managed and has helped the State in many ways. The reduction in fire rates alone for the past two years has been over \$75,000 in premiums.

The commissioner has collected in "escaped" taxes more than his salary for the past two years.

The commissioner has been unusually successful in driving from the State "wild cat" insurance companies and their doing what is called an "underground" business—paying no tax and making no returns to the State.

The department costs the State less than heretofore and pays it more since the modification of the Craig act. A number of good companies will return to the State will add materially to the revenues of this department.

This insurance business is one of immense importance to the State, and there is no business which pays a better revenue to the State than this department. There is a bill now pending before the Legislature to increase the efficiency of this department by giving the commissioner more clerical help.

Handkerchiefs are not naturally quarrelsome, but they often come to blows.

Few girls reach the age of 18 without having experienced the joys of a broken heart.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR THE STATE ADDRESSES THE PEOPLE.

We suggest a Plan to Secure For North Carolina an Adequate Representation at the Pan-American Exposition.

The following is the address of the Hon. W. F. Porter to the people of North Carolina:

Having been appointed a vice president for the state of North Carolina to the Pan-American Exposition to be held at Buffalo from May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901, I take the liberty of addressing you as my fellow citizens and presenting to you some facts which I conceive to be of vast importance to any good citizen of our beloved state.

I desire to call your attention to the fact that this Exposition will naturally bring together a vast crowd of people from different portions of the world. Inasmuch as our state legislature has not had the opportunity thus far to make the necessary appropriation for a display of our products at this Exposition, and unfortunately for us the regular session of our legislature does not meet until January, 1901, we are fearful that it cannot make a suitable appropriation in time to erect a state building so that we might be enabled to make a proper and creditable exhibit for our state.

A first class exhibit can be made by her people if the proper efforts are put forth. It is proposed that we transfer the North Carolina exhibit at Paris to Buffalo, which will probably be done, but that exhibit will not be sufficient. We want to bring before the people of the north and all the western hemisphere an exhibit that will speak volumes for our state.

There are millions of people without any knowledge of our products and the advantages that we possess. It is not generally known that the tobacco of North Carolina took the first premium at the World's Fair at Vienna, but such is the case. It is not generally known that the minerals of North Carolina are the finest in the world.

We have minerals and precious stones in our state that are not found in any other country on the globe.

We have an untold wealth in mica mines, and we believe we can furnish sufficient mica for the markets of the world for years to come.

Our millions of acres of nearly all kinds of timber are virtually in the virgin forests and untouched. The texture of our cotton can compete with the production of any other southern state.

Our corn, wheat, rye and other productions are as fine and of as good quality as any in the United States.

We desire a good class of immigration, and it is the duty of every good citizen of our state to use every effort in his power to bring about a plan to encourage such immigration, that our state may be developed and improved to such an extent that she may stand at the head of the column of the southern states.

To bring about the results thus set forth, it will be necessary for the people themselves to take hold of the matter. Instead of waiting to see what the legislature may do for the state, as your vice president and representative have appealed to the good people of our state to come to the rescue.

I propose in the first place that the citizens of each county in the state call a meeting of her people at the county seat or some other accessible point and organize Pan-American clubs and take subscriptions. We believe at least \$20,000 or \$25,000 could be raised in this way. We could then erect a building for our state and could have sufficient means to make a creditable display of the products and industries of the state, which would no doubt be the means of bringing millions of capital into our commonwealth.

It is believed that the state legislature would take a broad view of this effort to promote the public welfare and without delay reimburse those who subscribe to this fund.

W. F. PORTER, Hay Meadow, N. C.

False Doctrine. School Examiner—What is the meaning of false doctrine? Schoolboy—Please, sir, it's when the doctor gives the wrong stuff to people who are sick.—Boston Christian Register.

The Foundation of Woman. A small boy in the mission Sunday school of Bishop Fallows' church propounded an entirely new theory of creation last Sunday.

"Who made man?" asked the teacher, beginning as in the good old days when orthodox used catechisms. "God," was the prompt reply. "And how did he make him?" "Out of dust, ma'am; nothing but dust."

"And who made woman?" "God made her, too, ma'am." "How?" The small boy hesitated and then replied cheerfully, "He caused a deep sleep to fall upon man and then took out his backbone and made the woman."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

AS WIRED BY

J. W. PERRY & COMPANY, Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va

Table with columns for Cotton and Peanuts, listing grades like Strict Middling and Fancy, and their prices for today and yesterday.

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY Cotton Buyers and Brokers, NORFOLK, VA.

Table for New York and Liverpool Futures, listing March, May, April & May, and Chicago Markets for Wheat and Ribs.

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET, REPORTED BY J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Table for Greenville Cotton Market, listing Middling prices for today and yesterday.

L. H. Pender, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Tobacco Flues, Tin Roofing, &c. Expert Gunsmith employed. All kinds Gun and Locksmith work first class. Re-stocking of guns a specialty. Agent for The Oliver Typewriter

The finance committee has decided to let the festive canine go untaxed. And the untaxed and homeless dog will continue to have sheep on his bill of fare. Dogs are certainly luxuries, and they are as proper subjects of taxation as anything you can name.

The above states the case exactly. In the finance committee the proposition to tax dogs got just three votes, and yet if anybody can give a good and intelligent reason why dogs should not be taxed we would be glad to hear it.—Statesville Landmark.

A country editor has his opinion of the kicker and is not afraid to express it. Thus he says: "Whenever you find a man finding fault with a local paper, open it up and ten to one he hasn't an advertisement in it; five to one he never gave it a job of work; three to one he does not take the paper; two to one that if he is a subscriber he is delinquent; even odds he never does anything that will assist the publisher to run a good paper, and forty to one that if the paper is a good one and full of life, he is the most eager to see the paper when it comes out."

It's a cold day when the ice Trust gets left. The new woman wants to brace up and be a man. The dog in the manger isn't always the one with mange.

RAILROAD CO. CONDENSED SCHEDULE. Table with columns for Trains Going South and North, listing routes like Weldon, Rocky Mount, and Goldsboro with departure times.

Table for Trains Going North, listing routes like Florence, Fayetteville, Selma, and Wilmington with departure times.

Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 9 05 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12 25 p. m., arrives Sanford 1 43 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 3 05 p. m., arrives Fayetteville 4 20 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 4 40 p. m., arrives Wilmington 9 25 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 55 p. m., Halifax 4 17 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5 08 p. m., Greenville 6 57 p. m., Kingston 7 50 a. m., Greenville 8 52 a. m., arrives Halifax at 11 15 a. m., Weldon 11 58 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 9 10 a. m. and 9 30 p. m., arrive Farmville 9 10 a. m. and 8 50 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, 5 30 a. m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a. m., returning leave Smithfield 7 00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8 25 a. m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9 30 a. m., 3 40 p. m., arrive Nashville 10 30 a. m., 4 05 p. m., Spring Hope 11 a. m., 4 25 p. m., returning leave Spring Hope 11 30 a. m., 4 55 p. m., Nashville 11 45 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12 10 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 25 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 6 45 a. m. and 2 40 p. m.

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

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Pass. Agent; J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager; T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager

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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. H. M. Eure, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. L. H. Pender, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday-school 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.

EPISCOPAL.—Rev. F. H. Harding, Minister. Morning and evening prayer with sermon every 1st and 3rd Sunday. Lay services every 2nd and 4th Sunday. Sunday-school 9:45 a. m., W. B. Brown, superintendent. Litany every Wednesday 10 a. m.

CHRISTIAN.—No regular services.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

LODGES

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. L. Carr, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. F. M. Hodges, N. G. J. V. Johnson Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening, C. S. Carr, C. O.; G. J. Woodward 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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THE UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP. I shall at all times keep sharp razors, clean towels and attentive barbers and solicit a share of your patronage. Yours to serve, JAMES H. DAVIS, Opposite J. B. Cherry & Co

A. B. PENDER, FASHIONABLE BARBER, Can be found below Five Points Next door to Reflector office.

Whose is the next wedding?

February flickers out tonight.

Nice Prunes 6 cents per pound at J. S. Tunstall's.

FEED.—Go to Ormond & Carr's Bran, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls

I will pay 6 1/2 per pound for turkeys. S. M. SCHULTZ.

Nobody has said ice factory here yet, but one would pay all the same.

FEED.—You will find Hay, Oats and Cracked Corn at Ormond & Carr's.

Can the snow on the off-side of the fence be waiting for more? Go way, snow.

FOR SALE OR RENT—4-room house, kitchen and dining room. Apply to E. H. TAFT.

Fishermen say the snow water in the river will hold shad back from coming up stream.

There will be a German by the young people in Joyner's Warehouse tomorrow night. Young men requested to make engagements.

THE REFLECTOR office has just received a lot of handsome new faces of job type, making us better equipped than ever for doing nice, attractive job printing.

To Get At The Property And Its True Value.

The Statesville Landmark says: There is a good deal of complaint that the revenue act is inquisitorial. Unfortunately it is necessary to make it inquisitorial if all property is to be taxed as it should be. Everybody knows, or can find out by examining the tax books, that a majority of the people will not give in their property honestly for taxation unless they are compelled to. They will keep back a part. This makes the inquisitorial law necessary. It is offensive to honest people but it is necessary to smoke out the class who will not obey it unless forced to.

That is certainly so. There is a vast amount of property—especially money, stocks, bonds, solvent credits and other invisible property—which is not on the tax books as it should be, and a great deal of household furniture and other belongings which is largely undervalued for taxation. No law that places taxable property on the tax books at a fair valuation should be objected to. The trouble with the North Carolina taxing law is that so much property escapes the tax-lister entirely, while in other cases the inequality in valuation of that returned is so great. For instance A has a horse worth \$125 and returns at \$75—which may be said to be about as high a level as North Carolina property is returned at, except in special cases. B has a horse also worth \$125 and returns it for taxation at \$25. A has household furniture worth \$125 and returns it for \$75; B has household furniture worth \$500 and returns it at \$100. So it is through all the varying forms of property.

When the genius arises who will apply the remedy for this undervaluation of even visible property, and effects some sort of equality in the returns, the honest-minded public will rise up and call him blessed and a long step will have been taken toward the solution of the apparently insoluble taxing question. True, how to get at the real or approximate value of the invisible property will still remain a problem. For this there is no apparent remedy save the inquisition, which will help the tax books without adding appreciably to the present stream of perjury.—Charlotte Observer.

STARTLING INFORMATION

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OUR PREDICAMENT.

This immense Stock coming in on us into our already crowded rooms, is placing us in great confusion and must take active measures to sell it instantly. This stock will be sold in many instances as it was bought—50 cents on the Dollar. BY ALL MEANS COME.

CORSETS.
J. Boyer's Price 65c.
OUR PRICE 29 cents.

MENS SHOES.
J. Boyers price \$2.50.
OUR PRICE \$1.24.

OVERCOATS.
J. Boyers price 8 & 10.
OUR PRICE \$3.98

MENS SUITS.
J. Boyers price \$7, \$8 & \$10.
OUR PRICE \$2.19, \$3.68, \$4.42

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SHEETING.
J. Boyers price 6c.
OUR PRICE 4 3-4c
Only 10 yards to customers.

CALICO.
J. Boyers price 6c yd.,
OUR PRICE 4c.
Only 12c yards to customer.

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J. B. Boyers price \$2.00 \$2.50 and \$3.00.
OUR PRICE \$1.19.

MENS UNDERWEAR.
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BED STEADS.
J. Boyers price \$6.00.
OUR PRICE \$2.98.

LADIES' SHOES.
J. Boyers price \$1.50 & \$2.50
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Ask to see the Goods advertised. Insist of them being shown you. We want everyone in the town of Greenville and vicinity to attend this Great Bankrupt sale at bankrupt price.
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den Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts,
Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches,
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Threw The Baby At His Wife.

Rutherfordton, Feb. 26—From
Polk county comes the news of a
terrible killing which occurred late
yesterday afternoon. The facts as
near as can be obtained tonight are
that a man by the name of Black-
bury went to his home drunk, com-
menced a quarrel with his wife be-
cause she had not enough supper to
satisfy his whiskey appetite, struck
her several blows with his hand
three or four hard kicks with his
foot until she was almost uncon-
scious. When the babe began cry-
ing he grabbed it from the bed and
threw it at his wife. Its head
struck the corner of the mantel and
it died instantly.

The babe and wife lay on the
floor until midnight, when the
wife managed to get to a neighbor's
house to tell the news. It is said
if Blackbury, who escaped, is
caught he may be lynched—The
Observer.

The Free Press says dispensary
petitions are being circulated in
Kinston.

THE FOLKS YOU SEE

Coming and Going This New
Century.

Jarvis Sugg, of Washington, was
here today.

H. H. Pope left this morning for
Wilmington.

Miss Lizzie Jones has been sick
the last few days.

L. B. Bass returned Wednesday
evening from Latta, S. C.

Mrs. John Britt and daughter,
Miss Lottie, returned to Tarboro
today.

Closs Hearne, one of THE RE-
FLECTOR boys, made a flying trip
to Tarboro today.

Harry Skinner left this morning
for Baltimore to see his daughter
who is sick at Mt. de Sales convent.

T. W. McBryde, foreman of THE
REFLECTOR, returned Wednesday
evening from a visit to his old
home at Jonesboro.

W. P. White, one of Halifax's
Representatives in the Legislature,
came in last night to attend the
Wedmore-Humber marriage, and
returned to Raleigh today.

FARMVILLE RIPPLES.

FARMVILLE N. C. Feb., 27 1901.

W. M. Lang is in Kinston on
business.

Joseph Parker and family have
recently moved in their new resi-
dence on Church street. The
building is one of the most hand-
some in Farmville. We gladly
welcome Mr. Parker and family to
our town.

George Moore's new residence
on Wilson street is nearing com-
pletion. Mr. Moore anticipates
coming to our town to live in a few
weeks.

Our photographer, Mr. Taylor,
will soon have completed an up to
date photograph gallery on main
street.

Jno. Tyson died Sunday night of
pneumonia. Mr. Tyson was a
student of Prof. Thorne's school
here, and was liked by all who
knew him.

Mrs. Burnett, who has been
very sick for some time, is now
convalescing.

Mrs. Phillips from near Kinston,
who has been visiting Mrs. W. M.
Lang returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Lou Lang has recently
moved in W. G. Lang's new resi-
dence on corner of Church and E.
streets. She runs a first class
boarding house.

Dispensary is being talked among
us very loudly of late. Nothing
could be better where men gener-
ally are given to dissipation. Dry
towns and good schools would be a
better motto than dispensary and
no schools.

Child Hurt.

Monday while the pupils of Ma-
sonic Hall school were playing
during recess, Miss Fannie Farrow,
a daughter of Mr. J. H. Farrow,
fell and dislocated one knee. It
took two physicians to set the in-
jured limb. Her injuries are very
painful and it will probably be
some weeks before she is able to
walk again.

At Topeka, Kans., Monday night
a crowd of from 30 to 60 citizens,
armed with revolvers, sledge ham-
mers, crow-bars and a battering
ram, broke into the wholesale
liquor house of "Cash" Curtis,
and smashed the beer found there.
Three policemen drove the crowd
back. Both the policemen and the
citizens fired their revolvers and J.
W. Adams, a carpenter, was shot
twice in the breast. He was taken
in a hack to Riverside hospital
where he lies in a precarious con-
dition. The three officers claim
Adams was shot by his own crowd
while he was retreating from the
point of attack. Adams declares,
however, that he was shot by a
policeman.

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3. Clarksville	55:18.	Oxford	45
4. Dunn	55:19.	Raleigh	45
5. Durham	55:20.	Rocky Mount	50
6. Enfield	55:21.	Scotland Neck	50
7. Franklinton	55:22.	Smithfield	40
8. Greensboro	75:23.	Spring Hope	55
9. Greenville	24.	Tarboro	25
10. Goldsboro	30:25.	Wake Forest	45
11. Henderson	45:26.	Warrenton	45
12. High Point	50:27.	Washington	20
13. Hillsboro	55:28.	Weldon	40
14. Littleton	40:29.	Wilson	30
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