

Ricks & Wilkinson

ANNUAL OPENING New Spring Goods Thursday, Mar. 27

Remember the date and see
the Prettiest Display of the
Season.

RICKS & WILKINSON.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT

B. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

J. L. LITTLE, Cashier

Bank of Greenville,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business February 25th, 1902, condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

| Resources: | | Liabilities: | |
|----------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$119,096.64 | Capital Stock paid in | \$25,000.00 |
| Furniture & Fixtures | 2,093.85 | Surplus, | 10,000.00 |
| Due from Banks | 133,630.20 | Undivided Profits less | |
| Overdrafts | 851.49 | Expenses Paid | 7,662.79 |
| Cash Items | 3,409.55 | Deposits | 238,723.11 |
| Cash | 22,673.80 | Due Banks | 26.63 |
| | | Cashier's Checks | 343.00 |
| | \$281,755.53 | | \$281,755.53 |

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

S. M. Schultz.

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. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, Henry George Cigar, 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, Currants, Raisins, Glass and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

S. M. Schultz.

Ph...

Will somebody please tell the truth about the cow and her cud? In the country when a cow suddenly grows pale and lethargic and ceases to do business with the water wagon some old negro comes along and says, "She's lost her cud," and straightway he fastens a lot of greasy dish rags to a hoe handle and rans them down the animal's throat. At once the cow resumes her complexion and her connection with the dairy, and notwithstanding her here ditary loss of upper teeth chews away as vigorously as a gum-girl. Is this fashion of loading a cow with old rags a superstition, or does her internal machinery really require occasional doses of red flannel. And when the old-time negroes—the only genuine cow doctors—die, what in the world will become of cows who are unfortunate enough to lose their cuds? The Old Man declares that this subject is more interesting to him than politics.—Charlotte Observer.

JIM BOSTON LYNCHED.

Found Swinging to the End of a Rope.

News came from Washington today that Jim Boston, the negro who some days ago poisoned the family of Dr. D. T. Tayloe, was early this morning found hanging from a limb about three-quarters of a mile from town. He was dead when found, but how or when he got to the end of the rope is not told.

The Coroner of Beaufort county went out to investigate, but the jury was unable to find anything further than is told above.

The night after the poisoning of Dr. Tayloe's family, there were threats—or a least some talk—of lynching the negro who had made a confession, and officers spirited him away. It was later learned that the prisoner was taken to Williamston and placed in the jail there. The supposition is that he was taken out of Williamston jail sometime during Monday night and carried back near Washington where the lynching took place. The body was not mutilated at all, the rope around the neck seeming sufficient to carry out their plans.

After Seventy-Five Years.

A visit to the old home is one of the most delightful experiences of old age. In New England more and more has been made each year of the feeling for the old homestead, and it is only natural that the "old home" paper, The Youth's Companion, should participate in this renewal of "old home" acquaintances.

Last week the publishers of The Youth's Companion enjoyed a visit from one of their seventy-five year subscribers, Mr. R. W. Peabody of Chicago, now ninety one years old, who had been spending a few weeks in New England. He is one of the few subscribers on record who has taken The Youth's Companion since its first issue, April 17, 1827. The letter in which he sent his original subscription was one of the first he ever wrote. Through young manhood, maturity and old age, through times of war and times of peace, in New England and in the West, through all the last seventy five years of his life, his one constant companion has been the old Youth's Companion.

The growth of The Companion itself from the first small four page issue to the great family paper of the present is merely typical of the growth of the country during Mr. Peabody's lifetime. The wonderful triumphs of steam, and electricity; the great inventions that made the nineteenth century what it was, nearly all occurred in the period through which Mr. Peabody and The Youth's Companion have passed side by side.

The regard Mr. Peabody holds for the paper is not because of its age, but because the paper, although the same in purpose in its last issue as in that of seventy-five years ago, has kept pace with all the extraordinary developments of these three generations, and instead of growing old has grown young in enterprise, in originality, and in the ability to know and supply the literary wants of the American family.

A bigamist is a man with more wives than brains.

THOSE EASTER SUITS.

BACK FROM THE NORTH.

NEXT SUNDAY IS EASTER AND WE WANT TO DRESS YOU IN ONE OF

THOSE BEAUTIFUL, TASTY, STYLISH,

SPRING SUITS.

RECENTLY BOUGHT BY US AND JUST OPENED FOR YOUR INSPECTION.

OUR LINE OF SPRING

Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Gents' Furnishings,

Have never been selected with as much care before as this season.

IF YOU WANT COLD WEATHER APPAREL WE CAN SUIT YOU.

Prices to Suit the Purchaser.

FRANK WILSON,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

"WE WILL BOND YOU."

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co
(Home Office, Baltimore, Md.)

PAID UP CASH CAPITAL \$1,500,000 00
SURETY BONDS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

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JUDICIAL BONDS EXECUTED WITHOUT DELAY.

H. A. WHITE,

Correspondence Solicited.

Greenville, N. C.

1888

1902

To My Friends and Customers.

MY SPRING MILLINERY

Is now ready for you to see. To see it will prove to you that I have the Largest, Prettiest and Cheapest stock ever shown in Greenville.

MY PATTERN HATS

will be sold at extremely low prices. I have had 14 years experience in business, have always given you good bargains.

Come! See! what I have to offer you now.



LOOK OVER MY LINE.

Children's Hats from 25 cents up.

Ladies' Hats from 25 cents to any price desired.

I will be ably assisted by MRS. ELLA GREENE (formerly Sheppard) My customers already know that she tries to please them in shaping and trimming hats to become the wearer. We will get the New York Styles each month during the season.

Come see my new "Fad" Hack Hat for Easter.

MRS. L. GRIFFIN.

At Old Stand.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

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One year \$3.00
One month .25
One week .10

Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.

Advertising rates are liberal and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

We desire a live correspondent in every Postoffice in the county who will send in brief items of news as it occurs in each neighborhood. Write plainly and only on one side of the paper.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1902.

The trouble that is bound to come, according to political and other prophets, will come from the spirit of overspeculation that now seems to pervade every corner of the country.

The Daughters of the Confederacy of Charleston have sent invitations to all the Chapters in North Carolina to attend a reception on Saturday, April 12th, to be given in the Assembly hall of the Woman's building at the Charleston Exposition.

Mr. Otey, of Virginia, wants the government to appropriate a large sum for good roads in this country and asks for only one fourth as much as has already been expended in the Philippines. He believes that other things, like charity, should begin at home.

The lynching of the negro at Washington strongly calls to mind a defect in our law. That negro committed a heinous crime, poisoning a whole family, and so far as his intentions went was just as guilty of murder as though all his victims had died. Fortunately for the latter they were all saved by timely assistance, and under such circumstances the negro could have been given only a few years in the penitentiary, a punishment no ways fitting the magnitude of his crime. Doubtless this thought prompted the people to take the law in their own hands and mete out the punishment the crime deserved. Lynchings are deplorable but good laws promptly executed would stop them.

Reported Sold.

It is rumored in Wilmington that the parties who hold the controlling interest in the Atlantic Coast Line have sold out to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

While this report cannot be corroborated now, for all in a position to know are reticent or profess ignorance, still there is probably considerable truth in it, for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company made an offer some years ago of \$400 per share for the controlling interest in the Wilmington and Weldon railroad which is the parent road of the Atlantic Coast Line and the main link in the whole system.

The Coast Line comprises over 2,500 miles of road in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, and, connecting with the Plant system of Georgia, forms a short

A GOOD BREAKFAST

Is the foundation of many a man's amiability. Dress your favorite Buckwheat with genuine "Sap Maple" and some of that Butter we ordered especially for you, and this old world won't be bad just a little bit. Should you happen to "drop in" sometime we could call attention to several nice things you have wished to find at your grocers. **FERRIS HAMS ARE GOOD TO EAT.**

HEARNE and COMPANY.

main line between Florida and the Northern States. The Atlantic Coast Line is in excellent condition, the market value is above par, and it has paid its owners handsome dividends for years.

The following special from Baltimore to the Richmond Dispatch of Saturday contains additional information regarding the rumored sale of the Atlantic Coast line to the Pennsylvania system:

"Baltimore, Md., March 21.—Neither a denial nor a confirmation of the rumors of a sale of the Atlantic Coast Line could be obtained from the road's officials today.

"President Harry Walters is in New York, and the directors in this city decline to discuss the reports.

"In New York one explanation of the probable desire of the Pennsylvania for the Atlantic Coast Line property was to further safeguard its control of the soft coal trade.

"Previous to the acquisition of the Pennsylvania Coal Coke Company by the Norfolk and Western the latter, it is said, planned to build a connection with the Atlantic Coast Line.

"The plausibility of this explanation is effected by the fact if the Pennsylvania railroad was prompted by such a desire, it would have to acquire not only the Coast Line, but the Seaboard Air Line, the Southern railway, and perhaps the Louisville and Nashville, all of which systems could be connected with the coal fields of Kentucky and Southwest Virginia by lines over feasible routes."

You Know What You are Taking
When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

A Blonde's Freckles

show more plainly than a brunettes, but these discolored spots greatly mar the beauty of either.

HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM

will effectually remove Freckles, Sunburn, Tan, undue Redness, Sallowness and all other blemishes to beauty.

IT IS A LIQUID

for the face, neck, arms and hands. Can be easily and quickly applied. Others cannot detect its use. It leaves no sticky feeling. Harmless as water. At all druggists. Price 75 cts.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

AS WIRED BY
J. W. PERRY & COMPANY,
Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va

| COTTON: | Closed Today. | Yesterday |
|------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Strict Middling | 8 1/2 | 9 |
| Middling | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| St. Low Middling | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Low Middling | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |

| PEANUTS: | Closed Today. | Yesterday |
|----------------|---------------|-----------|
| Fancy | 3 1/2 | 3 1/2 |
| Strictly Prime | 3 | 3 |
| Prime | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |
| Low Grades | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

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

| New York Futures: | Closed Today | Yesterday |
|-------------------|--------------|-----------|
| March | 8.63 | 8.69 |
| May | 8.50 | 8.63 |

| Liverpool Futures: | Closed Today | Yesterday |
|--------------------|--------------|-----------|
| May & June | 4.43 | 4.43 |

| Chicago Markets: | Closed Today | Yesterday |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|
| July Wheat | 73 1/2 | 73 |
| May Ribs | 8.72 | 8.80 |
| May Corn | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 |

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

| | Today. | Yesterday. |
|----------|--------|------------|
| Middling | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |

The earnings of the tobacco trust last year were nearly \$7,000,000.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD CO.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE

Trains going South:

| DATED | No. 30 | No. 35 | No. 103 | No. 41 | No. 34 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| Jan. 15, 1902. | Daily | Daily | Daily | Daily | Daily |
| | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | A.M. | P.M. |
| Leave Weldon | 11:50 | 9:38 | | | |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 1:00 | 10:32 | | | |
| Leave Tarboro | 12:22 | 7:22 | | | |
| Lv Rocky Mount | 1:05 | 10:02 | 7:22 | 5:15 | 12:52 |
| Leave Wilson | 1:59 | 11:10 | 8:31 | 6:26 | 3:40 |
| Leave Selma | 2:55 | 11:59 | | | |
| Lv Fayetteville | 4:30 | 1:30 | | | |
| Ar Florence | 7:35 | 3:20 | | | |
| | P.M. | A.M. | | | |

Trains going North:

| | No. 75 | No. 35 | No. 32 | No. 40 | No. 46 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Daily | Daily | Daily | Daily | Daily |
| | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | A.M. | P.M. |
| Lv Florence | 10:05 | 8:05 | | | |
| Lv Fayetteville | 12:40 | 10:03 | | | |
| Leave Selma | 1:15 | 11:25 | | | |
| Arrive Wilson | 2:57 | 12:07 | | | |
| | | | A.M. | P.M. | A.M. |
| Lv Wilmington | | | 7:00 | 9:30 | |
| Lv Magnolia | | | 8:30 | 11:15 | |
| Lv Goldsboro | | | 9:37 | 12:26 | |
| | | | P.M. | A.M. | P.M. |
| Leave Wilson | 2:35 | 8:20 | 11:54 | 1:45 | 1:13 |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 3:30 | 9:00 | 12:10 | 1:23 | 1:53 |
| Arrive Tarboro | | | 9:31 | | |
| Leave Tarboro | 3:31 | | | | |
| Lv Rocky Mount | 3:50 | 12:43 | | | |
| Ar Weldon | 4:53 | 1:37 | | | |

Yadkin Division

Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9:10 a.m., arrives Fayetteville 12:20 p.m., leaves Fayetteville 12:42 p.m., arrives Sanford 1:58 p.m. Returning leaves Sanford 3:05 p.m., arrives Fayetteville 4:20 p.m., leaves Fayetteville 4:30 p.m., arrives Wilmington 7:15 p.m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8:10 a.m., Maxton 9:05 a.m., Red Springs 9:32 a.m., Hope Mills 10:55 a.m., arrives Fayetteville 11:10. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4:45 p.m., Hope Mills 6:00 p.m., Red Springs 6:43 p.m., Maxton 6:16 p.m., arrives Bennettsville 7:15 p.m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train N. 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 3:15 p.m., Halifax 3:29 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:10 p.m., Greenville 5:47 p.m., Kinston 4:45 p.m. Returning leaves Kinston 7:30 a.m., Greenville 8:39 a.m., arriving Halifax at 11:5 a.m., Weldon 11:20 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:00 a.m. and 2:45 p.m., arrive Parmele 8:15 a.m. and 4:10 p.m., returning leave Parmele 10:45 a.m. and 5:22 p.m., arrive Washington 12:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday at 4:35 p.m., Sunday 4:35 p.m., arrives Plymouth 6:35 p.m., 6:30 p.m., returning, leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 7:30 a.m. and Sunday 9:00 a.m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Train on Midland Neck Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 5:00 a.m., arriving Smithfield 6:10 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a.m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:55 a.m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9:30 a.m., 4:00 p.m., arrives Nashville 10:20 a.m., 4:25 p.m., Spring Hope 11:12 a.m., 4:45 p.m., returning leaves Spring Hope 11:20 a.m., 5:15 p.m., Nashville 11:45 a.m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12:10 a.m., 6:20 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11:40 a.m. and 1:15 p.m., returning leaves Clinton at 6:45 a.m. and 9:50 p.m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection 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

W. O. Barnhill

Machinery-Boiler Repairing,
Wood Turning
Balusters, Brackets
House Trimmings
BUGGY and WAGON Repairing.

I have again taken charge of my shops on Dickinson avenue, and am prepared to do promptly any work in my line. Bring on your work now. Do not wait until the busy season crowds you.

W. O. BARNHILL.

T. H. Bateman,

GREENVILLE, N. C.
Practical Tin and Sheet Iron Worker,
Roofing, guttering, spouting, metal ceiling, siding. Shingle and tile work a specialty.
Shop over Baker & Hart store in Forbes building.

DIRECTORY

CHURCHES.
BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. J. N. Booth, pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. M. A. Allen 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. B. Brown, superintendent. Litany every Wednesday 10 a. m.
CHRISTIAN.—Preaching second, and fourth Sundays in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor. Sunday school 3:00 P. M., W. R. Parker, superintendent.
CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

LODGES
A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. E. E. Griffin, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec.
I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. L. H. Pender, N. G. W. S. Atkins, Sec.
K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. C. S. Forbes, C. C.; C. L. Wilkinson, K. of R. and S.
R. A.—Zeb Vance Council, No. 1696, meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, Secretary, J. S. Tunstall, Regent.

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.

CAROLINA & VIRGINIA Telephone Company, Henderson N. C.

The following toll rates will be in effect on and after December 3, 1900, subject to change and correction: From Greenville to

| | | | |
|----------------|-------|---------------|----|
| 1. Burlington | 65:18 | Mercer | 20 |
| 2. Chase City | 55:17 | Nashville | 30 |
| 3. Clarksville | 50:18 | Oxford | 45 |
| 4. Dunn | 45:19 | Raleigh | 45 |
| 5. Durham | 50:20 | Rocky Mount | 30 |
| 6. Enfield | 30:21 | Scotland Neck | 30 |
| 7. Franklinton | 45:22 | Smithfield | 40 |
| 8. Greensboro | 75:23 | Spring Hope | 35 |
| 9. Greenville | 24 | Tarboro | 25 |
| 10. Goldsboro | 30:25 | Wake Forest | 45 |
| 11. Henderson | 45:26 | Warrenton | 45 |
| 12. High Point | 80:27 | Washington | 20 |
| 13. Hillsboro | 55:28 | Weldon | 40 |
| 14. Littleton | 40:29 | Wilson | 30 |
| 15. Louisburg | 40:30 | Winston | 90 |

F. C. TOEPLERMAN,
Gen. Sup't

Southside Market.

I have opened a market on the Haskett property in South Greenville, just beyond town limits, and will handle fresh meat, beef, poultry and eggs. Will sell lower than can be had elsewhere. Nothing sold except for cash.

R. M. KENNEDY.

J. NOBLES,
FASHIONABLE BARBER.
On Main street, Opposite J. B. Cherry & Co. Good clean work guaranteed.

THE UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP.
We are now down near Five Points and have a very nice neat place. Come give us a trial, we think we can please you.
DAVIS & MOYE.

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 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.
EDMUNDS & FLEMING
Opposite Munford's Big Store.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

For N. C.: Generally fair to night and Wednesday.

A STEP AT THE TIME.

Begin With the Shorter Ones and They Get Longer.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

FOR SALE—Several lots and buildings. R. HYMAN.

Northern White Bliss for Seed at S. M. Schultz.

Horseback riding is becoming popular again.

The train hit exactly on time Monday evening.

Thursday is set apart as spring opening day at Ricks & Wilkinson's. Everybody invited.

There is money in it for you to represent Pates' Banner Laundry Durham, N. C. Gloss or domestic.

Pates' Banner Laundry, Durham, N. C., is one of the best fitted up plants in the State. Agent wanted.

The Philadelphia base ball club are at Washington to spend two weeks practicing for the coming season.

There came near being a general run away among the horses left standing about the depot this morning.

Clara Bell, a woman of ill repute at Washington, attempted suicide last night by taking a big dose of laudanum.

Misses Erwin invite your presence at their display of pattern hats and millinery novelties Tuesday March 25, 1902.

Munford's spring opening days will be Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. Everybody invited to the big store.

Shad are scarce yet, but if the old saying that Good Friday brings a large run of fish they ought to be plentiful the last of the week.

Pates' Banner Laundry, Durham, has just installed \$2,000 in improved machinery. Representative wanted in Greenville. Big commission to right man.

Mrs. M. D. Higgs is in northern markets selecting her stock of millinery for spring. Her spring opening will take place the week before Easter, when everybody should see her display.

We are making a specialty of agents' work. Work sent us will be returned same week. Wanted a live young man to represent us in Greenville. Banner Laundry, Durham, N. C.

C. T. Munford has purchased the H. C. Hooker stock of goods and will have them ready to place on the market in a few days. This stock is right up to date with the new spring goods already in, and there are going to be bargains in it.

Ex-President Cleveland, the only ex President now living, celebrated his 65th birthday March 18th. William J. Bryan was 42 years old on the following day.

With the optimistic oculist success is always in sight.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We the undersigned, constituting the Local Board of Underwriters, in the town of Greenville, N. C., and Pitt county, hereby give notice that on account of excessive fire losses caused by the use of Terra Cotta flues, we cannot accept risks in or on any building in which there is a Terra Cotta flue, or a brick flue improperly constructed. So many fires originate from this source that all of the first class Companies condemn them as a menace to property, and the insuring public carrying as they do, one fourth of the value of the property insured, it is to their interest to have brick flues safely arranged.

J. L. SUGG,
W. L. BROWN,
H. A. WHITE.

LAUNDRY.

I am still representing the Wilmington Steam Laundry. Basket leaves here every Wednesday and is returned Saturday. I want to notify my customers that laundry must be paid for when delivered, and all laundry kept over 30 days will be sold for charges.

FRANK SKINNER,
Agent Wilmington Steam Laundry

EASTER. EASTER.

SPRING AND SUMMER

Grand and Gorgeous

OPENING.

White and Dress Goods,
Laces and Embroideries, Silks, &c.

Everything New up to Date

REMEMBER the TIME, 3 DAYS.

Wednesday, March 26th

Thursday, March 27th

Friday, March 28th

C. T. MUNFORD'S.

The Big Store.

Greenville, N. C.

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We have just received our line
Spring Slippers

FOR LADIES, MISSES and CHILDREN.

They are Beauties. You may not have a spasm
but you will be sure to have a fit if you buy a pair

Here are a few of the styles and prices:

Ladies 1 and 2 strap Sandals, French heels 1.00 to 2.50.

Oxfords, light and medium soles, 1.00 to 2.50.

heavy soles, 2.50.

American Girl Shoes, four styles, 2.50.

Patent Leather Shoes, French heels 3.00.

Plain Dongola Shoes, comfortable 3.00.

Try Me and Golden Rod Shoes, 2.00.

Misses Patent Leather Mat Kid top 2.00.

Slippers all styles from 1.00 to 2.00.

We have a beautiful line of Children's Shoes, Babies' Shoes and Slippers all colors and styles.

This is the MOST COMPLETE LINE ever
shown in GREENVILLE.

We know it is most time to wear old

SHOES

or go barefooted but don't do it too soon or you may have pneumonia. Buying shoes is cheaper than paying doctor's or undertaker's bills, and you will be more comfortable and live longer.

Our Buyer is now in the New York market after

New Spring Goods

which will be coming in before very long, and we expect to have the Nicest Styles and the most up-to-date goods in our different departments.

J. B. Cherry & Co.

The Only Department Store in
GREENVILLE.

In Business Again.

We have made an adjustment of our indebtedness with all creditors and have again

Opened for Business.

In order to raise the money necessary to meet this adjustment as quickly as possible we have started a

Special Cost Sale

and for the next few days will sell all goods at cost

FOR CASH ONLY.

Those familiar with the splendid stock of dry goods, etc., in our store can comprehend the bargains offered in disposing of such goods at cost. Come while you have the opportunity to get these bargains. This special cost sale will not last long.

PULLEY & BOWEN.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Those Who are Passing This Way.

Jesse Speight went up the road today.

W. T. Lipscomb went to Rocky Mount today.

Mrs. B. W. King and children went to Kinston Monday night.

I. A. Sugg, Jr., returned from a trip to Rocky Mount Monday night.

Mrs. Harry Skinner returned from Washington, D. C., Monday evening.

Mrs. Kleber Denmark, of Kinston, came in this morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ficklen and little son, James, went to Kinston Monday night and returned this morning.

Mrs. C. H. Moseley, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, left this morning for Florence, S. C.

Conductor Hawks, Engineer Smith and Express Messenger Boney, of the passenger train crew, were all here today attending court as witnesses.

Marriage Tomorrow.

The marriage of Miss Lillie O. Moore to Rev. George Edward Spruill, of Raleigh, will take place tomorrow morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore, just above Greenville.

School Closing.

The Greenville public school will close Friday, March 28th. That afternoon at two o'clock, at the school house, Prof. W. H. Ragsdale will lecture on, "Public School Education." All friends of public education are cordially invited to attend.

Let Them Come.

Our friends the advertisers are making strong demand on the columns of THE REFLECTOR to tell the people of their excellent stocks. Well, they know a good thing when they see it, and they know where to put an announcement for the people to read. We will make room for all that come, and it is getting to look like they are going to make us buy another press and enlarge the paper.

Mayor's Court.

Mayor W. H. Long has disposed of the following cases in his court since last report:

Sam Cowell, drunk, and down, fined \$1 and costs, \$3.30.

W. W. Humphrey and Henry Shavers, affray, fined \$1 each, and costs, \$5.35.

Henry Shavers and W. W. Humphrey, affray, bound over to Superior court.

Dick Raspberry, disorderly conduct, fined \$1 and costs, \$3.35.

Henry Vandeford, drunk and disorderly, fined \$1 and costs, \$2.95.

W. A. Campbell, drunk and disorderly, fined \$1 and costs, \$3.20.

Zeb Forbes and Manasus Forbes, affray, fined \$1 each, and costs, \$6.55.

Dorsey Barnhill, assault, fined one penny and costs, \$4.16.

The favorite air of the average girl is a millionaire.

The Best Prescription for Malaria Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price 50c.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

Unless your Poll Tax is Paid before May 1st, 1902 you cannot Register or Vote in the coming Election.

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the new

creations in
WASH FABRICS,
Plain and Fancy Lawns,
Dimities, Nainsooks,
and everything imaginable for
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Yours to Please,

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THE LEADER IN LOW PRICES.

A. H. TAFT & CO.

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Complete in every line.

Best and largest line of Side Boards on the market.

Prettiest line of Suits in town.

Hall Racks all prices.

Best line of Chairs ever offered on this market.

Big line of Matting just arrived.

Lace Curtains all prices.

Curtain Poles all kinds.

We sell the Celebrated

Buck Stoves and Ranges.

Best Made. Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded. Call on us for any of the above and we will please you.



Spring Coming.

And you will soon want lighter clothing. How about that

Last Spring Suit

you placed away for another season? Get it out now and bring it down for a cleaning and overhauling. Can make it look like a new suit. Don't wait until warm weather brings on the rush but come while you can be served promptly. Any kind of tailor work done.

PAUL METRICK,
The Tailor.

NOTICE.

We are doing good work and will be glad to have your patronage. We will try and please you if not we will relaudry free of charge. A trial is all we ask. Small packages will help us to build our trade up, and will keep your money at home.

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Your advertisement in THE REFLECTOR goes right along with its work.

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People read this paper for what there is in it, and they will see what you have to say.

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Boot and Shoe Maker,
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