

Ricks & Wilkinson



NOW IS THE TIME

When hundreds of men want their winter suits and overcoats in a hurry and this week will be a busy one with us. If you would prefer to shop quietly and take your time in making selections, we should advise you to come in at once, tomorrow for instance, before the rush is on, for you can then have plenty of time to examine the details of the garments. There's plenty to see here, too. Everything in Suits, from a substantial business Sack to swell evening clothes—from a jaunty short overcoat to a long, heavy Ulster, and each made in every fabric that is fashionable for this season.

Men's Suits, \$8 to \$20
Overcoats, \$10 to \$25

We have some in each at... **\$12** special values which we think you ought to see.

Extra Special for the Little Boys, aged 3 to ten years. A fine line of Norfolk and Russian Blouse Suits, made from dependable fabrics and men of them richly trimmed. These are worth \$5, but our price is only **\$3.25**

Thinking of your Winter Hat? we thought of it months ago and we have a lot of them; will save you money if you buy here.

We have just received some new **WINTER NECKWEAR**, which will interest you at 50c.

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SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

Snap Shots at Home News Put in Few Words for Busy Readers

Masons meet tonight.

County Commissioners in session today.

Cabbage plants for sale.

D. D. HASKETT.

Latest novelties in Jewelry at Misses Erwin.

Latest thing in men's fobs at Misses Erwin.

See our jewelry before buying.

MISSSES ERWIN.

WANTED.—One good Buggy Trimmer at once. S. J. BARCO, Roper, N. C.

Cotton Seed Hulls, 40 cents per hundred. Phone J. S. Higgs.

Best Prepared Buckwheat and Maple Syrup and Force at Sam'l M. Schultz.

Like its name, "The Reflector" cigar is something good. 5 cents at Reflector Book Store.

Mrs. M. D. Higgs has just received a handsome line of table center pieces and white ping pong hats.

"The Reflector" is the name of a new brand 5 cents cigar made exclusively for the Reflector Book Store. Try it and get something good.

I am prepared to do dress making and sewing and solicit work in this line. Satisfaction guaranteed. Apply at residence of N. W. Jackson in South Greenville.

MISS JENNIE WILLIAMS.

I am back in Greenville and am with Weathington & Baker, as steward, near Five Points. I invite all my friends and old patrons to call on me for meals and oysters.

E. D. LATHAM.

The Weather.

For North Carolina:

Fair tonight and probably Tuesday.

THE STATE PRESS

News and Opinions.

Wonder what the man who has not felt the prosperity thinks about it?—Winston Sentinel.

When North Carolina catches entirely up with her sister States, she will have the Australian ballot under which bogus tickets are impossible.—Western Journal.

Getting the negroes out of the republican party will not make it respectable by a jug full. The negroes were used by the white leaders as stepping stones and it was incompetent and irresponsible white republicans who squandered our public funds and left the heavy debt which hangs over us today.—Salsbury Truth.

It may be, and we hope is true, that the majority for the democratic ticket in this county will be beyond 2,000, but it is poor business to take anything for granted. The proper caper is for every democrat to march up to the polls and cast his ballot straight. Such tomfoolery as abstaining because you think the majority will be large enough is too everlastingly risky. Vote early and see that your friends vote. Take no risks.—Greenboro Record.

One cannot remark too often upon the consistency with which Grover Cleveland has advocated tariff reform. In and out of season he has preached it. Last night at Morristown, New Jersey, he again appealed to his countrymen in behalf of his ideas on the tariff question. There is nothing on which the democratic party is so well united. It need not be cause for surprise if an effort should be made to have Grover Cleveland leave his Princeton retirement and, placed at the head of the democratic forces, lead the party to that measure of success which a platform as the principal plank would give it.—Greensboro Telegram.

J. J. F. Archibald, a writer on industrial and sociological, themes who has recently returned from the anthracite mining regions of Pennsylvania, was interviewed the other day by a reporter of the Washington Post, and said that he did not take a sanguine view of the situation. "My own view," said he, "coincides with that of many citizens whom I interviewed in the coal regions, and that is that the recent strike has found only a temporary settlement. Any number of well informed men told me that they look for a renewal of the recent troubles at no distant day. Some of them thought that it would have been far better had no attempt at arbitration been made from Washington."—Charlotte News.

The Post sees no necessity for indulging in campaign roorbacks, and therefore does not indulge. The Democratic ticket does not need such help surely and a decent regard for the already dead forbids a wanton employment of the ridiculous. We leave this "last noble effort" for the Pete Alkalis and Weary Willies of the party who may thus earn the privilege of indulging their predatory inclinations into the various party fields, according to prospects. And such specially as can feel proud and boast of a reputation for influence based only on falsehood and slander should be left to the wild-cat, roorback performers. The intelligent, decent Democracy of the State will win in spite of such annoyances and interferences.—Raleigh Post.

Teachers Association.

I desire to call the attention of the teachers of Pitt county again to the fact that on next Saturday we meet in Greenville to organize a Teachers' Association. I cordially invite every teacher in a private school in the county to unite heartily with us in the work. Again I would say to the teachers in the public schools that the interest you show by your attendance upon these meetings will indicate the interest you have in your work. I shall expect every one of you here next Saturday. The Board of Education and the Committeemen of the county are specially urged to be with us. Some have asked me who might attend. We are anxious to have with us all who feel an interest in the advancement of the educational interest of the county.

A gold medal and pen will be presented during the exercises as was indicated in the call for the meeting.

Nearly all who have been assigned places upon the program have signified their acceptance, and we would be glad to have every one who will come with us. The organization promises much. Don't fail to be present next Saturday. W. H. RAGSDALE, Co. Supt. Schools.

Miss Goldie Sneed, a teacher in the public schools near Asheville, quite an intelligent young lady, was married last evening to a Mr. Pratt. On Friday night the young couple attended a meeting at Providence church, where a revival meeting was being held by a Mr. Garrett, a Baptist minister of Winston, N. C. Before the minister began to preach the young woman exclaimed in church that she was dying, and was carried out into the fresh air. The minister came out to where she was and at once began to upbraid him for preaching in such a way as to scare those who heard him, especially the young. She was soon carried home and began to develop symptoms of insanity, becoming so excited that it required several persons to keep her quiet. A physician was soon summoned, who quieted her for awhile, but soon she became as excited as ever. Fears are entertained that she will have to be sent to the asylum. The husband is almost prostrated.

From one standpoint the most daring act of the present campaign was the introduction of the subject of eggs, by one of the spell-binders, and the relation thereto of the tariff, the Constitutional Amendment, the coal strike and other current issues. Hen fruit of the aged variety has sometimes played its part in the campaign experiences and we are amazed at the temerity of a speaker who voluntarily introduces so delicate and suggestive a subject.—Winston Sentinel.

A sealskin sack does not always warm the heart.

Silence is golden only when applied to the other fellow.

Some women's idea of being economical is to have their ball dresses cut lower.

Wise folks pay more attention to burying their own pasts than to digging up those of others.

The man who has nothing to boast of but his illustrious ancestry is like a potato—the only good belonging to him is underground.

House Burned.

Capt. R. Williams lost his country residence near Falkland, by fire Friday night. Particulars are not at hand. Capt. Williams was away at the time. The house was insured.



Pressing Business?

Unless your business is very pressing this would be a splendid time for you to drop in, just to look over our seasonable apparel for fall and winter wear. We'd be disappointed if we couldn't truthfully say that our Suits and Overcoats are "better than ever," it's a sign that we are keeping in front each season by getting new ideas and improving old ones.

This fall we say "better than ever" with unusual emphasis. We shall be pleased to have you see our display, whether you come to buy or merely to look; it's worth seeing. Your welcome to try on as many garments as you please.

The new Fall Haberdashery and the new Hats are ready. There is something new at this store almost every day.

FRANK WILSON, The King Clothier.

PERSONAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People Met With in the Social World

Jack Cherry went to Norfolk today.

Wyatt Brown has returned from Raleigh.

Miss Mary Moyer has returned from Wilson.

H. C. Kinsauls has returned from Baltimore.

Leon Tucker returned Saturday from the State fair.

W. C. Dudley, of Washington, spent Sunday here.

Will Evans and wife have returned from the state fair.

Mrs. J. J. Willis returned Saturday evening from Dunn.

District Attorney Harry Skinner came in Saturday evening.

Miss Ella Nobles has returned home from the fair at Raleigh.

Miss Jerusha Whedbee is visiting her brother, H. W. Whedbee.

F. A. Moyer has returned from the Christian Convention at Wilson.

R. C. Flanagan, of Washington, D. C., came in Saturday evening, to visit his mother.

C. E. Rountree, Jesse Smith, Frank Cowell and Closs Hearn spent Sunday in Washington.

Mrs. John Flanagan, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Blanche, and her son, R. C. Flanagan, returned from Washington, D. C., Saturday.

Temperance Lecture.

Rev. Mr. Vaughn, of Virginia, a temperance lecturer, spoke to a small audience at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Vaughn is an earnest speaker, and presents a very strong argument for temperance and prohibition. He made a good impression on those who heard him.

Pitt county Democrats talk about taking the banner away from Johnston county this year by giving a Democratic majority of 3,000.—Raleigh News & Observer.

Yes, watch us do it tomorrow.

Chrysanthemum display Tuesday from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. at Parke Place Greenhouses.

MRS. D. D. HASKETT.

Circus Man Killed.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 31.—During the performance of Forepaugh and Sells circus at Albany, Ga., this afternoon, Minting, one of the performers, was seriously, possibly fatally injured.

Minting's act was the riding of a unicycle up a spiral tower forty feet high, descending in the same manner. This afternoon he made the ascent as usual, but when he jumped from his wheel at the top of the tower the platform gave way and he fell to the ground, striking the structure at three different places. He was badly bruised about the shoulders, had several ribs broken, and received several internal injuries, the extent of which has not yet been determined.

Robbery in Jamesville.

The store of Henry Stallings, at Jamesville, was entered by a thief Sunday night, who secured \$415 in money, besides the other valuables. Mr. Hines received a call to take his dogs over, but did not get in time to take the morning train. He left by private conveyance since noon to take the train at another point.

Mr. J. J. Laughinghouse, of Pitt county, was relieved of a small sum of money yesterday at the Fair. Some one ran his hands into his pants pockets as he was coming down the steps of the grand stand, taking his pocket-book, containing about \$3.00. Mr. Laughinghouse had taken warning and had put most of his money in his inside pocket.—Raleigh News & Observer.

For a Bad Cold.

If you have a bad cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Chocolates, Toothsome and Dainty, at Wootens Drug store.

The giggly wife makes a weeping husband.

Wiley's Chocolate—always fresh—at Wooten's Drug Store.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.
W. A. B. HEARNE, Associate Editor.

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One week,
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We desire a live correspondent at every post office 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.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1903.

An idea is a good thing to wear under the hat, to keep the head cool.

Let every body vote Tuesday. Then, if the country goes to the dogs you can charge it up to the other fellow.

What we all haven't learned from the last crop of political speeches is not down in the hand-book.

When some of them wake up Wednesday morning and find out where they are at, may be they won't be surprised.

The man who didn't know whether to get married and settle down or stay single and settle up was riding a quandary.

The fellow who said he would rather be a live coward than a dead hero undoubtedly preters to spend his summers over here.

The little girl who said that a woman was made out of the backbone of a man couldn't have bettered it if she had seen it done.

A little grading on Main street, with a few loads of dirt dumped into the worst holes, wouldn't cripple the town very much. Bonds wouldn't be required.

Put your trash in a barrel and give it to the garbage wagon. Dont sweep it out on the side walk, or over into your neighbors yard. You will be just as apt to have the typhoid as he will.

If politics could be stripped of every consideration but that of the greatest good to the greatest number, some of these fellows would be studying parliamentary chicanery from the little end of a potatoe hoe.

The fellow who took twenty-five cents a day of his wife's wash-tub earnings to booze on, and sold her body, when he got a chance, to a medical college, for the price of more booze, might give us a few on whether marriage is a failure.

Miss Hellen Gould does not find it necessary to get up monkey parties, &c., to break the monotony of existence. She finds exercise and pleasure in helping in benevolent and useful work, remarks the Wilmington Star. Miss Gould has discovered a novelty; and "helping in benevolent and useful work" will be a novelty to a great many people when the "monkey party" is forgotten.

Penn—I notice that a great many magazines have nonsense departments on their back pages. Stubb—Oh, yes; they have stopped publishing the "love letters of great men" now.

CHOATE'S ADVICE.

It Led a Choleric Client Into the Paths of Peace.

It seems always to have lain within the power of the distinguished lawyer and humorist, Rufus Choate, to lead a choleric client from ways of anger into the paths of peace. Just before the war a southern gentleman was dining with a friend in one of the best hotels of Boston. He was of French creole extraction, and his name was Delacour, says a writer in Lippincott's Magazine. The waiter was a colored man, and the southerner gave his orders in a very domineering fashion, finding fault freely with what was put before him and the way in which it was served. Finally the waiter became incensed and told Mr. Delacour to go to a place warm and remote. The latter sprang furiously to his feet and would have shot the offender dead if he had not been restrained by his wiser friend, who said:

"You can't do that sort of thing here. You will have to remember where you are."

"Do you suppose that I am going to put up with such insolence and not be revenged?" said the enraged man.

"Certainly not. But do it by process of law."

The landlord was first interviewed and the waiter discharged. That was not sufficient to satisfy the wounded feelings of Mr. Delacour. He asked who was the best lawyer in the city and was told it was Rufus Choate. Making his way to his office, he said:

"Mr. Choate, I want to engage you in a case. What will your retaining fee be?"

"About \$50."
The check was made out and handed over.

"Now," said the lawyer, "what are the facts of the case?"

He was told. Said Mr. Choate thoughtfully:

"I know the United States law on the subject well, and I know the law of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, and I can assure you, sir, that there is no power on earth strong enough to force you to go to that place if you don't want to go. And if I were you I wouldn't."

"Well," said the southerner, accepting the situation, "I think I'll take your advice." And they parted good friends.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Supply plenty of gravel to fowls that are being fattened in confinement.

Chickens should never be allowed to go on the roosts until ten or twelve weeks old.

Lime is a purifier and should be used as a wash on the coops, perches and nest boxes.

If a hen lays soft shelled eggs, give her plenty of gravel, oyster shells and crushed bone.

Ducks should be allowed as much liberty as possible. They are not partial to confinement.

Flat eggs, eggs within eggs, double yolked eggs and other unnatural formations are due to the hens being over-fat.

Geese may be fattened on any kind of grain if fed all that they will eat for about ten days before sending them to market. Corn, peas and barley are best.

Young chicks of fancy breeding should not be permitted to roost on perches until after they are eight months old, as it often causes crooked breast bones.

Accumulating filth is a prolific source of disease, especially gapes. After the poultry yard is cleaned up sprinkle it well with diluted carbolic acid and a little copperas.

Adding Insult to Injury.

She had just handed him the frosty mitt, but he was game to the last hurdle.

"If you are ever in trouble," he said, "do not hesitate to lift up your voice, and you will find me 'Johnny on the spot.'"

"I'm in trouble now," answered the human refrigerator, with a sigh long drawn out.

"And, behold," exclaimed the unsuspecting youth, "I am here."

"Yes," she said, "that's the trouble."
—Chicago News.

No, Not You.

"Mamma, what was that fuzzy bundle you took out of papa's vest pocket and threw in the fireplace just now?"

"That was an accumulation of household recipes your father cut out of the papers downtown and put away for my benefit. I have to clean them out of his pocket about once a month."
—Chicago Tribune.

A Faulty Appraisal.

Mr. Spriggins prides himself on understanding the value of money.

"And that's where Mr. Spriggins makes a mistake," said the liberal man. "He expects a dollar to buy two or three times as much as it has any right to and is continually being annoyed and disappointed."
—Washington Star.

Fatal to His Candidacy.

"You have just as much right and theoretically just as good a chance as anybody else to be president," says the patriotic citizen to his neighbor.

"I cannot agree with you," sighs the neighbor. "We have no children, and that fact alone would lose me the photographers' vote."
—Judge.

A Corner in Eggs.

"That old hen just seems to be bursting with pride," remarked the farmer's dog.

"Pride? Nothing of the sort. It's eggs," replied the Leghorn rooster. "She thinks she's a financier, and she's trying to stop laying until there's a rise in price."
—Exchange.

Mail Orders Solicited. Prompt attention

Departments of the Big Store.

Special attention to mail orders

Each and every department separate and distinct from the other, covering immense floor space. That store is

C. T. Munford's Big Store,

242 and 244 W. Main St., Greenville, N. C.

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, inghams and Domestic.

In these great departments one of the largest stocks of both Imported and Domestic Dress Goods, Trimmings, etc., can be found, bought in large quantities at the lowest cash prices and sold the same way.

Tailor-Made Jackets and Ready-to-wear Garments.

All of the best Calicoes sold at only 4c. the yard.

3 Trimmers
5 Assistants

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By far the largest and most select stock of Imported Ready-to-wear and Pattern Hats ever brought South. Over 100 shapes to select from. No two Pattern Hats trimmed alike. Everything new, bright, stylish, attractive to be seen in this department. Prices the very lowest for good work.

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Pairs of Shoes to select from. We carry the celebrated Ziegler Bros. Shoes for ladies and children, which means to every lady that she has got a pair of stylish, up-to-date, don't-nurt-your-feet Shoes. Our men's shoes were never so stylish and up-to-date as we are now showing. Recollect 9876 pairs to select from—all sizes and kinds.

By far the largest and most select line of All-Wool Clothing ever brought to Greenville. We have all the latest styles, cuts and weaves for men, boys and children. Come and look. Nine salesmen to wait on you, whether you buy or not.

October==for 10 Days only.

Heavy bleached all-linen Table Damask, 70 inches wide, worth \$1.00, our price, 50c. yard

Bleached Table Damask, 58 inches wide, worth 50c. our price only 25c. yard

Furniture and House Furnishing Goods.

Consisting of Tapestry and Brussels Carpets, all wool Ingrain Rugs, Mattings, Parlor Suits, Morris Chairs, Rockers, Cribs, Cradles and Baby Carriages, Easels, Pictures, Picture Frames, Lace Curtains, Poles, Trunks, Valises.

See our line of White Enameled Bedsteads, Cribs and Single Bedsteads.

C. T. Munford's The Big Store

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD CO.
CONDENSED SCHEDULE
TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATE	May 5th, 1902	May 6th, 1902	May 7th, 1902	May 8th, 1902	May 9th, 1902	May 10th, 1902	May 11th, 1902	May 12th, 1902	May 13th, 1902	May 14th, 1902	May 15th, 1902
Leave Weldon	11:30	9:45	8:00	6:15	4:30	2:45	1:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00
Ar Rocky Mount	1:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00	2:15	3:30	1:45	0:00	8:15	6:30
Leave Tarboro	1:30	9:45	8:00	6:15	4:30	2:45	1:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00
Ar Rocky Mount	3:00	11:15	9:30	7:45	6:00	4:15	2:30	0:45	9:00	7:15	5:30
Leave Wilson	3:30	11:45	10:00	8:15	6:30	4:45	3:00	1:15	9:30	7:45	6:00
Leave Selma	4:00	12:15	10:30	8:45	7:00	5:15	3:30	1:45	10:00	8:15	6:30
Ar Fayetteville	4:30	12:45	11:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00	2:15	10:30	8:45	7:00
Ar Florence	5:00	1:15	9:30	7:45	6:00	4:15	2:30	0:45	11:00	9:15	7:30
Ar Goldsboro	5:30	1:45	10:00	8:15	6:30	4:45	3:00	1:15	11:30	9:45	8:00
Ar Goldsboro	6:00	2:15	10:30	8:45	7:00	5:15	3:30	1:45	12:00	10:15	8:30
Ar Magnolia	6:30	2:45	11:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00	2:15	12:30	10:45	9:00
Ar Wilmington	7:00	3:15	11:30	9:45	8:00	6:15	4:30	2:45	1:00	11:15	9:30

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATE	May 5th, 1902	May 6th, 1902	May 7th, 1902	May 8th, 1902	May 9th, 1902	May 10th, 1902	May 11th, 1902	May 12th, 1902	May 13th, 1902	May 14th, 1902	May 15th, 1902
Leave Florence	10:00	8:15	6:30	4:45	3:00	1:15	9:30	7:45	6:00	4:15	2:30
Ar Fayetteville	12:45	11:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00	2:15	0:30	8:45	7:00	5:15
Leave Selma	1:15	9:30	7:45	6:00	4:15	2:30	0:45	9:00	7:15	5:30	3:45
Ar Wilson	3:30	11:45	10:00	8:15	6:30	4:45	3:00	1:15	10:30	8:45	7:00
Ar Wilmington	5:45	4:00	2:15	0:30	8:45	7:00	5:15	3:30	1:45	9:30	7:45
Ar Magnolia	6:15	4:30	2:45	1:00	9:15	7:30	5:45	4:00	2:15	10:30	8:45
Ar Goldsboro	6:45	5:00	3:15	1:30	9:45	8:00	6:15	4:30	2:45	11:00	9:15
Ar Rocky Mount	7:15	5:30	3:45	2:00	10:15	8:30	6:45	5:00	3:15	11:30	9:45
Ar Tarboro	7:45	6:00	4:15	2:30	10:45	9:00	7:15	5:30	3:45	12:00	10:15
Ar Rocky Mount	8:15	6:30	4:45	3:00	11:15	9:30	7:45	6:00	4:15	12:30	10:45
Ar Weldon	8:45	7:00	5:15	3:30	11:45	10:00	8:15	6:30	4:45	1:00	9:15

Yadkin Division
Main Line—Train leaves Wil-
mington 9:10 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12:30 p. m.,
leaves Fayetteville 12:42 p. m., arrives San-
ford 1:58 p. m., returning leaves Sanford
8:10 p. m., arrives Fayetteville 4:30 p. m.,
leaves Fayetteville 4:40 p. m., arrives Wilmington
7:30 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Ben-
nettsville 8:10 a. m., Maxton 9:05 a. m., Red
Springs 9:23 a. m., Parkton 10:41 a. m.,
Hope Mills 10:55 a. m., arrives Fayetteville
11:10 a. m., returning leaves Fayetteville 6:00 p. m.,
Hope Mills 6:25 p. m., Red Springs 5:53
p. m., Maxton 6:16 p. m., arrives Bennettsville
7:35 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No.
78 at Maxton with the Carolina Centra-
l 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., ar-
rives Scotland Neck at 4:10 p. m., Greenville 4:45
p. m., Kinston 5:45 p. m., returning leaves Kinston
7:25 a. m., Greenville 8:55 a. m., arriving Halifax
at 11:35 a. m., Weldon 11:50 a. m., daily except
Sundays.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Wash-
ington 8:00 a. m. and 1:45 p. m., arrive Farmville 9:15
a. m. and 3:10 p. m., returning leave Farmville 9:15
a. m. and 5:22 p. m., arrive Washington 10:35 a. m.
and 6:15 p. m., daily except Sundays.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday
at 4:35 p. m., Sunday 4:35 p. m., arrives Ply-
mouth 6:55 p. m., 8:30 p. m., returning, leaves Ply-
mouth daily, except Sunday, 7:30 a. m. and Sun-
day 9:00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a. m., 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Golds-
boro daily, except Sunday, 5:00 a. m., arriving
Smithfield 6:10 a. m., returning leave Smithfield
7:30 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:20 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky
Mount at 4:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m., arrive Nashville
10:30 a. m., 4:25 p. m., Spring Hope 11 a. m., 4:45
p. m., returning leave Spring Hope 11:30 a. m., 5:15
p. m., Nashville 11:45 a. m., arrive at Rocky
Mount 12:10 a. m., 6:50 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for
Clinton daily, except Sunday, 8:30 a. m. and 1:15
p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7:00 a. m. and
10:00 p. m.

Trains No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon
for all points North daily, all rail, via Pied-
mont.

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

CAROLINA & VIRGINIA Telephone Company,
Henderson N. C.

The following toll rates will be in effect on and after May 1st, 1902, subject to change and correction: From Greenville to

1. Ayden	10/21	Louisburg	40
2. Beaufort	50/22	Morehead City	45
3. Boydton	50/24	Nashville	30
4. Buffalo Springs	50/24	New Bern	30
5. Burlington	65/25	Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	50/26	Oxford	40
7. Chase City	55/27	Plymouth	30
8. Clarksville	50/28	Raleigh	30
9. Dunn	45/29	Roanoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	50/30	Rocky Mount	30
11. Enfield	50/31	Scotland Neck	30
12. Franklinton	45/32	Selma	40
13. Greensboro	75/33	Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	30/34	Spring Hope	35
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She—They say that he fairly worships the ground she walks on.
He—That's saying a great deal, when you consider what a golf fiend she is.

The Best Remedy For Croup.
[From the Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe.]

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of croup, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old-fashioned remedy for croup, known as hive syrup and tolu, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

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THE SENSE OF SIGHT

HOW AN INFANT SLOWLY LEARNS TO EXERCISE IT.

At First the Newborn Babe Has the Power Only to Distinguish Between Light and Darkness—The Development of the Power of Vision.
The sense most early exercised by the newborn infant is the sense of sight, but at first it has the power only to distinguish light from darkness and is in comparison with its later development blind, while in many of the lower creatures the senses are at birth fully developed.

What a difference there is between the dull eye of the newborn infant and the sharp vision of the young chick, which is able to pick up with precision a grain of corn or even snap up a fly while the eggshell may be still sticking to its back! The eye of the infant, however, is developed very gradually, and during infancy and childhood it learns how to see. In the first few days it notices the difference between light and darkness when the light is very intense, and it may even knit its brow in sleep if a bright light be brought close to its face.

On the same principle a striking bright color will also be noticed when held close to the face.
In all these cases, however, the infant follows the object by turning its head and not by the movement of the eyes.

The eyelids open and shut from birth, but they are not always moved at the same time with the movements of the eyeballs until the infant has reached the second or third month. Under two or three months of age infants do not wink when the hand or an object is waved before the face, because they do not see the hand distinctly.

One of the remarkable points of interest in the development of the infant's power of vision is the way in which it learns to appreciate the objects seen. It has to learn to discover the distance of objects, their shape, size, character, etc., and this it does with the assistance of the sense of touch.

The face of the mother or nurse is made familiar in that it is brought so close to the infant's face.

After the infant has learned to see objects distinctly at the distance of several feet it begins to use both eyes in common. At first the eyes act independently of each other, so that it undoubtedly has double vision and sees everything double. This double vision can be produced by many at will by looking "cross eyed."

The infant having reached the point when it sees an object clearly, it must also begin to understand objects of three dimensions—that is, to find out the difference between a flat surface and a solid body. Here the sense of touch also assists. The infant grasps an object and, putting it to its lips and face, satisfies itself as to the shape, character, etc.

It is interesting in this connection to note some cases in which a person born blind recovers sight when grown.
In one case a young man who had lost his sight in early infancy was so completely blinded that he could not distinguish even the strongest light from darkness.

After an operation on one eye had been successfully performed he began to see objects without understanding them—not being able to judge their distances from his eye—and he felt as if everything was touching his eye, so that to touch an object he at first would put one finger or the hand up before his face, pointing at the object aimed at, and reach forward until his finger came in contact with the object.

After he had recovered the use of both eyes he began to find out that everything was not flat, but that many things had a certain thickness as well as length and breadth, and in this way he began to see solid objects.
But even for a year or two after complete recovery he was unable to decide whether a certain figure was a flat surface, as in a painting, or a solid body.

He was also obliged to learn the different animals and objects, not knowing the difference between a cat and a dog until he had touched them.
We all go through just the same process of learning how to see in infancy. The child may be two or three years, or even older, before it has control over its eyes and can judge of the distance of objects in the room, etc.

The care of the eye is a question of great importance for mothers and nurses. The eyes of newborn infants should be carefully washed with fresh, clear water, and if anything unusual is noticed the physician should be seen. The infant's eyes are specially to be protected against too bright a light. It is by no means an uncommon thing to see a nurse wheeling a young infant in the carriage while the bright sun is pouring into the child's eyes. This does not argue against taking infants into the sun when the weather is not too warm, but the eyes should always be protected against the bright glare, whether direct or reflected.

He Wasn't One of the Two.
Uncle George—You are always complaining about your wife's bad temper, but you know it takes two to make a quarrel.
Harry—In this case the two are my wife and my wife's mother.—Boston Transcript.

Overplayed Themselves.
"Confound it!" exclaimed the sallow dyspeptic in the fifth row, under his breath. "We've overdone the applause. Instead of merely coming out and bowing her thanks, she's going to sing again."—Chicago Tribune.

Child labor is an undesirable "infant industry."—Boston Herald.

CORN BREAD.

And Recollections of the Days of the Hoe and Flapjacks.

With good meal and a cook following the lessons and traditions of the old regime delicious bread may be baked of Indian meal. But we have grave doubts whether it can be baked as well in a stove as in an open fireplace; but, alas, of the latter only a few remain.
The ashcake, of course, must have ashes. They are indispensable. As well try to produce a mint julep without mint. On the other hand, "flapjacks" need only a well greased frying pan, but skill is required to turn them. That is done by pitching them out of the pan into the air and making them come down flap on the other side. The corn pone may be cooked in a stove or range.

The hoe cake was originally cooked on a hoe in the fields and in the negro cabin. A skillet will do well enough for it, but must be well greased at the bottom. So, too, with respect to egg or batter bread. As for corn muffins, the appliances of a range are admirably adapted to them.

We wish some millionaire would fit up a Virginia country home in antebellum style and among other things have in it a big open fireplace, a black cook in a gingham dress, with a red bandanna on her head, and also have an old time garden filled with raspberries and gooseberries, thyme, sage, currants and all the ordinary table vegetables.

When one of those old time homes and gardens and kitchens is restored and the host and hostess have entered into possession, we desire to be listed as a frequent guest, with a reserved seat in the chimney corner. Then all we shall want will be the zest, the appetite, the voraciousness we possessed when we could eat eighteen rolls and six eggs for breakfast and consume a whole watermelon between meals. But, alas, it would be easier to restore old walls and open fireplaces than to bring back the digestion and storage capacity of a youth that's gone, of a time that's past and never can return.—Richmond Dispatch.

THE COOKBOOK.

Put a pinch of bicarbonate of soda in the water when boiling salmon. This makes it a beautiful red color.

When roasting fowls, put them into an intensely hot oven until carefully browned; after that cook slowly, basting frequently.

When gravy is being made from roast veal, lamb, beef or chicken, use milk instead of water added to the brown drippings left in the pan after the fat has been poured off.

Before baking a bluish fish the creole cooks pour over it a sauce made from fresh or canned tomatoes in which garlic is chopped. It is then baked until the flesh of the fish flakes, admitting the sauce.

For a quick cake beat until thick four eggs; add four tablespoonsful of sugar, half a cupful of flour, a little cinnamon and lemon rind; beat well and spread on a baking pan; bake in quick oven and eat at once.

Cooking teachers say that the ingredients for pancakes, fritters and the like should be mixed fully two hours before the batter is needed. This, they explain, gives the flour a chance to swell, and the batter is better and more wholesome.

A Clever Horse.
A great many horses are fed on the streets from "catbags" drawn up over their noses and wabbling about in a manner which must make it very uncomfortable to eat one's dinner in that way. The Boston Herald tells of a bright horse down in "Pie Alley" which had nearly reached the bottom of his bag. It wobbled awfully, but the oats were sweet and he was hungry. In front of him stood a wagon, and the wagon had a wheel. Happy thought! He walked up to the wheel, rested his canvas bag on the top of it and finished his dinner to the last oat in a comfortable, leisurely fashion and with a twinkle in his eye. If that was not a triumph of mind over matter, what was it?

How to Keep Young.
One of the secrets of keeping young, vigorous and supple jointed is to continue to practice the activities of youth and to refuse to allow the mind to stiffen the muscles by its suggestion of age limitations. If men like Peter Cooper and William E. Gladstone, who kept up the vitalizing exercises of robust manhood when far into the eighties, had succumbed at forty to the thought of approaching age, how much of their valuable life work would have remained undone!—Success.

A Surety.
"Somehow," said the girl in blue, "I can't help wishing I had accepted him."
"Why, dear?" asked the girl in gray.
"Why, he swore that he'd never be happy again, and I'm afraid he is."
"Ah, yes," commented the girl in gray reflectively. "As matters are now you can't be sure that he isn't, but if you'd married him you could make sure of it."—Chicago Post.

Depends on Circumstances.
She—Do you regard marriage as a necessity or a luxury?
He—Well, when a man marries a cross-eyed girl who says silly things, whose nose turns up at the end and whose father is worth about \$2,000,000, I should say it was a necessity.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Matter For Wonder.
Mrs. Peck (who has returned from Niagara)—I stood speechless—
Mr. Peck—Wonderful, wonderful! (To himself)—I wonder how Niagara did it?—Detroit Free Press.

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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.
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C.S. FORBES

IN THE SHADOW OF THE JOSS

By JESSIE JULIET KNOX

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A shower of almond blossoms, a low, musical laugh, and the world had just begun for the young Ah Gong.

It was the week of the Chinese New Year, the time when every heart Celestial beats with joy, and the heart of the handsome young Chinaman beat with more than the usual allotment of joy as he glanced upward to find the source of the snowy shower of the omnipresent almond blossom. Was it a woman who had dared? In that glance upward his whole soul went out to the owner of the sweet, piquant face as it leaned far out over a mass of Chinese lilies and almond blossoms, and his young heart thrilled with something that went straight to the heart of the fair one, the one who dared.

With all the coquetry of her sex, she smiled upon him in a sweet, shy way not to be resisted by one of the temperament of Ah Gong. Who could wonder that in the sweet intoxication of that glance he forgot that he had a wife? A wife who was old and ugly and like a piece of parchment, not a sweet, dimpled, perfumed thing like this!

The fair one, Ah Leen, had been burning her incense before the good Joss and had bowed her pretty head, glistening with jewels, so many times upon the rugs and waved her sandalwood sticks so dutifully. And while doing this it had seemed to her maiden heart that it must be lovely to be good, as good as Joss would like one to be, and after her devotions she had stepped out upon the long balcony overlooking the streets in order to gaze upon the ever changing crowd.

The narrow streets were lined with almond blossoms and lilies, and in front of every door and on all the picturesque balconies, swayed by the breeze, glowed the great, round lanterns, and in every doorway were the little bowls of burning incense and the red papers to scare away the devil. Far up in the latticed windows burned large red candles and from these same windows peeped happy faces.

Ah Gong looked again, and the more he looked the more was he convinced that his soul was in great peril and that it was absolutely imperative that he should at once repair to the joss-house and supplicate the gods. He suddenly remembered that he had been very lax in that respect lately, and with a boldness quite remarkable for one who cared nothing for these things he mounted the stairway and well—"hearts are hearts the weary world over." There comes a time to every one when the sound of one voice and the glance from two eyes have the power to thrill our heartstrings and make one forget everything except the intoxication of being loved. That time had come for the aristocratic little Chinese maiden, and through no fault of hers. It was fate—that was all.

She said to the maid: "Ah, Suey, look! You think bimbeby he come? My hair—is it pretty? My lips—are they red? What makes me feel so strange? Will the good joss be angry?"

"No, no. You are beautiful; more beautiful than the almond flower! Your eyes are stars, your mouth a rose, your heart speaks—listen!"

And, listening, she heard and saw with the eyes of her soul, and then— he came, and with his coming life was changed.

First, as the maid reported through the chinks of the carved woodwork, he burned his incense sticks and little red papers before the great joss, his silken robes clinging gracefully to his lithe form the while, and then he placed his New Year's card, a long slip of red paper with his name in Chinese letters, on the carved table.

His devotions over, what more natural than that he, too, should repair to the balcony to look down upon the crowd? What more natural than that the little Ah Leen should drop her fan at that precise moment? She really did not mean to do it, but she was so startled by the appearance of the one upon whom she had showered her almond blossoms. He was not like any one she had ever seen. He was so strong and handsome and young, not in the least like the vicious old Gum Ching, the highbinder to whom her father had promised her in marriage.

It was also quite natural that Ah Gong should pick up the perfumed fan and return it to the fair unknown with a light pressure of the hand and a thrilling glance from his dark eyes.

Ah Suey might have been deaf, dumb and blind for aught one could notice to the contrary. Like the well trained little maid she was, she saw and heard nothing. The two conversed as readily as if they had known each other forever, and for a time Ah Leen forgot that she was promised to old Gum Ching. She meant no harm. She was only a young thing and human, and she had a tender, innocent heart which had never before been touched. But tonight she knew as she looked into the eyes of this man that life would never again be the same.

After hearing her sad story he mentally registered a vow that she should never wed the highbinder.

They must meet again, but how and where? It was the deaf and dumb Ah Suey who spoke at this moment and suggested the theater. The theater—ah, yes! As this was only the first night of the New Year she would be allowed her liberty for a week! A week of bliss was before her if only she

could play well her cards. And he did not remember until he had left her that he did not think to tell her he was married.

She and her maid leisurely took their departure from the place, with a gully look at the joss as they passed, and toddled along through the narrow, blossom lined streets to their home. She slept that night with her lips on the dainty sandalwood fan he had touched, and no premonition of evil disturbed her slumbers.

Next day she was happy in the thought that she was to see him again. Was ever a day so long? The maid dressed her hair more gorgeously than she had ever done before and covered it with jeweled ornaments. The pretty lips were dyed a vivid red, the cheeks were tinted and the eyes blackened. The long finger nails were manicured most carefully, and when at last she was ready a more beautiful picture cannot be imagined.

With loudly beating hearts the two girls wended their way to the large theater. Pushing through the mass of Celestials who were literally packed into every available niche of the place, they ascended with hundreds of other women and children to the balcony next the roof.

They could look down on the stage. The tomtoms were clanging noisily and the shrill notes of the stringed instruments rose high in unison with the sharp falsettos of the men who were impersonating women. The air was heavy with the ever present odor of opium, but Ah Leen hardly knew what was going on about her. She had told him that she would remain only long enough to be seen at the theater, so soon the two girls slipped out unnoticed in the crowd and met Ah Gong in a little dressing room back of the stage. Passing on, down some narrow steps, they found themselves winding through tortuous underground corridors.

Ah Leen was completely mystified, but she had no fear of anything except separation from this wonderful being. At last they slipped into one of the small compartments on either side of the opium scented passageway, and there, chaperoned by the little maid, they enjoyed several hours of uninterrupted bliss.

Ere they had parted they had agreed to meet again the next night at the joss-house. When the young Ah Gong stepped out into the pure air, he felt something pushed forcibly into his hand. A horrible fear stole upon him. He glanced quickly in every direction, but could see no one who looked as if he had done this thing. The Celestials toddled along just the same, the almond blossoms still retained their fragrance and yet—this man had just received his death warrant. On the little slip of red paper in his trembling hand he read: "You shall die like a dog; the reason, Ah Leen."

Knowing well that the highbinders always kept their vows, all hope died within him.

"To die," he groaned, "when she loves me! I must see her! Perhaps we can escape if we hasten!"

Ah Leen had gone home another way. He could not warn her.

"I will see her tomorrow night. Perhaps we can escape!"

Meanwhile Ah Leen was happy.

Again fell the night. Ah Leen was first at the rendezvous, and the dutiful Ah Suey was eagerly watching through the chinks of the carved wood.

"He comes! He comes! He is fairer than the sun! See! He kneels before the joss! He burns the incense! He— Just then sudden darkness fell on the place. They could not understand. They were afraid.

It lasted only a moment. The tapers were relighted, and before the trembling Ah Leen could realize what had happened she felt her tender little body seized in the rough grasp of some one and felt his hot breath on her pretty face. With a scream of horror she looked into the yellow face, and then all hope died within her, for it was Gum Ching, the highbinder. Forcing her upon her tiny feet while Ah Suey was made prisoner by one of his accomplices, he brought her out into the temple, saying:

"You mine now. I never let you go! You go no more to meet Ah Gong!"

And then she beheld the brave and handsome one, the one whose warm lips had so lately clung to hers, lying dead in the shadow of the joss.

Wouldn't Do For a Minister.

A carping old Scotchwoman said to her pastor one day:

"Dear me, meensters mak' muckle adae about their hard work. But what's twa bits o' sermons in the week tae mak' up? I cud dae it masel'."

"Weel, Janet," said the minister, "let's hear ye."

"Come awa' wi' a text, then," quoth she.

He repeated, with emphasis: "It is better to dwell in the corner of the housetop than with a brawling woman and in a wide house."

Janet fired up instantly.

"What's that ye say, sir? Dae ye intend onything personal?"

"Stop, stop!" broke in her pastor. "You wud never dae for a meenister."

"An' what for no?" asked she sharply.

"Because, Janet, you come ower soon tae the application!"

Durability of Wood.

In some tests made with small squares of various woods buried one inch in the ground the following results were obtained: Birch and aspen decayed in three years, willow and horse chestnut in four years, maple and red beech in five years, elm, ash, hornbeam and Lombardy poplar in seven years; oak, Scotch fir, Weymouth pine and silver fir decayed to a depth of half an inch in seven years; larch, juniper and arbor vitae were uninjured at the expiration of the seven years.


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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 5-16	81-16
Middling	8 1/2	8 1/2
St. Low Middling	8 1/2	8
Low Middling	8	7 1/2

PEANUTS:

Fancy	2 1/2	2 1/2
Strictly Prime	2 1/2	2 1/2
Prime	2	2
Low Grades	1 1/2	1 1/2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

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

New York Futures:

	Closed Today.	Yesterday
Nov.	8.32	8.31
Dec.	8.41	8.41
Jan.	8.49	8.50

Liverpool Futures:

Dec. & Jan.	4.40	4.40
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Chicago Markets:

Sept. Wheat	7 1/2	7 1/2
Jan. Ribs	8.12	8.10
Sept. Corn	50 1/2	50 1/2

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY
J. B. CHERRY & CO.

	Today.	Yesterday.
Middling	7 1/2	7 1/2

NOTICE.

All persons who are indebted to the Pitt county Buggy Company are requested to come forward and settle at once and save cost of collection.
EDWARDS & COBB.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

Read It Carefully Before You Vote.

Below are the names that appear upon the Democratic State ticket that will be voted on the 4th of November. When you go to vote read your ticket carefully and see that every one of these names are on it. There is reason to fear that bogus tickets will be circulated on election day and every Democrat should be careful not to vote one with a wrong name on it.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, James Y. Joyner, Guilford county.

Member of North Carolina Corporation Commission, Eugene C. Beddingfield, Wake county.

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Walter Clark, Wake county.

Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, Henry G. Connor, Wilson county. Platt D. Walker, Mecklenburg county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Second Judicial District, Robert B. Peebles, Northampton county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Fourth Judicial District, Charles M. Cooke, Franklin county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Sixth Judicial District, William E. Allen, Wayne county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Eighth Judicial District, Walter H. Neal, Scotland county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Tenth Judicial District, Benjamin F. Long, Iredell county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Eleventh Judicial District, Erastus B. Jones, Forsyth county.

Judge of the Superior Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, William B. Council, Catawba county.

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CARL PARKER, Resident Agent.

A Thanksgiving Dinner.

Heavy eating is usually the first cause of indigestion. Repeated attacks inflame the mucous membranes lining the stomach, exposes the nerves of the stomach, producing a swelling after eating, heartburn, headache, sour risings and finally catarrh of the stomach. Kodol relieves the inflammation, protects the nerves and cures the catarrh. Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia, all stomach troubles by cleansing and sweetening the glands of the stomach. Jno. L. Wooten.

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The System in New York and How It is Operated.

Greater New York is thickly studded with lamppost fire alarm boxes. The directions on each box, which is painted red and is surmounted at night by a red light, are:

"Turn handle to right until door opens; then pull inside hook once and shut the door." The opening of the box rings a large bell in the door, which alarm is intended to notify any one in the neighborhood, especially the nearest policeman, that the box has been opened. The policeman will then make sure that this was not done out of mischief by some one who wanted to see the engines arrive or, as recently happened, by a raw maid servant who wanted to mail a letter. When the inside lever is pulled down and let go, it sets in motion a certain clockwork that ticks out the number of the box three times in succession at headquarters in Sixty-seventh street. Not only that, but it makes a record upon a tape, showing the number of the box and the exact second at which the lever was pulled.

A clerk who sits night and day beside the headquarters instrument notes the number and selects from a drawer a certain disk which when inserted in the proper apparatus causes the alarm to be rung in the station houses of the district in which that firebox is situated. The average time required to select this disk and send out the alarm is ten seconds. There are always two clerks and sometimes three in this department. Not a word is spoken. An outsider would hardly know that an alarm is going out. In order to prevent several alarms coming at the same time from people who see the same fire and run to different boxes on the same circuit—Scribner's.

Some of the cats in Liberia are of a bright red tint, and they are very conspicuous in the moonlight.

The cry of a young seal when wounded or about to be attacked resembles that of a child in distress, and tears flow from its eyes.

The common herring is the most difficult of all marine creatures to catch alive for an aquarium. A whale is the most difficult to preserve alive.

Cranes, storks and wild geese fly fast enough to make the trip from northern Europe to Africa in a week, but most of them rest north of the Mediterranean.

A fox is dainty as well as crafty and prefers the tongues of lambs for food. He has been seen to chase sheep until they, on becoming tired, hung out their tongues, which he then tears off and eats.

A caterpillar cannot see more than a centimeter ahead—that is to say, less than two-fifths of an inch. The hairs on the body are said to be of as much use as its eyes in letting it know what is going on around.

Her New Jacket.

A naval officer engaged in ordnance duty on a home station was given to talking in his sleep. One night he awakened his wife by starting up in bed and exclaiming in accents of plying distress:

"She must have a new jacket! I must manage to get one for her!"

The wife, knowing her husband's slumbers had never before been disturbed by the requirements of her wardrobe, became vastly agitated and gripped him by the arm.

"William! William!" she breathed earnestly into his ear, hope meanwhile rising high in her breast. "Who is she?"

"My three inch gun!" sighed the overtaxed ordnance man.