

Ricks & Wilkinson

A Merry Christmas

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS.

Do you know what we have at our store? St. Nicholas has made his headquarters with us and his stock of Christmas gifts is at your command. We doubt if you ever realized the tremendous range of goods suitable for presents that we carry in our stock, from an overcoat to a swell suit to a handkerchief. Come in and see how satisfactorily and inexpensively you can make up your Christmas list.

As there will be a change in the firm January 1st, we will sell our entire stock of Clothing and Overcoats at cost. Come early and you can be served best.

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DIGESTINE IS A WINNER.

Givers of Christmas Gifts

Can solve the vexing problem of "what to give" by visiting our popular drug store. We have made an especial effort this season to provide for your Christmas wants in the way of presents, novelties, etc. Bear in mind, we sell no trash. Every article that we offer you is first-class—we don't handle any other kind. Our stock of

High Grade JEWELRY

is complete and very attractively priced. Our line of

SOLID GOLD STICK PINS

is the finest for miles around. Sterling silver and ebony mounted Toilet sets that are beauties—just the very thing for "my lady's boudoir." Perfumery of a high grade. Holiday Stationery that is approved by the cream of society, Hundreds of beautiful and useful articles for holiday presents.

Merscham and French Briar Pipes from famous makers. This is a present that will please almost any man who uses tobacco.

We are agents for Nunally's Candies.

Bryan and Nichols.

At all fountains, 5 cents

You can't eat too much if you drink "DIGESTINE." Try it

Get full Christmas—full of the new and popular favorite, "Digestine"

Winterville Department.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Dec. 24. During the remainder of this week our shops will be closed for the holidays. Some one will be in the office, however, extra time and our men have worked hard to get a few wagons, carts, buggies, &c on hand in case some should be wanted on short notice during Christmas times. Whether you wish to purchase or not, call in if possible and let us show you what we have on hand. It will also be a fine time for you to examine our unworked material, and see whether our boast of using only first grade is true. We are with kindest wishes that our many customers may have a merry Christmas.—The A. G. Cox Mfg. Co.

Both Sunday schools here have united their forces and with a special committee from each on arrangement everyone expects a treat at the school chapel. An old time Christmas tree.

The Rev. Mr. Eure, of Grimesland, was here on business Monday afternoon. We learn that he will locate here next year if a dwelling can be secured.

G. A. Kittrell returned from Buffalo Monday morning and says he found a little mail carrier at his house when he got back.

There was quite an excitement in our town Sunday afternoon when it was suddenly announced that there was a runaway match in our midst. Bud Joe, J. P., being called for, pronounced them one without any superfluous words and they departed in peace. The parties were Mr. Amos Averett and Miss Sallie Braxton, near Winterville.

Prof. Lineberry left Saturday morning to spend Christmas with his people in Robeson county.

Mrs. W. J. Wyatt and children, of Raleigh, arrived Monday morning to spend the holidays with relatives.

Prof. Nye left Monday to spend a few days with Mr. Nome Everett, of Gold Point.

A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. shipped a car load of ready woven wire fencing Monday.

Miss Letha McGlohon left last night for Kinston, where she will spend the holidays visiting friends.

A car load of selected hickory cart and wagon spokes for the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. arrived yesterday. As a proof that they use none but the best material, each set of these spokes after being carefully graded is weighed and only the heaviest are accepted as first class.

Misses Mollie Bryan and Hattie Kittrell left for Gold Point Saturday, where they will spend the holidays with Misses Lydia and Vivian Roberson.

Mrs. F. C. Nye has gone to be with her parents at Chapel Hill during the Holidays.

Notice.

The firing of fire-works, will be permitted in the town of Greenville from 6 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday Dec. 24th to 6 o'clock A. M. on Friday Dec. 26th 1902. All persons are expressly warned to refrain from doing any damage to either the person or property of any of the citizens of said town.

The permission to fire fire-works does not exempt any person from prosecution who so recklessly engages in their use as to do damage to any person or property.

H. W. WHEEDBEE, Mayor.
Dec. 23th, 1902.

All are cordially invited to examine Mrs. Higgs' holiday display. Be sure to call before making your Xmas purchases. Store open at night.

PERSONAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People Met With in the Social World

G. J. Woodard left Tuesday for Durham.

H. P. Hill left this morning for New Berne.

H. B. Phillips left this morning for Suffolk.

Fred Cox went to Kinston Tuesday evening.

J. L. Wray left this morning for Lynchburg.

W. M. Daniel left Tuesday evening for Dunn.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis went to Tarboro today.

O. H. Hobbs left this morning for Gates county.

C. C. Wilson left this morning for Richmond.

G. H. Ellis went to Kinston Tuesday evening.

A. M. Mosely returned to Ayden Tuesday evening.

David Jarvis left Tuesday evening for Kinston.

J. B. Jarvis came home Tuesday evening from Wilson.

Miss Apple Smith returned Tuesday evening from Taboro.

George Hadley, of LaGrange, came in Tuesday evening.

J. B. Harding returned Tuesday evening from school at Raleigh.

Richard White came home Tuesday evening from school at Oxford.

Johnnie White came home Tuesday evening from school at Raleigh.

Misses Mamie and Fannie Dixon left Tuesday evening for Winterville.

Miss Sudie Harding returned from school at Greensboro Tuesday evening.

Miss Lottie Blow came home Tuesday evening from school at Raleigh.

R. P. Cobb, of Charleston, arrived Tuesday evening to visit relatives.

Miss Nonie Blow came home Tuesday evening from school at Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Briley, of Charleston, came in Tuesday evening to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Dudley went to Ayden Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with her parents.

Dr. L. C. Skinner, of Parmele, came in Tuesday evening and returned this morning.

P. R. Outlaw, foreman of THE REFLECTOR, left this morning for Hertford to see "her."

Miss Gertie Bateman, of Plymouth, arrived Tuesday evening to visit Miss Jamie Bryau.

Miss Nell Skinner returned from Baltimore, Tuesday evening, where she had been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Humber and children left Monday evening for Beaufort to spend the holidays.

S. M. Daniel left Tuesday evening for Wilmington to resume his position with the Atlantic Coast Line.

Misses Bertha and Lena Dawson, of Littlefield, after spending the day here, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith, of Louisiana, arrived Tuesday evening and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cobb, of Norfolk, arrived Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ola Forbes.

Mrs. M. D. Riggs and daughter, Miss Riddle, of Newbern, who has been visiting Mrs. J. E. Dayberry, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, who were married in Tarboro Tuesday afternoon, arrived here on the evening train and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith. A reception was tendered them last night.

CHRISTMAS

Neckwear

If there is a man on earth who could not use, and would not be glad to receive a new Tie for a Christmas gift, where is he? We would like to see him. It's elegant. Yes, it's elegant. That is the only word that covers the territory and the only way we can describe our Christmas Neckwear display. Every smart swager shape, every new pattern in silk—every new kink is here. Four-in-hands, Ascots, Bows, Tecks, Puffs, Straight Ties, Imperials, etc. All are here in new designs. Our Neckwear display alone is well worth coming to see—what ever is "IT" in Neckwear we've got. Regardless of whatever else you may buy him, you can't miss it if you buy him a Christmas Tie.



FRANK WILSON,
The King Clothier.

G. W. Williams and family, of Rocky Mount, arrived Tuesday evening to visit his brother, E. C. Williams.

Mrs. L. J. Twizdale and Mrs. Annie Mary Kerney, of Middleburg, and Mrs. J. T. B. Hoover, of Henderson arrived Tuesday evening to visit Mrs. A. H. Taft.

Miss Cornelia Manning made a somewhat unexpected visit to Greenville, Tuesday night. She was on the train expecting to get off at Grindcol, but there was such a crowd of passengers that the train brought her by. She returned home this morning.

Scattering Sunshine.

Last week the "Bright Jewels," of Greenville, sent a barrel of evergreens of Mrs. Alden, president of "Sunshine," to be given to poor children in New York city. No doubt the children will be glad to read the following letter received by Mrs. G. E. Harris, their leader, and THE REFLECTOR takes pleasure in publishing it.
New York, December 20th, 1902.
Mrs. G. E. Harris, Greenville, N. C.
Dear Mrs. Harris:

Please accept our thanks for your thoughtfulness in sending stamped envelope, self-addressed, and also for sending 25 cents to pay drayage on barrel. It has not arrived yet, but of course may be here any day. We are over a thousand letters behind with our mail and so we can take time only to say "thank you" to friends. You help us scatter sunshine. Please tell your little ones that they are doing much to brighten lives of children who seldom see a green leaf. Faithfully yours in sunshine or shade.
CYNTHIA WESTOVER ALDEN,
President-General.

Disposed of the Money.

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church have sent \$40 of the amount received from the "Deestric School" to the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and have used the remaining \$24 to purchase supplies to be distributed among the poor of Greenville as a Christmas offering.

All persons who not have been refunded their school tax and bond tax are requested to call on the mayor before Jan. 1st and get the check for same. Further delay may cause trouble.

Mayors Court.

The following cases have been disposed of by Mayor Whedbee since last report:

W. E. Hooker, M. A. Hearne and John Henry Gray, riotous conduct and assault, fined \$1 each and costs, \$5.40.

L. H. Lee, riotous and disorderly conduct, fined \$5 and costs, \$7.20.

L. H. Lee, carrying concealed weapon, bound over to Superior court.

J. A. Dudley, firing pop crackers, fined \$2 and costs, \$3.20.

Noah Atkinson, drunk and down fined \$1 and costs, \$3.20.

Henry Baker, assault, fined \$1 and costs, \$2.20.

Buch Forbes, Joe Allen and H. S. Hardy, affray with dead'y weapons, bound over to Superior court.

Forbes-Dudley.

The following invitations have been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dudley request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Martha,
to
Mr. Ed Forbes,
on the evening of Wednesday, the thirty-first day of December, at half past three o'clock, at their home in Greenville, North Carolina, 1902.

Died.

Tuesday afternoon Mr. Samuel S. Moore, aged 26 years, died at his home near Bethel. He was a son of Elder Samuel Moore, and is the second of the latter's children to die in the last few weeks, and two others are now quite sick. The deceased leaves a wife and three small children. Messrs. D. C. Moore and T. J. Moore left this morning to attend the funeral to day.

Marriage this Evening.

At 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mr. J. T. Abrams, father of the bride, in West Greenville, Mr. H. W. Renfrew and Miss Lillie Abrams will be married by Rev. H. M. Eure. The attendants will be Mr. J. L. Mooring and Miss Delphia Abrams. A few friends, have been invited to the marriage.

The Daily Reflector.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.

EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Entered at the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class mail matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

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 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.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1902.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THE REFLECTOR extends the compliments of the season to our friends, far and near. May this be the happiest Christmas that ever came into your life, and may you enjoy the fullness of blessings from the Father of Him whose birth we celebrate.

In accordance with its custom THE REFLECTOR will observe Christmas by suspending business for a few days in order to allow our employees to celebrate the occasion promptly. There will be no further issue till Monday, December 29th, when we will begin another year's labor, we hope with renewed strength and faith and the good wishes of all. Merry, merry Christmas.

There is a bill now pending before Congress providing for the creation of a new bureau in the Department of Agriculture, to be known as the "Bureau of Public Roads." From our Raleigh Correspondent we gather the following facts about it:

"The bill is designed to secure a system of national, state and local co-operation in building standard public highways. It proposes the appropriation of \$75,000 for the establishment and expenses of the bureau, and of \$20,000,000 to be expended in road-building in the various states subject to any admirable system of agriculture. The plan is for any township or county that desires to build a certain road to get estimates through experts in the employ of the bureau as to the cost, etc., the road to be up to a certain standard, then the bureau will, if the road is approved, bear half of the expenses of the road-building, the other half to be borne by the township or by the county and state, as the case may be."

The purpose of this bill is worthy of all acceptance by North Carolina, and the only evil we can predict as a result of it would be the chance afforded certain politicians in the bureau to get more than their own from any township who attempted to build good roads this way. It is, perhaps, best and more charitable to believe that the new law would be administered honestly and faithfully, resulting in immense good to the public.

From a geographical standpoint the central portion of the state is entitled to the speakership of the House of Representatives. Four years ago the east was represented in the speakers' chair by Judge Connor, and two years ago the west secured it through the election of Hon. Walter Moore.

Let us hope the war in Venezuela will come to a close in time to make "Peace on earth, good will to men," a reality.

"It's not all of life to live and not all of death to die," means that there is a vast difference between life and living.

First, bow down and give thanks to the Master of Life for the coming into the world of the Babe of Bethlehem.

Lay in a stock of bandages and liniment for that boy who is dreaming of cannon crackers and torpedoes.

Don't try to discover the cost of your Christmas present. It's mean and narrow and little.

Boys will be boys and fireworks will be a nuisance.

Do some good for His sake.

Madame Elrado Will Establish an Orphanage.

Goldsboro, N. C., Dec. 20.—Madame Elrado, the palmist, widely known in this State, will soon retire from her profession and establish an orphanage at her home in Durham, N. C. She says her object is to provide in an humble way a comfortable home for a limited number of poor, parentless little ones. On her property she will undertake the cultivation of fruits and vegetables and from the receipts from these crops she hopes to be aided in her undertaking. The madame is a widow and has one child, a boy in the teens, whom she has comfortably provided for and who is doing well in New York.—News and Observer.

Nice Calendars.

THE REFLECTOR has received from the Chatanooga Medicine Co., of Chatanooga, Tenn., one of their handsome 12-sheet calendars for 1903. This calendar also contains patent weather signals for every day in the year. They will send one of the calendars to any address for 10 cents.

Edwards & Broughton, Raleigh, also sent us a beautiful calendar. On this is a handsome picture of our state flag printed in its true colors with our "Old North State Forever" just over it.

Politicians seem to be able to reform almost as easily as drunkards.

"The more the public hears about the squabbles of the 'lily-white' and colored Southern politicians who are chasing the offices, the more it feels inclined toward disgust with both factions. It is futile to expect that the Republican party in the South will ever amount to anything until it has a few leaders who are able to look beyond the nearest Federal job."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

A glass or two of water taken half an hour before breakfast will usually keep the bowels regular. Harsh cathartics should be avoided. When a purgative is needed, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are mild and gentle in their action. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Daniel W. Patrick has been named by the President as collector of custom of the district of Pamlico.

If you feel ill and need a pill Why not purchase the best? DeWitt's Early Risers Are little surprisers, Take one—they do the rest. W. F. Howell, Houston, Tex., writes—I have used Little Early Riser Pills in my family for constipation, sick headache, etc. To their use I am indebted for the health of my family.

The REFLECTOR Book Store has a lot of nice cigars put up expressly for Christmas sale and will make special prices on them Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Boxes of 50 at \$1, boxes of 12 at 25 cents. Get a box for your self or friend.

MUNFORD'S

Christmas Shopping Made Easy.

Packed, Jammed, Crowded. High Class Novelties, not the one day kind, but Up-to-date HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES

Shoes

The kind that makes Young and Old forget their troubles.

Lace Curtains

One third off regular prices.

\$1.50	Curtains, Christmas price,	\$1.00
\$2.25	" " "	\$1.50
\$3.00	" " "	\$2.50
\$4.50	" " "	\$3.50

Dress Goods

Nothing More Suitable or serviceable for Christmas Gifts.

BELTS

Newest Latest

12 Novelties

25c. to \$1.00

WINTER CLOTHING

Men's and Boys'--Reduced 25 to 40 per ct.

Axminster and Moquette RUGS

50 LATEST DESIGNS.

48 BED ROOM SUITS

25 HALL RACKS

MUNFORD'S

The Big Store, Greenville, N. C.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

SCHEDULES

AUGUST 14th, 1902

No. 48	Daily Except Sunday	No. 59
7:30 a.m.	Lv Kinross Ar	6:45 p.m.
8:30 a.m.	" Greenville " "	6:47 p.m.
9:05 a.m.	" Barnele " "	5:07 p.m.
10:00 a.m.	" Hobgood " "	4:27 p.m.
11:00 a.m.	Ar Pender Lv	3:35 p.m.
11:20 a.m.	" Weldon " "	3:15 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	Ar Norfolk Lv	9:00 a.m.
6:44 p.m.	Ar Petersburg Lv	7:47 a.m.
7:45 p.m.	" Richmond " "	9:05 a.m.
11:40 p.m.	" Washington " "	4:30 a.m.
7:15 a.m.	" New York " "	9:25 p.m.

FLORIDA.

	35	23
Lv Rocky Mount	10:37 p.m.	1:05 p.m.
Ar Columbia		10:55 p.m.
" Augusta	8:25 a.m.	
" Charleston	6:17 a.m.	11:15 p.m.
" Savannah	8:32 a.m.	3:00 a.m.
" Jacksonville	1:15 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
" Tampa	10:00 p.m.	7:10 a.m.
" Thomasville		10:50 a.m.
" Montgomery		6:20 p.m.

Pullman Sleeping and Dining Cars on Nos. 35 and 23 to Tampa and Jacksonville, Fla.
 H. M. EMERSON, W. J. CRAIG, Asst. Traffic Mgr. Gen. Pass. Agt.
 T. M. EMERSON, T. M. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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 9:30 a. m. L. H. Pender, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Sunday school 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.

EPISCOPAL.—Rev. W. E. Cox, 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.—Preaching second, and fourth Sunday in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor. Sunday school 3:00 P. M., W. E. Parzer, superintendent.

CATHOLIC.—No regular service.

LODGES

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

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meet every Wednesday evening. W. H. Dail, C. C.; T. M. Hooker, K. of R. and S.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17, meets every Tuesday evening. W. S. Atkins, N. G., D. D. Overton, Sec.

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, meet every first and third Thursday night in Odd Fellows Hall. J. Z. Gardner, Worthy heif; D. S. Smith, Sec.

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

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Clerk Superior Court, D. C. Moore.
 Sheriff, O. W. Harrington.
 Register of Deeds, B. Williams.
 Treasurer, J. B. Cherry.
 Coroner, C. O'H. Laughing-house.
 Surveyor, J. D. Cox.
 Commissioners, J. J. Iles, W. W. E. Horne, J. R. Barnhill, J. W. Page and J. R. Spier.
 Board meets every first Monday.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Mayor, H. W. Whedbee,
 Treasurer, H. L. Carr.
 Clerk, J. C. Tyson.
 Tax Collector, C. D. Rountree.
 Police, J. T. Smith chief, W. H. McGowan and S. I. Dudley.
 Aldermen, D. S. Spain, L. C. Arthur, Charles Cobb, B. F. Patrick, E. B. Fickler, E. L. Carr, W. R. Parker and B. F. Tyson.
 Board meets every first Thursday night.

Dr. D. L. James,

Dental Surgeon,
 Greenville, N. C.

How to Prevent Croup.

It will be good news to the mothers of small children to learn that croup can be prevented. The first sign of croup is hoarseness. A day or two before the attack the child becomes hoarse. This is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the rough cough appears, and it will dispel all symptoms of croup. In this way all danger and anxiety may be avoided. This remedy is used by many thousands of mothers and has never been known to fail. It is, in fact, the only remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

It doesn't take much of a merksman to draw a bead on beer.

A Timely Suggestion.

This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful house wife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is certain to be needed before the winter is over, and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system. In almost every instance a severe cold may be warded off by taking this remedy freely as soon as the first indication of the cold appears. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no harmful substance. It is pleasant to take—both adults and children like it. Buy it and you will get the best. It always cures. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Saloon keepers always have a plenty of fall goods on hand.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says, "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." There are people in this community who need just such a medicine. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville. Every box warranted.

In order to reach success you must pass through a door labeled "Push."

A Cold Wave.

A forecast of a sudden change in the weather serves notice that a hoarse voice and a heavy cough may invade the sanctity of health in your own home. Cautious people have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure always at hand. E. H. Wise, Madison, Ga., writes: "I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health, and probably my life." It cures Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes the mucous membranes and strengthens the lungs.

When money is tight it makes itself scarce, but it's somewhat different with men.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.

Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Stomach Troubles, and makes rich red blood, health and strength. Kodol rebuilds wornout tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov G. W. Atkinson, of W. Va., says: I have used a number of bottles of Kodol and have found it to be a very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends. J. L. Wooten.

A famine of silver dimes annoys the average man more than the scarcity of \$1,000 bills.

What's in a Name.

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for piles. For Blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine. J. L. Wooten.

LOST IN HOTELS.

Queer Things That Absentminded Guests Forget to Take Away.

Every hotel in New York has a storeroom for articles left behind by guests. It is one of the important departments of the establishment and often earns the gratitude of travelers whose unfortunate habit of forgetting leads them to look for things that are missing. In hotels a book is kept in which are jotted down descriptions of articles forgotten. When a hotel does a large transient business, it is frequently with difficulty that lost articles are arranged for identification.

The integrity of servants must be relied upon to a large extent. The chambermaid takes immediate possession of a room upon the guest's departure. She picks up anything that appears to have been left unintentionally. A note describing the article and giving the name of the guest, the room number and the time of departure is taken to the clerk. The property is turned over to the housekeeper and by her to the "lost" department.

Said the clerk of one fashionable hotel: "I remember a singular case of a man who didn't respond at once to the hall boy's call for an early train. The result was that when he did get up he had to run. From the station we got a call on the telephone: 'Hurry to my room,' he shouted, 'and on the table you'll find a very valuable package. It's my eyes. Send them to the station.'"

"Sure enough, we found two glass eyes on the dressing table in a plush case. One was for daily use and the other for an emergency. Guests often forget their false teeth, but that was the only case I ever knew of a man leaving his eyes."

Rings and pins are often found on the washstand. Valuable pins are found everywhere, the window curtains being a favorite depository. Watches and revolvers bob out from under pillows. Of course when the owner's address is known and anything valuable is left he is notified and the article sent to him. If not called for in a few months, the forgotten article usually becomes the perquisite of employees.—New York Times.

PRIMITIVE PUMPS.

The Mechanism Used in Ancient Egypt and in China.

A representative piece of mechanism occurs frequently on the sculptures of early Egypt. It has the appearance of and is generally believed to be that of a portable pump. The hydraulic screw is also attributed to this people, but their main reliance seems always to have been the shadoof, seen everywhere along the banks of the Nile, an invention so simple and so well adapted to their needs that it remains today substantially the same as it has been through all the centuries since history began.

The same may be said regarding the chain pump in China, an invention the origin of which antedates the Christian era. This simple machine, which seems never to have been improved upon, is in such common use that every agricultural laborer is in possession of one. Where irrigation is conducted on a larger scale the chain pump is made proportionately larger and moved by a very simple tread wheel, and still larger ones are operated by yoking a buffalo or other animal to a suitable driving machine.

The application of steam to raising water is of uncertain origin. Long before the Christian era certain applications of fire to vessels containing water, by which effects were produced calculated to astonish ignorant worshippers, were practiced by the priests of Egypt, Greece and Rome, but their knowledge seems never to have been turned into any channel of secular usefulness.

Repulsed by Bees.

A striking incident of the relief of Cawnpore was the rout of the Ninth lancers by a swarm of bees. A village in the line of march was found to be defended by a hastily improvised stockade, on the top of which a number of hives were stuck. Into one of these a young officer jabbed his sword, with a result that in far less time than it takes to tell the whole advance guard was racing for dear life to the rear, and Sir Hope Grant hastily formed line of battle, believing it repulsed by the mutineers in force.

Rice Stuffing.

Rice stuffing for roast chicken or turkey is considered preferable to the usual breadcrumbs. To prepare it brown one chopped onion in a tablespoonful of butter and mix with it four cupfuls of cold boiled rice and one cupful of breadcrumbs that have been moistened in one cupful of milk. Season with sage, parsley or other sweet herbs, as desired. Add half a pound of sausage meat or finely chopped salt pork and salt and pepper to taste.

Probably True.

Wabash—I wonder what makes old Gotox dress so shabbily?
 Monroe—His pride, my boy.
 Wabash—Why, how's that?
 Monroe—He's afraid his customers will mistake him for one of his clerks.—Chicago News.

A Tiresome Person.

"No," said Mr. Bliggins: "I haven't any use for philosophers."
 "Why not?"
 "My idea of a philosopher is a man who pretends he enjoys hard luck."—Washington Star.

For some reason or other we often read that some man or other has "disappeared suddenly." It would be remarkable to read of one who disappeared gradually.—Washington Times.

Harrington, Barber & Co.

ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR

SANTA CLAUS.

Everything you want in Confectioneries. Also Toys and Fireworks. Come to see us. We will be pleased to serve you at prices as low as the lowest.

Yours to please,
HARRINGTON, BARBER & CO.
 Winterville, N. C.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT

R. 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 Sept 15th, 1902, condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$164,566.29	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 9,576.14	Surplus, 15,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 2,093.85	Undivided Profits less
Due from Banks and Bankers 126,939.23	Expenses Paid 3,814.81
Cash Items 6,201.76	Deposits 291,802.87
Cash in Bank 26,240.41	
	\$335,617.68

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

CAREFUL attention to details in our Job Department is shown in the high class of work we are turning out. We have the best equipped office and do a class of printing hardly equalled in this section. If you are particular as to the quality of your printing, we want your work. We give you the best.

Push your business thermometer up by advertising

PULLEY & BOWEN.

Special offerings in every department of our store.

The season is well under way and the weather has been too mild. Our stock is larger than it should be, and to relieve this we are offering special inducements in the substantial form of clipping off a nice portion of the selling price. Remember our guarantee—if for any reason your purchase don't suit, we cheerfully refund your money.

36-inch Taffeta Silk, every yard guaranteed. You can't get anything better in silk, no matter what the price **1.25**

22-inch Taffeta Silk. We are making a leader of this, and want you to compare it with other \$1.60 silks; you will find it as good and the price only **75c.**

1 1/2 yard wide Heavy Skirting, all wool, in tan, oxford and light gray; we have the very best that **1.00** can be had to sell at

Ladies' Kid Gloves, black, white, tan, mode, gray, in fact all shades. We take special pains in selecting these and give you great values in every pair at **1.00**

64-inch all linen full bleached Table Tamask, fine and heavy and heavy and fully worth **50c.** 75 cents, our price

Ladies Vest, full size, all seams covered; they are the very best to be had at **25c.**

Ladies Wool White Vests, fine and soft; if you are looking for something good and cheap it is here at **1.85 pair**

One lot of Ladies' fast black Hose, seamless, that sold for 15c.; our price now **10c.**

Boys' Fleece-Lined Undershirts, all sizes, don't fail to see these at **25c.**

Infants' Woolen Shirts from 25c. to 50c.

Men's extra heavy Fleece-Lined Undershirts, gray, blue and cream at 45c. a piece. See them before buying.

One lot Linen Collars to close out; former price, 10 **5c. each** and 15 cents; now

One lot of Ladies Button Shoes, prices from 1 **95c. pair** to 1.50; to close out at

One lot of Men's Top Shirts, some worth 75 and some 50 cents; just an odd lot and must be sold. The price is **35c.**

We have the nicest line of Ladies' and Men's Shoes to be found anywhere. Our 1.50 shoe is made of high grade dongola and is guaranteed to be the best for the price that can be had.

Our 2.00 and 2.50 Shoes can't be beaten anywhere. Be sure to see our Shoes before you buy.

Lot of Children's and Misses' Button Shoes, worth **1.00** 1.50; to close out

Our line of Children's Shoes is attractive and of the latest designs prices are right.

Hats. A big line of men's and boys' hats in all the latest shapes. Prices that will suit you.

Men's and Boys' Clothing.

We have a very strong line and in order to close the entire stock of Clothing out we are offering it at 25 per cent. lower than former prices, as we are going out of the Clothing business. We have always endeavored to sell the best goods, rather than the cheapest. Isn't it worth a great deal to know that whatever you buy here will be sold to you for just what it really is? That's the kind of people we are, and that is the kind of store we are keeping. Come to see us and examine our stock.

BE UP TO DATE

BARBER SHOP

as moved near Five Points and later in the new brick building. Come give us a call, we think we can please you.

J. H. DAVIS.

That Suit

Would look better and last longer if you bring it down and have it

Cleaned and Pressed

The work that I do speaks for itself, and I am ready to serve you promptly at all times.

PAUL METRICK

The Tailor.

GREENVILLE'S

TONSORIAL PARLOR,

Opposite J. B. Cherry & Co.

S. J. NOBLES, Proprietor.

Have newly furnished my shop and am prepared to give the best service to be had. Cosmetics a specialty. S. J. NOBLES.

SEE

SPEIGHT & CO.

Cotton Buyers,

Before selling or disposing of your COTTON SEED. They are prepared to pay highest market prices or give meal in exchange, and will keep on hand at Greenville a full supply of Meal and Hulls for the trade.

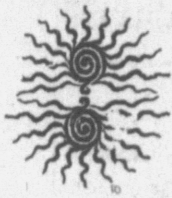
W. J. TURNAGE

Passenger, Baggage and Freight Transfer

Bus meets trains and boats and takes passengers anywhere in town. Baggage and freight delivered promptly. Any orders for me left at office of Speight & Co. or Phone No. 115, will receive prompt attention.

Neckwear Talk

Styles are variable, but the well-dressed man must keep up with them. When you are in doubt as to just the proper thing, you cannot do better than consult the fashions displayed at our store. Neckwear is a small item, but as important as any part of a gentleman's wardrobe. A shipment of 42 dozen ties is just in, including the very latest in materials and make-up. A selection from this lot insures the satisfaction one gets from up-to-date goods.



C.S. FORBES

Dealer in Satisfaction. A large stock always on hand.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

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, Bays 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, Currents, 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.

Phone 55

Confidential—Any young man or young lady wanting to make a special order for a Christmas present should see E. E. Griffin in the next few days. Don't wait too late.

Lost—At depot Monday night, a silk umbrella with black handle. "Hearne" scratched on end of handle. Finder will be rewarded if returned to REFLECTOR office.

Xmas presents galore in a nice line of jewelry just received at Mrs. Higgs. Engraving on purchases without extra cost. Anything desired not in stock can be had by order in 2 or 3 days.

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A Word to the Boys.

Now, boys, read the notice by Mayor Whedbee giving permission to shoot fireworks, and do not be reckless in using them. If you appreciate the privilege given you now, you should be careful and orderly, else you may not have the privilege again.

Capt. Williams Doing Well.

A telegram from Philadelphia, Tuesday afternoon, states that Register of Deeds, R. Williams, who was taken there to the hospital, had been operated on for appendicitis and was doing well. This is glad news to his friends here at home and all hope he will soon be well enough to return.

A Little Holiday.

Almost every body appreciate a little holiday at Christmas, and that our "boys" and "girls" may have a chance to get to see their best girls and boys, THE DAILY REFLECTOR will not be published Friday and Saturday, but will appear again next Monday. The semi-weekly for Tuesday will also be omitted. The editor can be found about the office every day ready to transact business.

Prettiest line of silverware ever shown in Greenville, elegant selections for Christmas and wedding presents, at E. E. Griffin's

"The White Doe," a choice gift book of literary merit, by Mrs. Cotton, of whom our state is justly proud. Price \$1 at Zeno Moore & Bros.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

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

Christmas eve.
Up with your stockings.
Christmas trees are ripe.
Nice oysters at Old Joe Forbes.
Xmas cards, calendars and booklets at Mrs. Higgs.
Drink Digestine for your stomach sake, at all fountains.

Wedding and Christmas presents of all kinds at E. E. Griffin's

Our nuts are extra fine, this year's crop. J. B. Cherry & Co.

The boys are happy, they can start their fire works at 6 o'clock.

Wanted—1,000 lbs. fresh pork. ALFRED FORBES.

Candies, apples, nuts, all new and fresh. J. B. Cherry & Co.

Don't forget that the best way to be happy is to make some one else happy.

The ideal Christmas gift—Waterman Fountain Pen at Wooten's Drug Store.

You should see the display of china, bisque ware, and bric-a-brac at Mrs. Higgs.

The merchants are not complaining about this Christmas trade. It has been good.

The southbound freight train actually came in before night Tuesday. Wonderful.

Only a few more nice Bibles left at Reflector Book Store. Get one before they are gone.

Onyx and other beautiful clocks, very thing for Christmas presents, at E. E. Griffin's.

Something nice for Christmas presents are the handsome watches and rings at E. E. Griffin's.

Wanted—A chicken-eating Hog. Don't want him unless he will eat 'em. D. D. Haskett.

Mince pies are fine, get the best mince meat from J. B. Cherry & Co.

Holiday travel is very heavy, the train being full of people every day.

The express office has been a very busy place the last few days. Holiday shipments have been heavy.

Compare prices on Christmas presents at other places, then go to E. E. Griffin's and he will be sure to sell you.

Fruits, nuts, raisins, candies, toys, wagons, guns, dolls, and other Xmas specialties cheap at Samuel M. Schultz's.

The express office will close Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Persons expecting packages should call before that hour.

Come to Washington for your dressed lumber. Our planing mill at west end of Second street. T. ELWOOD COMLY & Co.

Boarders Wanted—I will be prepared to take a few boarders, beginning Jan. 1st, at my residence on Dickihson avenue. Apply at once MRS. M. HARRISS.

Wood Yard.—I have opened a wood yard on the railroad, near Imperial Tobacco factory, and am prepared to deliver wood anywhere in town on short notice. H. Weathersbee.

Your gentleman friend would appreciate a Parker fountain pen (best made) or a box of cigars for a Christmas present. The Reflector Book Store is the place for them.

Aim at the entire force of the Beaufort County Lumber Co, took the train here this morning to go to the homes to spend Christmas. Two extra coaches were put on the train and all were crowded full.

The "Whistling Boy" has been sold and you have missed the opportunity to secure a copy of that famous painting. The purchaser at once recognized it as a fine reproduction, having seen it in one of the great galleries of this country. We have a few more copies of other paintings, notably the well known "Gainsborough" that for so many years lay hid, having been stolen from its owner in England. WOOTENS DRUG STORE.

The Weather.

For North Carolina:
Fair, warmer tonight, Thursday partly cloudy and warmer.

Eat hearty and drink Digestine.

They All Admire



the quality of worked turned out by the Greenville Steam Laundry because it is the best. Try us and be convinced.

Many Reasons

might be given why you should come to us for your Christmas Goods.

The main reason is that we have just what the good house-keeper wants and our prices are right.

We have all the leading breakfast cereals—Oat Meal, Farce, Grape Nuts, Malta Vita, Buckwheat in 5c. packages, Condensed Milk in 5c. cans that is the equal of the finest to be had.

Seeded Raisins, Currants, Citrons and all such things needed for cake making.

Fruits and Confections

of almost every kind you can mention. Come and see what a nice line we have and learn the prices, and we will be sure to get your order for Christmas

W. H. Laughinghouse AND SON.

High Grade JOB PRINTING done here. Send us your orders

Christmas is Drawing Near,

And the time has come for you to think what you shall give your loved ones. We think we can help you if you are in doubt, for we have a beautiful lot of goods for you to select from—articles that are pretty and practical, ornamental and useful—a showing distinctly unrivaled. Now is the opportune time to select your Christmas gifts. They are here today but may be gone tomorrow.

Our line of Fancy Rocking Chairs, all sizes, and other Furniture, is complete. Our Fancy Bric-a-Brac and Novelties range in price from 5c. to \$5.00. We think we have the largest stock of Dolls in the town, and we know our prices are low.

Oh! Mr. Santa Claus--

Don't forget that we have Candies, Oranges, Nuts, Apples, Raisins, Figs, Etc.

Have you made that Fruit Cake yet! We have all the ingredients, all new and fresh. Our Nuts and Fruits are all this year's crop. We carry nothing in this line but the very best we can get. Our Grocery Department is filled with everything needed for the table.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.,

Greenville's Great
Department Store.

Taft's Special Sale

Continues on this week. Everybody wanting Cheap Goods invited to come. Prices way down. Goods of every description carried in our two stores.

Best Line of Furniture in Eastern Carolina.

BUCK'S STOVES--BEST ON EARTH. DRY GOODS 10 TO 25 PER CENT. Less than regular price

Come and examine. Yours for business,



MISS MONIE BOWEY,

No. 38 Perry Street,

DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

A couple of winters ago I slipped on a frozen sidewalk and fell flat on my back. On being examined I found that I had sustained internal injuries which laid me up for more than two months. After that I noticed that I had pains in the back and groin which I never had before. I doctored and doctored for several months but as the pains increased instead of growing better I decided that I was not having the right treatment. Reading in the papers of the wonderful cures performed by Wine of Cardui I wrote to one of the parties and received a very satisfactory reply and I immediately sent for some. In a very short time I felt generally better and after seven weeks faithful use I was once more well and strong. I have never had a sick hour since and I daily bless your splendid medicine.



Miss Monie Bowey.

Wine of Cardui makes women more womanly by curing their weakness and making them stronger. Wine of Cardui cured Miss Bowey. As a medicine for all women in every trying period of their lives can you think of a better medicine for yourself, your sister, your daughter or your mother? Can you think of a more acceptable present to give your friend than a bottle of this medicine which will bring her health and happiness? You are suffering? Your duty is to rid yourself of this pain. If your daughter, mother, sister or friend is sick and in need of relief, your duty is equally great to them. Many women, now well, owe their lives to friends who brought them Wine of Cardui.

Wine of Cardui is adapted to women at any age in any walk of life. For the working woman it gives her strength for her tasks and better treatment than a doctor for very small cost.

Your druggist will sell you a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui. Secure the medicine today. Take it in the privacy of your home. Relief will come to you as surely as you take it.

WINE OF CARDUI is one medicine that should always be kept on hand in every home for immediate use when female weakness first makes its appearance. Miss Bowey's painful and dangerous accident would not have resulted so seriously had she taken Wine of Cardui promptly.

WINE of CARDUI A million suffering women have found relief in Wine of Cardui.