

## Ricks & Wilkinson

### SEASONABLE BARGAINS.

**Y**OU know our policy concerning the cleaning up of seasonable merchandise in its season. To make thorough work of a clearance sale every item must suffer the severest cuts. Not an item in this store that has not suffered with the "price knife." If you will take the time to make a careful investigation the economy of buying now will impress itself upon you.

## Ladies Dress Goods and Silks

**F**IRST and foremost comes the Ladies' Dress Goods and Silks. This store has made itself famous for Fine Dress Goods, and especially so in Black Goods. There are months of wearing time yet this season for Winter goods.

60c. Black Goods	reduced to	45c.	Fine Taffeta Silks for waisting, all colors, regular price 90c—57 1-2c yd.
75c	"	62½c	
90c	"	77½c	Big lot Short Lengths in Silks, all colors, reduced to HALF PRICE
1.00	"	87½c	
1.25	"	97½c	
1.50	"	1.17½	French Flannels for Waistings, some very pretty styles in stripes, were 50c.—39 1-2c
1.75	"	1.37½	
2.00	"	157½	
Black Taffeta Silk, full 36 in. heavy weight,	87½c yd.		36-in. Percaloes, 4 1-2c
China Silk, all colors, regular price, 50c,			Pique with dot, regular price 10c, a few pieces to close at 4 1-2c

## Shoes

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

**E**XTRA special prices on entire stock of Shoes. We carry the very best shoes that leather will make. Every pair that goes out of this store is guaranteed to be solid and sound, or your money refunded.

Our Ladies' \$1.00 Shoe has been reduced to	85c	Gentlemen's best 4-ply Linen Collars, regular price, 12 1-2c, now	5c
Our Ladies' 1.25 Shoe has been reduced to	97 1-2c	Gentlemen's Negligee Shirts, regular price 50c, now	37 1-2c
Our Ladies' 1.50 Shoe has been reduced to	1.17 1-2c	All Overcoats reduced one-half.	
Our Ladies' 2.00 Shoe has been reduced to	1.37 1-2c	Ladies' Jackets " one-half.	
Our Ladies' 2.50 Shoe has been reduced to	2.15	<b>Special offering in Ladies' SKIRTS.</b>	
Our Ladies' 3.00 Shoe has been reduced to	2.35	1.00 Skirts reduced to	77 1-2c
Our Ladies' 3.50 Shoe has been reduced to	2.85	1.25 " "	90c
Children's Overshoes,	15c	1.50 " "	1.17 1-2
Ladies' Corsets,	15c	2.00 " "	1.57 1-2
Best Outings,	7 3-4c	2.50 " "	1.97 1-2
36-inch Bleaching,	5c	Standard Patterns, February Designer,	10c
		Fashion plates free.	

### How can Spelling be Taught so That the Knowledge will be Permanent?

[Essay read by Miss Anna Spain before the Pitt County Teachers' Association.]

The great desideratum in teaching spelling is that the knowledge shall be permanent, that correct spelling shall become habitual. How can we best achieve this end with least expenditure of time? We should always "begin at the beginning." The training that is to make habitually good spellers must commence when the children first enter school. A great deal of the helpless inability to spell correctly a child manifests later in his school life is the direct result of not having proper training the first few months he was in school. Primary spelling begins with his first steps of preparation for reading. This work should lead to the formation of several habits.

First, he should form the habit of correctly seeing words. He should be led to observe the number, arrangement and character of the letters composing the word. Poor spelling is often the result of not seeing the words as they really are. Some children do not see resemblances and differences readily. Such children require special attention.

In the second place, he should form the habit of correct copying of words. This early work should never be done independent of the teacher's supervision, for if the child knows his work comes under the teacher's eye it will reduce carelessness and inaccuracy to a minimum.

It will require careful, patient, persistent work to form in the child the habits of accurate observation of words and correctness of copy; yet the result fully repays the labor expended, for with these habits the child will spell correctly from the beginning. He should, as a rule, always write the words, for it is much better to write the words thoughtfully than it is to spell them mechanically by letter.

This observation and copying of words should be accompanied by carefully related phonic work. He should know the sound of the single letter, as diphthongs and each letter should bring to his mind its corresponding sound, and each sound its corresponding letter. When he has acquired the necessary familiarity with the sounds, have him spell words in rhymed lists. He will soon be able to write most of the monosyllables containing the short sound of the vowels without any other preparation. This will be a great help to him, not only in primary spelling, but always. Words that are irregular (unphonetic) in spelling will have to be taught. Call attention to the difficult parts.

The accurate observation, correct copying, and carefully related phonic work should lead to the habit of studying a spelling lesson with care and understanding. This is a habit that must be inculcated, if a pupil's knowledge of spelling is to be permanent.

It is helpful to the pupil to require him to hunt up and form a list of words in his lesson ending in ck, ll, or that have ea, oa, or any other combination. It causes him to think, to discover, and associate and fix these words that are somewhat similar in spelling in his mind.

"We learn by doing." Constant, well directed practice in writing words is absolutely essential in making permanent the pupil's knowledge of spelling. For this reason spelling should generally be written. As a rule we spell only

when we write, and "the test of one's ability to spell a word is his ability to write it correctly." The mind should not only know the forms of the words, but by constant practice the right hand must be made "the mind's ready and facile agent." It must be trained in correctly writing words until the art becomes reflex. "Correct seeing and frequent writing make good spelling."

Mr. H. J. Wightman in a recent issue of "The School Journal" says: From a great many tests given to high school, grammar school and intermediate grade pupils, I find, in almost every case, the same condition. Rarely will a class be found who will not attain a fair average on a general list of words taken from a spelling book, or from a list upon which they have been drilled, yet the same class will rarely attain even a fair standing, as a class, upon a carefully selected list of common words. The lesson is plain. We should spend less time in teaching those words which the pupils will use hardly once in a lifetime, but should concentrate our effort to teach thoroughly the common words. The child will not need to spell any word except those of his own "usable" vocabulary. It would be an exceedingly wise arrangement if the words of the spelling lesson should accompany the growth of the child's vocabulary. If he has formed the habit of accurately observing words, his spelling power will always keep pace with the growth of his vocabulary.

It is conducive to correct spelling to have a knowledge of the simple rules for spelling—rules for forming the plural doubling the final consonants, omitting the final e's, &c. From a list of words like the following, thin, thinner, thinnest, hot, hotter, hottest; begin, beginning, &c let the pupils deduce the rule. So all the rules should be taught inductively, and then applied to many words so as to fix them firmly in the mind and the spelling habit. The exception must be taught with care. It is a fundamental law of teaching that learning and use shall go hand in hand, and we should be governed by this law, not only in making application of the spelling rules but by using the words learned in the lessons over and over in written exercises.

The child must be taught that unless he is sure of the spelling he must look the word up in the dictionary. He should be taught that "To spell one's own language well is no great credit to him for he ought to do it; but to spell it ill is a disgrace, for it indicates extremely poor attention and loose scholarship."

Truth is more of a stranger than fiction.

Lots of girls give themselves away for the asking.

A trunk is usually strapped when ready to start on a journey. Some old hens sit all right until they get into a chicken salad.

Be sure you vote right: You might as well while you are about it.

Betting odds do not prove anything except that the better has nerve.

It is impossible for a man to prevent his greatness from cropping out.

When a man goes out on a lark he sometimes comes back in an ambulance.

Letters give information only after they are posted. It is different with some men.

Be sure of your ability to keep your head above water trying to get in the swim.

## Opportunity is Knocking

**S**OON it will be time to say farewell to old Winter and welcome the incoming Spring. Modern retailing knows no better time to close out stock than these between season days. We have cut our prices to move out the stock on hand and here's your opportunity. The prudent buyer will read this ad and call at once. The profit to us is in disposing of goods that, while new now, would be "last season's" next season. Your profit is in the money saved—and where else would you look for such splendid styles as we offer, at such small prices? Reductions touch all Clothing, Hats and Haberdashery—Boys' and Men's.

Don't let this opportunity get away from you.

### FRANK WILSON,

The King Clothier.

### The Old Soldier Wept.

(Communicated.)

A small room—if room it might be called—perhaps 12x14, the exterior of rough planks weather beaten and decayed; no light within—for there was no pretense of a window—save such as crept through the cracks and breaks in the wall; no lathes, no plaster, only thin misnamed weather boarding to screen the bed of a hero who has charged the heights of Gettysburg under Pettigrew with splendid valor and heroic endurance.

This man was "only a private" in the Titanic charge of Cemetery Hill, and the world did not herald the fact that he lost a leg and his blood dyed the soil on that fatal field. But he had learned endurance. He returned to his home with a stick strapped to his knee for a leg, but his hands went to the plow or the trench as, falling often in his tracks and rising again to push on for bread for the little ones, who climed at night on his one knee. No one, or scarcely any one, knew of this—he had one foot only, but he had two hands, and plain food and plain clothing were had.

Now, however, the scene is changed. One hand and side are paralyzed, and the former is held to his breast by a string, while he is unable to rise from his rude chair without assistance. A daughter and two helpless little children occupy this room with him. How they endure and live God only knows.

Sitting thus on a bleak, cold day but a short time since two fair haired, beautiful children knocked at the door, two little Daughters of the Confederacy, who had been told of the brave deeds and the patient suffering of these old soldiers.

They had raised a little sum of money by their own exertions, and were stricken an appalled by the destitution before them. With their bright faces suddenly saddened, they told their simple story and placed their offering in the one hand left to the sufferer.

The old soldier wept, and the eyes of the little girls were suffused with tears. "It is a good work, little girls, and God will bless you," he said, with faltering voice. "It will not be for long" Their visit had seemed like that of angels, and the darkness and

gloom were less drear when they had gone. Oh! mothers Oh, fathers! with sons who may come to this while wars and rumors of wars are on earth, help the work of these little girls.

#### Fired Up—Tied Up

The well driving machine fired up again this morning and resumed work on the well at Five Points. The usual crowd of overseers and loafers was around, but Mr. Martin says he has sworn off from answering any questions.

Since writing the above a piece of the machinery has broken and the work once more tied up until a new piece can be procured. There may be water some time.

#### Seats on Sale.

The sale of seats for "Under the Southern Cross" to be presented by home talent in the opera house, Thursday night, 29th, began this afternoon by Frank Skinner at Wooten's drug store, and will continue Wednesday and Thursday from 4 to 6 o'clock. Don't be too late to get a good seat.

#### Mayor's Court

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

William Williams, drunk and down, fined one penny and costs, \$2.30.

H. C. Kinsaul, drunk and down, fined \$5 and costs, \$7.20.

#### Notice to Hello People.

Subscribers will add to their list the following phones:

199—House & Atkins, market.  
129—Miss Lil Cherry, res.  
194—L. H. Pender, tin shop.

Rain, warmer to night. Wednesday rain.

#### Coming Next Week.

The Dunbar Bell Ringers played to an enormous crowd at the M. E. church last evening, and every one you meet is talking about their wonderful performance. Every selection was encored again and again. The gentlemen are certainly artists. Holton (Kan.) Sunflower.

This is one of the many testimonials of the Dunbar Company, who appear in the opera house, Thursday night, Feb. 5th, for benefit of the Methodist church lot.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

RICKS & WILKINSON.

# The Daily Reflector.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.  
PAUL R. OUTLAW, Associate Editor

EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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

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One year, \$3.00  
One month, .25  
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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.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1903.

In the past quarter century many changes have occurred in the methods of the business world, but the old, time-worn system of discounts still prevails, as a monument to the dry-as-dust theories and practices long ago discarded. A lot of good business men stick to the discount system, just because they were educated that way and because their fathers did it. But we fail to see why a catalogue should be cumbered with an endless list of discounts, in cases where the goods go direct from the manufacturer to the consumer. It is not only an annoyance from being changed frequently, but its effect is to bring about more price-cutting than is necessary. Business men will doubtless hang on to the old way a long time yet, but nevertheless it is a nuisance and should be allowed to fall into disuse.

In a recent interview Mr. Whitaker, erstwhile independent, said he did not think a morning newspaper would pay in Greensboro unless it were on the style of the Charlotte Observer or the Washington Post. Mr. Whitaker is a better business man than a politician. Observers and Posts don't grow on every tree.

Ten millions have already been signed away for the Panama canal. The money which will be stolen in connection with this enterprise would ditch and irrigate nearly every acre of farm land in the United States.

We regret to learn that Thad R. Manning is offering the Henderson Gold Leaf for sale. The Gold Leaf is 21 years old, and both the paper and its editor are highly regarded by the people and press.

It is announced that England is ashamed of her new alliance with Germany. If J. Bull is getting a tender conscience these days, why not let Ireland profit by it?

It is said that the president is greatly annoyed by people who come to "his" church to stare at him. Freaks ought not to mind this.

Maybe that earthquake down South was caused by some of President Roosevelt's Southern ancestors turning over in their graves.

Consideration of the anti trust bill in congress has been postponed. Waiting to see if the trusts will raise the bid?

It would only serve the president right, if the negroes keep the trail to the White House hot for the next few months.

If the legislature thinks this about the last chance it will get to do prolonged senatorial stunts, it is not far from right.

Wireless telegraphy may be a success, but wireless politics is an iridescent dream.

The Wilmington Messenger reports the killing of a big seal in Cape Fear river, opposite New Inlet, one day last week. Seals are rarely found in North Carolina waters.

The News learns that Charlotte stands ready to give the Highland Park Company all the water it wants; now it seems to be up to the company to "bring its pigs to this market."—Charlotte News.

According to the Manufacturers' Record 1,119,287 spindles and 31,867 looms were added to the equipment of the cotton mills of the South in 1892. The only limit to the growth of the mills is when they can handle the entire production of the Southern fields and the South is manufacturing the cotton fabric for nearly the entire world.—Asheville Gazette.

### Where the President Will be at Home.

If this thing keeps up a Jim Crow compartment will have to be added to the White House.—Durham Herald.

### Not in the Catalogue.

If the heart of a woman 52 years old is worth \$30,000 in a damage suit, what is the heart of a 17 year old maiden worth?—Marlin, (Tenn.) Democrat.

### We'uns Would Have Swatted You'ns.

Would Roosevelt have attempted his burlesque bear hunt in Mississippi if the Indianola "incident" had happened prior to the date set for the latest plunge into the jungle?—Greenville REFLECTOR.

Some of the Mississippians might have "made game" of him if he had.—Henderson Geld Leaf.

### Logic in This.

When a fire burns well you can stop blowing it, but you've got to keep on feeding it to keep it alive. If you have a good thing and people believe in it you can safely stop blowing about it, but you'll need to keep on publishing the facts about it to keep it alive in the public mind.—Advertising World.

### Mr. Bailey Says the Watts Bill is a Saloon Measure.

Raleigh Special, 19th, to Charlotte Observer.

The Observer correspondent today interviewed Editor Bailey, of the Biblical Recorder, who is the chairman of the committee of the State Anti-Saloon League. He is earnestly opposed to the Watts bill. It is the London bill which he favors. He says the Watts bill will be ineffectual and is a political measure, which does not strike at the real evil. When asked the ground of his objection to the bill he replied: "It is absolutely ineffectual. It does not prevent saloon men or distillers from having any sort of place incorporated as a town. Again it freely permits the manufacture and sale of wine or cider, both from fruit, etc., grown on ones own land and from fruit grown elsewhere and purchased. To pass this bill will not be a compromise. It will be an unqualified victory for the saloons and the North Carolina and the National Saloon Association. I do not hear that they oppose it. They would openly advocate it if they dared."

[The same correspondent says that it is no secret that Gov. Aycock and Senator Simmons drafted the Watts bill.—Statesville Landmark.]

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative BromoQuinine Tablets. This signature on every box, 25c.

Great Clearance Sale of all Fall and Winter Goods Now Going on at

# MUNFORD'S BIG STORE.

Just Received:

10,000 Yards  
Hamburgs, All-Over  
Laces and Insertions.

OUR ENTIRE LINE  
of Monte Carlo Jackets and  
Wraps at 25 per cent  
reductions.

Second Floor--NEW LINE  
Go-Carts and  
Baby Carriages

Received by Yesterday's Steamer.

**ATLANTIC COAST LINE.**  
SCHEDULES  
AUGUST 6th, 1902.

No. 68	Daily Except Sunday	No. 59
7:30 a.m.	Lv Kinston Ar	6:45 p.m.
8:30 a.m.	" Greenville "	5:47 p.m.
9:05 a.m.	" " "	5:07 p.m.
10:00 a.m.	" " "	4:27 p.m.
11:00 a.m.	Ar Pender Lv	3:35 p.m.
11:20 a.m.	" " "	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.	" " "	9:05 a.m.
11:40 p.m.	" " "	4:30 a.m.
7:15 a.m.	" " "	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.

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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. B. Parxer, superintendent.

**CATHOLIC.**—No regular service.

**LODGES**

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. B. 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.

B. 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, R. Williams.

Treasurer, J. B. Cherry.

Coroner, C. O'H. Laughinghouse.

Surveyor, J. D. Cox.

Commissioners, J. R. Eiks, W. W. B. Horne, J. R. Barnhill, J. W. Page and J. 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. O. Arthur, Charles Cobb, B. F. Patrick, E. B. Ficklen, E. L. Carr, W. R. Parker and B. F. Tyson.

Board meets every first Thursday night.

**W. J. PURNAGE.**

Passenger, Baggage and Freight Transfer

Bus meets trains and boats and takes passengers anywhere in town. Baggage and freight delivered promptly. Any orders for the lot at office of Speight & Co. or Phone No. 113, will receive prompt attention.

**OPERA HOUSE,**  
Thursday night,  
January 29th.

**"Under the Southern Cross."**

A superb 4-act drama of war times, by Christian Reid.

Reserved seats, 50c.  
General admission, 35c.

Reserved seats on sale Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, 4 to 6 o'clock, by Frank Skinner, at Wooten's Drug Store.

**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. Boynton	50 24	Nashville	80
4. Buffalo Springs	50 24	New Bern	80
5. Burlington	55 25	Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	50 26	Oxford	45
7. Chase City	55 27	Plymouth	80
8. Clarksville	50 28	Raleigh	45
9. Dunn	45 29	Rosnoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	50 30	Rocky Mount	90
11. Enfield	30 31	Scotland Neck	90
12. Franklinton	45 32	Selma	40
13. Greensboro	75 33	Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	80 34	Spring Hope	85
15. Hamilton	25 35	Tarboro	25
16. Haw River	65 36	Wake Forest	45
17. Henderson	45 37	Warrenton	45
18. High Point	80 38	Weidor	40
19. Kinston	25 39	Wilson	40
20. Littleton	40 40	Winston	

F. C. TOEPLERMAN,  
Gen. Supt.

—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 by Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, Henry George Cigar, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

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**GREENVILLE'S TONSORIAL PARLOR,**

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

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**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.

**LAUNDRY.**

The Wilmington Steam Laundry will do your work to perfection. No breaking or cracking of collars and cuffs. One tried, forever satisfied.

CARL PARKER, Resident Agent.

The condolence that depresses is more detrimental to the mourner than is the grief itself.

The criminal who is swung to the nearest tree by an infuriated mob gets full benefit of the "higher law".

**Unconscious From Croup.**

During a sudden and terrible attack of croup our little girl was unconscious from strangulation, says A. L. Spafford, postmaster, Chester, Mich., and a dose of One Minute Cough Cure was administered and repeated often. It reduced the swelling and inflammation, cut the mucous and shortly the child was resting easy and speedily recovered. It cures Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure lingers in the throat and chest and enables the lungs to contribute pure, health-giving oxygen to the blood. Jno. L. Wooten.

About the only force some people have is the force of habit.

**Don't Worry.**

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

The best way to keep potatoes in the winter is not to eat them.

**One Hundred Dollars A Box.**

Is the value H. A. Tisdale, Satterton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. Jno. L. Wooten.

When a man pawns his watch he raises money with a patient lever.

**A Scientific Discovery.**

Kodol does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relieves the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. Jno. L. Wooten.

Wisdom quite often passes by the palace to make its home in a cabin.

**Croup.**

The peculiar cough which indicates croup, is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Perhaps before the end of this century we may have a windless congress.

The crowned heads of every nation. The rich men, poor men and misers

All join in paying tribute to DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

H. Williams, San Antonio, Tex., writes: Little Early Riser Pills are the best ever used in my family. I unhesitatingly recommend them to everybody. They cure Constipation, Billiousness, Sick Headache, Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Malaria and all other liver troubles. Jno. L. Wooten.

The man who "taxes the memory" evidently believes in a high protective tariff.

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

**Thomas a Becket.**  
In 1538, when Henry VIII, rooted up Thomas a Becket's grave and erased his name from the scroll of saints, he also ordered that all pictures, stained glass windows and frescoes bearing upon the life of this saint should be destroyed. In some churches where St. Thomas was held in special honor the law was evaded by superimposing another picture over the forbidden one. On the north wall of the church at South Newington, near Banbury, England, there is a crudely executed fresco of Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem. From the effects of age and damp this fresco is gradually disappearing, and now through the colossal donkey on which our Lord is represented riding can be seen the figure of the murdered archbishop prone on the chancel steps. Gradually, possibly, the whole underlying fresco of the murder of St. Thomas at Canterbury will come into view, and it is evidently of far higher artistic merit than the hastily executed covering one.

**Not of Our Killing.**  
When Senator Gallinger was practicing medicine in his New Hampshire home, he had a coachman who was a "character" worthy of the attention of any writer of fiction. On one occasion Dr. Gallinger was called professionally at a house next to a residence on which was displayed black crape as a sign of death. A passerby, noticing the crape and not knowing who had died there, supposed Dr. Gallinger was in the house and that his coachman could give the desired information. The coachman seemed to take the inquiry as a personal affront and bristled up in martial style.

"I don't know," he retorted promptly. "It's not of our killin'—it's not of our killin'."

Then he pulled his horse up so as to avoid any further suspicion that he was waiting for the doctor to come out of the house with the badge of mourning.—Washington Star.

**Trollope Disagreed.**  
Although Anthony Trollope never smoked, he liked being with those who did. It soothed his nerves, he said, and sent him to sleep. On one occasion, when he had just returned to London from South Africa, he was talking at the Cosmopolitan club to Lord Carnarvon, Lord Derby, Froude, the historian, Lord Wolsey and one or two others equally famous on the future of that country. In the midst of the discussion Trollope fell asleep, and after a quarter of an hour's doze he awoke, shaking himself together like the faithful, growling Newfoundland dog he so much resembled. Dissatisfied even in his unconsciousness, he spluttered forth: "I utterly disagree with every one of you. What is it you said?"

**Rain and Plants.**  
Many persons must have noticed that the most diligent sprinkling of lawns and flower beds fails to impart to the grass and plants a vital stimulus equal to that which comes from a good shower of rain. A correspondent reminds us of the reason for the difference. It is because rain, falling from a great height through the air, brings with it a considerable quantity of carbonic acid, of nitrogenous particles and of other elements nutritious to plants which it has washed out of the atmosphere. So a sprinkler used from the top of a tall building might be slightly more effective than when employed at the surface of the ground.

**How She Knew.**  
Apropos of the servant maid difficulty I heard a good story the other day. The wife of a very well known Irish official was in want of an under nurse, and among those who applied for the position was a good natured looking girl of about seventeen. "You tell me," said the official's wife, "that you are very fond of children. That is all very well in its way, but do you understand anything about the duties of a nursery? Have you any experience of children?" "Yes, mum," was the reply. "Sure I used to be a child wanst me!"—London Tatler.

**Where the Typewriter Blundered.**  
Church—You know French, who keeps the restaurant?  
Gotham—Oh yes.  
"Well, he wants a new typewriter."  
"What's the matter with that good looking one he had?"  
"Oh, the other day he told her to write and get the price of frogs' legs, and she addressed the letter to the Hop Growers' association."—Exchange.

**On Principle.**  
Bert (nervously)—I heard pa tell me he was goin' to flog me on principle after prayers tonight. Where's principle, Billy?  
Billy—I think it's somewhere at the back, Bert. The last time he flogged me on principle I had to sit sideways for more'n a fortnight.—London Tit-Bits.

**The Two Classes.**  
Old Dr. Grimshaw (to medical student)—And now, remember that to a physician humanity is divided into two classes.  
Student—And what are they, doctor?  
Old Grimshaw—The poor whom he cures and the rich whom he doctors.

**Just What Happened.**  
"Penelope," said the anxious mother, "tell me truly, did Charles kiss you last night?"  
"There was a slight labial juxtaposition as Charles took his leave, mother, but I assure you it was only momentary and therefore innocuous."

**Thwarted Them.**  
"Why did old Rollinggold give away his money?"  
"He was afraid his relatives would have him adjudged incapable of taking care of it."—Newark News.



**Goes up or down**

According to the Publicity you give your business. Keep it to yourself and it goes down. Keep it before the public and it climbs up.

Never tried it? Well, it's time you tried it and let the people know you want their trade. The advertising columns of

**THE REFLECTOR**

used regularly and persistently, will make business grow. Are you satisfied with your business? If not, advertise it, and you will be satisfied with the returns. You will find people interested in what you say if you talk to them through

**THE REFLECTOR**

Push your business thermometer up by advertising.

**"The Reflector"**

A Five Cent Cigar not made by a Trust. You don't get any charity presents with this cigar, but you do get your money's worth of good Tobacco. Reflector Book Store.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

The Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt county having issued letters testamentary to me, the undersigned, on the 27th day of December, 1902, on the estate of Mary Nobles, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned within 12 months after the date of this notice, or this notice will plead in bar of their recovery.

This is the 27th day of December, 1902  
W. H. TRIPP,  
Extr. on the estate of Mary Nobles.

**Look New.**

Don't throw away your last year suit, but bring it to me to be overhauled, cleaned and pressed and it will look like a

**New Suit**

and last much longer. All work done promptly and in best manner.

**PAUL METRICK**  
The Tailor.

**Dr. R. L. Carr,**  
Dentist.  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

**New Market**

In tobacco section, near Planters' warehouse. All kinds of

**Fresh Meats**

constantly on hand. Orders delivered promptly anywhere in town, Phone 199.

**HOUSE & ATKINS, Props.**

J. C. DICKINSON, Mgr.

**LAND SALE.**

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county in the special proceeding entitled T. H. Williams, administrator of W. S. Smith vs. Sarah A. Smith, S. C. Williams and others, the undersigned administrator will sell for cash, on Monday, February 2nd, 1903, before the court house door in Greenville, an undivided one-half interest in the following described piece or parcel of land; That parcel of land in Bethel township adjoining the lands of B. W. James, Sidney A. Briley, Shade Briley, Riley Jenkins and N. A. Britton, and being the land upon which W. S. Smith lived at the time of his death. Containing 97 acres, more or less, said land will be sold subject to the widows dower.

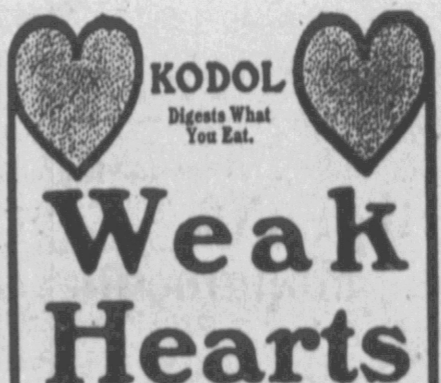
This Dec. 29, 1902,  
T. H. WILLIAMS,  
Administrator.

F. G. JAMES, attorney.

**THE UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP**

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

J. H. DAVIS.



Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased.

**Kodol**

Digests What You Eat

Mrs. Loring Nichols of Penn Yan, N. Y., writes: After eating, my food would distress me by making my heart palpitate and I would become very weak. Finally I got a bottle of Kodol and it gave me immediate relief. After using a few bottles I am cured.

Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders, and gives the heart a full, free and untrammelled action.

Bottles only. \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50c



JNO. L. WOOTEN.

# JANUARY Clearance Sale.

everything that we have, consisting of Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes, Hats and Men's Furnishings must go regardless of price. We have a large stock and everything will be sold at a sacrifice. You know the danger of waiting too long. The best values always go first. This Sale will only last thirty days so don't blame us if you come too late. Plenty to please, satisfy and gratify all that take notice of this fair warning. Our Four Specials—

## Clothing, Dress Goods, Shoes and Mens's Furnishings.

We have some extra values. Space forbids to quote prices, but one visit to our store will prove just what we advertise.

# C.S. FORBES

## Bryan & Nichols,

New Stock  
Garden Seeds  
Onion Sets  
PEAS, BEANS, ETC.

## Bryan & Nichols, The Popular Druggists.

E. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT  
B. A. TYSON, Vice-President. J. L. LITTLE, Cashier  
**Bank of Greenville,**  
GREENVILLE, N. C.  
Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1902.

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$149,859.67	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	2,550.67	Surplus	15,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	2,093.85	Undivided Profits less	
Due from Banks and		Expenses Paid	5,007.85
Bankers	177,802.97	Deposits	323,478.68
Cash Items	5,190.22		
Cash in Bank	30,989.15		
	\$368,486.53		\$368,486.53

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

Established 1835. Incorporated 1902  
**ARTOPE & WHITT CO.,**  
Marble and Granite Monuments,  
and Agents for Iron Fencing.  
Main Office and Electric Power Plant, Rocky Mount, N. C.  
Branches at Macon, Ga. and Sumter, S. C.  
For Prices and Designs, address the Rocky Mount, N. C., office.

### TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, made this day, in a certain special proceeding therein pending, entitled, Samuel M. Daniel and others versus Olive H. Daniel and others, I will on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 1903,

before the court house door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate situated in the town of Greenville, to-wit:

1. A certain house and lot on the corner of Front and Pitt streets, known as the "Kinsaul lot."

2. A house and lot on Greene street adjoining the lots of W. B. Wilson, A. M. Perkins and Ada M. Cherry.

3. And two other lots situated in that part of the town of Greenville commonly known as "Skinnerville," and adjoining the lots of W. C. Hines, Jennie Ward and others.

This the 2nd day of January, 1903.  
ALEX. L. BLOW,  
Commissioner.

Albany, Jan. 23.—William Moffit, employed as a brakeman on the West Shore Railroad, fell beneath the wheels of a moving train and received frightful injuries. Moffit had finished his work. When he came to jump from the car on which he was riding he missed his footing and fell and was thrown backward so that his right arm came beneath the wheels. His arm was torn from the socket and hung by a few shreds of flesh.

### NOTICE.

By mutual agreement, on Saturday, the 31st day of January, at my home, I will sell all the produce belonging to John Hall, colored, including three thousand pounds of tobacco, corn, trunks, &c., to the highest bidder for cash. Sale at 11 o'clock.  
T. A. NICHOLS.

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

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

Odd Fellows meet to-night.

Nice oysters at Old Joe Forbes.

A lot of nice Yam Potatoes at Johnston Bros'.

Fresh Hominy and Grits at Johnston Bros'.

For Rent—The L. C. Latham house on Fifth street. Apply to T. J. Jarvis.

High price I am paying for Mink Coon and Otter skins.  
SAMUEL M. SCHULTZ.

T. A. Nichols advertises a sale of tobacco and other crops to take place on Saturday, 31st.

Oysters—200 bushels fine oysters just arrived at the wharf. Send down your orders.  
U. V. Lee & H. C. Hemby.

A broken buggy, caused by running in a hole on Dickinson avenue, shows the need of street improvements.

Boarders—I am prepared to take boarders at my residence on Dickinson avenue; formerly occupied by E. B. Dudley.  
J. T. ABRAMS.

If the price of cotton was in keeping with the price of seed, the planters would like it better. Seed are now bringing 30 cents a bushel.

The latest thing in insurance is the disability policy, which provides indemnity against loss of time by either illness or accident, issued by the Maryland Casualty Company. It is an attractive policy. For particulars see their representative. H. A. WHITE.

### The Weather.

For North Carolina:  
Increasing cloudiness to-night; Tuesday rain.

### VALUE OF COTTON SEED.

In Mecklenburg County it is Worth \$200,000—Product of the United States, \$9,000,000.

"It is astonishing," said a cotton seed buyer yesterday, "to see the amount of money the farmers of this county get for their cotton seed, a product which a few years ago was considered absolutely worthless. I have been buying seed and selling meal and hulls for five years now, and in so doing have handled \$50,000 per year, or \$250,000 for the five years. The seed from the cotton raised in this county amounts to 23,000,000 pounds per year. At the present time seed are selling for 27 cents per bushel, or 90 cents per hundred pounds, and at this price the cotton seed raised in Mecklenburg would be worth over \$200,000.

"In the United States when a crop of 10,000,000 bales of cotton is grown there is about 1,000,000,000 pounds of seed, which at the present price of the product would be worth about \$9,000,000. There is no getting at the value of the oils, meal and hulls which are made from the seed. The price named above is the amount the farmer gets for the raw product.

"Several years ago before the value of cotton seed became known millions of dollars worth of seed were wasted every year. The seed makes excellent manure and the raw seed are very good cow feed, but this was not known and they were left in piles to rot and waste. Just before the cotton oil mills were established, however, most of the seed were used for manuring land, some one discovered that they were of value for that purpose. Even after the mills were built the hulls were allowed to waste, for up until a few years ago their value as stock feed was unknown. The evolution in this product has most certainly been wonderful."—Charlotte Observer.

We've often heard about the exercise of that "grandest privilege of the free born American citizen, i. e., the casting of the ballot," but it is only since the recent caucus that we have realized what a grand and glorious and monotonous and wearisome privilege it really is.—Winston-Salem Sentinel

### Look! Look! Look!



at the nice Laundry Work we turn out daily. Our shirts are nice and perfect as factory work. This is why we get new customers. Try us,  
Greenville Steam Laundry.

### PERSONAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People Met With in the Social World

J. L. Fleming left this morning for Raleigh.

S. J. Nobles went to Ayden Monday evening.

Sylvester Fleming, of Washington was here today.

Rev. J. D. Waters left Monday evening for Kingston.

C. S. Forbes returned Monday evening from Wilson.

Miss Nell Skinner left this morning for a visit to Concord.

J. W. Latham, of Gilead, is visiting his brother, J. G. Latham.

Mrs. Frank Hollohan, of Chapel Hill, arrived Monday evening to visit Mrs. Harry Skinner.

### THE LEGISLATURE.

#### SENATE—SATURDAY

Several matters of importance were discussed in the senate at Saturday's session, but only a few new bills were introduced. The only one of general interest was:

By Norris, of Wake. To protect landlords against unlawful abandonment by tenants.

#### HOUSE—SATURDAY.

There was a large number of new bills in the House, the following being some of them:

Self, of Catawba: To give electric light and power companies the same right of condemnation now conferred on telephone and telegraph companies.

Daniel, of Vance: To prevent hunting game or gathering of fruit on the lands of another without consent of owner.

Self, of Catawba: That in case the general law regulating elections in cities and towns conflicts with the charter of a town or city, the provisions of the charter shall govern.

King, of Pitt: To amend the constitution in regard to the public school fund.

Woodley, of Chowan: To amend law of 1899 compelling butchers to keep registration.

Fuller, of Durham: To require examination of persons teaching music in institutions to be examined by state board appointed for that purpose.

Our strenuous president finds it much easier to catch a "coon" in Mississippi than it is to kill a bear.

He who stops on the little island of creed, to be satisfied with a dogma, anchors a long way from the harbor of Heaven.

B. L. Wedenfelder, a traveling man of Charlotte, was found dead in bed in a room of the Orton hotel, at Wilmington, Saturday evening.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale and Messrs. W. H. Long and F. G. James received votes for United States senator in the legislature Monday.

For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Warranted to cure. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

# January Clean-Up Sale.

During the month of January we intend to give the housekeepers an opportunity to replenish their tableware. On the table in the center of our store you will find a lot of odd pieces of China and Glassware. We propose to let you have this AT COST, as we wish to get clear of these odd pieces. Those goods will be sold for cash only at these prices, so be sure to bring your pocket book. In this lot you will find Plates, Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Bowls, Tumblers, Goblets, &c. This lot is limited, but sale will continue as long as stock lasts. We are going to do the same business with our stock of Fruits, Nuts, Candies, &c. Finest mixed nuts 15 cts per pound, French candy that sells from 25 to 35 cts will be sold for 20 cts. Plain candies 7 cts per pound. Apples, nice ones, 10 cts doz. This special sale will commence Jan. 1st, 1902. Be on time to gather in some of these bargains. There has been a lot of new goods added to our Grocery Stock since the holiday trade, and it is now complete in this line. No matter how hard you are to suit, we can suit you if you want good wholesome food. We carry a large stock of top grade elegant Furniture to please the most genteel, refined tastes. We have Suits, odd Bedsteads, Bureaus, Chairs, Tables, Lounges, Couches, Hall Racks, Sideboards, White Enameled Iron Beds, &c., &c. Chapped hands are the bane of the little tots existence—and some times of older folks. Wintry wind raise havoc with tender skin.

## Fairbank's Glycerine Tar Soap

First cleanses the skin of all impurities, then heals and soothes and keeps it soft and velvety. We have other soaps, too, from Cashmere Bonquet to the cheapest that is good for use.

Our stock in all departments is well assorted and comprises the very things you need. Wishing our many customers a prosperous and happy New Year, we are yours to please,

# J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Greenville's Great Department Store.

### TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

#### Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

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

COTTON:		Today.	Yesterday.
Strict Middling	8 15-16	8 15-16	
Middling	8 13-16	8 13-16	
St. Low Middling	8 11-16	8 11-16	
Low Middling	8 1	8 1	
PEANUTS:			
Faucy	2 1	2 1	
Strictly Prime	2 1	2 1	
Prime	2 1	2 1	
Low Grades	2	2	

#### NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

#### FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

#### COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY

Bankers and Brokers,  
NORFOLK, VA.

#### New York Futures:

	Closed	Today.	Yesterday
Mar.		8.78	8.6
May		8.83	8.73
June		8.84	8.73

#### Liverpool Futures.

May & June	4.75	4.71
Chicago Markets:		
May Wheat	79	81 1/2
May Ribs	9.17	9.27
May Corn	44 1/2	45 1/2

#### GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY  
J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Middling	8 1/2	8 1/2
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#### CENTRAL BARBER SHOP.

and moved my Barber shop to the shop in front of Wooten's new store. I have also associated with me Julius Fleming, who has been working for me for a long time. We have fitted up for a handsome shop in the town, and offer to the public the best service ever offered here. We appreciate highly the liberal patronage we have received in the past. We cordially invite all of our past customers and all others who desire first-class service to come to see us in our new shop. We intend to please you and will do so regardless of expense or labor. We are ready at all times to accommodate you with first class shave or hair cut.  
EDWARD S. FLEMING.

# A. TAFT & CO.

## Annual Sale

of Best Line of Rugs, Matting and Oil Cloths to be had on the market. Beautiful 3-piece Chamber Suits just received. Best Line of

### Quartered Oak Sideboards

in town. We sell, the celebrated

## Buck Stoves & Ranges,

the Great White Enamel line. If you are in need of a stove you can't afford not to examine them. Everyone guaranteed.

## A. H. TAFT & CO.

### Dislocated Her Shoulder.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Ferguson Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep, which she had not done for several days. The relief it gave her mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.