

Ricks & Wilkinson

The Personality of this Store

There is a personality about this store. You feel it and believe in it if you are familiar with the store. The attitude of this personality toward the public has revolutionized trade in the last few years. You who remember the old shopping methods of years ago can best appreciate the difference now from then, and can realize how many of the inconveniences and unpleasant features of shopping have disappeared in the last half dozen years, since the policy of pleasing people under all circumstances has been established.

But it is not the old attitude of "bowing and scraping" to cajole a customer into a bad bargain which could not be righted afterward. It is an attitude of assurance in the worth of the merchandise presented. An attitude of confidence that establishes the law that every salesperson shall tell the absolute truth always, and reply to all questions asked frankly, pleasantly and intelligently. This store follows the old policy—tell the truth about merchandise. If a piece of dress goods has cotton in it, that is no disgrace. We tell it frankly. Many people prefer a little cotton in a certain class of dress goods. If a customer wants an all-wool dress it is here. If the price is higher, it is right. If some other store has told the customer that a part wool is all wool, and that customer thinks our goods dear, and goes to the other store to buy the deception, we have lost a sale, but kept our reputation, and will probably get that customer back when the cotton begins to show in the cheat.

It is not a question of morals or sentiment. In the cold logic of fact, "Honesty is the best policy." This store's personality presents an attitude of pleasantness, confidence, frankness, helpfulness, anxiety to please and satisfy in every transaction. Whenever this store fails in any of these particulars some human agency has failed in its loyalty to the principles of this store. And where there are many human minds and each with a pair of human hands, with the instincts of human frailty, composing an organization, human weakness will at times fail. But the idea is ever present. The intent is in every pulse-beat, and every error is promptly, pleasantly and, if possible, effectually righted, the flaw in the machinery corrected and endeavor continued. We are trying to deserve the success that has come to our store. If we knew how to serve the whole public better, we would do it. The best that seems possible today we are doing; we hope to do better tomorrow.

Saturday evening, February 21st, from 3 to 6 o'clock, we will sell

Ladies' Best \$1 Kid Gloves at 19c. pr. Only One Pair to a Customer.

The Standard Patterns for March now ready. The Designer, 10c. Fashion sheets free.

AN EXCEPTION.

While we do not especially banker for "the good old times" that you read about in story books, we must confess that in one respect the present time does not suit us. The cost of living, and the price of every thing for which hard cash must be laid down by the printer and newspaper man has advanced, not slowly, but with such rapidity that we would feel that something terrible was impending if each mail did not bring us notices of advance in price of type, paper, machinery, and everything else used in the production of newspapers and commercial printing. In the face of this, the price of newspapers and printed matter has declined almost in proportion to the increase in the price of raw material. Thus the trusts—we suppose we must blame the trusts, as it seems to be the fashion—hit us comin' and hit us goin.' We would not feel so bad about an advance in what we have to buy, if what we have to sell went up with it, or even remained stationary. And though we must cuss out the trusts and whoop it up for the dear people good and strong, some of the same dear people seem to have no more fellow feeling for us than if we were a defeated candidate for the presidency on a 16 to 1 platform. According to their ideas a shirt tail full of type and a hand press ought to be as much as any printer needs, but about election time they'll come around to our house some night while we are in bed watching wife sew a couple of bull's eyes over the busy part of our only set of pants, and want us to go down and print some election tickets while the other fellow isn't looking.

The members of almost every other profession are in a position to give the printer the little end of the horn. The grocer can put water in the oil he sells us, the dry goods man sells us an all wool suit of clothes made from cotton grown in Pitt county, the doctor paints his pills different colors and calls them different names, the lawyer sell us a lot of second hand advice written in hog Latin that won't stand a second wash, and so on ad infinitum.

However you fix it, the printer is up against it.

CHURCH SERVICE.

Where You Worship Sunday.

Methodist church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Men's Prayer meeting at 8:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. H. M. Eure.

Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. J. N. Booth.

Episcopal church—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Presbyterian church—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. F. G. Hartman.

Christian church—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Universalist—Preaching in court house at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. Ada C. Bowles.

Tomorrow is the anniversary of Washington's birthday.

Winterville Department.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Feb. 21. T. R. Tyndall, of Kinston, was in our town yesterday on business. C. A. Fair and B. F. Manning, who have been gone several days attending Jr., O. U. A. M. convention at High Point, returned by way of Kinston yesterday.

There will be a meeting of the supervisors of public roads of Contentnea Township on Saturday, March 7th, 1903 at 2 o'clock, in the town of Ayden. All supervisors and road overseers are commanded to attend, as business of importance will be transacted. By order of board road supervisors, J. M. Blow, clerk.

Hunsucker Buggies may not be any better than they have been all the while, but it really does seem like they have some of the prettiest in the show room now we have ever seen. Come look and see if you don't say so, too.

Ben Higgs and Alex Blow, Jr., of Greenville, were the guests of Mayor J. M. Blow Thursday.

Miss Dora Clark, who has been spending some time visiting Miss Emma Tally, returned to Greenville Sunday.

C. C. Dawson went to Grifton Friday night.

Wire fence is wire fence; it is not rail fence, nor plank fence, not by any means. Wire fence manufactured by A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. is wire fence right. It is simply the best wire fence that can be bought at a reasonable price.

Mrs. Rudolph Croom, of Kinston, came up this morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Fannie Tyson.

T. M. Beacham, of Aurora, has been spending a few days here on business.

Mrs. Johnson, traveling agent for "Orphans' Friend," has been taking names here this week.

Miss Clyde Dawson, of Grifton, came up this morning to visit friends.

J. S. Barber has begun work on his new store.

BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., Feb. 20, 1903.

On Monday night just before the storm came over, between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock, one of Blounts & Bro's lamps, was knocked down, and the falling of the lamp caused it to explode, and set fire to some of the goods. An alarm was given and by faithful work the fire was checked. The damage done by the fire amounted something near \$5 which was covered by insurance.

B. W. Mosely, of Greenville, spent Wednesday in town.

Mrs. Kenneth Staton, of Great Swamp, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives.

Herbert Briley, of Great Swamp, spent Sunday with his best girl here.

Misses Redmond and West, of Tarboro, were the guests of Misses Effie and Mattie Grimes Sunday.

Miss Roland James, of Pactolus, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Monday.

Miss Bettie Jones visited friends in Greenville this week.

Miss Laura Bell, of Mildred, is visiting Mrs. G. A. Bell.

Bethel band is nearly organized, all lacking is the music.

W. R. Harriss, of Ayden, spent Thursday in town.

Miss Mattie Grimes left Friday for Robersonville to visit friends. A. M. Mosley spent Friday in town.

The Cake's Ours

THE finest and best men's toggery is here. Put that word "Finest" in your pipe and smoke it, for we mean it. Clothes first, of course—that's our chief business. But you must have Haberdashery, too. This store is one of those "satisfactory stores" you run into now and then; but they are few and far between. In a satisfactory store you feel that you have made a satisfactory trade. If you want to experience this feeling, come here for a Hat or some Underwear, a Shirt, a pair of Gloves, or anything you may need. Quality of the goods and the prices give you that feeling at once.

Frank Wilson, THE KING CLOTHIER.

PERSONAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People Met With in the Social World

Fred Cox and family left Friday evening for Kinston.

B. W. Moseley returned Friday evening from Bethel.

W. B. Brown returned Friday evening from Norfolk.

Dr. Wm. Fountain returned Friday evening from Tarboro.

Miss Lela Cherry returned Friday evening from Raleigh.

H. B. Phillips left this morning for Suffolk.

Mrs. Florence Dancy returned this morning from Kinston.

S. D. King returned Friday evening from Rocky Mount.

L. I. Moore returned Friday evening from Raleigh.

Rev. W. E. Cox left this morning for Gates to fill his appointment there Sunday.

Miss Nancy Coward, of Greene county, is visiting her brother, H. L. Coward.

Mrs. F. H. Jobson, who has been visiting Mrs. W. T. Hunter, left Friday evening for Dunn.

Robert Cottingham, who has been here with the Gorman Wright Co., left this morning for Florence, S. C.

W. T. Lipscomb left this morning for Weldon to meet his son, C. T. Lipscomb, who is coming home from Columbia, S. C., where he was accidentally shot in the leg some days ago.

Charlotte is to have a home for the reformation of fallen women. This is all very good, but the sad part of it is there is no reformation for poor fallen women. Once down, her journey hence forth lies through wilderness of cypress gloom, with a past of haunting dreams, a present draped with mourning for Virtue's death and a rayless future through which no joyous sun-beam breaks or shines a star of hope.—Wilson News.

Does the editor of The Wilson News ever read the Holy Bible?—Charlotte News.

THE EUVITA COMPANY.

A Strong Business Organization.

The Euvita Company, recently organized here and chartered by the state, is a business organization of which Greenville has cause to feel proud. The company was formed to manufacture and put on sale the fountain drink invented by Mr. J. W. Bryan and patented under the name of Euvita. It is a drink that will win its way into popularity with the public, and the company has a good thing to push.

The company is composed of some of the best and most substantial business men of the community who will have ample capital at their command. The stock holders are J. W. Bryan, E. H. Thomas, W. J. Nichols, Higgs Bros., R. A. Tyson, C. W. Harvey, Moye & Parker, House & Moore, and Drs. Laughinghouse & Moye. They have chosen the following officers:

President, R. A. Tyson, (vice president of the Bank of Greenville.)

Vice President, J. W. Bryan.

Secretary, W. J. Nichols.

Treasurer, J. W. Higgs, (of the Greenville Supply Co.)

Board of Directors—E. A. Moye, J. W. Bryan, W. J. Nichols, D. E. House, E. H. Thomas, C. W. Harvey, J. W. Higgs.

Such men as these will carry the company to success. THE REFLECTOR presses are now busy getting out a lot of advertising matter for the company.

Mrs. Cora Fields, of Kinston, arrived this morning to visit Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr.

Miss Sallie Cox, of Grifton, is visiting her sister Mrs. W. A. Savage, in South Greenville.

Misses Lena and Mamie King returned Friday afternoon from a visit to Farmville.

The business men had rather it would not rain on Saturday, but we don't always get our wishes.

Wanted—An active man to sell Singer Machines and collect in accounts in and around Greenville, must furnish horse, and be able to give bond. Apply to E. H. JEFFERSON, Mgr. Washington, N. C.

Ricks & Wilkinson

D. J. WHICHARD, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.
PAUL R. OUTLAW, ASSOCIATE EDITOR.

Entered at the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class matter.
Subscription rates: One Year, \$3.00; One Month, 25 cents; One Week, 10 cents. Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.
Advertising rates reasonable 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. Write plainly, and only on one side of the paper.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 21, 1903.

We have grown accustomed to the various degrees and shades of freaks turned out in the way of U. S. government regulations, but about the most inane thing that has happened recently is the ruling of the postoffice department forbidding the employment of both a man and his wife at the same time. After awhile it may be against the law for a man and his wife to use the mails at the same time.

The negro is easily duped. No sooner had Senator Hanna's ex-slave pension bill been introduced than a pension bureau was started to rob the negroes. This bureau has issued a circular calling for free will offerings of \$1 to help push the matter along. Of course the dollars will go tumbling in, and that will be the last the poor negroes hear from them.

The esteemed Southport Standard chucks in a handful of long primer, lights its pipe, and composes as follows:

"The writer does not claim to be a Bible scholar, but from our readings and knowledge in the matter, we know of no place or part in Holy Writ where it is required or commanded that dogs shall attend church."

Dog-gone it, aren't there any dog houses in Southport?

The Atlanta Journal has decided that the United States no longer "are," but they "is." How about Puerto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines?—Newport News Times Herald.

The faithful are exhorted to hold out to the end. All is not lost. You could almost hear those government sharks groan when the Charlotte Observer wrote "the United States have."

Christian science got a mighty jolt before the legislative committee on health, when the committee decided to make a favorable report on a bill pending, one clause of which infer that persons using Christian science on the sick were practicing medicine without licenses.

The troubles of that town of Durham "do move," but they move closer every time. The Southern railway offers Winston-Salem two depots and gives Durham the rinky-dink when it asks for one.

Whether it does much for the state or not, the legislature is a big thing for Raleigh. It keeps hundreds of people there during the session, and the old town will be comparatively dull when they go home.

New York is washing more of her dirty linen by unearthing a lot of insurance frauds. What they cannot do in big frauds and steals up that way is not worth attempting elsewhere.

We now look for something serious to happen to the laws of nature, since a recent nuptial event in a neighboring town has proven that a woman can keep a secret.

Fully a thousand citizens of Noblesville, Ind., were made sick by drinking water. If this habit keeps up we won't have enough to keep the laundries going.

Asheville was preparing a big blow out for the Rocky-fellows, who did not show up, but went to another town instead. Alas! what John D. missed.

No, Constant Reader, the report that the Wilson News swore off cribbing editorial paragraphs and stuck to it is not true.

For the sake of his wife and children we hope Secretary Cortelyou isn't as hard looking as his picture.

At any rate the North Carolina legislature is not hopelessly bad. No anti-kissing bill has been introduced as yet.

That hollow mockery, "senatorial courtesy," has received a quorum of solar plexus jabs recently.

A contemporary says something about the beauty of ugliness. Show it to me.

Is it Anarchy?

All other means having failed to bring the Southern to terms we can still tear up its track.—Durham Herald.

Senator Hanna's ex-slave bill has already been seized upon, as he must have known it would be, to defraud the negroes with false hopes and misrepresentations. Circulars are being sent broadcast stating that Senator Hanna, "a man of might add power," has espoused the cause of the negro, and soliciting funds from the negroes to promote the passage of the bill. Senator Hanna admitted that he never expected the bill to become a law and would not vote for it himself, but it will be used to promote Mr. Hanna's popularity with the negro delegates to the national convention.

When you feel blue and that everything goes wrong, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse and invigorate your stomach, regulate your bowels, give you a relish for your food and make you feel that in this old world is a good place to live. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Morgan.

Little drops of water,
Little grains of sand,
Make up Morgan's ocean,
Also Morgan's land.
—New York Commercial.

I have purchased an interest in the business of Savage & Moyer at the rail road store and can be found there ready to serve my friends with the best groceries in town. We sell good groceries for little money, and deliver them at your door on short notice. Come so see me and I will please you.

Yours truly,
J. S. TUNSTALL.

If any merchant really believes that nobody reads the advertisements, this would be an excellent time for him to insert a small notice in the papers, offering to sell coal by the bucket at wholesale prices.

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE.

Greenville's Greatest REDUCTION SALE

A Sale of Fine Clothing, Dress Goods, Millinery, Hats, Shoes, Furniture that will offer you the greatest values for the least money. We had rather sell you our entire stock at prime cost than carry it till our spring business opens. We must make room for our Spring Goods, hence we make you these startling and astonishing low prices.

NO MISREPRESENTATION

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We carry a full line of Ziegler Bros., Reed, Reynolds and Stetson's celebrated Ladies' and Men's Shoes, all warranted to give satisfaction.

Ladies' Shoes, 1.25 value, 59c. Children's Shoes, sizes 4 to 6, worth more, now 22c.

Millinery Department.

In this department we have a grand display of the latest style Hats, reduced 33 1-3 per cent.

See us before buying elsewhere.

Ladies' Ready-to-wear, Elegantly Trimmed Hats, **\$1.95**

FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

We keep on hand all kinds of Furniture, Bedroom Suites, Wash Stands, Chairs, Couches, Baby Carriages, Mattresses and the best wire springs.

John L. Clark's Spool Cotton, 200 Yards on Spool, - - - 2 spools for 5c

Choice Lace Curtains, worth 75 cents a pair, to go in this sale at 49 cents

Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Vests, Regular Price, 35 cents, this sale, 24 cents.

Fine Taffeta Silk, 36 in. wide, \$1.00 per yard.

Corsets, 1.00 kinds while they last, **29c.**

Ladies' Fine Dress Goods 40c. values, to go at **25c. yd**

Best quality Table Linen, silver bleached, 70 in. wide, 75c. kind, **50c.**

BEST LIGHT CALICO, **4c. yd**

Bargains in Hamburg, 15c. values for 8c.

Ladies' Hose, good values, **5c. pr.**

Umbrellas, worth more, this sale, **39c.**

Men's Fine Neckties, 50c. grade, **19c.**

Men's Linen collars, all sizes, **5c.**

Men's colored stiff and negligee shirts **29c.**

Men's Underwear, 50c. Grade, **25c.**

Men's Hats, Latest Styles, worth 1.50 **98c.**

Boys' Hats, All sizes, **25c.**

Men's Overcoats, 6.00 value, must go, **3.90**

Men's Every day 1.25 kind, **79c.**

Men's Shoes, worth 1.50, **98c.**

Boys' Pants, while these last, **12 1-2c.**

Men's Single Vests, 75c. grade, all sizes, **39c.**

Men's Suits, 5.00 kinds, while these last, **1.95**

Men's Clay Worsted suits, worth 6.00, at **2.95**

Men's Fine Granite Suits, 14.00 kind, this sale, **9.90**

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.
SCHEDULES
AUGUST 1th, 1902

| No. | Daily Except Sunday | No. |
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| 7:30 a.m. | Lv. Kinross Ar. 6:45 p.m. | 59 |
| 8:30 a.m. | Lv. 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 |
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| Lv. Rocky Mount | 10:37 p.m. | 1:05 p.m. |
| Ar. Columbia | | 10:55 p.m. |
| " " Augusta | 8:25 a.m. | 11:15 p.m. |
| " " Charleston | 6:17 a.m. | 3:00 a.m. |
| " " Savannah | 8:32 a.m. | 8:30 a.m. |
| " " Jacksonville | 1:15 p.m. | 7:10 a.m. |
| " " Tampa | 10:00 p.m. | 10:50 a.m. |
| " " Thomasville | | 6:20 p.m. |
| " " Montgomery | | |

Fullman 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. R. 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. Bensus, Sec. K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meet every Wednesday evening. E. B. Ficklen, O. C.; C. S. Forbes K. of R. and S.
I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17, meets every Tuesday evening. A. B. Ellington, N. G., L. H. Pender, 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 chief; 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. Laughinghouse.
Surveyor, J. D. Cox.
Commissioners, J. J. Flks, W. W. B. Horne, J. R. Barnhill, J. W. Page and J. Spier.
Boat J meets every first Monday.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Mayor, H. W. Whedbee,
Treasurer, H. L. Carr.
Clerk, J. C. Tyson.
Tax Collector, C. D. Roundtree.
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. Ficklen & R. L. Carr, W. B. Parker and B. F. Tyson. Board meets every first Thursday night.

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.

Tendency of the times
The tendency of medical science is toward preventive measures. The best thought of the world is being given to the subject. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. It has been fully demonstrated that pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases medical men have to contend with, can be prevented by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip) and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered that there is fever and difficulty in breathing and pains in the chest, then it is announced that the patient has pneumonia. Be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is contracted; it always cures. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

The storekeeper who doesn't "believe in advertising" is always pleased to be mentioned in the paper as "an enterprising merchant."

A Weak Stomach.

causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach, and wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Chriesman, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by use of Kodol, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me, and after taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health."
Jno. L. Wooten.

Goods that are in general use require to be advertised to prevent their being supplanted by other articles. Goods that are not known must be advertised or they will not sell.

A Mother's Recommendation.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore North Star, Mich. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

After the seed is sown the farmer is content to wait several months for the harvest. Some merchants are dissatisfied if the harvest does not immediately follow the seed sowing.

The Easy Pill.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers do not gripe nor weaken the system. They cure biliousness, jaundice, constipation and inactive livers, by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach, liver and bowels that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely. These famous little pills exert a decided tonic effect upon the organs involved, and if their use is continued for a few days there will be no return of the trouble.
Jno. L. Wooten.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of a limb or even death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All danger of this may be avoided, however, by promptly applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing liniment for cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

The only positive cure for blood, bleeding, itching and protruding piles; cuts, burns, bruises, eczema and all abrasions of the skin. DeWitt's is the only Witch Hazel Salve that is made from the pure unadulterated witch hazel—all others are counterfeits. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is made to cure—counterfeits are made to sell.
Jno. L. Wooten.

THE RESULTS OF A JOKE

(Original.)
Tom Shafto was always trying to be facetious.
Tom's facetiousness cost him so many friends that he was finally reduced to but one man, who stuck to him. This was Albertus Whiteright. Whiteright was an exemplary young man with an exemplary young wife. The Whiterights were members of St. Andrew's church, and Burt was always on hand Sunday nights to show strangers to seats and pass the plate. Mrs. Whiteright before her marriage had made it an indispensable condition that the man she married should be a good churchman, and as she considered her church the only true church Burt was obliged to be confirmed before he became her husband.
Shafto was quite intimate with the Whiterights, counting Mrs. Whiteright one of his closest friends, as well as her husband. Frequently when Burt was detained late at the office Tom would keep his wife company. One night Tom called at the Whiterights' about 10 o'clock, and, though he remained till 12, the husband did not return.
"You needn't look for Burt till 3 o'clock in the morning," said Tom.
"Why not?" asked the wife, looking up surprised.
"Why, this is the night of the French ball. Burt is undoubtedly there."
Now, every one who lives in New York knows that the French ball or annual gathering given by the Cercle Francaise is a masquerade composed of elements and productive of antics rendering it a unfit place for one occupying a high place in the church. Mrs. Whiteright looked shocked and was about to make an indignant reply when she remembered Tom's proclivity for facetiousness. She simply looked grave and said nothing. Shafto, seeing that the lady declined to be jollied on so serious a subject, turned it and began to talk of other matters. Soon after he took his leave.
At 3 in the morning Whiteright put his night key into the lock and let himself in softly, thinking that his wife was asleep and not wishing to disturb her. To his surprise, she was sitting in the library.
"Why, my precious darling, what are you doing up at this time?"
"It is a wife's duty to bear her husband's burdens with him. If you must work so late, I decline to rest in a luxurious bed."
"It's very lovely of you, but unnecessary."
"What was the nature of your work tonight?"
"An error in the cash. I was obliged to find it or carry it over, which would have made it all the worse."
"By the bye, did you know that this is the night of the French ball?"
"French ball?" Whiteright started.
"Yes."
"What do you know about the French ball?"
"I know that it is an improper ball for my husband to attend."
"If my dear, so you accuse me of such a thing?"
"I have been told that you were there."
Whiteright caught at the back of a chair for support.
"Who told you such a thing?"
"One of your intimate friends."
"H-h-how d-did he know?"
"That doesn't matter. Burt, I am ashamed of you, a man of your position. And to think that you should have so deceived me! I shall never have any confidence in you again."
Mrs. Whiteright took out her handkerchief, wiped her eyes and, rising, went upstairs. There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth between the Whiterights not only that night, but for nights and days to come. The next afternoon Shafto saw Whiteright coming down the street and had a joke ready for him. What was his surprise to see Whiteright pass him with his head in the air. Shafto hurried after him.
"What in the world's the matter, Burt? Have you gone blind?"
"I have always supposed," replied the other angrily, "that you had the decency not to give a man away to his own wife."
"I give you away to your wife? I never did any such thing."
"You did it last night."
"Last night? How?"
"You informed my wife that I was at the French ball."
"You at the French ball? Who would believe that you would go to such a place? Certainly not I. Now I remember I did say something of the sort as a joke."
"Joke or no joke, I was at the French ball. I was masked, and no one would have known it if it hadn't been for your contemptible give away. Good morning."
And with a snort Whiteright broke away from Shafto, and their friendship came to a termination.
The end is not yet. Mrs. Whiteright, who had a conscience like a poker, decided that her husband was not in a spiritual condition to go to the communion table. All her troubles were divided into two classes, the one for her doctor, the other for her pastor. This was for her pastor. She confided the whole affair to him. The pastor invited the delinquent to his study, and told him that the offense must go to the vestry. When Whiteright met the vestry, he regretted the matter, especially as he had intended subscribing \$500 for the chimes, whereupon the vestry decided that the French ball was not (necessarily) a place interdicted to a churchman.
The Whiterights remained at home the next summer and saved money to pay the subscription.
ALEXANDER R. SHERMAN.

CHINESE MAGIC LANTERNS.

How Their Instruments Differ From Those In Use In This Country.
The magic lantern, like porcelain, gunpowder and printing, may have been an invention of the Chinese. For more than twenty centuries it has been a staple amusement in the Celestial empire and has been developed into many forms unknown to the occident. The Middle Kingdom, which has been well termed Topsy Turvy Land, uses the magic lantern in just the opposite manner from what we do, having the light and picture behind the screen, the same as in our parlor amusement of shadowgraphs. The commonest form of the magic lantern in the extreme east is a large box supported on a tripod or four legged table. The box is about 4 feet wide by 2' high, and its front is made of ground glass, oiled silk or oiled white paper.
Over the box is a light framework of bamboo and cloth, which reaches to the ground and conceals the operator from the audience, but leaves the glass exposed to view. A powerful lamp in front of a concave reflector throws a strong light upon the glass or screen, as the case may be. The top of the box and the sides are half open to permit the introduction of small figures. This arrangement gives four distinct classes of instruments. With all four instruments the exhibitions are given in the streets, squares and market places. They draw audiences ranging from five to thirty and give an entertainment of from five to fifteen minutes in length. Each spectator is supposed to contribute 1 cash, or a twentieth of a cent, when the hat is passed around. Generous or enthusiastic patrons frequently give from 10 to 15 cash, so that the average performance nets the proprietor about 2 cents. This seems ridiculous to Americans, but in a land where an ablebodied man can be hired for 5 cents a day the owner of a successful magic lantern is looked upon as a very well to do individual.
The little plays which are written about the magic figures are as conventional as our own immortal Punch and Judy. The "wicked tiger" depicts the career of a dissolute animal who from killing pigs, dogs and buffaloes finally eats a beautiful maiden and is slain by a Mongolian chief in full armor on horseback. "The wicked wife" forms a compact with the devil, squanders her husband's substance in riotous living and, in the last scene, hangs herself in a blaze of red fire, while the evil one expresses wild joy in extraordinary oriental gesticulations. "The cruel magician," "the grateful dragon," "the fairy foxes" and other bits of eastern folklore afford brief sketches, which are as familiar as household words.—New York Post.

To Give the Sack.

Two noblemen in the reign of Maximilian II.—1564-1566—one a German, the other a Spaniard, who had each rendered a great service to the emperor, asked the hand of his daughter in marriage. Maximilian said that as he esteemed them both alike it was impossible to choose between them, and therefore their own prowess must decide it; but, being unwilling to risk the loss of either by engaging them in deadly combat, he ordered a large sack to be brought and declared that he who should put his rival into it should have his fair Helena. And this whimsical combat was actually performed in the presence of the imperial court and lasted an hour. The unhappy Spanish nobleman was first overcome, and the German succeeded in enveloping him in the sack, took him upon his back and laid him at the emperor's feet. This comical combat is said to be the origin of the phrase "give him the sack," so common in the literature of courting.

One Phase of the Nile.

In the Shab Luka pass we have one of the many instances in which the Nile has hurled itself at an opposing mountain barrier and cut its way through. In fact, it often seems to select these unpropitious places for its course when on each side a few miles away there is a tolerably level, unbroken expanse of desert. For ten miles the river twists in and out before escaping to the open once more. Its current is very rapid, making it well nigh impassable at low water because of the numerous rocks, but at the time of my descent the summer flood was well along, and all but a few of these barriers were hidden below the surface, their presence being marked only by occasional eddies.—Century.


A Comfort Anyway.

"Speaking of greivousome remarks," said the ruddy old Scotch gentleman on his way from the far west to revisit Scotland for the first time in half a century, "there was an old lady friend of mine in San Francisco who persisted in looking upon this journey of mine as a madly adventurous tempting of Providence. 'Yet there is one thing comforts me, Robert, my man,' she said. 'When one dies in voyaging nowadays, they've such excellent facilities for transporting the remains!'"—New York Telegram.

And That Ended Nora.

Mrs. Aufait—Now, Nora, be very careful of this cut glass punch bowl. It cost a mint of money.
Nora—Indeed, mum! Well, it's rare tough. Sure an' I drapped it three times a'ready an' niver fazed it.—Life.
His Query.
She—Do I really love you, Cholly? Why, I'd sooner be miserable with you than happy with some other fellow.
He—But are you sure you won't find some other chap that you'd sooner be miserable with?—Puck.
When a woman loves a man to the point of distraction, other women abuse her for not having "more pride."
—Atchison Globe.

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| | | | |
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| Burden | 60 | Nashville | 45 |
| Chapel Hill | 50 | New Bern | 30 |
| Clay City | 55 | Newport | 40 |
| Conover | 50 | Oxford | 45 |
| Durham | 55 | Plymouth | 30 |
| Elizabeth | 45 | Raleigh | 45 |
| Erwin | 50 | Reno | 40 |
| Forestburg | 50 | Reno | 40 |
| Franklin | 50 | Rocky Mount | 30 |
| Greensboro | 50 | Scotland Neck | 30 |
| Hamlet | 50 | Selma | 40 |
| Haw River | 50 | Smithfield | 40 |
| Henderson | 50 | Spring Hope | 35 |
| Hickory | 50 | Tarboro | 25 |
| Hinton | 50 | Wake Forest | 45 |
| High Point | 50 | Weldon | 45 |
| Irwin | 50 | Wilmington | 45 |
| Littleton | 40 | Winston | 45 |

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business Feb. 6th, 1903,—condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

| Resources: | | Liabilities: | |
|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$130,563.98 | Capital Stock paid in | \$25,000.00 |
| Overdrafts | 1,690.39 | Surplus, | 15,000.00 |
| Furniture & Fixtures | 2,093.85 | Undivided Profits less | |
| Due from Banks and Bankers | 191,382.00 | Expenses Paid | 6,305.42 |
| Cash Items | 7,451.83 | Deposits | 307,403.35 |
| Cash in Bank | 20,526.72 | | |
| | \$353,708.77 | | \$353,708.77 |

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J. S. Tunstall has purchased an interest in the grocery business of Savage & Moye, near the railroad, and the firm will here after be Savage, Moye & Co.

The Weather.

For North Carolina:
 Rain tonight Sunday fair in western, rain in eastern portion.

THE KISS KILLERS.

"Have you read," asked Hiawatha, "How the daffy legislators Have been jumping onto kissing? Have you seen the resolutions Introduced by them to throttle Or discourage osculation? Years ago when Minnehaha Was a maiden fair and graceful, I was often at the wigwam Of her dad, the arrow maker, And you bet your Uncle Dudley Just improved each shining moment— Like a bee I sipped the honey From her rosy lips and never Missed a bit, that's certain.

"Now I'm growing old and hardened, But I have sweet recollections Of the good old cozy corner In the arrow maker's wigwam. And I don't begrudge to others What I once was very fond of. I'm not like those hoary headed Senators who can no longer Feel a thrill of exultation When their lips collide with others, And who would therefore abolish Osculation altogether. Never! Here's a health to kissing! Here's to Ella Wheeler Wilcox."

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Term—One-fourth cash on confirmation of sale, balance payable with interest January 1st 1904.
 Greenville, N. C., February 12, 1903.
 ALEX L. BLOW,
 Commissioner.

NOTICE.

By virtue of an order made by D. C. Moore, Clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county on the 7th day of January, 1903, in a certain special proceeding, wherein H. T. Murphy and wife, Pennie Murphy are plaintiffs and W. J. Tripp is defendant. I will on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1903, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash the following real property to-wit: One parcel of land lying and being in Contentnea township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of J. R. McLawhon, Henry Tripp and the Len Tripp lands, containing 49 acres more or less.
 This the 31st day of January, 1903.
 F. C. HARDING,
 Commissioner.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Jane Haddock, deceased, having been issued to me by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, on the 17th day of December, 1902, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 22nd day of December, 1903, duly itemized and authenticated, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment to me. This the 20th day of December, 1902.
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COTTON:

| | Today. | Yesterday. |
|------------------|--------|------------|
| Strict Middling | 10 | 9 1/2 |
| Middling | 9 1/2 | 9 1/2 |
| St. Low Middling | 9 1/2 | 9 1/2 |
| Low Middling | 9 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| PEANUTS: | | |
| Fancy | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |
| Strictly Prime | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |
| Prime | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |
| Low Grades | 2 | 2 |

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FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY

Bankers and Brokers,
 NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

| | Closed | Today. | Yesterday |
|------|--------|--------|-----------|
| Mar. | 9.83 | | 9.85 |
| May | 9.85 | | 9.85 |
| July | 9.68 | | 9.68 |

Liverpool Futures.

May & June 5.24 5.25

Chicago Markets:

| | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| May Wheat | 77 1/2 | 77 1/2 |
| May Ribs | 9.67 | 9.60 |
| May Corn | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 |

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

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| Middling | 9 1/2 | 9 1/2 |
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