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## NEW RAILROAD.

**NEW YORKERS LOOKING OVER RALEIGH AND EASTERN.**

**DROVE THROUGH THE COUNTRY From Raleigh, and Say Prospects for New Road are Very Bright.**

Judge Benedict and Mr. Beach, of New York, and Messrs. Barbee and Turner, of Raleigh, were here today in the interests of the Raleigh and Eastern Railroad. They were met and introduced by R. J. Cobb, Jno. L. Wooten, L. C. Arthur, L. I. Moore, J. L. Fleming and A. L. Blow.

Messrs. Barbee and Turner are the incorporators of the road and Judge Benedict and Mr. Beach are northern capitalists.

The party drove from Raleigh through Wilson and Farmville by private conveyance, inspecting the route of the proposed road. They expressed very favorable opinions of the country through which they traveled and said the prospects for the new road are very bright. They left this morning for Grimesland and Washington.

It is a long loan that has no returning.

## Northern Potato Market.

Newark, N. J.—\$2.50 to \$3.00.  
Philadelphia,—Fancy \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Baltimore,—\$3.00.  
New York,—\$2.50 to \$3.00.

## BONNIE MAY JONES DEAD.

Death Resulted From the Bite of a Mad Dog.

Asheville, May 23.—Bonnie May Jones, the 15-year-old daughter Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones, died here tonight of hydrophobia. An eventful life thus ends with an awful death. Several months ago papers North and South recorded this young woman's disappearance from home and a wellknown theatrical agent was arrested on the charge of being responsible therefor.

When the story was published and she received parental correction, the wayward girl twice attempted to commit suicide. Many presumed, when the report concerning her death was announced, that she had at last taken her own life, but physicians unite in saying that death resulted from a mad dog's bite, which she received about six weeks ago. The girl repeatedly lapsed into convulsions.

## Cotton Planters Want Share in High Prices

A meeting of cotton planters of Louisiana held at Shreveport has resolved to organize for the purpose of mutual protection in disposing of their cotton. A general meeting will be held June 17.

The object is to obtain for the growers the benefit of high prices usually prevail after the cotton has passed out of their hands, but what means will be adopted to this end have not as yet been disclosed.

## TROOPS GUARD KENTUCKY COURT

**Two Companies of State Troops, Armed With Rifles and Gatling Guns, Protecting Court Called to Investigate Assassination of Marcum.**

Jackson, Ky., May 25.—The special term of Breathitt Circuit court, called by Judge D. B. Bedfine, to investigate the assassination of J. B. Marcum, Dr. Cox and James Cockerill, feud victims, convened this morning under the protection of two companies of state troops armed with rifles and Gatling guns.

A cautious silence hangs over the town, persons fearing to talk about the murder lest they get into trouble.

The soldiers were given strict orders not to mention the feuds to any resident of Jackson, and not to write any letters about the situation, lest trouble be precipitated.

## Negroes Afraid of Corpse.

Tarboro, N. C. May 25.—The body of John King, the man who was drowned in Fishing Creek, and whose body was found last week, was not buried today, owing to the superstitious fears of the colored people, who refused to touch the body. The body was buried by the country this afternoon.

## Max O'Rell Dead.

Paris, May 25.—Paul Bloute (Max O'Rell) died last night. He has been ailing for several months and never recovered entirely from the effects of an operation performed some time ago in New York.

Men plan for what may yet be; women discuss what might have been.

## Madman Runs Amuck.

Winston-Salem, May 25.—Charles Atkins, a citizen of this county, became violently insane today on the subject of religion. He ran his family from home and terrorized the entire neighborhood. He went to Saints Delight church and broke all the windows, after which he visited the home of Bunyan Linville, where he struck a horse and awful blow with an axe, sinking it into the animal's body. The madman was finally captured and will be sent to an asylum.

## Lightning Strikes Hotel.

Wilmington, May 25.—The high cupola on the South wing of the Seashore hotel at Wrightsville Beach was shattered by a bolt of lightning last night. Fortunately there were no guests in the hotel, which will not be opened until June 1. Several of the servants around the hotel were badly frightened.

## The Cotton Mill Trust.

New York, May 25.—At a meeting of the directors of the Southern Textile Company held in this city today W. L. Holt, of Fayetteville, N. C., and D. L. Lewis, of Sycamore, Ala., were added to the board.

Contrary to reports all the mills in Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and Georgia are being taken into the company, while many of the manufacturing concerns in the Carolinas have signified their intention of amalgamating with the larger concern. The Holt mills of New York will be absorbed and the local office of the Holts will become the headquarters for the handling of the woven products. The yarn will be looked out for by T. Ashley Blythe, of Philadelphia.

## \$400 On One Acre.

Mr. M. O. Blount, of Bethel, tells us that he has sold this season off one acre over \$400 worth of strawberries, and is yet not quite through. There is money in strawberries and people of this section ought to raise them for market.

The singing class of the Oxford Ophan Asylum will give a concert at the Opera House on Wednesday June 3rd.

## SPECIAL TERM

**OF WILSON COUNTY CRIMINAL COURT IS CALLED.**

**MAY TRY JONES' MURDERERS.**

**Governor Aycock Commutes a Negro's Death Sentence to Life Imprisonment.**

Raleigh, May 26.—Governor Aycock yesterday issued and order for a special term of Wilson county criminal court to be convened June 16th by Judge Shaw. While there is no official statement to that effect it is understood that the trial of the 11 men held for the murder of Percy Jones will come up at that time.

Raleigh, May 26.—Owing to extenuating circumstances developed by the investigation of the appeal for respite, commutation from death sentence to life imprisonment was ordered by Governor Aycock in the case of Fred Vick, the 16-year-old negro who was to have been hanged in Goldsboro Saturday. The crime for which Vick was convicted was criminal assault on an old colored woman.

**Village Destroyed, Women And Girls Outraged And Murdered.**

London, May 25.—The Sofia correspondent of The Morning Leader telegraphs that the Macedonian committee reports that the Turks have burned the village of Banitzi, near Sere. Only 48 of the 500 inhabitants escaped and many women and girls were outraged and murdered and their bodies cast into the water.

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

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 26, 1903.

**FABLES FROM OHIO.**

The "situation" in Ohio is indeed laughable. Every day brings fresh stories of discord and widening breaches between Hanna, Foraker, Beveridge and other republican patriots. These stories may be good things for the Washington newspaper correspondents, but they are so ancient and bewhiskered they no longer fool the people, but are the subject of ridicule the country over. Anyone with a glimpse of the past and an iota of political gray matter can see that these stories are the regular annual fakes dished up to delude the public into the belief that there are really differences among the republican whip-carriers, when everybody knows that they never have split and never will.

One of the most amusing and palpable jokes is the beautiful yarn about Hanna's intention of becoming a candidate against Roosevelt. Now isn't that a Mother Goose story? The idea of Hanna being anything but a regular! It is to laugh.

If the democrats have any horse sense left they will scorn these fables of republican discord and hustle from morn till night.

The Wilson News says:

"Wilson county is capable of enforcing the law. If those charged with the murder of Jones are innocent they will and should go unpunished; if, however, any of them are guilty, conviction and punishment will follow. The Wilson people are as law-abiding and law-enforcing a community as those of Greenville or Wilmington, and capable meeting out justice, whether it is in the form of condemnation or a vindication."

The News knows that the murderer of Jones is in jail or in charge of the law and it also knows that there is not one chance in a thousand that he will hang. That is the plain fact.

If the postmaster general had attended to business his department might have escaped its present garbage cart odor, but who expects a federal office holder to do anything but follow the example of his employer, Theodore.

We wish the Charlotte News success in its new financial arrangement, but we haven't much faith in a company of business men as stockholders who think they know how a newspaper ought to be run.

As the Czar of Russia has no son, it is said he is desirous of fixing the succession so that his daughter can succeed him on the throne. No doubt this will be a vast improvement over present conditions.

It is said that P. M. G. Payne is hot under the collar. Judging from the condition of affairs in his department, he ought to have received a few warm jolts under his collar long ago.

The massacre of Jews in Russia is horrible, of course, but we of this country are not extraordinarily righteous. We have our Homestead.

A German medicine man has discovered that the sting of the bee is a sure cure for rheumatism. It sometimes drives away that fatigued feeling, also.

As Judge Clark has not yet grown enthusiastic about it, it is supposed that he has a previous engagement.

That very much overworked department at Washington, the bureau of explanations, is turning out some A No. 1 goods these days.

The Charlotte morning paper fails to materialize, but is thought the people can get along without it awhile longer.

Senator Simmons made a good speech on the negro question, but every word said upon that subject now makes it more of a nuisance.

Most of us have to go through it once, but few, very few, of us care to do a second edition of commencement stunts.

The dove of peace at last spreads its wing o'er the beautiful Philippine Isles. Only a hundred natives in the last funeral.

**THE STATE PRESS**

If the postmaster general expects the several departments under his supervision to be conducted according to business principles it is evident that he is the wrong man for the place.—Durham Herald.

Instead of forming Kansas City Platform clubs everywhere, as the esteemed Commoner suggests, or signing petitions for Cleveland's nomination, as they are doing in Pennsylvania, would it not better for democrats to be forming Get-together clubs in the hope of securing a petition of eight million voters in 1904 against four more years of Rooseveltism?—Charlotte News.

An advertiser recently paid \$5,000 for the privilege of painting his name on a chimney where it could be seen by passengers on the New York ferry-boats. And yet there are some people who say that advertising does not pay.—Durham Sun.

While closely "guarded," three ebony jail birds took flight from Tryon, Polk county, the other day and soon found themselves safe across the line in South Carolina. But it wasn't the loss of the jail birds the sheriff bemoaned. It was the property they carried with them—about \$15 worth of shackles. We understand they left the jail—Asheville Citizen.

**A New Cotton Pest.**

New Orleans, May 25.—A new sort of worm is reported from

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All the new lasts. Ask to see them if you would be well dressed.

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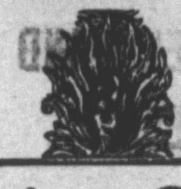
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A BIG CUT on all former prices of hot weather Clothing for Men, Boys and Children.

**Baby Carriages and Go-Carts—Biggest and best line to select from. All Furniture Reduced.**

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Sea Island Percals, 36 ins. wide, 10c. yard.

Best Light Calico, 4c.

Printed Lawns and Organdies, 10, 12 1-2 and 15 c. quality, while they last, 8 cents per yard.

Steel Rod Umbrellas, worth 50 and 75 c. only 39c.

249 pairs of Boys' and Girls' Sample Shoes at Factory Prices.

Boys' Knee Pants, only 15c. pair

259 Men's and Boys' Sample Straw Hats at New York cost.

Toilet Soap, big value, 3 cakes for 10 cents cash.

White Envelopes, per pack 3c.

Good Needles, per paper, 3c.

La Semmes Vests, only 5c.

Linen Towels, extra size, 10c.

McCall Patterns, 10 and 15 cents.



Bexar county, Texas. It is said to be devouring everything green, leaving cotton until all else has been devoured, and then stripping the fields. The pest is said to resemble the tomato worm, but is not so large and is of a different color.

The Austin, Texas, Statesman, thus expresses its opinion as to what the next Democrat's platform should be:

"Whichx5 cmf xzñññññ xzx."

If we can't all get together on that platform, why not?—Courier-Journal.

**FRANK M. WOOTEN,**  
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SCHEDULES  
AUGUST 4th, 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.	" Parme "	5:07 p.m.
10:00 a.m.	" Hobgood "	4:27 p.m.
11:00 a.m.	Ar. Pender Lv.	3:35 p.m.
11:20 a.m.	" Weldon "	3:15 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	Ar. Norfolk Lv.	9:00 a.m.
6:44 p.m.	Ar. Petersburg Lv.	7:47 a.m.
7:45 p.m.	" Richmond "	9:05 a.m.
1:40 p.m.	" Washington "	4:30 p.m.
7:15 a.m.	" New York "	9:25 p.m.

**FLORIDA.**

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

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**METHODIST.**—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayers meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. H. M. Eure, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. L. H. Pender, superintendent.  
**PRESBYTERIAN.**—Services 1st, 2nd and 5th Sundays, morning and evening. Mid week service every Wednesday evening. Rev. F. G. Hartman, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. F. L. Walker, superintendent.  
**EPISCOPAL.**—Rev. W. E. Cox, Minister. Morning and evening prayer with sermon every 1st and 3rd Sunday. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. B. Brown, superintendent. Litany every Wednesday evening.  
**CHRISTIAN.**—Services every Sunday morning and evening. Rev. W. E. Powell, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. W. B. Parker, superintendent.  
**CATHOLIC.**—No regular service.

**LODGES**

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. Williams W. M., J. M. Reuss, Sec.  
K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meet every Wednesday evening. B. B. Ficklen, C. 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 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.**

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Sheriff, O. W. Harrington.  
Register of Deeds, R. Williams.  
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Coroner, C. O'H. Laughing-house.  
Surveyor, J. D. Cox.  
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Aldermen, D. S. Spain, L. C. Arthur, Charles Cobb, B. F. Patrick, E. B. Ficklen, B. L. Carr, W. B. Parker and B. F. Tyson.  
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Mr. Joseph Pominville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25 cents per box by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

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"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Bayder, of Pattens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

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The convicts in the New York penitentiary have unanimously resolved to refuse the services of the chaplain on the ground that he is cruel to his young daughter. Even crooks hate hypocrisy.—Durham Sun.

**New Firm at Beating About Old Stand. ...The Bush**

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**W. J. THIGPEN,**  
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1. Ayden	10 21	Louisburg	40
2. Beaufort	50 22	Morehead City	45
3. Boydton	50 24	Nashville	80
4. Buffalo Springs	50 24	New Berne	30
5. Burlington	55 25	Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	50 28	Oxford	45
7. Chase City	55 27	Plymouth	30
8. Clarksville	50 28	Raleigh	45
9. Dunn	45 29	Rosnoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	50 30	Rocky Mount	30
11. Enfield	30 31	Scotland Neck	30
12. Franklinton	45 32	Selma	40
13. Greensboro	75 33	Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	30 34	Spring Hope	35
15. Hamilton	25 35	Tarboro	25
16. Haw River	65 36	Wake Forest	45
17. Henderson	45 37	Warrenton	45
18. High Point	30 38	Weldon	45
19. Kinston	25 39	Wilson	40
20. Littleton	40 40	Winston	40

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Third Chair, JIM HOPKINS.  
Fourth Chair, HERBERT EDMOND.  
We are prepared to do business. We shall at all times keep sharp razors and clean towels. We thank for past patronage and hope to have you continue your visits.  
Yours to serve,  
EDMOND & FLEMING.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF GRADED SCHOOL BONDS.**

Notice is hereby given that the board of aldermen of the town of Greenville, N. C., will on the 10th day of June, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m. of that day, in the Mayor's office of said town, receive sealed bids for the purchase of all or any of \$10,000 Graded School Bonds of said town. There will be issued one hundred (100) bonds of \$100 each, coupon in form, dated July 1st, 1903, due and payable July 1st, 1933. Said Bonds will bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first days of January and July of each year at the office of the town treasurer of the town of Greenville. The Bonds will be engraved under the supervision and certified as to genuineness by the United States Mortgage and Trust Company. Any information desired in regard to this issue or the financial condition of the town can be had on application to the mayor.  
May 8th, 1902.  
HARRY W. WHEDDIE, Mayor

[Original]  
"Why didn't ye ever marry, Mr. Parker? If ye'd 'a' taken a wife ten years ago ye'd 'a' had a nice family now instead of livin' alone on yer fine farm."  
"I came very near marryin' onct, Sally. I mismanaged the thing at the start."  
"How's that?"  
"I was workin' fur Mr. Noble at the time, and one day he said to me, says he: 'Parker, I wish ye'd git married, 'cause a woman would be handy about the place. I don't mean a servant; one to call on occasionally for a job.'  
"I was jest a-startin' out to trim the hedge and stood with the shears in my hand thinkin' on what he'd said.  
"I reckon that's a good idee, Mr. Noble, I tole him, 'an idee that's occurred to me quite frequent of late. Fact is, thur's a young gal I been thinkin' of askin' to marry me fur some time.'  
"Have ye done any courtin'?" he asked.  
"Why, no. I hain't no good at courtin' nohow. Anybody marries me 'll hev to do it without courtin'."  
"Well, Parker, in some cases where practical women are concerned I don't know but it's just as well to tell yer story offhand as to beat about the bush. Who's the girl?"  
"The young schoolteacher that started in last fall—Miss Field."  
"What?" he says, surprised like.  
"Miss Field?"  
"Yes, I says. 'D'ye think she's too good fur me?"  
"She's the one to decide that, Parker. It wouldn't be right fur me to express an opinion. The only way ye can do is to put the case to her and let her tell ye herself."  
"He went into the house lookin' sort o' queer, and I worked on the hedge all day. That evenin' I concluded to try my luck with the schoolteacher. So I puts on my store clothes and starts roun' to Deacon Weeks', where she was boardin'. The twilight was still on, and she was a-sittin' on the porch all alone. Thur was a smell o' roses in the air and a half moon in the sky. She was a-readin' a book, but when she see me she laid it down and give me a welcomin' smile.  
"How d' do, Mr. Parker?" she said, with the sweetest voice in the world.  
"I stood kind o' awkward-like, and to help me on she asked who I'd come to see, and when I tole her I'd come to see her she asked me to sit down. Then, rememberin' what Mr. Noble said about beatin' round the bush, I begun.  
"Miss Field, I says, 'I was a-talkin' with Mr. Noble 'bout my takin' a wife. He thinks one 'd be handy 'bout the place. He advised me to go right to the girl I wanted and tell her. I tole him that you was my choice, but that I thought you might be too good fur me. He said you was the one to decide that.'  
"Fust off she turned sort o' pale; then the color come rushin' up into her cheeks 's if a cock had been turned on inside her. Cur'us, I thought, how some wimmen 'll be taken aback by anything sudden. After all, it might 'a' been better to 'a' done a little prev'us beatin' 'bout the bush.  
"I hope I hain't said nothin' that I shouldn't 'a' said, I stammered.  
"Not at all, she answered me, gatherin' herself together. 'You have paid me a very high compliment, but I confess I don't like Mr. Noble's taking it upon himself to instruct you in the affair.'  
"I'm sorry I mentioned him.'  
"There's no harm done. After all, Mr. Noble has nothing to do with the matter; nothing at all. You have made me a proposition and are entitled to an answer. You can tell Mr. Noble, who has thought proper to attempt to secure me for a handy person, that a previous—  
"I thought ye said Mr. Noble hed nothin' to do with it."  
"You're right; so he hasn't. Well, then, while I feel very much complimented, I must decline yer proposition. I shall always think of you kindly and remember how you have honored me."  
Then I went away. I was dead certain that I'd made her mad by bringin' in Mr. Noble. After all, that was beatin' about the bush. The next mornin' as he was drivin' out o' the place I tole him I'd done the job. He pulled in and asked me all about it. I repeated what we said as well as I could remember and tole him I'd made a mistake by bringin' him into it.  
"Perhaps you did, Parker," he said after listenin' to it all mighty interested, but since the lady has a previous attachment that would have beaten you anyway."  
"He'drove off lookin' mighty glum. Fact is he seemed to take my failure as bad 's if he'd made it himself. I'd seen 'em more or less together that spring, but never ag'in till the next fall. Then I see 'em walkin' down by the river side. Mr. Noble was a-bendin' over her and talkin' mighty earnest, while she was a-lookin' the other way.  
"He's a-tryin' to undo what he done fur me as well as himself, I said. 'Mebbe he'll fix it up, and I'll have another chance. Next time, you bet, I won't go beatin' 'bout the bush.'  
"That winter I left Mr. Noble, havin' bought a farm, and didn't see him or Miss Field fur two years. Then I found 'em married.  
"Now, I've tole you how I blundered once before. I ain't goin' to beat 'bout the bush ag'in. Sallee, will ye marry me?"  
"Yes, I will."  
ROBERT B. HAINES.

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R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT  
R. A. TYSON, Vice-President. J. L. LITTLE, Cashier  
**Bank of Greenville,**  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business April 9th, 1903,—condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$151,876.55	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 3,390.38	Surplus, 15,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 2,099.85	Undivided Profits less
Due from Banks and Bankers 143,826.28	Expenses Paid 8,071.53
Cash Items 1,838.42	Deposits 279,084.38
Cash in Bank 24,124.43	
\$327,155.91	\$327,155.91

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Every gallon of  
**THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT**  
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we have a large assortment of beautiful articles in

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and Manicure Sets in solid silver and plate. The comfort of or having one's own own articles for the toilet when traveling or on a visit to a relative or neighbor is fully appreciated when away from home. We extend to you a cordial invitation to come and examine our stock.  
Ice cream and cream soda at our fountain.

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# No Frog in my Throat



But there's a choice four-in-hand tie from C. S. Forbes around my neck.

Don't pay extravagant prices for Neckwear or other furnishings and expect to get anything more stylish than you can obtain here. We have taken the cream of the manufacturers' stocks and are selling at "skim milk" prices.

## You Need a Few Shirts?

Why not buy now? Our Negligee Shirts are specially attractive and our prices are a pleasing surprise to those not familiar with the quality of our goods.



# C. S. Forbes.

## New Arrivals

AT  
**A. TAFT & CO.**

The Celebrated Bernstein White Enamel Bedsteads—the best made.

Complete line of Refrigerators just in. Get one for hot weather.

See our Beautiful line of Chairs.

Mattings—We have just received what you want in Mattings, Rugs, Lace Curtains, Window Shades.

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Buck's Stoves and Ranges, best made. Give us a call.

Very truly,

**A. H. TAFT & CO.**

Fine feathers make fine beds.

### The X-Rays.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-Rays, establish it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

A hair on the head is worth two on the brush.

### The Wastes of the Body.

Every seven days the body, muscles and bones of a man of average size loses two pounds of worn-out tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength kept up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions, the strength lets down, health gives way, and disease sets up. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic. Sold at Wooten's Drug Store.

## Glad to Meet You--



He is a popular man who dresses well and has money besides. We help you to popularity by enabling you to dress well at a price that will allow you to have some money left.

## The Well-Dressed Man

is the one who is careful in selecting as well as wearing his clothes. We make it a point to see that you are satisfied in every way with the garments we sell. Our prices are as reasonable as we can make them. Our summer line is not excelled in Greenville.

# A. E. Tucker and Co.

It's a strong cane that leads to learning.

### A Little Early Riser

now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by Wooten's Drug Store.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

## SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

You can get Royal Glue at Reflector Book Store. It mends everything.

Interest in cotton is now giving place somewhat to the price of potatoes.

Men's clothing cleaned and pressed by "Gold Dust" at Davis barber shop.

Whooping cough is said to be around.

Will pay you cash for your Beeswax. SAMUEL M. SHULTZ.

The hails were near enough to make the weather cooler.

The very best butter and cheese on ice J. B. CHERRY & Co.

Talk of aldermanic timber in the different wards is starting up.

For sale—One short log saw mill, good as new. Will sell cheap. Apply to D. D. Overton, Greenville N. C.

Registration books for the town election open tomorrow. Those who registered for the recent bond election need not register again.

Who you have writing to do, look into the merits of the Parker Fountain Pen. Nice assortment at Reflector Book Store.

We would like to have two copies of THE DAILY REFLECTOR date Thursday, May 21st, and will thank any one to send them to us.

### The Weather.

Showers tonight and Wednesday. Warmer in northeast portion.

### LETTER TO J. L. LITTLE

Greenville, N. C.,

Dear Sir: Mr. H. H. Stephenson Cashier of Oil City (Pa.) Savings Bank writes: "Nine years ago I painted my house with your paint. It wore so well, I want to use it again."

That's nothing wonderful except for the fact that the soft coal region of Pennsylvania is pretty hard on paint with its oil, smoke and grime. All we see in it is that Devoe is good for nine years sometimes. There are thousands of people that know it, and millions that don't.

There's the rub! We print for the millions; we want to make paint for the millions.

Mr. Cashier, do you know that Devoe lead and zinc is worth twice as much as old-fashion painter's paint, lead and oil, and costs no more? Is 100 per cent a fair profit in your business?

Three-quarters of the people paint lead and oil mixed by hand; while the U. S. Government use lead, zinc and oil ground together by machinery—same proportions as Devoe lead and zinc. The majority never is right about anything.

Yours truly,  
F. W. DEVOE & Co.

P. S.—H. L. Carr sells our paint.

### Osteopathist.

Dr. W. D. Bowen, of Washington, N. C., will be in Greenville on Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning till noon, Friday evening and Saturday morning till noon of each week for awhile. Treating rooms at Mr. Travis Hooker's residence. Examination free to prospective patients.

### From a Cat Scratch

on the arm, to the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by Wooten's Drug Store.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST.

News comes from D. H. Turner, a druggist at Dumpsytown, Pa. that Dr. King's New Life Pills are the best sellers in his store. After using them himself he says "they are truly great; actual experience convinced me. Everybody wants them for Constipation, Stomach and Liver troubles. 25c at Wooten Drug Store.

Look before you lend.

A kiss is as good as a smile. Hard earned, seldom spurned.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Dr. E. A. Moye is sick.

Mrs. T. J. Jarvis is quite ill.

Dr. Laughinghouse left this morning for Hot Springs N. C.

Mrs. Willie Huges left this morning for Reedsville to visit friends.

Miss Pennie Moore returned Monday evening from a visit to Oakley.

J. W. Bryan returned Monday evening from a trip on the road.

F. G. Hartman returned Monday evening from Parmele.

News and Observer Rivenbark blew in today.

J. D. Laughinghouse went to Kinston Monday evening.

L. M. Newton went to Kinston Monday evening.

Snow Cox went to Kinston Monday evening.

David James left Monday evening for New Bern.

Mrs. J. B. Randolph and child returned Monday evening from a visit to Mildred.

Mrs. J. A. Dudley and child went to Ayden Monday evening to visit her parents.

R. J. Cobb and little daughter, Lucille, returned Monday evening from a trip to Norfolk and Richmond.

Miss Jennie Abbott, of Grifton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Rountree, went to Ayden Monday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Galloway, W. H. Galloway and Miss Bessie Pew, from near Grimesland, took the train here this morning for Littleton to attend the commencement of the Little Female College.

Dr. Wm. Fountain received a phone message Monday evening from Elm City stating that his wife, who is visiting her parents at that place, was very sick and for him to come at once. He left on the evening train.

Misses Mary Harriss, Maggie Edwards, Queenie and Lizzie McGowan, Bertha Tyson and Nancy Coward and Prof. W. H. Ragsdale, U. G. Tyson and J. E. Forbes went to Ayden Monday evening to attend the commencement of the C. O. College.

### Town Primaries.

The democratic primaries for the nomination of Aldermen will be held in the several wards of the town of Greenville, on Friday, 29th day of May, 1903, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the following places to wit: 1st Ward—F. C. Harding's office. 2nd Ward—Mayor's office. 3rd Ward—Court house. 4th Ward—Star warehouse. 5th Ward—Farmers' warehouse. This May 26th, 1903.

H. Harding, 1st Ward.  
H. W. Whedbee, 2nd Ward.  
J. G. Moye, 3rd Ward.  
H. T. King, 4th Ward.  
C. D. Rountree, 5th Ward. } Com

### The Whippoorwill.

Watchman whippoorwill, what o the night!  
What dost thou see by the pale noon's light?  
What dost thou hear? Oh whippoorwill tell;  
Far in the woods is it well, is it well?

From the green watch tower all the night long.

Faithfully soundeth thysingalsong. What art thou saying to bill and dell? Whippoorwill, whippoorwill, is it well?

Soundly the birds of the wildwood sleep,

For they trust that thou true watch will keep,

Where all the folk of the woodland dwell

Whippoorwill, whippoorwill, is it well—Mary M. Currier in Good House keeping

All is not fried that fritters. In suitors the young woman prefers quantity to quality.

After a man gets his private garden going his spare cash is gone.

## GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

# Sweet and Tempting

There is nothing so purely sweet and tempting as Fresh, Clean Butter, Eggs and Cheese. They are certainly sweet and tempting as we buy them, and most of the well-set tables in the town give our dairy products a well-deserved place. You will be pleased if you do likewise.

## IRON BEDS.

We have these in all sizes, and it will not pay you to bother with cleaning the old wooden beds when you can buy a complete metal one. Different sizes and styles to select from.

## FLY PAPER.

We keep the most attractive Fly Paper on the market—attractive to flies. You don't have to introduce the fly to the paper, either. He knows it is a good thing and wants to get onto it early in the game. He gets stuck on it.

# J. B. CHERRY and COMPANY

GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

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Passenger, Baggage and Freight Transfer

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## TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

### Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

AS WIRED BY

J. W. PERRY & COMPANY,

Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va

COTTON:

	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	11½	11½
Middling	11½	11½
St. Low Middling	11½	11½
Low Middling	11½	11½

PEANUTS:

Fancy	3½	3½
Strictly Prime	3½	3½
Prime	3	3
Low Grades	2½	2½

### NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS.

AS WIRED BY

COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY  
Bankers and Brokers,  
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

	Closed	Today	Yesterday
July		11.25	11.18
Aug.		10.81	10.76
Oct.		9.62	9.52

Liverpool Futures.

July & Aug.	6.06	6.01
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Chicago Markets:

July Wheat	73½	73½
July Corn	45½	45½
July Ribs	9.40	9.55
Sept. Ribs	9.22	9.35

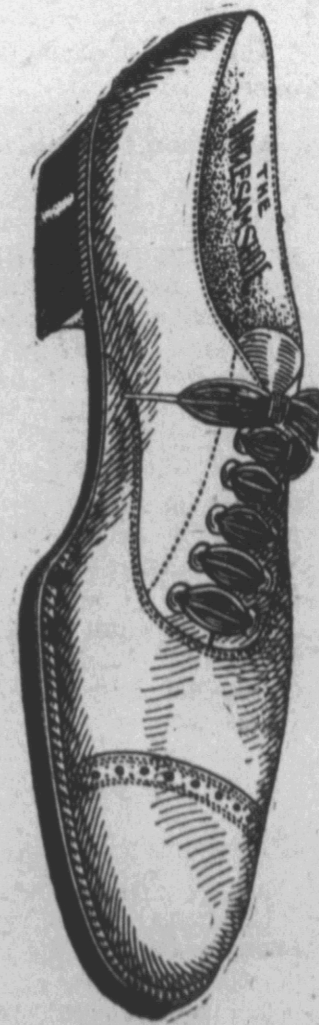
GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Middling	10½	10½
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is for Oxfords to go with new clothes, The Boys and Girls all want them To show their swell hose.



Oxfords are the popular styles and we have them in a large variety, at popular prices, which we can fit any foot and suit any purse. The above is our Uncle Sam Oxford, fast becoming the only summer shoe for fashionable fellows.

Our line of Shoes and Oxfords for women, from \$2.50 to \$4 are beauties. We show them in all styles and leathers. Complete line for children.

# Pulley and Bowen