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The Home of Women's  
Fashions,

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#### Relief for Clifton and Pacolet.

Charlotte, N. C., June 8.—The American Manufacturer's Association, formerly the Southern Cotton Spinners' Association, subscribed \$1,000 in cash for the relief of the flood sufferers. Five hundred dollars was immediately sent to Pacolet and \$500 to Clifton.

#### Burned With Gas.

Justice of the Peace L. A. Mayo, who lives about 4 miles from town, has a mill and gin which are run by a gas engine. Monday he was getting ready to start the engine and when about to light the gas some of it flashed up in his face burning him very painfully.

#### Firemen Appreciate This.

The Washington people are certainly clever to the Greenville firemen. Recently Chief A. J. Griffin got Mayor Stewart to send him some peat coal for starting a quick fire in the engine, and where Capt. Griffin sent the money for it the check was returned to him with the statement that there was no charge for the coal, as the Washington people were only too glad to send it.

#### Picnic.

The Presbyterian Sunday school had an excursion and picnic today. They went down the river as far as Strawberry Hill on the gas boat.

## GROFF BROS. INDICTED.

### CHARGED THAT THEY BRIBED MACHEN WITH \$20,000.

### A DIRTY JOB BUT AN EASY ONE.

### If the Investigation is Not White- washed Somebody May Get in Jail.

Washington, June 8.—The federal grand jury has found true bills against the Groff Brothers in connection with the alleged offering of bribes to A. W. Machen, former superintendent of free delivery, of the post office department. This action as taken, it is learned, on the same day that Mr. Machen was indicted. The delay in presenting the indictments has been due to the fact that they could not be prepared for presentation before today.

The Groff's are the owners of the patent mail box fasteners from the sale of which to the government Machen is said to have profited, through collusion with the Groffs, to the extent of \$20,000 in the past three years, having, it is said, collected from them a 40-per-cent "rake off" on all moneys received by them from the government.

The grand jury will at once take the case of James N. Tyner, former assistant attorney general for the post office department, who was dismissed as a result of the rifling of the safe in his office. Although the opening of the safe was not done by Mr. Tyner personally, it is said that he was connected with the act in such a way as to compel the laying of the case before the grand jury for its action.

If found necessary the full power of the government will be exerted to uncover corruption in the post office department. This was brought to light this morning by the discovery of the means whereby evidence of bribery was secured against Machen and his subordinates in the free delivery division. A national bank examiner followed up the work begun by the inspectors. These chased the clues to the doors of certain banks. They then had to stop. But the inquiry did not rest for long. Treasury department officials were consulted with the result that bank examiners were ordered to go into and examine the books and the vaults. Thus, documentary evidence was obtained.

#### American Heirs Of King O'Keefe.

Washington June 8.—A cable message received at the navy department announces the arrival at Cavite, P. I., of the collier Justin, from a cruise to Guam, which included a visit to the Island of Yap, of the Pelew group. The especial object of the Justin's visit to Yap was to land an American lawyer who is engaged in looking after the interests of the American heirs of the late King O'Keefe, an American voyager who was chosen to rule over the natives of Yap and who is said to have acquired a large fortune.

Many blue bell blooms are being gathered in the low grounds across the river. They are beautiful flowers and very fragrant.

#### CAPT. BASON ON ETYMOLOGY.

He Finds Three New Words—The Learned Opinion of Brawley, Judge.

"I say it is useless to argue the question," said Capt. George F. Bason, as he settled himself comfortably in his chair and glared at his tormenters. "I repeat that there are no such things as mournful pleasure and curved balls. But these subjects, interesting and profitable as they are, I do not care to discuss on the occasion of our present gathering. I have, dear friends and brethren, assembled you together to deliver a short homily on etymology, and my text consists of three words: 'hellmentations,' 'assumasy' and 'anfractuosity.'

"'Hellmentations' you will not find in the dictionary, but in rare sections of Iredell county. It explains itself forcibly. Treasure that word and use it only when you haven't anything else to call her.

"'Assumasy' was born in Gaston county, and it defines a demeanor just this side of impertinence. If a man should wear his full dress coat and lavender trousers to a swell function and should imbibe all the water in the finger bowl he might be guilty of 'assumasy,' or, on the other hand, if a man should neglect to return your chewing tobacco that subtle word might also characterize his conduct.

"I come, lastly, to 'anfractuosity.' This is the word that Lord Macaulay used in a moment of bitterness; a word that Webster chronicled in agony; a word that thereafter lay buried until it was resurrected by Judge Brawley, of the Federal court.

"I shall never forget when I first heard that dear word. Chas. Price and myself were in the District court in Richmond, and the time came for the deliverance of an opinion by Brawley, judge. The opinion was read slowly and was clear enough until 'anfractuosity' appeared. I leaned over to Price and said: 'All down but nine,' I said; 'I ante and pass the buck. Can you do anything?' Price shook his head and then he and I went out and found a dictionary. There was the word; it means sinuosities; and there was the sentence in which Brawley, judge, used it:

"When this comes into play new difficulties arise from the distinctive individualities and anfractuositities of the human mind."

"But as I was saying about mournful pleasure and curved balls."—Charlotte Chronicle.

#### \$1,600 a Year Clerk Gets Rich.

Washington, June 8.—It was learned today that post office inspectors are looking up the record of Emanuel Speich, head bookkeeper in the free delivery division under former Superintendent Machen, who is under indictment for bribery, a friend and business intimate of the latter, one of the signers of Machen's \$20,000 bail bond, and the man who made the report of a \$20,000 deficiency in the rural service, when the true figures show a deficit of over \$200,000. An investigation of the records today showed that Speich resigned a \$2,000 job under Fourth Assistant Bristow, October 30, 1902, and was the next day appointed to a \$1,600 position under Machen. Shortly afterward Speich formed a partnership with a Washington contractor and builder and began the construction of several rows of houses in various parts of the city. Speich has now many business interests.

Envelopes were first used in 1839.

## Men's Negligee Shirts

A superb collection of smart, new, stylish Summer Shirts, from one of the best known makers in the land. They are made, for the most part, of madras and percales, in handsome woven and printed patterns. Fronts are plain or plaited; cuffs are attached and detached. All the patterns are new.

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 10, 1903.

"RENDER UNTO CÆSAR THE THINGS WHICH ARE CÆSAR'S."

*We are more heavily taxed by our idleness, pride and folly than we are taxed by government.*  
—BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

The tax assessors and listers are officials who have duties of great public importance to perform, and they should be met in a spirit of co-operation and assistance. It is human nature, we suppose, to cherish some little desire to escape taxation—a trait which reverts to us from our savage forbears, perhaps—but so long as we must pay, it is a far better example to do so gracefully and cheerfully, remembering that the list takers and assessors are in no wise responsible for the law.

Just taxation—the equal sharing of responsibilities—is the very essence of civilization. When a man pays taxes he pays for the enforcement of the law, for protection against encroachments upon his rights, for the education of his children, the improvements of the age and the continuity of orderly and wise government. To receive these benefits without paying for them would be to degrade and debase them, because what is not paid for in some way is rarely appreciated and never worth as much as if some price—either of money, privilege, love or friendship—had paid for it.

Too many are prone to rail against taxation in general, when unequal and therefore unjust taxation is that which should be condemned. Many who hate to be taxed by the government daily lay upon themselves a tax far more heavy and grievous to be borne. They tax themselves for games of chance, for vainglorious finery, for pomp and show and admiration, for liquor, cards and selfish appetites. No protest is entered against this form of taxation, but the assessors and list takers do sometimes catch the devil.

Therefore go ye into the temple, and there make public declaration of all goods and chattels of whatsoever nature upon which the state hath set a tax, and the same pay into the common treasury, that ye may be good and worthy citizens of the commonwealth.

We are glad to learn from the Winston Salem Sentinel that Captain R. B. Glenn will not be a candidate against Hon. W. W. Kitchen for the congressional nomination. Why the rumor should have been started is hard to see. Kitchen has made a record that North Carolina may well feel proud of, and Captain Glenn is surely not the man to seek to deprive him of his honor. We hope to see Captain Glenn enter the gubernatorial race, and feel sure he will find there his swiftest pace.

"Tornadoes in Georgia, forest fires in New York, cloudbursts in South Carolina, feuds in Kentucky—the state that hasn't had some great calamity to contend with is more than fortunate," says the Greensboro Telegram. And Spencer Blackburn in North Carolina.

THE REFLECTOR'S claim that this paper prints the largest advertisement of any daily paper in the state is something of a surprise to some of our contemporaries. But it is true, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A famine threatens the Philippines. Our imperial republican government will see to it that benevolent assimilation is not hampered by indigestion.

A \$1,600-a-year clerk in the post office department has built and paid for several rows of houses in various parts of Washington. And you know he will never see the inside of a jail.

Theodore is not making as much noise as he did a few weeks back. Can it be that the great American public has been dealt "that tired feeling?"

Thomas S. Rollins, republican pie-clerk, is said to be doing out a few more post-offices. The fine Italian hand, however, can be no other than Jeter C's.

Refuge.

I have a home of everlasting peace  
Which neither chance nor change  
can take away.  
Where earthly cares and persecutions  
cease,  
And our dim lanterns are put out by  
day.

In that great hall the soul's outspread-  
ing wings  
Shall strike no bars of limit or  
control,  
For love's domain doth there include  
all things  
And parts are merged into the  
mighty whole.

Ocean of space, where waves of ether  
blue  
Beat noiselessly upon the golden  
shore,  
Surely my spirit shall return to you  
And weariness find rest for ever-  
more.  
—George Ives in Saturday Review.

THE STATE PRESS

It is almost incredible after reading the awful destruction caused in so many places by the wild rushing of waters, to read that a water famine is seriously feared in New York. Such is the diversity of a great country.—Raleigh Times.

Dull season you say in the summer time. It need not be. Advertising is a sure cure. Try it. If you are wise you will begin right now.—Durham Sun.

The opening of a political convention with prayer is generally something of a farce. But the invitation to a negro preacher to pray for the Ohio convention was strictly a matter of business.—Charlotte News.

The growth of the temperance movement in this state is certainly great, this shown by the fact that the sale of liquor is not permitted save in 39 counties. There are 13 dispensaries now in operation in the state. In one entire congressional district no liquor is allowed to be sold.—Raleigh cor. Charlotte Observer.

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Summer Millinery as beautiful as fingers filled with magic can make it. Dress and Ready-to-wear Hats for Ladies and Children.

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All the new weaves in all colors and widths.

WHITE WASH GOODS, 25 per cent. reduction on all former prices.

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

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For Ladies, Children and Babies. Drop Stitch, Colors and White.

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Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton,  
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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' Sam-  
ple 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.

Ladies Semmer Vests, only 5c.

Linen Towels, extra size, 10c.

McCall Patterns, 10 and 15 cents.



The first balloon ascension was made in 1783.  
Omnibuses first appeared in New York in 1830.  
The first locomotive was run in this country in 1820.  
The first watches were made at Nuremberg in 1477.

**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.

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# Tucker's Big Summer Sale

is now in full blast. We are doing the Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods business of the town, and our customers come from far and near. WHY? Because they have formed the "Tucker Habit"—"When in doubt go to Tucker's"—and it means good clothes on their backs and more money in their pockets. It will mean the same thing to you if you get into the "Tucker Habit." Begin now, the sooner the better.



## Men's and Youth's Summer Garments.

Hot weather is here and we are better prepared than ever to supply your Summer Clothing wants. Crashes and Flannels, light weights, choicest shades and colorings, well made and extra strong in all vital parts, tailored so as to give the fit and retain the shape.

### Blue Serge Suits

Nothing cooler than these and you will be surprised at their remarkable style and comfort, and the extremely low prices. The fabrics are staunch and the weaves are the best. See them before buying.



Shirts, Collars, Ties, Suspenders, Underwear, Straw Hats, Oxfords, and everything else in Summer wearables and---

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No. 55	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	" Parmele "	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 "	6:05 a m
1:40 p m	" Washington "	4:30 a m
7:15 a m	" New York "	9:25 p m

### FLORIDA.

	35	23
Lv Rocky Mount	10:37 p m	1:05 p m
Ar Columbia		10:55 p m
" Augusta	8:25 a m	11:15 p m
" Charleston	6:17 a m	8:30 a m
" Savannah	8:32 a m	3:00 a m
" Jacksonville	1:15 p m	3:35 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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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. Lenoir	46
2. Beaufort	59 22. Morehead City	45
3. Boynton	60 24. Nashville	30
4. Buffalo Springs	60 24. New Bern	30
5. Burlington	65 26. Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	60 26. Oxford	45
7. Chase City	65 27. Plymouth	80
8. Clarksville	60 28. Raleigh	45
9. Dunn	46 29. Roanoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	60 30. Rocky Mount	30
11. Enfield	30 31. Scotland Neck	30
12. Franklinton	45 32. Selma	40
13. Greensboro	76 33. Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	30 34. Spring Hope	35
15. Hamilton	26 35. Tarboro	25
16. Haw River	65 36. Wake Forest	45
17. Henderson	45 37. Warrenton	45
18. High Point	80 38. Weldon	40
19. Kinston	25 39. Wilson	
20. Littleton	40 40. Winston	

F. C. TOEPLERMAN, Gen. Supt.

"I have been troubled for some time with indigestion and sour stomach," says Mrs. Sarah W. Curtis, of Lee, Mass., "and have been taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets which have helped me very much so that now I can eat many things that before I could not." If you have any trouble with your stomach why not take these Tablets and get well? For sale by Wooten's Drug Store Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy Farmville.

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

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are just what you need when you have no appetite, feel dull after eating and wake up with a bad taste in your mouth. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and give you a relish for your food. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

The first steamboat plied the Hudson in 1807.

DO YOU ENJOY WHAT YOU EAT? If you don't your food does not do you much good. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the remedy that every one should take when there is anything wrong with the stomach. There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy, pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, sour risings, rifting, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Sold by John L. Wooten.

A SERIOUS MISTAKE. E. C. DeWitt & Co. is the name of the firm who make the genuine Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's is the Witch Hazel Salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns, bruises, eczema and all skin diseases. Sold by John L. Wooten.

### His Last Hope Realized.

[From the Sentinel, Gebo, Mont.]

In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine day in April. During his traveling about and afterwards his camping upon his claim, he encountered much bad water, which, together with the severe heat, gave him a very severe diarrhoea which it seemed almost impossible to check, and along in June the case became so bad he expected to die. One day one of his neighbors brought him one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a last hope. A big dose was given him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agony, and in a few minutes the dose was repeated. The good effect of the medicine was soon noticed and within an hour the patient was taking his first sound sleep for a fortnight. That one little bottle worked a complete cure, and he cannot help but feel grateful. The season for bowel disorders being at hand suggests this item. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

Kerosene was first used for lightning in 1826.

### LADIES AND CHILDREN INVITED.

All ladies and children who cannot stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc., are invited to try the famous little Early Risers. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not gripe, weaken or sicken; many people call them the Easy Pill. W. H. Howell, Houston, Tex., says nothing better can be used for constipation, sick headache, etc. Bob Moore, Lafayette, Ind., says all others gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work well and easy. Sold by John L. Wooten.

The first steel pen was made in 1830.

Postoffices were first established in 1464.

The first lucifer match was made in 1829.

## IN FIFTEEN FATHOMS

[Copyright, 1903, by C. B. Lewis.]

We had gone to Bird Island, in the Arabian sea, in the trading brig Hope to fish for pearl oysters. One day as we were dragging the bottom in fifteen fathoms we came across what we believed to be a sunken hulk. The spot was about three miles off the island. Our divers could not descend to such a depth to make an inspection, and after two days spent in preparing tackle we sailed the brig out and anchored her near the spot.

It was three days before we got the breeze from the right quarter, but when it came we threw over our drag and sailed over the wreck. The grapnels caught her, and the ropes and chains stood the strain. We piled sail on the brig, but for ten minutes she heaved and tugged and was held fast.

Something had to give as the breeze freshened, and, to our great joy, the hulk was pulled out of her sandy bed and towed along the bottom behind us. We got her into thirty feet of water and within two cable's length of the beach and anchored her. The pearl divers then went down to make an examination. They reported her to be the hulk of an Arabian dhow which must have been in collision with another craft, as she was staved in on the port quarter.

What we wanted to get our find on the beach was a breeze from the northwest. It came after nearly a week of waiting, and the combined efforts of wind, current and tide brought the old hulk in at high water. She was one of the most curious sights a sailor ever clapped eyes on. From stem to stern she was a solid mass of shells. She was about ninety feet long, and when we came to dig down to the wood we found it almost as hard as iron. She had been rigged with two masts, the stumps of which stood up eight feet high. A few feet of bulwarks remained on either bow, but the rest of the deck had been swept clean. Our grapnels had caught in the hole which sunk her, else they would not have caught at all owing to the solid layer of shells.

If we had been supplied with powder we should have blown her up, but as we had none we had to do some hard work with pick and shovel. The interior seemed to be a solid cake of mud and sand, but we did not remove much of it until we had cleared the outside. After she had lain in the hot sun for three or four days she began to dry out, and the work of digging off the shells was much easier. There were six separate and distinct layers on her deck, and mixed with the bottom one we found three Arabian swords, two or three ancient muskets and a couple of axes.

The divers had given it as their opinion that she had been run into, but when we came to make a closer inspection of the holes in her quarter we concluded that she had been struck by a shell fired from some man-of-war. It had sent her to the bottom as quick as if she had been run into by a thousand ton ship. During the week we were freeing the hulk from her shell armor a close watch was kept on the beach, and we picked up coins to the value of about \$500, American money. Some of these were Arabian and some Persian.

When we had entirely cleared the decks we found the craft had only one hatchway, and that was amidships. We enlarged this and then rigged up a windlass and bucket to empty her as dirt is taken from a well. Every bucketful was carefully inspected as soon as dumped, but we found nothing more valuable than shells until well down to her keel. We couldn't make out what sort of cargo she carried until the shovels began to throw out human bones along with the sand. With the bones came iron shackles and other fittings of a slaver, and by and by we got down far enough to find that she had been fitted for a false deck and thus enabled to carry a double tier of slaves in a hold only six feet deep. We dug out of her old bones enough to account for at least fifty persons, and a surgeon who afterward examined some of them said they belonged to men and women of the negro race. In the fore-castle we found nothing except a couple of gun barrels and two earthen bowls, but in the cabin we had better luck.

In the last dirt we took out we found coins to the value of \$900. These were scattered about on the floor. Many had worked out and come ashore, and many were doubtless buried in the sands beyond recovery. We found a number of muskets and swords in the cabin, but as no bones were found there or in the fore-castle we argued that the crew must have got away in a small boat.

Six months later when we told our story at Cape Town we were referred to history to prove that the dhow had been fired on and sunk by H. M. S. Sovereign while forming one of the fleet to suppress the slave trade. The dhow had loaded part of a cargo of slaves on the Mozambique coast when driven off and pursued by the man-of-war. The chase lasted three or four days, and the dhow had finally thought to escape by running among the islands. When she went down her crew escaped to Bird Island and were afterward taken off by a native craft.

## You May Be Cured

544 Garfield Avenue,  
CHICAGO, ILL., October 9, 1902.

After doctoring for eleven months and taking forty-three bottles of medicine and finding no relief for leucorrhoea resulting from irritation of a fallen womb I took Wine of Cardui and fourteen bottles cured me. This seems strange but it is the simple truth. Wine of Cardui helped me from the time I began taking it and having heard it praised so highly by friends who had tried it I felt satisfied that it would help me, and it did. It cured me. Took every bit of ache, pain and headache, cramps and dragging down sensations away till I felt young, strong and happy once more. It is a wonderful medicine and a true friend to women. When I look back on the months of torture I had it seems like a hideous nightmare. Wine of Cardui will cure any woman I believe. I have more faith in it than all other medicines combined.

*Frances Kingsley*

Vice-Pres., Chicago Historical Club.

How can you refuse relief when you know you are growing worse day after day? Shooting pains, irregularity, inflammation and bearing down pains make thousands of women miserable. Why drag through life never enjoying anything? Wine of Cardui has made over 1,500,000 weak and suffering women well and strong. We ask you to go to your druggist today and secure a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui and begin to take it at once. Do that and the health Mrs. Kingsley writes about will soon be yours. If you think special directions are needed in your case, address, giving symptoms, Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

# WINE OF CARDUI

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

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

## We are Pushing Paint

The painting season is at hand and we are ready to supply your needs with

**THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS**

Let us figure on the paint for your house. S.W.P. will prove the best and most economical paint you can buy.

Full color cards for the asking.

SOLD BY

## BAKER & HART

Does it come to your home?

## The Atlanta Journal,

The South's best paper. If not, subscribe now. You cannot afford to do without it. The Sunday edition contains comic color and feature sections in addition to all the news.

It will be of interest to all the patrons of Rural Free Delivery routes to learn that they can secure the best box manufacture at less than cost in connection with the Journal. Subscription price by mail as follows:

One year	Daily and Sunday	\$7.00
Six months		3.50
One month		.50
The Daily Journal including Sat. edition.		
One year		\$5.00
Six months		2.50
One month		.45
Sunday only one year		2.00
Price of mail boxes with Daily and Sun. Journal		2.00
Log Cabin		
\$7.50	One year	\$7.75
4.25	Six months	4.50
2.75	Three months	3.75
6.00	One year daily only	6.25
3.50	Six months daily only	4.00
2.50	Three months daily only	2.75
3.00	With Sunday only one year	3.25
3.00	With Semi-Weekly one year	2.50

## New Firm at Old Stand.

I have purchased the stock of

## GROCERIES of J. H. Starkey, at Five Points,

and will conduct a first class Grocery Store. A big addition will be made to the present stock and everything brought up to date. Yours for more Groceries and better Groceries,

## W. J. THIGPEN,

at J. H. Starkey's old stand, Five Points.

## Central Barber Shop.

The barbers we employ are finish men. You will find at the.....

First Chair, JULIUS FLEMING,  
Second Chair, BUD DANIEL,  
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.

## 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. D. L. James,

Dental Surgeon

Greenville, N. C.

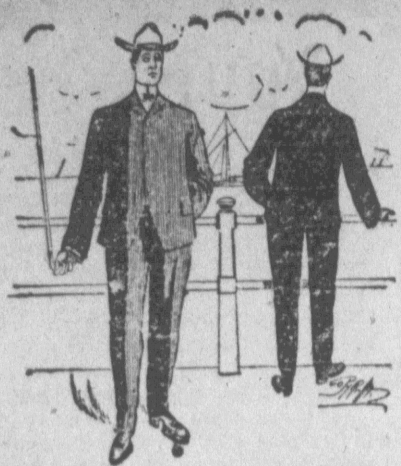
## Dr. R. L. Carr,

Dentist.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Cuts, Bruises and Burns Quickly Healed.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment, and when applied to cuts, bruises and burns, causes them to heal without maturation and much more quickly than by the usual treatment. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.



# ANY VIEW

Of our clothing is a pleasing one. Seen the back, the front or the side, it shows a symmetry and grace of line that commands admiration. These garments are brought out by designers of skill and are tailored by men of experience.

Our 10.00, 12.50, 15.00 and 20.00 suits are excellent values. The material is of the finest grade of Novelty Worsteds, Plain and Fancy Cheviots, and Undressed Worsteds. And the workmanship couldn't possibly be better. In addition to our swell line of clothing we are showing the most attractive line of

**Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery,**  
and everything wearable. It is to your interest to see us.

## C. S. Forbes

### Reduction Sale of Summer Pants.

The Fine Line of Pants we have been carrying in stock at 4, 5 and 6 dollars are now offered at the **GREAT REDUCTION PRICE OF..... \$3.25** for each pair, regardless of former price. These are strictly all-wool goods, finely tailored and in the very latest style. We have a large stock and can surely fit and please you.

## B. FLEISHMAN & BRO.

### For My Lady's Dresser

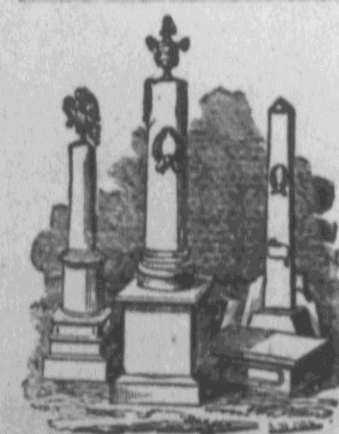
We have a large assortment of beautiful articles in

**Hair Brushes,  
Mirrors,  
Combs,**

and Manicure Sets in solid silver and plate. The comfort of or having one's 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.

## Bryan & Nichols, DRUGGISTS.



Established 1835. Incorporated 1903.  
**ARTOPE & WHITT CO**  
Marble and Granite  
Monuments  
and Agents for Wire Fencing.  
Main office and electric power plant,  
Macon, Ga.  
Branch offices and shops, Rocky Mount,  
N. C., and Sumter, S. C.  
For prices and designs address Rocky  
Mount Office.

Knights of Pythias meet to night. Business of importance makes the presence of all members desired.

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

There will be no prayer meeting at the Methodist church tonight on account of the meeting in the Christian church.

**KODOL GIVES STRENGTH**  
by enabling the digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves, feeds the tissues, hardens the muscles and recuperates the organs of the entire body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures Indigestion, Catarrh of the Stomach and all stomach disorders. Sold by John L. Wooten.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

John Laughinghouse spent Tuesday at Williamston.

E. E. Griffin and family came home this morning from Beaufort.

Foster Quinn returned to Lynchburg today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Timberlake and son Tom left this morning for Henderson to visit relatives.

L. M. Savage, J. W. Higgs and A. H. Taft left Tuesday evening for Seven Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gardner and children returned Tuesday evening from a visit to Bethel.

### UNLUCKY NUMBER 13.

A Train of Serious Results Attending the Use of Telephone No. 13 in Albemarle.

To the Editor of The Charlotte Observer:

For the benefit of those persons who do not regard the number 13 as unlucky, the following is given for what it is worth: About two years ago a telephone exchange was established in the town of Albemarle. Number 13 was given to a private residence there. In less than two months' time one of the children of the household was a corpse. The telephone was removed and number 13 given to a large mercantile firm in the same town. One of the members of the firm, a stout, healthy person, began ailing soon afterwards. He did not seem to be seriously ill, but one Sabbath evening soon afterward, his spirit forsook its mud-walled cottage of clay and flew to worlds unknown. The surviving member of the firm was very soon thereafter prostrated with an attack of typhoid fever, lasting many weeks. For several days he was in an unconscious state and his life hung by a single thread. When finally he did recover he had the unlucky phone removed instantaneously. This number was then given to a lady at her residence. Her daughter, knowing of the above facts, refused to have it and it only remained there a half a day. Soon thereafter Messrs. R. L. Sibley & Co., who operate a machine shop and woodworking plant, contracted for a phone and were given the fateful 13. In two weeks time their plant caught on fire but the fire was extinguished. Predictions were freely made by the superstitious that the plant would yet burn or that something serious would befall the owners. We read in today's Observer that on last night their plant was destroyed, entailing a loss of \$6,000. It is to be hoped that the unlucky telephone 13 perished in the flames and that it will never again darken the homes or business houses of any of the citizens of progressive Albemarle.

The above are facts and are given for the benefit of those who pin their faith to 13 and are not, like me—

**SUPERSTITIOUS**  
Morgantou, N. C., June 4, 1903.

### NEWS NOTES FROM WINTERVILLE.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., June 10.  
Prof. and Mrs. G. E. Lineberry, with little Ruth, also Misses Bertha Dawson and Mimie Cox, left yesterday morning for Wrightsville Beach. Part of them will attend the Teacher's Institute at that place.

H. M. Hardee, of Norfolk, was in town yesterday.

Seventy-five Handy Tobacco Trucks just shipped by A. G. Cox Mfg. Co. to the same party in three consecutive shipments. How's that! The handiest, cheapest, simplest and most durable tobacco truck, must go, will go and is going.

Rev. W. E. Cox, of Greenville, was here yesterday.

D. S. Chapman left Monday for his old home at Vanceboro to spend several days.

Tobacco flues to be right must be made right, out of the right

kind of material and sold at the right price. This is the kind made in Winterville, you know who by. Price as well as quality guaranteed.

Miss Clyde Dawson, of Grifton, came up yesterday morning. She will be with us through the summer.

Monday seemed to be a day of accident here, although none of them were very serious. About the time the machinery was started up at the factory Enos Dail, one of the employees, was trying to throw the belt on one of the rip saws. The belt became tangled in some way and snatched the saw table clear of the floor and toward the shaft in an instant, knocking Enos, who was standing in front of it, down and badly bruising his left arm. The wound bled very freely but is not likely to keep him from work many days. Had it not been for the promptness of G. R. Dixon in shutting off the engine, which he did almost instantly, there might have been much damage done. A little later in the day Mr. Joe Willis, of Greenville, who had come here to mill, in attempting to go in the stall to his mule, received a severe kick, badly skinning his leg and disabling him for awhile. Several other insignificant accidents occurred.

Mr. Babcock, of Richmond, was in town yesterday looking after scrap iron.

The 7-year old child of John Baird, colored, which we reported as seriously burned last Tuesday, died Thursday night.

Any width row suits Handy Trucks and Handy Trucks suit any size men, women and children. A truck is left standing at the barn all the time while others are gone back to the field for a load.

Rev. Mr. Griffith, of Kingston, was registered at Hotel Cox Tuesday.

We were glad to welcome F. G. Buhman, of Ayden, Sunday.

Miss Bertha Dawson went to Ayden Sunday afternoon, returning Monday morning.

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

There will be no prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight on account of the meeting in the Christian church.

Wanted—A good blacksmith who can do first class work. One who does not drink. **LEON O. COX,**  
Grifton, N. C.

"The man who whispers down a well"  
About the goods he has to sell,  
Won't reap the gleaming, golden dollars,  
Like one who climbs a tree and hollers.

Remember the moonlight excursion by the ladies of the Episcopal church Thursday night.

Send your laundry work to the Wilmington Steam Laundry if you want it done right. All work guaranteed.

**ALEX. BLOW, Agt.,**  
Speight & Co.'s office.

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

### THE WEATHER.

Showers tonight, cooler in interior. Thursday fair.

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

### S. M. Schultz.

Phone 55

GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

# Summer Specialties

If you wish to keep cool while cooking try one of our Perfection Oil Stoves. It is a great saving in fuel, besides you do not get warm as you do with the wood stove. We have the Perfection in all sizes from 1 to 4 burners.

Hammocks—what is more pleasant than a nice, comfortable Hammock to lie on these hot evenings. We have them from \$1 to \$5.

Does that heavy hat give you a headache? If so, try one of our light, cool straw hats.

Are your feet hot and tired? Wear a pair of our low quarter shoes or slippers and feel comfortable.

In our mammoth dry goods department we have all the new and up-to-date Summer Goods. Fans, Parasols, Lawns, Dimities, etc. We have just received another large lot of those beautiful ladies are so anxious for. We refer to the

### Cluny and Antique Laces

Nothing prettier on the market. We carry the most complete line in Greenville.

# J. B. CHERRY and COMPANY

GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

## New Arrivals

### A. H. 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.

Sideboards and Chamber Suits are here in plain and quarter oak.

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

Very truly,

### A. H. TAFT & CO.

#### Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

Is everywhere recognized as the one remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant to take. It is especially valuable for summer diarrhoea in children and is undoubtedly the means of saving the lives of a great many children each year. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; Farmville Pharmacy, Farmville.

#### Moonlight Excursion Thursday Night.

Don't forget the Moonlight Excursion on the Gas boat Thursday night.

Single tickets 40c,  
Two tickets 75c.

Could not Greenville people open their hearts and do something for the South Carolina flood sufferers?

### 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.

### 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
<b>PEANUTS:</b>		
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		11.05	11.15
Aug.		11.85	11.55
Oct.		9.89	9.82

#### Liverpool Futures.

July & Aug.	6.42	6.33
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#### Chicago Markets:

July Wheat	75½	75½
July Corn	48½	48½
July Ribs	9.40	9.46
Sept. Ribs	9.30	9.22

#### GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Middling	10½	10½
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