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- 10c. Lawns reduced to 7½c.
- 12½ and 15c. Lawns reduced to 10c.
- 12½ and 15c. Wastings reduced to 10c.
- 10, 15, 20, 25c. Piques, Black and White, reduced to 8, 12½, 15, 20c.
- Fine dotted Swiss, was 50 and 60c. yard, now 25c.
- Fine French Organdie, double width, was 75c. now 50c.

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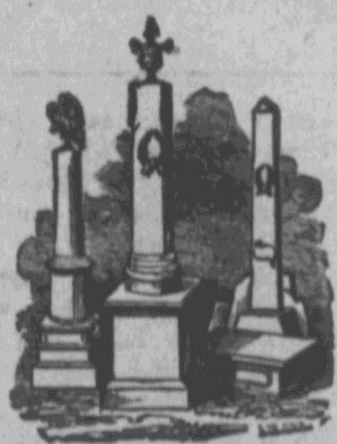
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ALL QUIET ALONG THE JAMES.

EXCEPT NOW AND THEN A PRIVATE IS SHOT.

STRIKERS AWED BY ARMS

But They Are in an Ugly Mood and May Break Out Again.

Richmond, June 25.—The excitement under which the people have lived in fear of further bloodshed has worn away at midnight, the hour when the cars stopped running. The critical period has passed without serious trouble.

There was some rioting, but the military acted promptly. While the fire department was responding to an alarm at 9 p. m. the cars were stopped to give way to the fire department. A crowd collected and commenced rioting, the military fired over their heads and they dispersed.

Several times during the night torpedoes exploded along the rails. Chief of Police Howard assembled the entire police force in the Hustings court room this evening. He gave them a severe lecture, declaring that it was a notorious fact that the force had not done its duty and that further complaints would be followed by instant dismissal.

"Shoot straight and shoot to kill," was the gist of an order issued to the troops today by Lieutenant-Colonel Wayne Anderson. The order added that it has become evident that the time has passed for temporizing with the mob.

The mayor, also realizing the gravity of the situation, issued the most stringent orders to Colonel Anderson.

"You are directed," the order said, "to cause the arrest of all persons guilty of using violent or abusive language, or who by language or gesture shall conduct themselves in a way calculated to excite the public mind."

A car in the west end near the scene of last night's shooting, was fired on at 11 o'clock tonight. Three shots were fired on the car and the soldiers fired in the darkness in the direction of the attack, which came from an open field.

The next car following was also fired upon by strikers and the fire returned by the soldiery, two of the latter being wounded and one of the strikers captured.

CHIVALROUS BORDER BOYS.

Stop Fighting Long Enough to Let Ladies Leave the Lines.

Winston-Salem, June 25.—A big fight occurred this morning on Quaker Gap mountain, Stokes county. There were several armed men on each side and a number of shots were exchanged. Pat King was killed and one or two others seriously wounded. His executioner is John Rose, who has been jailed. Deputy Sheriff Smith

was knocked down with a hoe by Russell Jones. The trouble is the result of an ancient neighborhood feud. While the fight was on a party of young people who were returning from Vade Mecum springs heard the shots and stopped. One old man who was foremost in the fray called to his associates, "Boys, stop shootin until those young ladies and gentlemen pass." The guns were silent until the party passed out of range, when hostilities were renewed.

MASONS AT KINSTON.

Grand Lodge of North Carolina in Special Communication.

Kinston, N. C., June 26.—The special communication of Masonic grand lodge of North Carolina was opened by Grand Master Liddell, of Charlotte. More than 200 Masons marched to the court house, where the installation of officers took place. Officers of the following lodges were installed: Greenville, Snow Hill, Rountrees, Kinston, Ayden, Pleasant Hill, Zion, St. John.

The officers of Greenville lodge installed are: B. Williams, W. M.; F. C. Harding, S. W.; J. J. Harrington, J. W.; W. B. Wilson, treasurer; Wiley Brown, secretary; A. L. Blow, S. D.; A. J. Griffin, J. D.; J. B. Cherry, Jr., and Frank Wilson, steward; H. B. Harris, tiler.

At the conclusion of these exercises St. John's lodge, of Kinston, presented a beautiful past master's jewel to C. F. Dunn, L. V. Morrill, of Snow Hill, then introduced Colonel A. C. Davis, of Goldsboro, the orator of the day. This afternoon a sumptuous dinner was served to Masons in one of the tobacco warehouses.

The special train from Greenville reached here at ten o'clock and the excursionists have greatly enjoyed the day.

PAYNE'S HEART DISEASE.

P. M. G. is Getting Into the Sere and Yellow Leaf.

Washington, June 25.—The postoffice situation is having marked effect on the physical condition of Postmaster General Payne. The heart attack from which he has suffered for years are becoming more and more frequent, and the condition of his health is giving his friends serious concern. He was at his desk only two hours yesterday, and today is confined to apartments at the Arlington. If the report of his possible resignation is to be credited at all it must be on the score of his physical condition, which is considered critical. Mr. Payne looks ten years older than when he entered the duties of his office.

Caught in a Belt.

Washington, N. C., June.—Isaac Chauncey, a sawyer at the mill of Freeman & Hodges Lumber company, got his foot caught in a belt and was hurled into the air. His leg was torn from his body and his entire body lacerated. Death was instantaneous. Chauncey was a white man about 45 years of age.

Arkansas Lynching Bee.

Brinkley, Ark., June 25.—Clarendon, a town 16 miles south of this place, was the scene of a lynching this morning. Jack Harris, a negro who brutally assaulted a farmer, was hanged to the



Cool Clothing

Whether it's cold or whether it's hot, We've got to weather it whether or not.

The man who went around predicting a cool summer has just bought a lot of our hot weather stuff and betaken himself to the seashore. We took no stock in his predictions, but a good deal of stock in Neglige Shirts, Thin Underwear, Straw Hats, Serge Suits, Thin Coats and Vests--and kindred contributors to a low temperature.

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We are showing beautiful things in Thin Wash Goods, Colored Lawns, Batiste, Organdies, Mulls, Mercerized Zephyrs, Chambray, Percales, Madras, etc. The White Goods showing includes the season's choicest offerings.

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We have just received 150 dozen Fine Imported Lace Embroidered Linen and Lawn Handkerchiefs. They are beautiful, pure material and in the best taste. Regular 15 and 20c. value, but for a few days only we are offering them at

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rafters of a porch. About 16 men participated in the lynching and there was no disorder or excitement. The negro's victim may not recover.

B. W. Moseley returned Thursday evening from Wilmington.

Wayland Smith returned to Ayden Thursday evening.

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.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 26, 1903.

CHICKEN-HEARTED DELAWAREANS.

The Delaware papers, or some of them, display a spirit of cowardice that fits in well with some of their past political performances. Commenting upon the recent lynching in the above state the Baltimore Sun says:

Another curious aspect of the case is the disposition of some of the Wilmington newspapers to place the responsibility for the mob's act upon the shoulders of men from other states. Our respected contemporary, the Wilmington Journal, gives currency in its editorial columns to a report that "the leader of the lynching party was a Virginian. Justice," it adds, "calls with a loud voice for the apprehension of that man. We feel certain that the Virginia authorities will co-operate with our own." It is quite certain that Governor Montague, of the Old Dominion, will be astonished to learn that one man from Virginia could hypnotize 6,000 Delawareans, bend them to his will and compel them to engage, against their inclination, in riotous acts. Our Delaware friends should not play the "baby act" or plead that they were in the position of the good but weak big boy, who was led astray by a wicked and masterful little boy. They will not by such tactics make any sympathy for themselves. Let them own the truth and shame his Satanic Majesty.

Greensboro severely grouches Raleigh when it calmly announces that the Greensboro Female college building will be reserved for the capitol building when the capitol is removed from Raleigh to Greensboro. Oh! nerve! Oh! cheek! Oh! brass!

Additional details say that the Watertown, N. Y., bride who had to be served with a search warrant before she would exhibit her trousseau was the inmate of an institution where everybody else is as blind as she.

A philosopher with nothing else to do has observed that men are what women make them. To judge by some men's manners and conduct, they must have been made by a rather tough specimen of the genus angel.

Surely there is some error about the destination of that Wilson defendant who is said to have cut and run for Georgia. Isn't Kentucky still on the map?

The Greatest Private Citizen will now get a fresh grip on his hopes. The Mexicans have just elected their president for a third time.

We knew it had to come. China claims to have discovered the political grafter seventeen thousand years ago.

New York gave the liberty bell that distant stare. If it had been gold-plated they would have eaten it up.

People will ask, "was Roosevelt's recent junket for the purpose of getting away from the postal frauds?"

Raleigh is about to bust its suspenders.

What's the use of mincing matters? We are glad that Delaware fiend met the death he deserved, and that is all there is to it.

The season now cometh on apace when Maud Muller giveth a hitch to her suspenders and waiteth for the judge to come along.

The Winton jail is empty. The sheriff might put an ad in the Washington papers.

"On to Richmond" will hardly appeal to those who seek the "cool, sequestered vale of life."

It is announced that Roosevelt is contemplating sitting down on Hauna. A goat on an elephant.

Our state courts give evidence that all the murderers and feudists do not live in Kentucky.

Cotton blossoms have arrived in Mississippi. Gin blossoms reside in Greenville permanently.

It is about time for Mr. Gorman to stand from under. He has been endorsed by a Kentucky senator.

We'll admit that we are glad Kentucky is a long distance from this office.

The Georgia legislature met Wednesday, and the mint julep market soared.

The trouble with the Postoffice Department seems to be that it was put into the hands of political managers instead of men of business and executive ability. These in turn put in rats and rascals. Is it therefore to be wondered at that there has been stealing and plundering without end? President McKinley made a mistake to give high office in the department to a political manager, like Perry Heath, and President Roosevelt made the same error when he gave an even higher office to a Wisconsin manager, one Henry C. Payne. —Asheville Citizen.

We cannot say that we are sorry Mr. Seawell obstructed the flight of those eggs. His conduct since has shown the kind of man he is. —Durham Herald.

What the People of Charlotte Will Get. To the Editor of The Chronicle:

The Presbyterians, Methodists and Baptists of Charlotte have what they want. If they want a mayor, they nominate and elect him; if they want a church, they build it; if they want a graded school, they build it; if they want water works, they have them; if they want electric lights, they have them; if they want to disfranchise the negro, they do it; if they want saloons, they elect aldermen whom they know will grant license. They have just what they want. They prove it by their works; and if they continue in the future as they have in the past, they will get hell, I care not how many churches they build. R. H. MORSE.

Notice. The Greenville Steam Laundry will soon make a change. Parties who have laundry here will please call, as all old packages will be sold for charges. Paul Metrick will move into the old laundry stand and act as agent for our new

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

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

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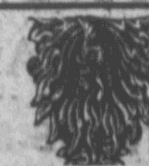
White Envelopes, per pack 3c.

Good Needles, per paper, 3c.

Ladies Semmer Vests, only 5c.

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McCall Patterns, 10 and 15 cents.



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Greenville Steam Laundry.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.
SCHEDULES
AUGUST 1th, 1902.

No.	Daily Except Sunday	No.
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
11:30 a m	Ar Pender Lv	3:35 p m
11:30 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
8:40 p m	" Washington "	4:30 a m
7:15 a m	" New York "	9:25 p m

FLORIDA.

No.	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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The following toll rates will be in effect on and after May 1st, 1902, subject to change and correction: From Greenville to

1. Ayden	10/21	Louisburg	46
2. Beaufort	50/22	Morehead City	45
3. Boydton	50/24	Nashville	30
4. Buffalo Springs	50/24	New Berns	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	Roanoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	50/30	Rocky Mount	30
11. Enfield	50/31	Scotland Neck	30
12. Franklinton	45/32	Selma	40
13. Greensboro	75/33	Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	80/34	Spring Hope	35
15. Hamilton	25/35	Tarboro	35
16. Haw River	65/36	Wake Forest	45
17. Henderson	45/37	Warrenton	45
18. High Point	80/38	Weldon	45
19. Kinston	25/39	Wilson	45
20. Littleton	40/40	Winston	45

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One year		2.50
Six months		.45
One month		.00
Sunday only one year		2.00
Price of mail boxes with Daily and Sun. Journal		Uncle Sam's Favorite
Log Cabin	One year	\$7.75
7.50	Six months	4.50
4.25	Three months	3.75
2.75	One year daily only	6.50
6.00	Six months daily only	4.00
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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.

Poverty may pinch an honest man, but it never destroys him.

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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.

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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.

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NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt county.
H. T. Murphy and Pennie Murphy vs. W. J. Tripp.
By virtue of an order made by D. C. Moore, Clerk Superior Court in a certain special proceeding entitled as above, I will on Monday the 6th day of July, 1903, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property to wit: One parcel of land lying and being in Contentnea township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of J. R. McLawhorne, the Len Tripp lands and Henry Tripp lands containing 49 acres more or less and known as the Slaughter land. Said sale is made for partition. This 3rd day of June, 1903.
F. C. HARDING,

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt county.

R. A. Nichols, of Pitt county, North Carolina, hereby enters and claims the following tract, piece or parcel of land in the said county and state, in Beaver Dam township, and described as follows:

Adjoining the lands of Jeremiah Nichols and the heirs of Wm. Manning on the north, J. W. Smith and W. A. Nichols on the south, Alfred Nichols on the west and Jas. L. Elks (known as the James lands) on the east, lying on south side of Tar river, east side of Little Contentnea creek and on the south side of Beaver Dam swamp, containing thirty (30) acres, more or less.
This June 3rd, 1903.

R. A. NICHOLS.

Any person or persons claiming title to or interest in the above described land, must file their protest in writing with me against the issuing of a warrant, within thirty days from the date hereof, or they will be barred.
This June 3rd, 1903.

R. WILLIAMS,
Ex-Officio Entry Taker for Pitt county, N. C.
By H. A. Blow, Deputy.

NOTICE.

All persons in the county subject to license tax under the new revenue law are hereby notified that they must obtain such license from the sheriff and have the same countersigned by the register of deeds. Failure to do this will be a violation of the law. These license taxes have been due since the first day of June and should be paid at once. The following have to procure licenses: Theatres, traveling theatrical companies, attorneys, physicians, dentists, real estate and rent collecting agents, coal dealers, undertakers, collecting agents, second hand clothes dealers, peddlers of clocks, stoves and ranges, bicycle dealers, merchandise brokers, commission merchants, livery stables, sewing machine dealers, lightning rod agents, hotels, billiard and pool tables, gift enterprises, slot machines with fixed return, agencies for breweries, bottling establishments, dealers in futures, dealers in medicated bitters, distilleries, dealers in pistols, pistol cartridges, bowie knives, etc., cigarette dealers, emigrant agents, itinerant oculists.

Persons in Pitt county subject to any of the above licenses should call on me and procure the same at once.
June 15, 1903.
O. W. HARRINGTON, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

To All School Districts:—The meetings of the board of education have been changed by law to the first instead of the second Mondays. The next meeting will be held on the first Monday in July, being the 6th day. At this meeting committee men for each district in the county will be appointed. This is an important matter, and the board would like to advise with you in reference to these appointments. If any changes are necessary or desired you should appear before the board on the above named date. If there is any district in the county in which a house needs to be built or repairs made exceeding \$25 this fact must be reported to the board at this meeting, or the matter cannot be attended to during the entire year. Those interested in education in any district would do well to heed this notice if they desire that their requests should receive the attention of the board.
W. H. RAGSDALE,
County Supt. Schools.
P. S.—All accounts must be presented for approval and payment on or before June 30th, or they cannot be collected.



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Sometimes a man makes a fool of himself because his wife lets him have his own way.

The Fate of Hannibal.
Hannibal's life and fate were supremely great and sad. He was a patriot who had only the best interests of his country at heart. In the wars of Carthage against Rome he carried his armies across the strait of Gibraltar, over the Alps and into Italy to the very gates of Rome. For more than a score of years he remained there, supporting his forces upon the enemy and proving himself to be such a literal and lasting scourge that the Roman mothers would quiet their children with the sound of his dreaded name. Finally, when old in years and he was driven forth and defeated, he had made a record in its way unparalleled throughout the annals of ancient warfare.
Yet in his old age he became a fugitive, wandering from one country to the other and finding no rest, owing to the vindictive persecutions of the Romans, who were then all powerful. At last, discovering no spot on earth open to him as a refuge, deserted by his former friends, his country enslaved and his once imperial native city in ruins, he gave way to despair and ended his life with poison.

Crafty M. Blanc.

Blanc, the founder of the Monte Carlo gambling resort, was well aware of the desperate character of many of his customers. Knowing that they included the scum and raffia of the world, he took precautions against them. He never carried any money, which fact he announced so frequently and publicly that it was known everywhere along the Riviera that the millionaire Blanc never had a penny on his person. But he carried in a pocketbook a draft on red paper for several hundred thousand francs, payable to the indorsee. He feared kidnaping as much as robbery, and in case of abduction he intended to ransom himself with this draft. But the instructions at his office were not to cash a red draft with his signature unless a telegram was received from him ordering it to be done.

Too Personal.

"I want you to notify the paper man not to leave this Social Recorder here in the future," said Mr. Lucky Strike to his life partner.
"Why?" inquired Mrs. Strike.
"Why, they've got a story here about that young chump who is going to marry Laura and refer to him as her fiance."
"Oh, I see—a typographical error!"
"Typographical error! Bah! Error of fact. I have been her fiance for the last twenty years, and, judging from the prospects of the young man she insists is the only one she will ever marry, I will continue to act in that capacity for the next twenty. Stop the paper."—Philadelphia Times.

A Good Place to Stop.

He really ought not to have gone into the Latin class that day. He was called up first and read as far as he had prepared. Then he skirminched on a little further. This is the way it went:
"I, Ulysses, saw her (Dido's) heavenly form advancing like a goddess in the sunlight. I sprang toward her, and she welcomed me. Her hair fell down upon her shoulders like the sunbeams on Olympus. Her eyes shone like two jewels of the sea. I—I threw my arms—my arms—about—about her—her neck—neck, and—and—that's as far as I got, professor."—Exchange.

Remarkable Lakes.

On the Mangishlak peninsula, in the Caspian sea, there are five small lakes. One of them is covered with salt crystals strong enough to allow man and beast to cross the lake on foot. Another is as round as any circle and of a lovely rose color. Its banks of salt crystal form a setting white as the driven snow to the water, which not only shows all the colors from violet to rosy red, but from which rises a perfume of violets. Both the perfume and the color are the result of the presence of seaweeds.

An Elaborate Reasoner.

"You are base enough to confess that you love her for her wealth!"
"My dear sir," answered Count Fuscads, "that is not baseness. That shows my democratic breadth of ideas combined with consistent respect for tradition."
"You should love her for herself."
"My dear sir, beauty, intellect and refinement are mere accidents of birth, but money is an evidence of ancestral and possibly hereditary foresight and force of character."—Washington Star.

Queer Birds.

"I notice in this morning's paper," said the new boarder, "an advertisement about 'a good cotton duck.' What's a cotton duck?"
"Give it up," replied the star boarder. "Now, if it was an India rubber chicken Mrs. Staryem could tell us something about that."—Philadelphia Press.

He Was Willin'.

"You are granted a divorce," said the lawyer to a colored client, "but you'll have to give her alimony."
"All right, suh," was the eager reply. "She kin have Alimony of sho wants him, but Lawd help him w'en he gits her!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The Superior Being.

Little Boy—Well, that's the queerest thing I ever saw.
Mother—What is?
Little Boy—I just saw our school-teacher at the corner of the street a-laughin' just like other people.

Contradictory.

"I asked," moaned Raoul, "have zis man a good standing in zis community? You say, 'Yes, he has been sitting on ze bench twenty years.' Oh, zis language!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Bryan & Nichols, DRUGGISTS.

If you are thirsty you can't over-look our Soda Water Fountain. The soda water consumed daily from our fountain during hot weather is enormous. The quantity sold is proof positive of its popularity. Your favorite kind is here, because we have all kinds.

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 June 9th, 1903,—condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$175,559.57	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 2,138.40	Surplus 15,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 2,099.85	Undivided Profits less
Due from Banks and Bankers 45,063.53	Expenses Paid 9,926.55
Cash Items 2,827.88	Deposits 203,852.11
Cash in Bank 26,089.43	
\$253,778.66	\$253,778.66

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

New Firm at Old Stand.

I have purchased the stock of
GROCERIES of J. H. Starkey, at Five Points,

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.

BAKER & HART.

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.

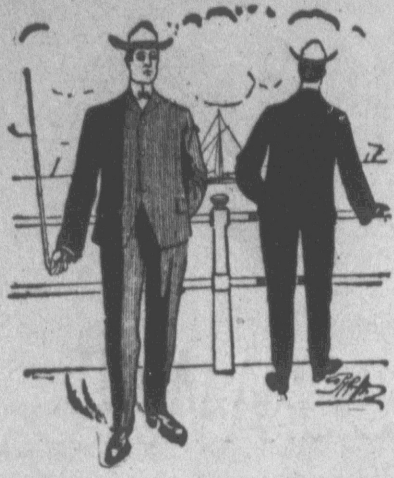
Prosperity is not without its thorns, nor adversity without its roses.
If man's first love is himself he never finds a satisfactory successor.

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.

GREENVILLE'S TONSORIAL PARLOR,
Opposite J. B. Cherry & Co.
S. J. NOBLES, Proprietor.

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



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

AYDEN ITEMS.

AYDEN, N. C., June 26, 1903.

Misses Jimmie and Arab Davis gave a party Wednesday evening complimentary to their guest, Miss Bessie Mae Carson, of Washington. Those in attendance were Misses Willie, Lula and Nora Smith, Annie Edwards and Freddie Tucker, and C. V. Cannon, W. E. Lyons, Elmer and Jasper Gardner, Allen Cannon, Rob. Anderson, John Nobles and J. C. Andrews. Fling, caroms and other games entertained the party till the hour for serving cake and cream arrived, after which the party dispersed, highly praising the young hostesses for the delightful evening of pleasure given them.

Miss Nancy Coward is visiting Miss Olivia Berry and Mrs. Joseph Dixon, her sister, this week.

Sol. Dixon, of Kinston, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Ayden.

Mrs. Jim Pidgeon, from Kinston, spent Wednesday in Ayden, visiting Mrs. J. W. Quinerly.

In my last notes I stated that colored school teachers would be required to attend the Institute beginning here first Monday in August. This is an error. While it is hoped that they all will attend there is no provision of law compelling them to do so. If they do attend they will learn much that will be of lasting benefit to their race.

Misses Ella Dawson, of Grifton, and Jennie Coward, of Kinston, came on Thursday's morning train to visit Mrs. W. J. Coward.

The very clever and genial Frank Finch, of the firm of Finch Bros. in Wilson, spent Thursday in Ayden visiting his kinsman, M. M. Sauls.

Mrs. M. M. Sauls returned from Richmond on the excursion train Wednesday evening.

Misses Nora and Lula Smith left Thursday morning to visit Misses Georgia and Lena Anderson in Greenville.

Elder S. B. Stephens, of Ohio is at Elder T. E. Peden's in Ayden. He is a Free Will Baptist and is paying his first visit to this place, where the Free Will Seminary is located.

Mrs. J. T. Smith, Jr., and her mother, Mrs. Bell, left Wednesday night for Kinston, the home of Mrs. Bell.

D. Gibb, of Parmele, is here in the interest of the Ayden Lumber Company, of which he is secretary and treasurer. Mr. Gibb is a true blue Scotchman and has full faith in the ability of the Shamrock III to lift the cup from this

side. He is an interesting talker on the subject and anything connected with the sport of yachting. F. G. James and Leon Tucker, of Greenville, came down Wednesday on legal business. Ayden's latch string always hangs on the outside to these two friends.

Mrs. Annie Hatton and her little daughters, Beulah and Bessie, left Wednesday for Greenville on a visit to friends and relatives.

To those who are doubtful of Ayden's surrounding territory being the best farming section of the county we say come and see the crops now. They are beautiful.

E. G. Cox went to Greene county Thursday on business.

Ayden is the only town in Pitt county lighted by electricity. We propose now to have a graded school. The matter is being agitated and the signs are very encouraging.

The running of stock at large on the streets is becoming an intolerable nuisance and ought to be stopped by our town authorities at once.

R. W. Smith went so Richmond on the excursion.

Right near Ayden is a full supply of gum for any barrel factory for many years. We ought by all means to induce some one to locate a factory here to work it up.

In order to keep our young men at home good and steady employment must be given them. If this is done they will not only stay but others will come here to live.

The more factories the better off the farmers. The farmer feeds and supplies the factory and the factory in turn supplies the farmer. Remember the motto. "A factory in Ayden for every hundred people."

A New Greenville Enterprise.

The Greenville Buggy Co., recently incorporated, are rapidly getting into shape for turning out a fine line of stylish, up to date buggies, and expect to be ready for business by July 1st. They have employed some of the most skilled mechanics in the state, men who know every detail of the buggy business thoroughly. Dr. E. A. Moye is president of the new corporation and E. A. Moye, Sr., secretary and treasurer. The following are directors. D. D. Gardner, W. R. Smith, J. E. Warren, E. A. Moye Sr., and Dr. E. A. Moye. These names are in themselves sufficient guarantee of success for the Greenville Buggy Co.

Who is He?

Who is it that makes the Few gallons, wears longer paint?

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Alice Lang went to Kinston Thursday evening.

Sam Parker went to Kinston Thursday evening.

Willie Hyman, of Staton, arrived Thursday evening.

W. R. Parker returned Thursday evening from Everette.

Mrs. Fred Cox and daughter, Miss Mamie, went to Kinston Thursday evening.

M. M. Lang, of Farmville, took the train here Thursday evening for Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Latham and child returned this afternoon from Gilead.

Allen Warren and daughter, Miss Bettie, left this afternoon for Washington.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale will speak at Farmville Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, on the subject of education.

Misses Lula and Nora Smith, of Ayden, are visiting Misses Lena and Georgia Anderson, in South Greenville.

Kleber Denmark, of Kinston, who has been spending a few days here, returned home on the excursion train this morning.

Mrs. W. A. Fleming, of Hasell, arrived Thursday evening to visit Mrs. O. E. Warren, in West Greenville.

Mrs. M. J. Ward, of Wilson, arrived Thursday evening to visit Mrs. R. L. Smith, in South Greenville.

Misses Reed and Nannie Moye Lang, of Farmville, spent Thursday here and left on the evening train for Kinston.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Fresh Magic Yeast and Heavy Clay Flour at S. M. Schultz.

Confederate veterans' reunion one week from today.

Wanted—To hire team to haul 100 loads of dirt. Apply to this office.

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

For Sale Cheap—Good second hand cook stove. J. G. LATHAM, at Hearne & Co.

Greenville, that is, a good portion of it, moved over to Kinston today.

Tobacco curing has started and in just a little more than a month the market will open. Then business will hustle once more.

The semi weekly REFLECTOR today was a 10 page paper and the outlook is that it will soon go to 12 pages.

We do not believe any local paper in the state has a better corps of correspondents than THE REFLECTOR. The paper is proud of them.

THE WEATHER.

Showers tonight, Saturday fair, warmer in western, showers in eastern portion.

Tillman Trial Removed.

Columbia, S. C., June 25.—Judge Townsend this morning announced that the trial of James H. Tillman is removed to Lexington county, where a large rural population resides, and where the voters have always been strong partisans of Tillman.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland Bentorville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by Jno. L. Wooten Druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c, and \$1.00.

Scarcity of Teachers.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale, county superintendent of public schools for Pitt county, on returning from the Teachers' Assembly at Wrightsville some days ago, said he saw more men at that meeting looking for teachers than he had ever seen on a similar occasion. There is evidently a great change in the matter of school teaching in North Carolina. School boards and the people generally are becoming more particular about the teachers they employ. The qualifications of the teachers are more regarded than formerly and good teachers have no trouble in finding a place, if they are at all well known. The change in the demand for good and well equipped teachers leads to better salaries for such teachers. No longer can the best teachers be hired for a small salary, but the profession of teaching is taking its place with other things on its merit. A good teacher can now get a good salary but a poor teacher cannot hope to find a place that pays much. To be sure, there are exceptions to these observations, for instance where a new school is opened or established and teachers who are interested in the enterprise take positions at lower salaries with the view and understanding that salaries will be made better as the institution develops; but all things considered, the good and well equipped teacher can now name the salary and those who employ have to pay it in order to get the best work.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

The Name Moses.

It is a curious fact, unknown perhaps to a majority of readers, that Moses of Scriptural fame was called by eight different names in various places in the Bible. Bathia, the daughter of Pharaoh, called him Moses because she drew him out of the water. Jochebed, his mother, called him Jekuthiel, saying, "I had hoped for him." Miriam, his sister, called him Jared because she had descended after him into the water to see what his end would be. Aaron called his brother Abi Zannuch because his father had deserted their mother. Amram, the father of Moses, called the boy Chabar because he was again reunited to the mother of the lad.

Kehath, the grandfather of Moses, called him Abigdor because God had repaired the breach in the house of Jacob. The nurse of the grandfather of Moses called him Abi Socio because he was once hidden three months in the Tabernacle. All Israel called him Shemalah because "in his days God heard their cries and rescued them from their oppressors."

Primitive Sleds.

From history we learn that the boys in the time of George III. coasted on sleds made of a small board, with beef bones as runners. But these dropped out of sight when an inventive genius built one out of a barrel stave, for his invention was extensively copied. The barrel staves were called "jumpers" and "skippers" and were made of a single barrel stave of moderate width, to which was nailed a twelve inch seat post about amidships. A piece of barrel head constituted the seat. To navigate this craft required no little skill, the revolutions performed by the rider while "gettin' the hang of the darned old thing" being akin to the antics of a tenderfoot on a bucking broncho. A more stable and docile jumper was made by fastening two or three staves side by side, but these were not considered as fast travelers as the single staves.—Outing.

A Religion That Grows.

The idea that Mohammedanism is "played out" would be a dangerous one for statesmen to bank upon. It isn't. Mohammed began his career as a prophet more than 600 years later than the beginning of the Christian era. At present he has 176,000,000 disciples, more than one-third as many as there are Christians in the world. Nine hundred years ago there were in India no Mohammedans. Now there are 50,000,000, and they are increasing in number constantly. They are by all odds the most energetic subjects in British India.

The western wave of Mohammedanism rolled up to the farthest corner of Spain, up to the walls of Vienna, and then began to recede, but the shrinking process was accompanied by expansion elsewhere. In Africa Mohammedanism is steadily proselyting. Russia in Europe has 3,000,000 followers of the prophet, more than there are in what is called "Turkey in Europe." Asia, however, the realm of future growth, is the Mohammedan stronghold. To less than 4,000,000 native Christians there are 109,000,000 Mohammedans.—New York World.

Launched on His Literary Career.

"I understand your son has decided to go in for literature."
"Yes, and he's made a splendid start already."
"You don't say."
"Yes; he went to an auction this morning and bought a secondhand writing desk for only \$4.98."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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

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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 quartered oak.

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

Very truly,

A. H. TAFT & CO.

WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCE.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. Fore Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c Its guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store.

The union Sunday school mass meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Christian church.

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 order 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	12½	12½
Middling	12½	12½
St. Low Middling	12½	12½
Low Middling	12½	12½

PEANUTS:	Today,	Yesterday
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		13.10	12.96
Aug.		12.99	12.80
Oct.		10.48	10.43

Liverpool Futures.

July & Aug.	6.76	6.74
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Chicago Markets:	Today,	Yesterday
July Wheat	82½	83½
July Corn	51½	52
July Ribs	8.82	9.95
Sept. Ribs	8.85	9.95

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.
Middling 10½ 10½