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Standard Patterns—Advanced styles for September now ready. The August Designer 10c. Fashions sheets always free.



## Ricks & Wilkinson

### INDEPENDENT TOBACCO FACTORY.

One Will be Started in Greenville.

Though but little notice had been given, there was a large gathering in the court house, Saturday afternoon, in a mass meeting to inaugurate plans for establishing an independent cigarette and smoking tobacco factory in Greenville and to put a buyer on the market to purchase tobacco. The meeting, which was composed of men of all professions and trades, was presided over by J. S. Harris, president of the Farmers Protective Association, with H. T. King as secretary.

There was much enthusiasm in the meeting and speeches were made by Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, J. J. Laughinghouse, O. L. Joyner, L. I. Moore, G. T. Tyson, J. L. Fleming and others.

When the plan for the factory was explained subscriptions were called for and stock to the amount of several thousand dollars was pledged. Committees were also appointed in each township to canvas the county for subscriptions during this week and report the amount secured at an adjourned meeting to be held next Saturday, 22nd, when the company will be formally organized.

The following are the committees appointed for the several townships:

- Beaver Dam—J. H. Cobb, Ivy Smith, S. V. Joyner.
- Belvoir—J. J. Turnage, D. S. Holland, G. A. Stancill.
- Bethel—S. A. Gainer, J. C. Taylor, S. M. Jones.
- Carolina—J. S. Whitehurst, W. H. Williams, G. M. Mooring.
- Chicod—Alston Grimes, W. L. Wooten, J. J. Elks.
- Contentnea—J. R. Smith, J. T. Harrington, A. R. Holton.
- Falkland—J. H. Smith, W. M. Smith, Jonas Dilda.
- Farmville—W. R. Horne, B. M. Lewis, R. S. Joyner.
- Greenville—L. I. Moore, C. T. Munford, S. T. Hooker.
- Pactolus—J. B. Little, J. J. Satterthwaite, J. R. Davenport.
- Swift Creek—L. J. Chapman, A. H. Garris, Bryan Mewborn.

Every man in the county who is interested in this movement, and who wants to see tobacco bring better prices, should attend the meeting in Greenville next Saturday.

### Why Communities are Stagnant.

In every community where there is not stagnation and a dry rot has not set in, there are social problems constantly arising. The body either progresses or retrogrades. There can be no social organization without men and women, which fact is often obscured. Frequently men bemoan the condition of their town or section and point to their material resources, the climate, the soil the forest, the minerals, the rivers and even their railroads and wonder why with this possession of such natural blessings, they stagnate and remain poor. They magnify some fancied advantage of a rival section under less propitious conditions and satisfy their morbid imaginations with all sorts of vain excuses but never admit the underlying cause. They fail to realize that it is simply a difference between men and women who occupy the different localities.

JOHN H. SMALL.

I find nothing better for liver derangement and constipation than Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.—L. F. Andrews, Des Moines, Iowa For Sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros. Farmville.

### INSTITUTE CLOSES.

Excellent Work of the Teachers.

The teachers' institute at Winterville came to a close Friday. The last two days were spent in examination of teachers for certificates.

Friday night the teachers gathered for the last time in the chapel and heard short speeches from the faculty and friends of the institute. Besides the teachers there was a large gathering of people present from Winterville. Prof. Ragsdale presided, and with his usual words of pleasantry, called upon the various speakers of the occasion.

The speeches, although impromptu, were well said and enjoyed immensely by all. The following resolutions were introduced and unanimously passed by a rising vote.

"We, the members of this institute, taking into consideration the many kindnesses and courtesies extended to us by the people of Winterville and the friends of the institute in general, wish to express our thanks to those who have manifested such interest in us and our work.

"We also wish to thank and express our appreciation to the instructors for the unselfish and devoted attention which they have given to each and all of us. Their zeal and their energy have been an inspiration to our efforts, and as the teaching force of a great county, we shall ever be indebted to them for their magnificent work.

"We furthermore wish to give our thanks to our efficient and energetic superintendent, Prof. W. H. Ragsdale, who has shown himself to be the friend and inspiration of Pitt County's teachers. We feel deeply indebted to him for the manner in which he has conducted the institute and for the cheering words which so often urged us on to greater efforts.

"We heartily extend our thanks to the Tar Heel band which has so often added to our pleasure, and especially do we express our thanks to Mr. A. G. Cox, to whom is due in a great measure, the possibility and success of the institute."

After the speeches and resolutions, the meeting was turned into a social gathering and while the Tar Heel band entertained, many farewells and expressions of regret were spoken as the crowd gradually dispersed.

The institute has been a success in every respect. What the results will be is yet to be seen. The work of the institute of two years ago placed Pitt County in the front ranks of education, and it is expected that within the next two years, with her present superintendent as leader, Pitt County will carry the banner for the state.

The teachers of the county are doing a great work, and with the help of its citizens, Pitt will no longer be hampered by the powers of ignorance.

### Would be a Great Temperance Measure.

A man who will gamble away or drink up money he justly owes somebody else is no better than a thief and ought to be regarded as such. We would vote for the enactment of a law making it a felony for any man to gamble or buy liquor while he owes money. If enforced, such a law would be the greatest temperance measure that could possibly be passed.—Gaffney Ledger.

### Diamonds.

A nice selection of diamond lockets to be found at Best, the jeweler's. Those wishing to see same please call before Monday, as all unsold ones will be returned then.

Frank Wilson, the King Clothier, is now in New York buying fall and winter clothing, shoes and men's furnishing goods. Await his return before buying.

## "Too Much of a Good Thing"

That's what we have—too much Silk Mull, Mercerized Pebble Cloth, Mercerized Chambray, etc., for the season. The season really lacks two months of being over, but we must reduce stock for fall goods. Consequently we are making great reductions in Wash Silks, White Goods, Embroideries, Percaloes, etc. The profit goes to you if you take advantage of these reductions at once. We will not carry them over. You'll not have another chance to get the same goods for anything like the same money. Note these prices.

Silk Mulls, all colors, was 40c, now 25c.  
Mercerized Pebble Cloths, was 30c., now 20c.  
Mercerized Chambray, was 25c., now 15c.

## New White Front

JAS. F. DAVENPORT.

## "Dry Your Eyes, My Honey"

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MONDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 16, 1903.

EDITORIAL BADINAGE.

We are opposed from habit and principle, to poking our nose into other men's pie, but we are so much pleased to see that our brothers beloved, Whichard and Hilliard of the Greenville REFLECTOR, and Scotland Neck Commonwealth, respectively, have found a juicy subject to freshen their editorial columns, in these summer-solstitial days, that we must be excused for turning away from our own business to meddle with theirs.

My beloved brethren are very much troubled to know why it is that there are so many bald-headed men and so many women not, and why so many men stammer and so few women. That fact is, they state a fact that is not a fact. If they mean to limit the facts to the trans-Albemarle sections it may be so, but, if they mean to apply it to this cis-Albemarle section it ain't so. There is a reason for it wherever it exists, but the reason is a delicate one that we don't care to elaborately explain. To the incisive analytic minds of our brethren, it will be enough to say that it is a question of "the subjective and the objective" in relation to sex.

When our friends have disposed of these prolific subjects about which they are so much troubled, we would like to keep their hands in, by informing us why a red headed man is more bellicose and smarter every way than a black headed man, why a cow's tail hangs perpendicularly down, why a dog's tail, in the general, curls over his back, why the devil fish has one eye on its tail and one on the back of its head, what kin a bumble bee is to a homing pigeon, why a mosquito sings, why a bull frog bellows, and if you can tell from the "echo" of their voices, what is the relationship between a jackass and a bullbat. Hope we don't intrude.—Elizabeth-City Economist.

Our esteemed brother asks too many questions in one breath.

A step in the right direction to break the hold of the trust upon the tobacco growers is the movement begun in Greenville Saturday to organize a company to establish an independent tobacco factory and to put buyers on the market. This plan is much better than the uncertain result of a boycott through the merchants. With an independent factory a larger demand would be created for tobacco, there would be competition that would force the trust to pay higher prices for what it buys, and the farmers would be protected. If every tobacco market will adopt this plan and establish an independent factory, the growers of tobacco will be protected. Then let the consumers use the goods of the independent factories and stand together for their own protection and the power of the trust to control prices will be gone.

Another ideal has fallen. Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, who in the open pretended to be a great enemy to corporations, has been caught with a wallet full of railroad passes and telegraph and express franks. And now he is making explanations that don't explain. The truth is an honest politician is hard to find.

Charles Schwab, the recently resigned steel trust king, has launched out for another big combine. His latest move is to get all the tailors

and clothing manufacturers of the country together in a big clothing trust. It is proposed to have factories in North Carolina in Charlotte and Raleigh.

Just think of \$54,000 spent for seats to see that punching mill between Jeffries and Corlett. Then guess at the amount that exchanged hands in bets, and the old adage "the fool and his money soon parted" can be appropriately quoted.

Smallpox is cropping out early this season. A colored woman near Raleigh died of the disease a few days ago. We doubt if the state has been clear of the disease in several years, but people seem to have lost their dread of it.

Saluda, in Western North Carolina, is becoming about as dangerous to freight trains as Hatteras in the East is to sailing vessels. It is said the crews of freight trains have great dread of the passage down Saluda mountain.

HON. JOHN H. SMALL OF NORTH CAROLINA.

No state in the union, from its entry into the constellation to date, has ever had a more energetic and enterprising representative than Mr. John H. Small, of the First District of North Carolina; and when he succeeds (for indomitable energy like his has no such word as fail in its vocabulary) in accomplishing the greatest work of his life; a land-locked deep waterway from Hampton roads to the Florida coast, he will put his district, state and the South more under obligation than any other senator or representative under the dome of the nation's capitol. And if it ever should be the province of our nation to be forced into war against one or more first class powers, the wisdom of the work of which he is the greatest exponent in its greater scheme, the moving of our combative marine through a protected waterway to reach any vulnerable part of our coast, from New York harbor to the extreme Southern point where the enemy may concentrate for attack, will be appreciated by the entire nation and probably save us from humiliating defeat.—Nowitzky's Monthly and Traveler's Guide.

The tobacco trust is indignant that it should be held responsible for the low prices of tobacco in the eastern markets. It says the low prices are because the product put on the market is of the poorest quality ever seen. Some farmers should test the truth of this statement by putting some tobacco of fine quality on the market.—Wilmington Messenger.

The difficulty experienced in selecting a republican vice presidential candidate may be caused by a disinclination to associate with Theodore during a whole campaign.—Greenville REFLECTOR.

That's not it. It is fear of the dusky-hued company that will be met at the White house should the republican ticket be successful.—Wilmington Messenger.

It is three days since John Budney, of Ulster county, New York, celebrated the birth of his twenty-second baby; so of course, there is no use now in trying to be first to call the attention of President Roosevelt to it.—Atlanta Journal.

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"A short time ago I was taken with a violent attack of diarrhoea and believe I would have died if I had not gotten relief," says John J. Patton, a leading citizen of Patton, Ala. "A friend recommended

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." I bought a twenty-five cent bottle and after taking three doses of it was entirely cured. I consider it the best remedy in the world for bowel complaints. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; R. L. Davis & Bro. Farmville.

Cholera Infantum.

This disease has lost its terrors since Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy come into general use. The uniform success which attends the use of this remedy in all cases of bowel complaints in children has made it a favorite wherever its value has become known. For sale, by

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I find nothing better for liver derangement and constipation than Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.—L. F. Andrews, Des Moines, Iowa For Sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros. Farmville.

# 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	" Parmerle "	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 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	
" 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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2. Beaufort	50 22.	Morehead City	45
3. Boynton	50 24.	Nashville	30
4. Buffalo Springs	50 24.	New Berne	30
5. Burlington	65 25.	Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	50 26.	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	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	40
19. Kinston	25 39.	Wilson	40
20. Littleton	40 40.	Winston	40

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### Taken With Cramps.

Wm. Kirmse, a member of the bridge gang working near Littleport, was taken suddenly ill Thursday night with cramps and a kind of cholera. His case was so severe that he had to have the members of the crew wait upon him and Mr. Gifford was called and consulted. He told them he had a medicine in the form of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy that he thought would help him out and accordingly several doses were administered with the result that the fellow was able to be around next day. The incident speaks quite highly of Mr. Gifford's medicines.—Elkader, Iowa, Argus.

This remedy never fails. Keep it in your home, it may save life. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; R. L. Davis & Bro. Farmville.

### SAVE THE CHILDREN.

Ninety nine of every one hundred diseases that children have are due to disorders of the stomach, and these disorders are all caused by indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is just as good for children as it is for adults. Children thrive on it. It keeps their little stomachs sweet and encourages their growth and development. Mrs. Henry Carter, 705 Central St. Nashville, Tenn., says: "My little boy is now three years old and has been suffering from indigestion ever since he was born. I have had the best doctors in Nashville, but failed to do him any good. After using one bottle of Kodol he is a well baby. I recommend it to all sufferers. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

### DEWITT IS THE NAME.

When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name DeWitt on every box. The pure unadulterated Witch Hazel is used in making DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema and piles. The popularity of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

### Sick Headache.

"For several years my wife was troubled with what physicians called sick headache of a very severe character. She doctored with several eminent physicians and at a great expense, only to grow worse until she was unable to do any kind of work. About a year ago she began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and today weighs more than she ever did before and is real well," says Mr. Geo. E. Wright of New London, New York. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros., Farmville.

### EAT ALL YOU WANT.

Persons troubled with indigestion or Dyspepsia can eat all they want if they will take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. This remedy prepares the stomach for the reception, retention, digestion and assimilation of all of the wholesome food that may be eaten, and enable the digestive organs to transform the same into the kind of blood that gives health and strength. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

### POTENT PILL PLEASURE.

The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Phipot of Albany, Ga., says "During a billious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than calomel, blue-mass or any other pills I ever took and at the same time it effected me pleasantly. Little Early Risers are certainly an ideal pill." Sold by J. L. Wooten.

### END OF BITTER FIGHT.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Rev. D. B. Clayton, D. D., will preach in the court house Tuesday night, 18th.

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North Carolina, } In Superior Court,  
 Pitt County, } Sept. Term, 1903.

Mary Harrington }  
 vs. }  
 Summons.

willie Harrington. }  
 The defendant above name will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior Court of Pitt County to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony by the plaintiff from the defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the superior Court of said county to be held on the 3rd Monday of Sept. 1903, it being the 21st day of said month, at the Court House of said county in Greenville, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 12th day of Aug. 1903.  
 F. G. JAMES, D. C. MOORE,  
 Att'y for Plaintiff. Clerk of s. c.

### SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made this day in a certain special proceeding therein pending, entitled "D. M. Willis administrator versus Effie Willis and Lydia Tingle," I will on Monday, September 7th, 1903, before the Court House door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate situated in Swift Creek township, Pitt County; to wit: One piece of parcel of land adjoining the lands of Effie Willis and Lydia Tingle, containing one hundred and fifteen acres more or less.

One other piece adjoining the above described tract and containing 8 acres more or less.

This the 30th day of July, 1903.  
 D. M. WILKINS,  
 Adm'r of James Tingle dec'd.  
 Jarvis & Blow, Attorneys.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Lawrence Stocks deceased, having this day been issued to me by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate, to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 14th day of August 1904, or this notice will be plead in the bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me.

This the 12th day of August, 1903.  
 JESSE CANNON,  
 Adm'r of Lawrence Stocks, dec'd.

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### BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., Aug., 15 19 3

M. O. Blount, wife and children have just from New York, Couey Island, Pittsburg, Jersey City and many other northern cities. Mr. Blount says he saw them digging potatoes in New Jersey at the rates of 130 barrels per acre.

Frank Hines, colored, who lives on W. W. Andrews farm near town, found that something was carrying away eggs from a nest. After the eggs were all gone he set a steel trap there and when he went to the nest the trap had a large snake by the head. The snake was over six feet long and weighed about 50 pounds.

Miss Susie Barnhill is spending this week with her sister, Miss Mable, at Dr. James.

L. B. Barnhill spent last night with his brother. He will leave on the evening train for Charleston, S. C., where he will make his home.

The boys and girls are returning home from Winterville where they have been attending the teachers institute.

Miss Effie Grimes spent Wednesday in Mount Olive with friends.

Miss Alice Carson, of Fremont, is at her old home again shaking hands with friends and relatives.

Miss Rosa Bullock returned home Saturday evening from a visit to Farmville.

Mrs. W. A. James left Friday morning for Seven Springs.

### Farmers Central Protective Association.

Tarboro, N. C., August 14th, 1903.

There will be a meeting of the North Carolina Farmers' Protective Association of the state, at Rocky Mount, N. C., on Friday the 21st day of August, 1903, for the purpose of considering the present deplorable situation of the tobacco interest of the state.

In this matter every banker and merchant and land owner, as well as tobacco grower, is interested. The situation is threatening and requires instant attention. Unless immediate action is taken the result will be to sacrifice the entire crop of the state.

Will you not give one day of your time towards relieving this situation? If so, we beg that you will attend the meeting at Rocky Mount on the 21st inst. At this time we hope to submit for consideration practicable and business like measures to meet the present conditions. We need and ask your interest and co-operation, and feel that we have the right to expect it of you. We have invited the bankers and merchants of the tobacco growing section of the state to meet the farmers at Rocky Mount for conference, and have the assurance of a large gathering.

Very truly,  
 J. W. B. BATTLE, President.

### Notice.

Chapter 2, section 1, of the ordinances of the town of Greenville, provides as follows:

"Every occupant of a lot on any street shall keep the sidewalk clean and clear of weeds, grass and other rank vegetation as far as such lot extends. If any rubbish, dirt, ashes or any other thing be placed or left without lawful authority, upon such sidewalk or in the gutters or streets adjacent thereto, the occupant of such lot shall remove the same. If after written notice by the chief of police, or street commissioners, requiring him to remove the things prohibited by this ordinance, he shall fail for twenty four hours to remove the same, he shall be fined five dollars for each day thereafter it may so remain."

You are therefore notified to comply with the above ordinance or you will be dealt with as the ordinance directs.

This 10th day of August, 1903.  
 J. T. SMITH,  
 Chief of Police.

### Diamonds.

A nice selection of diamond lockets to be found at Best, the jeweler's. Those wishing to see same please call before Monday, as all unsold ones will be returned then.

# Rheumacide

Is a new and scientific compound made from roots, herbs and barks—contains neither opiates nor poisons. It purifies the blood and removes the causes of rheumatism and all blood diseases. Anyone can take RHEUMACIDE with absolute safety. Does not injure the digestive organs.

### TWO CURES.

FLORENCE, S. C., Aug. 16, 1902.

Gentlemen:—I began to suffer from rheumatism about three years ago, and had it very bad in my limbs. At times I could hardly walk. Was treated by a physician without benefit. More than a year ago, Mr. George Wilson, an engineer on the Coast Line, living in Florence, told me that "RHEUMACIDE" cured him. I got a bottle and it benefited me. I took five bottles and am now as well as I ever was in my life. I regard "RHEUMACIDE" as a great medicine. I know of others it has cured.

Truly,  
 S. T. BURCH.

DARLINGTON, S. C., Aug. 19th, 1902.

Gentlemen:—About two years ago I had a very severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. I suffered great pain and was confined to my bed for five weeks. During the time I was treated by two Physicians without permanent relief. Capt. Harker, a conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line heard of my condition and sent me two bottles of "RHEUMACIDE." I began to take it and in a week I got up and walked on crutches. After taking three bottles of the remedy I got entirely well and went back to my business. I personally know of a number of other bad cases that were cured by the use of your medicine, in this town and vicinity. It is all that you claim for it.

Truly, J. L. SISKRON.

Sold by Druggists. Will be sent express paid on receipt of \$1.00.  
 Bobbitt Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

## Perfect Printing at Reflector Printing House.



## WE MAKE

a leader of THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS because they represent the best paint value on the market.

For durability, spreading capacity, beauty, easy working qualities and economy no better paints can be made.

They come in but one quality—the best. They are cheapest because they

are best. Ask for color cards.

SOLD BY

## BAKER & HART.

## New Firm at The Baptist Old Stand. The Baptist Female University

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.

## The University of North Carolina.

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT, LAW, MEDICINE, PHARMACY.

One hundred and eight scholarships. Free tuition to teachers and sons of ministers. Loans for the needy. 608 students, 66 instructors. New dormitories, water works, central heating system. Library 40,000 volumes. Fall term, academic and professional departments, begins Sept. 7, 1903. Address F. P. VENABLE, President.

Chapel Hill, N. C.

A great day for Greenville, the candy factory is here with a

Full Line of Fresh Home-Made Candy.

Now is the time to enjoy yourself. Some man that was here here. Opposite Savage Stable. CHRISTIAN GEORGE.

## Dr. R. L. Carr, Dentist.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

## Dr. D. L. James,

Dental Surgeon Greenville, N. C.

## 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.

## The Man

Is often judged by the appearance of his clothes. Don't look seedy, but take that suit to

## Paul Metrick,

The Tailor,

to have overhauled, cleaned and pressed, and you will look well dressed. He is now in new quarter on Fourth street, between the offices of Dr. Carr and Dr. Nobles.



## DEFY THE SUN!

Wear a Flannel or Homespun Suit and keep as cool as a cucumber. They are a cure for hot blood. In one of these a man looks cool and when he knows he looks cool, he feels that way. And the cost of getting into this happy condition is very small. These

## LIGHT WEIGHT SUITS

start at \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$12. Coats are skeleton backs in two styles.

# C. S. FORBES.

B. 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	2,099.65	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.

## 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.

Perfect Printing at Reflector Printing House.

Give your farm a name and order

The Reflector to print it on your

stationery.

Send your orders for printing to Reflector Printing House.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

J. D. Laughinghouse left this morning for Wilson.

Paul R. Outlaw, foreman of THE REFLECTOR, is sick.

Dr. D. B. Clayton will preach in the court house Tuesday night.

Misses Bessie and Bertha Patrick went to Washington today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Korb came down from Rocky Mount Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. T. Lee and child returned Saturday evening from Virginia.

A. G. Cox, of Winterville, passed through this morning going to Old Point.

J. R. Moore returned Saturday evening from a trip to the western part of the state.

Miss Vivian Rieves, of Robersonville, is visiting relatives in West Greenville.

Miss Brightsey Savage, who has been visiting relatives here left this morning for Wilson.

J. F. Davenport left this morning to purchase his fall and winter stock for the White Front.

Miss Maggie Peel, of Robersonville, who has been visiting Miss Minnie Tunstall, returned home this morning.

Miss Leta Andrews, of Elizabeth City, who has been visiting the family of J. S. Keel, left this morning for Wilson.

Mrs. J. W. Peacock, of Elm City, who has been here with her daughter, Mrs. William Fountain, returned home today.

Miss Eva Davis and brother, Jasper, of Washington, who has been visiting the family of D. S. Spain, returned home today.

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Masons meet tonight.

The excessive rains of the past week have caused much damage to the fodder crop.

For Sale—A nice six room house and lot. All the conveniences of a home. R. HYMAN.

A nice lot of sterling silver just received. Suitable for wedding presents, at my residence.

MRS. J. B. CHERRY.

### THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Tuesday.

### The Best Laundry.

I have taken the agency for the well known Gardner & Vail Laundry, of New York, which is by far the finest equipped in the country. We do your work in good shape and return to you the same as new. All those having laundry will please notify "Dock Horne" who will call for it. Collars and cuffs exclusively.

JNO. L. HORNE.

### PUTS AN END TO IT ALL.

A grievous wail oft times comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. Dr. King's New Life Pill they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store.

### THE DEATH PENALTY.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Biles threaten. Only 25c, at Wooten's Drug Store.

### SUICIDE PREVENTED.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store.

### MR BRYAN HARDY KILLED.

While Trying to Take a Gun From His Son.

A tragedy occurred in Swift Creek township Sunday eve in which Mr. Bryan Hardy lost his life. A son of Mr. Hardy named Fred lived at the home of Oliver Smith, and it seems that Smith had some hard feelings toward the senior Hardy. Sunday Smith accompanied by Fred Hardy and some other parties started to the home of Bryan Hardy. On the way they met George, another son of Hardy, and told him "we are going down to your father's to give him the d—." George turned around and hurriedly rode back to tell his father the parties were coming and acquaint him of their intention.

When the crowd came up to the gate Hardy met them and began reasoning with Smith, telling the latter to go away as he did not want to have any trouble. He also asked his son Fred to come in the house and have a talk with him. Fred declined his father's request.

The crowd used very abusive language towards Hardy and also in reference to his wife, and while this was going on George brought a gun out of the house and set it down in the yard. As the elder Hardy would not engage in a quarrel with them, they set on George and began beating him. George broke away from his assailants and rushed for the gun. His father to stop the trouble also grabbed the gun to keep his son from using it, and in the scuffle the weapon was discharged. The entire load entered Mr. Hardy's body and he died almost instantly. The above particulars were given us by a gentleman from the neighborhood. Coroner Laughinghouse was notified and went down to hold an inquest.

The North Carolina farmer who has sold cotton at 5 cents and still lived, must feel himself indeed a lord of creation now when he can lean back, with his thumbs in the armholes of his vest, and decline offers of 11 cents for his new crop as soon as he can put it on the market. The Newton Enterprise tells that Catawba farmers are doing that very thing.—Charlotte Observer.

### LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made at the special May Term 1903, in a certain action therein pending, entitled "Florence P. Tucker against J. H. Gurganus, and F. G. James assignee of J. H. Gurganus," the undersigned, will, on Monday, September 31st 1903 before the Court House door in the town of Greenville, N. C., sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, a certain tract of parcel of land in Pactolus township Pitt County which lies south of the high water mark on the south side of Grindle creek, and fully described as follows: Beginning at the big cypress at the river wharf, thence up the river to Broad Creek, thence from said creek with the McG. Station line (now Fleming and Davenport line), thence on across the Greenville road by Davenport's coachshop to the Rollins canal, thence down said Rollins canal to the high water mark of Grindle Creek as it was when the mill dam of the said Tucker was standing, which is near a double sweet gum or said canal, thence with the said high water mark of Grindle creek to the late William Grimes' line, thence with Trimes line to the beginning, containing seven hundred acres more or less, saving and excepting therefrom the 1/2 acre of land fully described by metes and bounds in the deed from R. S. Tucker and wife to Sophia M. Fleming dated March 9th 1891 and registered in the Register's office in Book 45, page 375, provided however that the roadway known as the "Rollins' road" and running from the old town of Pactolus by the church and school house towards the residence of Mr. J. J. Rollins shall not be closed, but shall be kept open by the purchaser through the land above described as a public road.

This is the 17th day of Aug. 1903. T. B. WOMACK, } Commissioners. ALEX L. BLOW, }

## August is

# BARGAIN MONTH

In our Dry Goods Department.

Special cut prices will prevail throughout the entire department on all summer goods. We must have more room and this means a severe cut to clean out stock.

## Beautiful Lawns and Diminutives Reduced

from 25 to 20c.; from 20 to 17c.; from 15 to 10c.; from 10 to 8c.; from 8 to 6c.

A special lot of Towels are being sacrificed for August selling, including Turkish Bath, Huck and Cotton Towels.

All Slippers and Oxford Ties for women and children will suffer cut prices in this sale. A special lot to close, regardless of price.

Take advantage of this month's offerings and make your cash purchases prove to be real bargains.

# J. B. CHERRY and COMPANY

## 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.

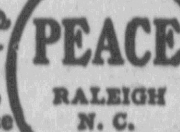
Sideboards and Chamber Suits are herein plain and quartered oak.

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

Very truly,

### A. H. TAFT & CO.

Institute for Young Women & Conservatory of Music. The Best Place for Your Daughter



### 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 specialty. S. J. NOBLES.

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

## 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	12½	12½
Middling	12½	12½
St. Low Middling	12½	12½
Low Middling	12½	12½
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
Sept.	10.59	10.50	
Oct.	9.87	10.02	
Dec.	9.68	9.77	

Liverpool Futures. Sept. & Oct. 5.80 5.90

Chicago Markets:

Sept. Wheat	82½	83½
Sept. Corn	52½	52½
Sept. Ribs	7.50	7.70
Oct. Ribs	7.55	7.80

### GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO. Middling 12½ 12½