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## Good - Resolutions

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## Happy New Year

Time says, "Move on old 1903, for 1904 stands waiting at the door." Let it be so—for a year, at best, is but a twinkle on the Calendar of time.

1904 :: WELCOME TO :: 1904

New Year's resolutions are now in order. Start right in everything. Start right toward the the right Clothing, Hat and Furnishing store.

Get yourself into the habit, early in the year, of buying the kind of Clothing, the kind of Hats and the kind of Furnishings that will give absolute, unqualified, satisfaction. It pays in every way.

Such a Resolution will bring you Here.

# FRANK WILSON

THE KING CLOTHIER.

## THE Greenville Banking & Trust Company,

GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA.

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Our officers are all bonded. We carry BURGLAR INSURANCE for your protection.

We will extend you any accommodation consistent with good banking. Call and see us.

## Jas. F. Davenport,

New White Front.

## Closing - Out - of - Ladies - Skirts

I will begin the 10th to close out my Ready-Made Skirts at Cost for 30 days.

\$4.00 Skirts for	-	\$3.15
6.25 " "	-	4.60
7.25 " "	-	5.47
9.25 " "	-	6.90

Just received a new lot of Lace Collars. Have a big lot of White Mercerized Waist Patterns, a great reduction in dress patterns. Remember we carry the Regina and Au-to-hav shoes for ladies.

## JAS. F. DAVENPORT

### PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

W. J. Turnage is sick.  
 E. B. Higgs left this morning for Baltimore.  
 L. Heilbronner left this morning for Scotland Neck.  
 H. B. Phillips left this morning for Suffolk.  
 W. T. Lee and family left this morning for Macon.  
 L. H. Rountree and family returned this morning from Grifton.  
 Mrs. C. C. Cobb left Thursday evening for a visit to Kinston.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hines returned Thursday evening from a visit to Turkey.  
 W. T. Burton returned Thursday evening from Baltimore, where he has been for treatment.  
 Mrs. Maud Cobb, of Newbern, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Thursday evening.  
 Jesse Speight says he wants to be going "up the road" all the year, so began by going this morning.  
 Mrs. Anna White and daughter, of Roseboro, who have been visiting her sister, Miss Lela Cherry, left this morning.  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. V. King, of Tarboro, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Parker and returned home this morning.

### DAY OF CHANGES.

**Many Come With the New Year.**  
 Every new year day marks more or less changes of people going from one house to another or from one place of employment to another, and this new year is no exception.  
 Charles Denser has moved his cabinet shop from Evans street to one room of the Munford building on Fourth street.  
 L. H. Pender moved his tin and repair shop off of Evans street and also takes a room in the Munford building on Fourth street.  
 B. Fleishman & Bro. have vacated their former store in the Phoenix building and now occupy one of the Harrington stores on the next block down the street.  
 D. S. Spain and J. S. Congleton have changed houses, the former going to the Congleton house in West Greenville and the latter to the Dancy house on Pitt street.  
 J. L. Hearne, formerly with C. S. Forbes, is now with J. Benj. Higgs.  
 J. M. Moore is back from Farmville and has taken a position at the depot.  
 C. O. Brown, who was formerly with the Pitt County Buggy Co. is now with the Union Carriage Co.  
 Hugh Ragsdale, who was with J. S. Smith, has stopped clerking to resume his studies and Leon Rieves takes his place.  
 T. H. Tyson, formerly with C. T. Munford, has gone to Norfolk, B. L. Tyson, formerly with S. M. Schultz and R. S. Maye, formerly with W. B. Brown, both take positions with C. T. Munford. E. D. (Bo) Cherry says tell the people he is still right there perambulating on both sides of the big store.  
 L. H. Rountree, formerly with A. E. Tucker & Co., is now with C. S. Forbes.  
 E. L. Baker, formerly with W. J. Thigpen, is now with S. M. Schultz and J. A. Thigpen, Jr., takes the place he vacated.  
 W. T. Lee, formerly with Greene & Brown, has moved away and Heber Forbes takes his place in the store.  
 E. A. Coward, formerly with S. T. White and B. B. Patrick, formerly with B. Fleishman & Bro., have

both resigned their places to engage in business together.

Lonnie Fleming, formerly with Zeno Moore & Bro., will attend school.

S. Lowenthal, formerly with B. Fleishman & Bro., has returned to Baltimore, and Argall Vick, who was with the same firm, is open for a proposition.

Joshua Manning, of Winterville, has taken a position with J. B. Cherry & Co. C. M. Jores wanted to declare that he was the best looking attache of this popular store, but when the ballot was taken Miss Lena Matthews received all the votes.

The foregoing were the changes THE REFLECTOR man found on his new year round. At many of the stores the "old guard" clerks continue. To all who stay on in their old places and those who have changed, as well as to the employers, we wish a happy new year.

### Grain Produced in 1903.

Returns to the Department of Agriculture show the total production of winter wheat in 1903 to be 399,867,250 bushels; spring wheat 237,854,585 bushels; corn 2,441,769,925 bushels; oats 27,638,126 bushels. Value of spring wheat \$156,731,979. Value of corn \$952,868,801. Tobacco acreage 1,037,377 acres, production 845,972,425 pounds; value 555,514,627.

### Will Take the Road.

J. L. Hearne, who for the past four years has been a salesman in the store of C. S. Forbes, has resigned that position for the purpose of accepting a place with J. Benj. Higgs, merchant broker and manufacturers' distributing agent. He will do the traveling in connection with the business. Mr. Hearne is one of our best young men, popular and courteous, and will command much business in his new position. We are glad to note that Mr. Higgs' business has grown so large that he can put a solicitor on the road, and he could not have secured a better man for this position than Mr. Hearne. They will do a large business.

### Cut His Throat.

While under the effects of delirium Mr. Jesse H. Starkey came near taking his life at an early hour this morning. He took his father's razor out of a trunk and terribly gashed his throat with it. Two of the cuts nearly reached the windpipe. Only prompt attention saved his life.

The business man in Greenville who has not been advertising in THE REFLECTOR should turn over a new leaf for 1904. Publicity through these columns will help you sell goods.

### Correction.

In the list of cases tried in the Mayor's court, published in Wednesday's REFLECTOR, where the name Zeno Allen appeared it should have been Zeno Adams.

Most of the worry is caused by anticipating the things that never happen.

It is sometimes easier to meet a bill than to dodge it.

A man seldom knows when he is well off until he is away off.

The cup that cheers is a noisy piece of crockery.

As a rule, popular subscriptions are in the unpopular class.

Female pickpockets are rare. No lady will pick any pocket but her husband's.

### STATE NEWS.

The directors of the Oxford orphan asylum have decided to build a dormitory for thirty more children.

Harry Grandy, a prominent young lawyer of Elizabeth City, died suddenly Wednesday morning.

The Henrietta correspondent of the Charlotte Observer reports the death of a peacock 50 years old.

### Notice.

We, the undersigned parents of the young ladies of the town of Greenville, who attend dances, hereby promise and agree that we will not permit our daughters or their guests to attend any dance to be held in said town, provided, that their escorts are not at our respective residences at an hour not later than nine o'clock p. m., on the evening the dance is to be held. This agreement enforced from this the 31st day of December 1903.

Charles Skinner and Wife.  
 Mrs. M. D. Higgs,  
 Alex. L. Blow and Wife.  
 J. L. Wooten.  
 Harry Skinner and Wife.  
 B. F. Patrick.  
 M. A. Allen, for guest.  
 I. A. Sugg.  
 F. G. James.

Lots of people would rather die a natural death than send for a doctor.

### Big Blaze At Lumberton.

Lumberton, Dec. 31.—The Bank of Lumberton was discovered on fire about 12:15 this morning. In this block is situated the bank, the clothing establishment of A. Weinstein, dry goods store of S. B. Lewis, the dental offices of Drs. Allen and Castlebury and the law offices of McLean, McLean & McCormick. All are burned out. The bank building has been built about five years and was an ornament to the town. The losses and amounts of insurance could not be obtained this morning. The cause of the fire is unknown.

### West India Superstitions.

The negroes of the British West Indies have many curious superstitions.

If a cock crows at the door, a gentleman is going to visit the house; if a hen crows, some of the family will die.

If you carry a tree pepper in your pocket, you will become poor.

If you give a thing away and take it back again you will have a sty.

If you roll your eyes when the moon changes, they will stay crooked.

Whenever a negro hurts a black dog he always begs its pardon, because the spirit of black dogs are supposed to go into men's bodies after death and cause them to walk the earth in the shape of a black dog.

When a West Indian negro cuts his hair he always buries the severed hairs. He argues that they are part of the body and therefore as much entitled to a grave as the rest of him will be.—Durham Sun.

We wish to return thanks to all for their liberal patronage last year. You can find us now in new quarters, opposite C. T. Munford, where we will be glad to have you call. B. FLEISHMAN & BRO. 111 Ltd.

Whiskey is now being made from old rags. It is a simple process of inversion, as whiskey has been the chief manufacturer of rags.

### 550 People Burned in a Theater.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—About 550 people were killed in about 10 minutes in the Iroquois Theatre, the newest and, as far as human power could make it, the safest theatre in Chicago. Estimates of the dead and injured vary. The police account of the dead is 536. The estimate of the newspapers is 562. Besides this there are 55 people missing at midnight, the majority of whom are very probably among the dead in the morgue and the various undertaking establishments. Eighty-six of the dead have been positively identified, and 92 others are known to be injured.

A few of the unfortunates were burned to death by fire, many were suffocated by gas, and scores were trampled to death in the panic that followed the mad plunge of the frightened audience for the exits. It will be many hours before the number of dead is accurately known and many days before all of them will be identified. There are bodies lying by the dozens tonight in the undertaking room in the police stations, and in the hospitals from which nearly everything that could reveal their identity to those who knew them best is gone. Their clothing is torn to rags or burned to cinders and their faces have been crushed into an unrecognizable pulp by the heels of the crowd that trampled them down as they fled for safety.

The fire broke out during the second act of "Mr. Blue Beard, Jr.," which was the first dramatic production presented in the theatre since its erection. The company, which was very large, escaped to the streets in safety, nearly all of them, however, being compelled to flee into the snowy streets with no clothing but their stage costumes. A few members of the company sustained minor injuries, but but none were seriously hurt.

### To The Parents of the Graded School.

The board of trustees of the graded school met last night to consider and provide the ways and means of closing up and settling the balance of the accounts for the erection of the white school building.

While the board was in session the question came up as to what action, if any, the board should take as to continuing or suspending the school in view of cases of diphtheria which have occurred in town. After a full discussion the whole matter was referred to the executive committee with full power and authority to take such action as they may deem best.

The executive committee had a conference this morning with the superintendent of health and he advised that the school should open on next Monday as was intended. This is therefore to give notice that the school will open next Monday and continue unless it shall hereafter appear that it is advisable to close it.

The school authorities, however, wish to assure the parents that every precaution will be taken to protect the children against the disease. No child will be permitted to attend the school who is known to have been exposed. We are advised that it is likely that isolated cases may occur here and there in the town for some time to come, but it is believed that no additional danger will be incurred by opening the school. Conditions will be closely watched and the safety of the children faithfully guarded. We have thought proper to say this that the parents may feel that their children are to be taken care of.

By order of executive committee,  
 THOS. J. JARVIS.

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, JANUARY 1, 1904.

Let us all try to make this the best year we have lived.

Enough good wishes have been expressed today to make everybody happy if they come true.

The bulls and the bears can dance together until the market reopens Monday, then the fight will be on again.

A man should be measured, not by what he pretends to be, but by what he really is. The measure would be small for some people.

Some fellow has discovered a method for turning a black man white but does not offer this as a solution of the race problem.

Of course the farmers will decrease the acreage of tobacco, but the price of cotton will have more to do with it than the price of tobacco.

Richard Olney, of Massachusetts who was a member of the Cleveland cabinet, is a candidate for the presidential nomination and has advised his friends that they can push his claims.

The New Bern Journal, referring the fact that the oysters of that section are so fine that sixteen filled a quart measure calls attention to the possibilities of oyster culture in North Carolina. It is already an industry of no small importance, but with proper development and management, the revenue from oysters could be increased ten fold within a few years.

The heart almost stands still in the presence of a calamity like that in Chicago Wednesday afternoon. Nearly 600 people—equal to the population of many a village that considers itself a good deal of a town—packed in a theatre and roasted to death, like rats in their holes! It is tragical, awful, beyond the power of words to express.

The commerce of Colombia has not been reduced to figures for several years, because of the state of intermittent war. The total volume of trade in 1897 was about \$20,000,000. Of this about one-fourth came to the United States in the shape of coffee, gold and silver ore, hides tobacco, and drugs.

Several parents in Greenville have made an excellent innovation for the new year, as will be seen from the card they publish in this issue. The habit in vogue among young people of going to dances at 11 or 12 o'clock and staying there until nearly daylight is fraught with much danger, and the parents are wise in declaring their opposition to this and correcting it. If they would go a step further and make them go by 8 o'clock and return home at 12 it would be even better. Four hours is plenty long for young people to stay in the dance hall, and the unreasonable hours they have been staying from under parental care is dangerous to say the least of it.

There is a sadness and a gladness about the death and birth of a year, and the feeling cannot be shaken off. As the bells solemnly tolled the last moments of the old year, there came the sad thought that the year is ending, and with it the reminder that we will ere long reach the end of the journey and the bell will as solemnly toll our requiem. And then as the merry peals told that a new year had been born there came the glad thought that death is but the beginning of a new life, and as we pass beyond this world of sorrows and trials it is but to enter a brighter and better existence where all is joy and peace.

The lady who owns a patent medicine has hit upon a plan to get a lot of free advertising by offering a prize of \$25 to the newspaper that will prepare and print the best advertisement of her remedy. No doubt many of the papers will bite at it.

About 95 per cent. of all modern agricultural implements and tools used in Mexico are imported from the United States, the remainder being imported from Germany, the latter principally with single handle and wooden frame, all being usually of the cheapest construction.

New York doubtless said, when Southern bulls pocketed their profits on the recent rise, as Fraps said when the boys swore off the night before New Year's "day will all come back." Some of them have already come back, the market has tumbled, and New York has whip-sawed them on the turn.—Charlotte Observer.

Curtaiment of the production of cotton goods will very likely pan out like reduction of the acreage in cotton. The mills that have a sufficient stock of the raw material on hand to run several weeks or months will decline to be curtailers and will make money.—Wilmington Star.

**Business Stability in the West.**

One day during the past autumn, a dweller on the praries drew from the country bank a little nest egg of two hundred dollars that had been there for half a decade.

"I'm going to stay," he remarked to the cashier. "That money has been saved until we were sure that the West suited us. It does. When I left Pennsylvania I determined to put aside enough to take us back any time in ten years. We don't want to go back now."

It was a typical sentiment, the outcome of trial and it has been expressed in similar terms by multitudes who have sought prosperity—and found it.

In the recent history of the vast granary of the nation—the West—one fact stands out vividly: the day of speculation and experiment has passed away; substantial business progress, based on plans of permanency, has succeeded it. This great underlying feature of the plains region, which means so much for any section, is potent with promise. It meant a great deal when the Western people ceased talking about going "back East" and began to invite their Eastern friends to visit them. It was all the difference between the nomad and the landlord.—From "Good Crops and Good Times in the West," by Charles Moreau Harger, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for January.

# A Magnificent SHOWING OF NEW GOODS AT MUNFORD'S BIG STORE WINTER . . . BARGAINS


A touch of black and white and a dash of red, green and brown, and you have a successful costume. Winter demands brightness we have it in big shipments.

## Overcoats

Great Reduction.

Every Overcoat Goes in this Reduction.

\$ 5.00	- Overcoats -	\$3.49
7.50	- Overcoats -	5.00
12.50	- Overcoats -	8.50
15.00	- Overcoats -	11.50



"HIGH ART."

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## Boys Knee Pants

249 Pairs Boys all Wool Knee Pants worth double at 50c.

15 per cent. reduction on the entire line of pants--All Grades.

## FURS

They are the Season's latest creation. We are the cheap Fur house.



## MILLINERY

Special inducements on the entire line, nothing but high class Millinery sold in our store. Everything new and up-to-date.

Tailor Made

## Walking Skirts.

They fit well, hang well, handsomely made. Prices range from \$1.00 -- to -- \$8.00.



COLD WEATHER

## Comfortables

11-4 Ex Size Blankets	\$1.39
10-4 Full Size Blankets	75c
10-4 Full Size Blankets	1.00
Boys Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers	25c
LaFleece Shirts	25c
LaFleece Stockings	15c

For the coming holiday season watch for our big announcement of House Furnishing Goods, Couches, Bookcases, Pictures, Frames, Easels, Rocking Chairs, Hall Racks &c.

241-243 W. Main St. **C. T. MUNFORD.** GREENVILLE, North Carolina.

**A Prisoner in Her Own House.**  
Mrs. W. H. Layna, of 1001 Agnes Ave., Kansas City, Mo., has for several years been troubled with severe noarseness and at times a hard cough, which she says "Would keep me in doors for days. I was prescribed for by physicians with no noticeable results. A friend gave me part of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough

Remedy with instructions to closely follow the directions and I wish to state that after the first day I could notice a decided change for the better, and at this time, after using it for two weeks, have no hesitation in saying I realize that I am entirely cured." This remedy is for sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville and E. L. Davis & Bros., Farmville.

**Wonderful Nerve**  
Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Bruises Burns, Scalds, Sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c at Wooten's Drug Store.

**Domestic Troubles**  
It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you but cure. 25 cents at Wooten's Drug Store.

**Why Not Take Trip This Winter Through Florida to Cuba.**

This beautiful state and Island has been brought within easy reach by the splendid through train service of the Atlantic Coast Line the great throughfare to the tropics. Winter tourist rates are now on sale to all points in Florida and to Havana. For rates, schedules, maps, sleeping car and Steamship accommodations write to W. J. Craig, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

"What to say and how to say it" sent to any address upon receipt of a two cent stamp.

The tenderest wife sometimes wonders how she would look in a widow's weeds.

**HOME TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**

The following points can now be reached over the lines of this company:

Ashville, N. C.	A. Lanta, Ga.
Charlotte, "	Baltimore Md.
Beaufort, "	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Durham, "	Charleston, S. C.
Elfield, "	Chase City, Va.
Goldboro, "	Chaco, O. Ill.
Greensboro, "	Cincinnati, Ohio.
Henderson, "	Columbia, S. C.
Litleton, "	Danville, Va.
Louisburg, "	Lynchburg, Va.
New Bern, "	Nashville, Tenn.
Oxford, "	New York N. Y.
Raleigh, "	New Orleans, La.
Rocky Mt. "	Norfolk, Va.
Warrenton, "	Petersburg, Va.
Weldon, "	Philadelphia, Pa.
Wilmington, "	Richmond, Va.
Winston, "	St. Louis, Mo.
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And all other important and intermediate points east of the Mississippi River.

F. C. TOEPLMAN, Gen. Manager.

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

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

**Provision Market.**

Reported by SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Flour—1st pat.	\$4.50@45.25
Family Flour—straight	\$4.45@44.25
Corn—per bushel	75@80
Bacon—hog round per lb	1
—ham	114@113
—sides	114@112
—shoulders	10a11
Pork	84a124
Lard	65a60
Oats—32 lbs per bushel	60a80
Peanut	1.00a1.20
Potatoes—Irish—bushel	70
Potatoes—sweet	25a30
Butter	20a25
Duck	30
Hens—per head	15a25
Broilers	20
Eggs	35
Turkeys—per lb	35a40
Geese	10
Feathers—new	4a
Hides—dry—per lb	\$1.25
—green—per lb	\$1.25
Tallow	20a25
Fodder	70a8
Hay	
Beeswax	
Meal	

**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.

[ESTABLISHED IN 1866.]

**J. W. PERRY & CO.**

Norfolk, Va.

Cotton Factors and handlers of Fagings, Ties and Bags. Correspondence and shipments solicited.

VICTOR COX, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ayden, North Carolina.

Dr. R. L. Carr, Dentist, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Mr. Wm S. Crane, of California Md., suffered for years from rheumatism and lumbago. He was finally advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which he did and it effected a complete cure. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville and R. L. Davis & Bros, Farmville.

**Congratulations.**

Mr John W. Callom, Editor of the Garland, Texas, News, has written a letter of congratulations to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as follows: Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croupy spells and we would be very uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results. One good feature of this remedy is that it is not disagreeable to take and our babies really like it. Another is that it is not dangerous, and there is no risk from giving an overdose. I congratulate you upon the success of your remedy." For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, and R. L. Davis & Bros, Farmville.

**A GOOD NAME.**

From personal experience I testify that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are unequalled as a liver pill. They are rightly named because they give strength and energy and do their work with ease.—W. T. Easton, Boerne, Tex. Thousands of people are using these tiny little pills in preference to all others, because they are so pleasant and effectual. They cure biliousness, torpid liver jaundice, sick headache, constipation, etc. They do not purge and weaken, but cleanse and strengthen. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

**URED OFFILES AFTER 40 YEARS.**

Mr. C. Haney, of Geneva, O., had the piles for 40 years. Doctors and dollars could do him no lasting good. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. Invaluable for cuts, burns bruises, sprains, laceration, eczema, tetter, salt rheum, and all other skin diseases. Look for the name DeWitt on the package—all others are cheap, worthless counterfeits. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

**A SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY.**

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digest what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. Sold by John L. Wooten.

Dr. D. L. James, Dental Surgeon, Greenville, N. C.

**EVENTS IN 1903**

A Year's Record From January to December.

**DAILY HAPPENINGS.**

Enormous Treasure Lost by Storm and Flood.

**A NOTABLE OBITUARY ROLL.**

**AUGUST.**

- Obituary: Mrs. Jean Margaret Davenport Lander, widow of Gen. Frederick W. Lander, a war hero of 1861, and noted as an actress, at Lynn, Mass.; aged 74.
- Personal: Giuseppe Sarto, the patriarch of Venice, elected to the papal throne to succeed Leo XIII. He assumed the title Pius X.
- Fire: At Louisville the Bourbon stock yards destroyed; loss, \$250,000.
- Financial Troubles: Sharp & Bryan and Hurlbutt, Hatch & Co., Stock Exchange brokers, failed in New York.
- Obituary: Phil May, noted English illustrator, in London; aged 83.
- Accident: 23 people killed and 20 injured by collision between two trains carrying Wallace Bros. circus on the Grand Trunk at Durand, Mich.
- Personal: Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles retired from command of the U. S. army; succeeded by Gen. S. E. M. Young, chief of the general staff.
- Accident: 9 persons killed and 150 injured in Philadelphia by the fall of a platform at the National Baseball park.
- Sporting: The Grand Prix de Vichy won by W. K. Vanderbilt's horse Alpha; value, \$20,000.
- Obituary: William E. Dodge, New York millionaire clubman and philanthropist, at Bar Harbor, Me.; aged 71.
- Personal: Plus X, crowned at St. Peter's.
- Storm: A hurricane killed 70 people and caused damage of \$2,500,000 on the island of Jamaica.
- Accident: 84 deaths in the burning of a subway train in Paris.
- Sporting: Jeffries beat Corbett for the world's championship in 10 rounds at San Francisco.
- Obituary: Noah Brooks, well known author, at Pasadena, Cal.; aged 73.
- Convention: The national encampment of the G. A. R. met at San Francisco.
- Shipwreck: The Chinese cruiser Huang-Tai sunk in collision at Hongkong; the captain and 14 of the crew lost.
- Miscellaneous: Captain Malcolm A. Rafferty, hero of the 1st New York in the San Juan Hill fight, died in Port of Spain, Trinidad. Pedro Alvarado, Mexico's mining king, died at Chihuahua, leaving an estate of \$5,000,000.
- Personal: Gen. John C. Black of Illinois elected commander in chief of the G. A. R.
- Obituaries: Lord Salisbury, former premier of England, in London; aged 73. Menotti Garibaldi, son of the great Italian patriot, in Rome.
- Sporting: The Reliance won the first race for the America's cup by 7m. 3s.
- Sporting: Lou Dillon trotted a mile in 2 minutes at Readville, Mass., lowering the world's mile record 2 1/2 seconds.
- Obituary: Bill Arp (Ma) Charles H. Smith, the southern humorist, at Atlanta; aged 77.
- Sporting: The Reliance beat Shamrock III; in the second race for the America's cup by 2m 23s.
- Shipwreck: The schooner Willie L. Newton capsized off South Norwalk, Conn., carrying down 7 of her crew.
- Bulgarian Insurrection: 1,000 Bulgarians killed in battle with the Turks.
- Obituary: Frederick Law Olmstead, famous landscape artist, at Waverly, Mass.; aged 81.
- Sporting: Hamburg Belle won the Futurity at Sheephead Bay.
- South American Affairs: The Colombian senate rejected the Panama canal treaty.

**SEPTEMBER.**

- Sporting: Reliance defeated Shamrock III., winning the contest for the America's cup.
- Accident: 4 persons killed and 19 injured in a head-on trolley collision at Petham, N. H.
- Fire: At San Francisco; loss of \$500,000 by the burning of a Southern Pacific freight shed.
- Shipwreck: The steamer Inghulva of Liverpool wrecked in a hurricane near Boynton, Fla.; 9 sailors drowned.
- Obituaries: Otto Sarony, widely known portrait photographer, in New York City; aged 53. Mrs. M. E. W. Sherwood, noted society woman and writer, in New York city; aged 80.
- Storm: New York and the neighboring seacoast swept by a violent hurricane, accompanied by heavy rain; 18 deaths.
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- Shipwreck: The British steamer Mexicano lost on the Florida coast; 21 lives lost.
- Fire: At Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; loss of \$700,000 by the burning of a business block.
- Obituary: Prof. Alexander Bain, noted instructor in logic and English literature, at Aberdeen, Scotland; aged 85.
- Fire: At Morse, Wis., the town almost destroyed, loss, \$200,000.
- Obituary: Charles B. Farwell, merchant prince and former U. S. senator, in Chicago; aged 80.
- Sporting: Prince Alert lowered the world's pacing record to 1:57 at Empire track, Yonkers, N. Y.
- Major Deimar trotted a mile in 2 minutes at Yonkers, N. Y., equalling world's trotting record held by Lou Dillon.
- Accident: A fast mail train on the Southern R. R. fell 75 feet from a trestle near Danville, Va.; 9 persons killed and 7 injured.
- Obituary: Frau Marie Geisinger, noted actress and singer, at Vienna; aged 67.
- Obituary: Sir Michael H. Herbert, British ambassador to the United States, at Davos-Platz, Switzerland; aged 46.

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- Shipwreck: The American whaler Joseph Manta wrecked on the island of Pico; 23 lives lost.
- Storm: Phenomenal fall of rain along the north Atlantic coast, followed by floods.
- Obituary: Col. Richard Henry Savage, soldier, author, traveler and scientist, in New York city; aged 67.
- Sporting: Fastest heat trotting race at Lexington, Ky., records, 2:07 1/4, 2:07 3/4, 2:08 1/4, 2:09 1/4, 2:13.
- Fire: At Aberdeen, Wash., 150 buildings destroyed and several persons burned to death; loss, \$1,000,000.
- Sporting: Dan Patch broke the world's record by pacing a mile to wagon in 1:56 1/4 at Lexington, Ky.
- Accident: 47 persons killed and 40 injured in a rear end collision on the Pennsylvania near Trenton, N. J.
- Alaskan Boundary: The Alaskan boundary tribunal rendered its decision chiefly favorable to the United States.
- Financial Troubles: The International Bank and Trust Co. of America, of Mexico City, with branches in the United States, closed its doors.
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- Sporting: Cresceus lowered the world's trotting record, held jointly by Lou Dillon and Major Deimar, by trotting a mile in 1:56 1/4 at Wichita, Kan.
- Convention: The American Missionary association began its 57th annual meeting at Cleveland.
- Financial Troubles: The Federal National bank of Pittsburg closed by the comptroller.
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Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$151,340.66	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	2,912.01	Surplus	20,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	3,618.57	Undivided Profits less	
Due from Banks and		Expenses Paid	3,655.48
Checkers	125,651.52	Bills payable,	\$18,000.00
Cash Items	10,009.60	Deposits	252,728.89
Cash in Bank	25,847.01		
	\$319,379.37		\$319,379.37

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Happy new year.  
If you swore off stay off.  
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How many times did you forget and write it 1903?  
Hang up your calendars for 1904.  
50 Barrels Apples for sale cheap. S. M. Schultz; 12-31-tf  
The new year came bright and cold.  
New lot of beautiful veils at Mrs. L. Griffin's.  
Exchanges closed and no market reports today or tomorrow.  
The usual large new year crowd was in town today.  
C. T. Munford has added another nice calendar to our collection.  
The colored firemen had a parade this afternoon.  
Today has seemed much like a Saturday.  
Will Greenville get electric lights and water works this year?  
Get your ledger for the new year at Reflector Book Store.  
The new year will be yet in its infancy when wedding bells ring.  
Get THE REFLECTOR to print your new stationery for 1904.  
Even the dogs join in welcoming the new year. They barked furiously while the bells rang merrily.  
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Some people were superstitious about paying debts the first day of the year.

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FOR RENT—The office in rear of Frank Wilson's store formerly occupied by Frank Tyson.  
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1-1-3td eod.

The new year started off with a hustle. May it continue through to the end.

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No freight trains were run today.

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J. B. White has sold his entire stock to Fleming & Moore, and the store will be occupied by C. G. Stucky & Co.

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### THE WEATHER.

As the weather bureau sent out no report today we predict that it will be fair and warmer tomorrow. See if that hits.

### TODAY'S MARKETS.

By Wire to Daily Reflector.

#### Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

AS WIRED BY  
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Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va

COTTON:	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	13 1/4	13 1/4
Middling	13 1/4	13 1/4
St. Low Middling	13 1/4	13 1/4
Low Middling	13	13

PEANUTS:	Today	Yesterday
Fancy	3 1/4	3 1/4
Strictly Prime	3 1/4	3 1/4
Prime	3 1/4	3 1/4
Low Grades	3	3

#### NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

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New York Futures:	Closed Today	Yesterday
Jan.	12.99	13.03
March	13.30	13.24
May	13.44	13.33

Liverpool Futures.  
May. & June. 6 86 7.94

Chicago Markets:	Today	Yesterday
May Wheat	84 1/2	84 1/2
Dec Corn	45 1/2	45 1/2
Jan. Ribs	6.42	6.35
May. Ribs	6.72	6.65

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