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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.

A considerable stir was created here last week over an affair in the telephone office. Mr. Perry, the local manager, accused one of the lady operators of stealing some money. The lady's name we withheld, or her reputation as beyond reproach. As a result of the accusation all the day operators, all ladies, to the number of four, marched out of the office. When some of the men friends of the lady accused learned of the affair they waited on Mr. Perry and asked him to resign, which he did and Mr. George Phillips, of Greenville, came Saturday and took charge of the exchange. All the operators have returned to work including the lady accused. It seems that Mr. Perry was not at all justified in his accusation, flying "off the helm," before he knew the circumstances. Such an affair is deplorable all around.—Rocky Mount Motor.

Three Roasted in a Jail.
Birmingham, Ala. Jan. 14.—Three prisoners were cremated, two fatally burned and two others seriously hurt in the burning of the town jail at Pratt City today. All but one of the victims were negroes. There were fifteen men and four women in the jail, all negroes, except John Kelley. A panic ensued when the fire was discovered, and the prisoners were released, but not until three, including Kelley had perished. Policeman Chris Hatheld, who discovered the fire and hearing the cries of the prisoners, unlocked the doors, was overcome by smoke and nearly lost his life. James Smith and William Young, both of whom are expected to die, are accused by the other prisoners of setting fire to the jail. All the prisoners were recaptured.

Appointment of a Receiver.
Roanoke, Va., Jan. 15.—A special to the Times from Wytheville, Va., says that as a result of proceedings by John C. Blair, attorney for New York and Virginia, creditors of the New River Mineral Company, located in Wythe county, representing claims aggregating nearly \$300,000 for money loaned and supplies sold the company, United States District Judge McDowell has appointed S. F. M. Masters, temporary receiver of the concern. The company owns iron furnaces at Ivanhoe, Va. The plant has been closed and will be sold.

Will Observe Lee's Birthday.
The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. T. J. Jarvis on Tuesday afternoon, 19th, at 3 o'clock, to observe the anniversary of the birthday of Gen. R. E. Lee.

Broke His Nose.

Thursday afternoon Mr. George Clark was engaged doing some carpentering work in the Imperial tobacco factory. He was using two tall benches with heavy plank across them, upon the top of which he could work on the ceiling. He came down to the floor and was moving one of these benches when a plank slipped off, and coming down end-ways struck him square across the nose. His nose was badly mashed and broken.

Improving.

We just can't help from speaking about it this time. The passenger train came in nearly on time again last night, for the second time in succession.

A Delightful Evening.

[reported for The Reflector.]

Thursday evening, from eight to eleven o'clock at the hospitable home of Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr., the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church held their annual reception. Mrs. Moye in her charming manner met the guests with a cordial welcome. Assisted by Mesdames C. T. Mumford, G. B. W. Hadley, H. L. Carr, and F. G. James. The object of this meeting was to bring the ladies of the church in closer relation and the business of most importance was the election of officers.

The following were elected: President, Mrs. C. T. Mumford, vice president, Mrs. Wiley Brown, secretary, Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr., treasurer, Mrs. F. G. James.

Miss Nina James and Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley added very much with selections of vocal and instrumental music. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening, which was one most delightfully spent by all.

Three Safes are Blown Open by Crackmen at Charlotte.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 14.—At an early hour this morning safe crackers entered five business houses on North College street, between Trade and Fifth, cracked two safes and attempted to open an other. They secured a total of \$39 54 in cash and escaped after a clash with the police officers.

The board of aldermen held a called meeting this morning shortly after 10 o'clock, when it was unanimously decided to offer a reward of \$400 for the arrest of the safe crackers.

The officers are on the alert and information of the crime has been sent abroad, but the fact that the description of the criminals is unknown will make their capture a difficult matter.

Hearne-May.

The following cards have been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred May invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Louise Star, to Mr. William Augustus Bernard Hearne, on Tuesday evening, January the twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and four, at half after seven. Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Farmville, North Carolina. At home after February the fifth, Norfolk, Virginia.

Death of Capt. Mosely.

Duplin, N. C., Jan. 14.—Capt. A. G. Mosely died at his home at Frisndship, this county. Captain Mosely had reached the age of 81 years. He was one of Duplin's most prominent citizens and was twice its representative in the legislature. He was chairman of the county court for a number of years and had filled other positions of trust for the people. He was a member of the Presbyterian church for a large portion of his life and a leading Mason of this section, belonging to Belmont Lodge, No. 108. During the war between the states he was a magnificent soldier and was promoted to the office of captain in a short while. He leaves to mourn his death one daughter, Mrs. Catharine Hunter and one son, Mr. A. G. Mosely, Jr.

An Editor's Swan Song.

Milburn (Ind. T.) Herald-Banner: With this issue the Herald-Banner folds its lily white hands upon its bosom and turns its pink little toes to the daises, and Milburn, Ind. T., U. S. A., is without a paper, having witnessed the death of two. It has cost the present firm \$252 to advertise the town the beautiful blue and fertile soils, and we now throw up the sponge and vacate to make room for another sucker. Ta, ta, au revoir, goodbye. We are going to do something for you that the devil will never do—that is, leave you.

Examination for Revenue Cutter Service.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13 1904. EDITOR REFLECTOR:

Please announce that an examination will be held in Washington D. C., from February 25th to 27th, 1904, inclusive, for the position of cadet in the revenue cutter service. The physical examination will be held prior to the above date before a board of Marine hospital surgeons at Washington, D. C., and if the result is satisfactory, then the mental examination may be taken at Raleigh or Wilmington on the dates named. Applicants must not be less than 18 nor more than 25 years of age and not less than 5 feet 3 inches in height. The salary is \$500 per annum and one ration per day and the opportunity for promotion is favorable. If any young man should wish to stand this examination, I should be very glad to have forwarded to him, upon application, circular giving the other necessary information.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. SMALL.

Died.

The infant child, aged one year, of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Phelps, died very suddenly at 5 o'clock this morning at their home one mile South of town. The child was in apparent good health Friday, but in the afternoon was taken with spasms and grew rapidly worse until the end came.

Just What A Man

WANTS

Just what a man wants in Furnishings he is sure to find here.

There isn't a thing that you'd expect the most exclusive haberdasher to keep, but what you will find at this store. For business, for evening dress, for every social function, we have the right thing, and yet we sell cheaply and reasonably.

Perhaps you may want the correct shaped Collar—the swellest creation in Neckwear—the right shade and best make in Gloves—the right Dress Shirt—Fine Hose—the newest Fancy Shirt—they are all here—and all are just right. Not a detail lacking, for this

One - Complete - Man's - Store.

FRANK WILSON

THE KING CLOTHIER.

WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

WINTERVILLE, N. C. Jan. 16.

Is there any probability of a Tillman Gonzales affair at Raleigh? Harvey Smith, of Newbern, an old resident of this place, was here Wednesday.

Frank Hodges, of Greenville, passed through on the train one day this week on his return from a visit to LaGrange.

John Fulford, of Washington, with his usual smile has been to see us.

John Hearne, of Greenville, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Bettie Britt has moved to Grimesland where she will conduct a millinery business.

Dr. Zeno Brown was here on professional business Wednesday.

That was a handsome little runaway the other day. No damage, only to the buggy and harness, but it was a general runaway along and through railroad street, especially in front of Johnson's store.

Mrs. Sarah Taylor went to Greenville Tuesday.

Wash Sutton and family have moved to town and occupy one of the cottages on South Railroad street.

Thad Manning has made Winterville his home and is domiciled in the Cooper house out at West end of Main street.

C. A. Fair and J. S. Barber went to Ayden Thursday evening and returned Friday morning.

Naturally in walking the step of Ora Manning has been 36 inches. Now he reaches 42. There is a young man at his house. How the town does grow.

H. C. Venters, of Grimesland, has been here this week.

Just the nicest and sweetest letter that "never was writ" is what a pretty school girl remarked the other day as she read a little missive just received from the postoffice. Wonder, if we couldn't write one just like it. Wish we could.

Ed Little, of Dover, is on a visit to his father, Rev. C. L. Little, near here.

Charles Skinner, of Greenville, was inspecting our merchants yesterday.

Herod Hooks went to Grifton

Wednesday and returned Friday. A. M. Moseley was here buying cotton yesterday.

Miss Esther Hart, of LaGrange who has been visiting friends here for several days, has returned home.

Misses Maynie Ives and Lida Roberson are visiting Mrs. J. D. Cox.

G. A. Kittrell & Co. are paying 30 cents per bushel for cotton seed.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Melissa Tucker, of this place, and Mr. Byrd, of Institute.

Alfred McLawhorn sold 11 bales of cotton here this week for over \$800.

Sunday School Notices.

Because of the diphtheria in town there will be no Sunday school at the Christian church tomorrow, nor until further notice.

There will be no Sunday school at the Episcopal church until further notice, owing to the prevalence of diphtheria in the community.

There will be no Sunday school at the Methodist church until further notice on account of diphtheria.

There will be no Sunday school in the Baptist church until further notice.

There will be no Sunday school in the Presbyterian church until further notice.

Grand Lodge Officers.

At the recent meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge at Raleigh the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Grand master—W. S. Liddell of Charlotte.

Deputy grand master—F. D. Winston, of Windsor.

Senior grand warden—Hon. S. M. Gattis, of Hillsboro.

Junior grand warden—R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro.

Grand treasurer—William Simpson, of Raleigh.

Assistant grand treasurer—Leo D. Heartt, of Raleigh.

Grand secretary—John C. Drewry, of Raleigh.

Lost—A large gold watch lost with blood stone. Reward \$2.50. W. L. HALL.

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.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY 16, 1904.

PRESSED TOO FAR.

The strong probability is that there will be war in the far east.

If furniture factories pay so well in other towns, why not try them in Greenville?

This is St. Louis' year of prominence as the Democratic National Convention will be held there.

Richard Olney has been discussed as a presidential candidate but not enough to familiarize the public with the fact.

Chicago has closed fifteen churches as a result of imperfect fire protection. We wonder what they will close next.

We doubt if the war situation is receiving as much attention in Japan and Russia as it is on this side of the pond.

It is an every day thing to hear somebody asking about the war news, but the interrogator knows just as much about it as the one interrogated.

Washington has taken a step to exterminate the air rifle and air gun nuisance in that town. The aldermen have adopted ordinances prohibiting the sale or offering for sale in the town such guns or rifles, forbids the shooting of them anywhere in the town, also forbids owning or keeping them in possession by a person under 21 years of age.

Miss Emma Taft, formerly of Greenville, but now of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, sends us a copy of the twenty first anniversary edition of the Evening Gazette, of that city. It contains 108 pages and is the handsomest paper we have seen. Cedar Rapids must be a thriving city to afford such a paper.

Many people are expressing themselves that the graded school should reopen Monday, that as there is apparently no danger from diphtheria there is no necessity for the school remaining closed until the first of February with all the expense going on and the people not getting the benefit of it. At the same time there are many others who approve the action that has been taken of closing it for awhile.

No industry has progressed so rapidly in North Carolina in recent years as the damage suit industry, and it is constantly cropping out in new and heretofore unheard of places. Here is a new one. While a team of horses was transporting a load of merchandise from Kernersville to Oak Ridge the other day, on a new wagon, the wagon tongue broke and the stab of the broken tongue penetrated one of the horses, making a horrible wound, from which the animal soon died. The team belonged to Mr. Wm. Donnell, the merchant for whom the goods were being hauled, and the horse was a favorite one, valued at \$300. Now it is stated that Mr. Donnell instituted suit for damages against the manufacturers of the wagon, a Winston Salem firm, on the ground that they carelessly and negligently made the tongue of imperfect material, thereby causing it to break and kill his horse.—Statesville Landmark.

The Scotland Neck Commonwealth

says: It is sometimes the case that an advantage is pressed too far. This seems to be the case with the tobacco trust as suggested in the following editorial paragraph by the Richmond News Leader: "The tobacco trust has begun to kill out the goose that lays the golden egg, or rather the geese that raise the golden leaf. South Carolina newspapers say that farmers in the tobacco growing section of that State have determined to abandon tobacco entirely and confine their attention to cotton. This determination is caused partly by the high price and fine prospects for cotton, but an additional reason is that farmers feel that they have been plundered by the tobacco trust and absolutely held up and made to sell their product at absurdly low prices because of absence of competition in buying. Therefore, they will turn their attention elsewhere and leave the tobacco trust to find its raw material where it can. If this movement becomes general, the tobacco buyers may find that their own rapacity has brought its punishment, because tobacco will be so scarce that it must be dear."

We very much doubt if this will have any serious effect on the finances of the trust. It should be borne in mind that the same trust that controls the price of the raw material also controls the price of the manufactured product. So if a small crop forces them to pay higher prices for the leaf tobacco they will put up the price of the manufactured article accordingly and make the people pay the difference. The trusts are in control of the situation and will so continue until the strong arm of the law intervenes and breaks their power.

Dr. E. A. Winship, editor of the Journal of Education, has returned from a 9,000 mile trip, taken for the purpose of investigating the progress of the movement for the higher pay of school teachers. He reports that Nevada and California stand highest among the States, while New York pays the highest salaries in the world. He attributed the general upward trend in part to the unusual scarcity of teachers and the higher cost of living. The higher standards now demanded by the States have also done part, as the poorer teachers are weeded out in this way.—Wilmington Star.

Sin Cannot Be Hid.

Some evil men seem to have an idea that their sins will never be detected. They commit evil deeds behind curtains and closed doors, and vainly imagine that no eye has beheld them. But God's eye can see through the thickest wall or the darkest curtain. Then, too, it is hard to keep one's evil deeds from being detected by men. In its very effort at concealment, sin reveals itself. One may pretend to be good, but somebody will see through the pretention. It is almost impossible to shake down the apples from the forbidden tree without some one hearing the sound of their fall. Sin is an ugly discord in the music of the world and somebody's ears will surely detect it.—LaGrange Watch Tower.

Kansas City is bragging about a seven years old citizen who has never had his face washed. He had probably noticed how the face of other boys got dirty again right away, and got discouraged.—Atlanta Journal.

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



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

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11-4 Ex Size Blankets	\$1.39
10-4 Full Size Blankets	75c
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Boys Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers	25c
LaFleece Shirts	25c
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For the coming holiday season watch for our big announcement of House Furnishing Goods, Couches, Bookcases, Pictures, Frames, Easels, Rocking Chairs, Hall Racks &c.

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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 hoarseness 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 R. L. Davis & Bros., Farmville.

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.

When bilious try a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and realize for once how quickly a first-class up-to-date medicine will correct the disorder. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville and R. L. Davis, Farmville.

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.

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| Raleigh, " | New Orleans, La. |
| Rocky Mt. " | Norfolk, Va. |
| Warrenton, " | Petersburg, Va. |
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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.	\$4.59@85.25
Family Flour—straight	\$4.45@84.25
Corn—per bushel	75@80
Bacon—hog round per lb	
—ham	11 1/2@13 1/4
—sides	11 1/2@12 1/2
—shoulders	10@11
Pork	8 1/2@12 1/2
Lard	65@60
Oats—32 lbs per bushel	60@80
Peas	1.00@1.20
Potatoes—Irish—bushel	70
Potatoes—sweet	25@30
Butter	20@25
Duck	30
Hens—per head	15@25
Broilers	20
Eggs	35
Turkeys—per lb	35
Geese	35@40
Feathers—new	10
Hides—dry—per lb.	4@5
—green—per lb	\$1.25
Tallow	\$1.25
Fodder	\$1.25
Hay	20@25
Beeswax	70@85
Meal	

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The barbers we employ are finish men. You will find at the.....
First Chair, JULIUS FLEMING,
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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.
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Bus meets trains and boats and takes passengers anywhere in town Baggage and freight delivered promptly. Call Phone 45.

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I have moved across the street to the store formerly occupied by J. B. White, and have enlarged my stock with the very best line of

FAMILY GROCERIES.

I desire to thank all patrons for their liberal trade the past year, and invite them to call at my new store where they will find me better prepared to supply anything in the Grocery line at very lowest prices.
C. G. STARKEY.

Congratulations.

Mr. John H. Cullom, 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 uncrasy 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.

The fresh half-sole that a mother applies to her offspring's trousers contradicts the theory that there is nothing new under the son.

Found a Cure For Indigestion

I use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for indigestion and find that they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different remedies. I am 51 years of age and have suffered great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want now.—George W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville and R. L. Davis & Bros., Farmville.

Any young man knows it is more satisfactory to get a smile from a girl than to get the laugh.

CURED OPPIES 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 political party has outlived its usefulness when it ceases either to "point with pride" or "view with alarm."

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.

The human race is probably so-called to distinguish it from the horse race—which, as a rule, is inhuman.

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, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. Sold by John L. Wooten.

THE Greenville Mfg Co.

Having been closed down sometime for needed repairs will resume operations

Monday, Jan. 4th

under new management with a full force of competent workmen. We make and sell at wholesale and retail, Sash, Doors and Blinds, Mantels, Porchwork, Stairwork and all sorts of Interior and Exterior Building Trimmings. We solicit your patronage, not as a favor but only on our merits.

WHY THE JUROR HELD OUT.

The Secret That Was Imparted to an English Chief Justice.

The most remarkable case of a jury "standing out" against what seemed irrefutable testimony, and all through the resolution of one man, occurred before Chief Justice Dyer many years ago. He presided at a murder trial in which everything went against the prisoner, who on his part could only say that on his going to work in the morning he had found the murdered man dying and tried to help him, whereby he had become covered with blood, but when the man presently died he had come away and said nothing about it because he was known to have had a quarrel with the deceased and feared he might get into trouble. The hayfork with which the man had been murdered had the prisoner's name on it. In other respects his guilt appeared to be clearly established, and the chief justice was convinced of it, but the jury returned a verdict of "Not guilty."

This was Chief Justice Dyer's case, and he put some very searching questions to the high sheriff. The cause of the acquittal, said the official, was undoubtedly the foreman, a farmer of excellent character, esteemed by all his neighbors and very unlikely to be obstinate or vexatious. "Then," said the judge, "I must see this foreman, for an explanation of the matter I will have." The foreman came, and after extracting from his lordship a promise of secrecy proved at once that the prisoner had been rightly acquitted, "for," said he, "it was I myself who killed the man."

It had been no murder, for the other had attacked him with the hayfork, and—as he showed—severely injured him, but in the struggle to get possession of the weapon he had the misfortune to give the man a fatal wound. He had no fears as to his being found guilty of murder; but, the assizes being just over, his farm and affairs would have been ruined by a confession, through lying in jail so long, so he suffered matters to take their course. He was horrified to find one of his own servants accused of the murder. He supported his wife and children while in jail, managed to be placed on the jury and elected foreman. He added that if he had failed in this he would certainly have confessed to his own share in the business, and the judge believed him.

Every year for fifteen years the judge made inquiries as to the foreman's existence, and at last, happening to survive him, he considered himself free to tell the story.—London News.

She Treasured His Scalp Lock.

"I suppose," remarked the man who prides himself on his winning ways with the other sex, "that in the pretty locket you are wearing there is some memento—some token of a past love affair."

"How did you guess it?" asked the dazzling creature beside him. "Yes, there's a remembrance—a lock of my husband's hair!"

The man of fascinating manner looked surprised. "Why," said he, "I had no idea that you were a widow. They told me, if I mistake not, that your husband was alive!"

"And so he is," responded the beautiful woman, "but his hair is gone."

Stopping the Rush.

A clergyman once preached a long sermon from the text "Thou are weighed in the balance and found wanting." After the congregation had listened about an hour some began to get weary and went out. Others soon followed, greatly to the annoyance of the minister. Another person started, whereupon the parson stopped his sermon and said: "That is right, gentlemen. As fast as you are weighed pass out." He continued his sermon at some length after that, but no one disturbed him by leaving.—V. C.

A Study of Wild Flowers.

A public museum at Brighton, England, has a custom which should be followed elsewhere. Persons are encouraged to bring in fresh bunches of local wild flowers culled during their walks to one of the officials, who arranges the specimens each morning in glass vases containing water and affixes both the botanical and English name. Thus visitors are made acquainted with the flowers which they have seen growing wild, but regarding which they have had no information.

Her Little Nose.

Little Emily Kingsbury, aged four, who attends the kindergarten and calls it the "kidney garden," was being examined as to the senses. "What are your ears for, Emily?" "To hear with," was the answer. "And what are your eyes for?" "To see with." "And what is your nose for?" "To blow," was the innocent answer.—Lippincott's Magazine.

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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
bankers	125,651.52	Bills payable,	\$18,000.00
Cash Items	10,009.60	Deposits	252,723.89
Cash in Bank	25,847.01		
	\$319,379.37		\$319,379.37

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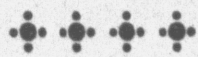
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I will begin the 10th to close out
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days.

\$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 pat-
terns. Remember we carry the Regina and Au-to-hav shoes for
ladies.

JAS. F. DAVENPORT

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Superior court begins Monday

The wood burning weather con-
tinues with us.

Received today Richmond mes-
sage at Johnston Bros.

1-t d

WANTED—To buy twelve or
fifteen hundred pounds of fresh
pork at once. E. G. FLANAGAN.
116 4th 1w

Those merchants who have not
given in their gross sales for last
year run the risk of having an
interview with the grand jury.

Just received Austin Nichols
new Buckwheat. 1-9 1f
S. M. SCHULTZ.

Embroideries at Cost.--Nap-
per Brown. d2w

WANTED—Agent for Pitt County
to work for the Eastern Life In-
surance Company of America.
Liberal contract to a hustler. Ad-
dress, with references, Eastern
Life Ins. Co. Washington, N. C.
1-9-7td-2tw

Cotton seed and corn for sale
by W. P. Baugham, Washington,
N. C. Also a limited quantity of
seed potatoes. One customer
gathered from one acre in cotton
the past fall over 4,000 pounds of
seed cotton, and I made from my
corn 12 to 18 barrels per acre
after spring crop of cabbage. I
have a limited quantity of cotton
seed to sell. Price of corn \$1 to
\$2 per bushel. 1-13-4-wk D. & W.

Mr. C. bb Sells.

Charles Cobb has sold his in-
terest in the Pitt County Buggy
Co. to H. C. Edwards, the other
member of the firm. Mr. Edwards
will continue the business.

A Negro Lynched by Negroes.

Petersburg, Va. Jan. 14—In-
formation has been received here
of the lynching in Sussex county,
Virginia, of a negro named Elmore
Moseley, by a mob of negroes.
Moseley was tried in the county
court this week for killing another
negro on the public highway, in
the presence of the victim's wife
and child. He was acquitted.
Today a mob of negroes, composed
of the dead man's friends, went to
Moseley's house, seized him and
carried him to Snyder's farm,
near Disputanta, where they hung
him to a tree and showered bullets
into his body.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Where You Can Worship Sunday.

Methodist church—Sunday school
at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a.
m. and 7:00 p. m. by Rev. J. A.
Hornady.

Baptist church—Sunday school
at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a.
m. and 7:00 p. m. by Rev. T. H.
King.

Episcopal church—Sunday school
at 9:45 a. m. Services at 11 a. m.
and 7:00 p. m. by Rev. W. E. Cox.

Presbyterian church—Sunday
school at 9:45 a. m.
Christian church—Sunday school
at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.
and 7:00 p. m. by Rev. W. F.
Powell.

BETEL ITEMS.

BETHEL, N. C., Jan. 13, 1904.

Misses Sadie Beverly and Nina
Grimes are with friends at Wich-
ards this week.

Nathaniel Beverly is at home
again. "She" doesn't seem to
object.

Tom Moore passed through our
town this week on his way to Mt.
Olive.

Rev. J. J. Baker was with us
again yesterday. He says old
friends are not easily forgotten.

M. I. Blount returned from Nor-
folk yesterday.

Prof. J. D. Everett left this
evening to see his—mother.

Miss Effie Grimes spent some
time in Tarboro this week.

N. B. Dawson is in town today
on business.

Owing to so many drummers in
our town this week guess the new
firm, Thomas, Smith and Taylor,
will be well advertised.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

H. McClelland went to Suffolk
today.

Harry Skinner returned Friday
evening from Raleigh

J. M. Reuss returned Friday
evening from Raleigh.

R. Williams returned Friday
evening from Raleigh.

E. B. Higgs returned Friday
evening from Baltimore.

V. J. Lee, of Norfolk, who has
been here a few days, left this
morning.

Miss May Bigley, of Beaufort,
who has been visiting the family
of W. B. Wilson, left this morning.

J. H. Coffield, of New York, and
W. W. Saulbury, of Hassell, spent
Friday night here with Mr. and
Mrs. W. R. Smith, and left today.

To Stop the Trade in Futures.

Manchester, England, Jan. 14.

A meeting of the Federation of
Master Cotton Spinners here today
discussed a resolution recommend-
ing that members and non-mem-
bers discontinue buying or selling
cotton futures. The resolution
sets forth that the present condi-
tion of the cotton trade has been
caused by "the gamblers using
futures in the market to raise arti-
ficially the prices of raw cotton,"
which makes trade practically im-
possible except at a heavy loss.
In view of the importance of the
resolution the vote thereon was
postponed for a week.

THE WEATHER.

Rain this afternoon and tonight,
except fair in western portion.
Sunday fair colder.

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	13 1/2	13 1/2
Middling	13 1/2	13 1/2
St. Low Middling	13 1/2	13 1/2
Low Middling	13 1/2	13 1/2

PEANUTS:

Fancy	4 1/2	4 1/2
Strictly Prime	4	4
Prime	3 1/2	3 1/2
Low Grades	3 1/2	3 1/2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

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

New York Futures:

	Closed	Today	Yesterday
March	13.72		13.70
May	13.92		13.93
July	14.00		14.00

Liverpool Futures.

May & June	7.25	7.20
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Chicago Markets:

May Wheat	88 1/2	87 1/2
Dec Corn	49 1/2	48 1/2
Jan. Ribs	6.35	6.32
May. Ribs	6.65	6.65

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

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Middling 13 1/2 13 1/2

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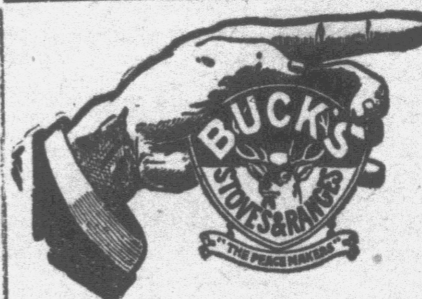
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qualities.

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provided for the little folks in our selection.

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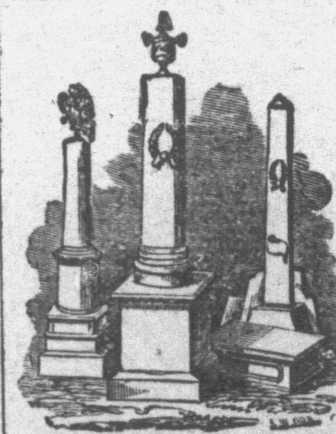


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