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Entire stock of Dress Goods, Trimmings Clothing, Shoes and Hats and Furnishing Goods will be closed out in the next thirty days at one-third off.

### Hamburgs and Laces at Half Price.

We must clean the shelves for New Goods Visit our store and see how far a dollar bill will travel.

Thanking our friends and patrons for past favors, and soliciting your future patronage we are

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## C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

## Greenville Banking & Trust Company,

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Our officers are all bonded.

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No matter how low the price of tobacco, and we are the people to supply

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Fresh, Clean, Pure Goods only are offered. We don't call sholders hams. Everything goes by its honest name.

## W. J. THIGPEN, GROCER, Five Points.

Phone 156.

Big Lot of Meat.

Last week Mr. G. T. Tyson, one of Beaver Dam's largest and best farmers, killed 67 hogs that aggregated in weight a little over 9,100 pounds. That is a big lot of meat.

Marriage Licenses.  
Last week Register of Deeds R. Williams issued licenses to the following couples:

WHITE

J. H. Williamson and Bessie E. Tyson.

J. A. Corbitt and Sudie Owens, Charles Joyner and Dora Bundy, W. B. Smith and E. A. Had-

dock. Jno. H. Leggett and Blanche Tyson.

Louis Avery and Sallie Had-

dock.

COLORED.

Marcellus Wilson and Tessie Carman.

Benj. Crandall and Clarison Ward.

John Hodges and Queenie Wil-

son.

Dan White and Bettie Which-

ard. Robt. Phillips and Hannah Grimes.

### How it Impressed People.

Saturday's REFLECTOR had hardly gone around town before our telephone rang. Upon answering the call the voice at the other end was recognized as coming from a lady, and she asked the question. "Is Greenville full of diphtheria?" Upon being assured to the contrary, also that there were but two cases in the town (these being of a week's standing) and that so far as known there had been only a total of five cases here in all the weeks it has been talked about, she replied: "The closing of the graded school was bad enough, and now the announcement that all the Sunday schools have suspended is enough to make people who know no better think the town is deluged in a terrible epidemic, and that all surrounding towns ought to quarantine against Greenville."

### Abile Sermon.

In the absence of the pastor the pulpit of the Baptist church was filled Sunday morning by Prof. T. H. King, superintendent of Ayden graded school. His subject was "Grow in grace and knowledge," and his sermon was impressive and edifying. Mr. King is a speaker of much force, and as a teacher he is doing excellent work at Ayden. Pitt county is fortunate in numbering such men among her citizens.

### Killed His Schoolmate.

Archie Bridges, a student of Trinity School, Chocowinity, about three miles from Washington, N. C., was accidentally killed on Friday evening of last week. The shooting was done by Ruffin Sessoms, another student of the school. Both of the young men are from Windsor, N. C. They were out hunting together, and when returning were engaged in playing and commenced to snap the guns at each other. It was the same old story—a gun not thought to be loaded. When within a few hundred yards of the school Sessoms pointed his gun at Bridges and fired. The load struck Bridges in the temple, tearing off the top of his head. He died in a few minutes. The young men were bosom friends, were room mates at school and lived in the same town. They were about the same age, sixteen.

The young man who did the shooting is prostrated with grief, as is the entire school. Sessoms is a poor young man and is working his way through school. The family of the boy killed was notified tonight at Windsor. The body will be taken to Windsor tomorrow morning, accompanied by Rev. N. C. Hughes, principal of the school, and two of his school mates.

### Bank Robbery in Virginia.

Winston Salem, N. C., Jan. 16.—Safe crackers secured two thousand dollars in silver from the bank at Rocky Mount, Va., early this morning. Parties arriving here this afternoon on the Norfolk and Western train from Roanoke, report that the robbers failed to get three thousand dollars in greenbacks, which was in the safe. The safe was blown open by the use of dynamite.

One of the clerks in the bank was sleeping in an adjoining building and heard the explosion. He arose and went to the bank to investigate. The robbers heard him coming and escaped. The clerk's presence, it is thought, prevented the men from getting the paper money.

### SUPERIOR COURT.

#### January Term in Session.

Judge M. H. Justice, of Rutherfordton, missed the morning train, but was here in time for court to be opened at 1:30 p. m. Business began at once with the drawing of the grand jury. As the names were called several were excused for sufficient reason to the court. The jury as sworn consisted of the following: T. R. Moore, foreman, W. C. Lewis, J. E. Clark, Jr., Levi Pierce, F. L. Andrews, D. H. Whitfield, Jos. L. Tripp, Jesse G. Thomas, W. T. Bullock, J. R. Dzier, W. W. House, W. H. Highsmith, H. A. Kittrell, W. C. Joyner, H. C. Bibb, S. A. Jenkins, S. B. Hardee, Jno. F. Evans.

Judge Justice began his charge to the grand jury at 2 o'clock, but owing to the lateness of the hour we can give no comment on it today.

Solicitor L. I. Moore says the criminal docket for the term is quite large.

#### A Great Year Ahead for Masonry.

Mr. Middell, of Charlotte, not only brings to the honorable office of grand master, distinguished services and the highest Masonic accomplishments, but his superior business qualities will stand him in good stead the present year. Masonry is to do big things in the state this year. We are to build a temple. Also, we are to take steps to care for aged and infirm Masons. These are missions worthy the cause of Masonry, worthy of the efforts of those who have bowed before the altar. Let us see to it that neither of these fail. We shall hear more noise than was heard in the erection of the ancient structure and the joints may not fit so well. But if its foundations are laid in love and loyalty to the order, and its erection like the growth and loving sympathy of the brotherhood, its success is sure.

The caring for those of the fraternity whose faces are now to the west, is a divine conception worthy of the history and noble traditions of the order.

Today the lodge is called from the refreshment of a most inspiring and stimulating session to the real work which shall make the above noble undertakings a glorious success.

The more uniform and universal the effort, the more certain the final consummation. Let no other do your work and thus get your crown.—Raleigh Times.

#### Happenings in 1903.

A cowboy named Wilson discovered two men floating on a cake of ice down the Republican river, in Nebraska; and, riding close to the shore, cast his lariat over first one and then the other of the men, drawing them ashore to safety.

Don Cameron St. John, returned soldier from the Philippines, fell heir to \$100,000 from his grandmother because of his clever verses on the army life in the south seas.

Arthur Van Meter, a prominent merchant of Salt Lake City, suffered from dropsy, and, after a fast of forty days, in which he took nothing but water, he found himself cured.

F. C. Jones, a banker of New York, gave a dinner in honor of Miss Ethel Barrymore, where the plates for twelve cost \$1,500.

An investigation by the health board of Chicago showed it to have more men and boys in proportion to women and girls than any other large city in the world.

Six babies were born in five days at 393 La Salle st. Chicago, one girl weighing seventeen pounds.

## 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.

#### What Becomes of the Pennies?

Twelve million copper cents were issued in 1903 through the St. Louis branch of the United States treasury. Only 4,000 were returned.

The record was not unusual. Less than one penny in a thousand finds its way back to the treasury to be exchanged for a newer coin.

Dimes, quarters, halves and even nickels come back in large quantities, but the copper cents for the most part go astray.

What becomes of them? Treasury officials cannot tell.

The most plausible theory is, that the pennies are simply lost.

Americans are such wealthy people that they have not time to keep track of the pennies, and they find their way into the ash-heaps, and into the sewers, and thence to the great rivers and even the sea.

In China or India it would be different. There the equivalent of our copper cent buys a meal. A man in those countries with a sackful of pennies would be counted rich.

#### Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of January, 1904, the firm of H. C. Edwards and Charles Cobb, doing business under the style of Pitt County Buggy Co., was dissolved by mutual consent. The interest of Charles Cobb was purchased by H. C. Edwards and the latter assumes all the liabilities of the firm and will continue the business under the same name of Pitt County Buggy Co. All persons indebted to the firm either by note or account are requested to come forward and settle with him as early as possible.

This 18th day of Jan. 1904.

H. C. EDWARDS,  
CHARLES COBB.

Having sold my good will and interest in Pitt County Buggy Co. to H. C. Edwards, I wish to thank all my friends for their patronage in the past and ask that they continue the same to Mr. H. C. Edwards, who will at all times endeavor to please them with good work.

CHARLES COBB,  
1-18-d&w-1m

#### STATE NEWS.

L. M. Neal, one of the best known citizens of Caswell county, died early Friday morning at his home in Yanceville. His death resulted from a shock by a message from Knoxville, Tenn., stating that his son and only child, who is in the hospital there, was at the point of death. Young Neal's death is hourly expected.

Miss Amy Morris Bradley, one of Wilmington's most highly esteemed citizens and the mother of public schools in Wilmington, died a short time ago in the little cottage beside the school building in which her life work has been carried on. For more than a quarter of a century she has labored in that community in the cause of education.

#### Married on the Stage.

The following from the Savannah Press will be of interest to our readers who have seen the performance of the Peruchi company. "Before an audience that filled every seat in the Savannah theatre, Mr. Chelso De Peruchi, proprietor of the Peruchi company, was wedded to Miss Mabel Ritchie on the night of the 15th. The ceremony was performed by Justice Wickham at the conclusion of the evening's performance. It was brief and simple, but met with the approval of the large audience, which evidenced its delight with unstinted applause.

#### A Beautiful Marriage.

At the home of Mr. J. F. Tyson, in Carolina township, his daughter Miss Bessie Ethel, was married to Mr. John Williamson, of Mt. Olive, N. C., on the 13th., inst., at 7:30 o'clock a. m. Rev. J. E. Houtt, of Bethel, officiated. After the marriage they were accompanied by many friends to Bethel, where they took the morning train for Mt. Olive, their future home. It was very sad indeed for friends to give up Bessie and say good bye, but we hope and trust that God, the great Giver of all gifts, will bless her and her loving companion and gently lead them through the changing scenes of this world and at last receive them in his home in glory.

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MONDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY 18, 1904.

YOU WILL LOOK AS YOU FEEL.

"A man," says the proverb, "is as old as he feels, a woman as old she looks." These are but two ways of saying the same thing; for the chances are that you will look as you feel. Keep the spring of joyousness of youth, and you can balk the years, at least in a measure.

Wise people are aware that youth can be conserved. The fault with the unwise is that they anticipate old age.

"The good die young," because they retain their youth in spite of time. But necessary as goodness is, there are other preservatives. Keep the body and mind active; this is to keep both young. Take a moving interest in yourself and your friends, your community, in the busy world around you. And whatever age, do not say that your usefulness is ended, and that you will give the world over to younger hands. Who knows what great task you may yet accomplish.

Newspapers are both the vehicles and victims of peculiar blunders sometimes. It is little wonder that editors often get gray or baldheaded early in life. If ours had not been so red it might have been both ere this.

It is said the corporation commission has solved the problem of connection at Selma between the Southern and Atlantic Coast Line by ordering the latter to run its Plymouth train, that has heretofore stopped at Rocky Mount, through to Selma and return.

Hannah Sappers and Miners at Work.

The Hanna boom is beginning to alarm friends of President Roosevelt. Hitherto they have regarded the cheers for Hanna as so much "hot air"—to use Postmaster General Payne's admirable phrase. So many states—including Ohio, were pledged to Mr. Roosevelt that his nomination was thought to be as inevitable as the procession of the seasons. But the sappers and miners of Mr. Hanna have never rested night or day; they have had plenty of tools and powder; and though they have succeeded in keeping well underground, an occasional muffling explosion has conveyed a warning that they are already under the outworks. The citadel against which they are moving is Pennsylvania, that home of anthracite operators and railway owners, that forbidding of protectionists. Senator Quay is learning that strong financial interests in New York and elsewhere, with which he maintains such a delightful intimacy, are making a dead set for Hanna. The tradition of Pennsylvania politics is not one of the lofty idealism; of the sacrifice of the people; and Senator Quay is not only bred in the tradition, but he is strengthened in the faith by a personal susceptibility to financial arguments. Should he waver in his adherence to Roosevelt the outlook for a renomination would grow black. Hanna boomers are cropping up here and there throughout even the west. Mr. Roosevelt's Gibraltar; and Mr. Hanna himself, by withholding the call for the national convention allows the movement to gain momentum.—New York Evening Post, Ind.

Sneak thieves are bold things in Asheville.—Durham Sun.  
How can a sneak be bold?

If the laws are not just like the temperance people want them next legislature will have work cut out for it in advance.—Durham Herald.

The pensioners will never turn loose their hold as long as the government will stand for it, and the government will stand for it as long as they are able to go to the polls and vote.—Durham Herald.

The French Panama scandals stink to high heaven. The American Panama scandals stink before a shovelful of dirt has been excavated. At this rate, our scandal will lay the french scandal in the shade.—News and Observer.

And what business had Mr. Russell, who is said to be well-to-do, to go borrowing money from a poor woman who had to give half her salary for the privilege of holding her job?—Durham Herald.

President Roosevelt made a ten strike when he sent that telegram of condolence over the death of Gen. Gordon. It was manly and it was sincere, no one denies this. With all his faults he is just that kind of a man.—Greensboro Record.

The most active and persistent candidate for the democratic presidential nomination at the present time is W. R. Hearst, the New York editor, who is also a member of congress. All sorts of attempts are being made to boom him, but there are democrats not a few who think, if he should succeed in getting the nomination, which is hardly probable, the party would march through a slaughter house to an open grave. Hearst is of the extreme Bryan school and if one of the school is to be named it should be Mr Bryan himself, who is far superior in every way to Hearst.—Satesville Landmark.

The Republican party, while dragging in the Monroe doctrine when it comes handy, has about made a corpse of it since 1898. Germany, under the impression that we assume the right to go on the other side of the world to scoop up territory, is now so lightly regarding the battered old doctrine that she is again negotiating for the purchase of the Danish West Indies. Germany manifests a disposition to show her contempt of the Monroe Doctrine, and only waits an opportunity to show us that she will take territory over here when she gets ready.—Wilmington Star.

The evils of cigarette smoking become more apparent every year, and in some parts of the country this evil has grown to an alarming degree among the boys. A few days since a boy named Fred Speer lay dying from the excessive use of cigarettes at Martinsville, Indiana. Almost his last words were, "Oh, I wish I could throw open the windows and call in all the boys who are smoking cigarettes and warn them against it." Physicians all over the country constantly come in contact with boys who are making themselves nervous wrecks through this destroying influence. It would be well if parents would keep a close watch over their boys, and if they are given to the habit of smoking cigarettes, make an effort to break them of it, even if it requires the adoption of heroic measures.—Roxboro Courier.

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Great Reduction.

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



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

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

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Flour—1st pat.	\$4.50@5.25
Family Flour—straight	\$4.45@4.25
Corn—per bushel	75@80
Bacon—hog round per lb	
—ham	11 1/2@13 1/4
—sides	11 1/4@12 1/2
—shoulders	10 1/2@11
Pork	8 1/4@12 1/2
Lard	65a@60
Oats—32 lbs per bushel	60a@80
Peas	1.00@1.20
Potatoes—Irish—bushel	70
Potatoes—sweet	25a@30
Butter	20a@25
Duck	30
Hens—per head	15a@25
Broilers	20
Eggs	35
Turkeys—per lb	35a@40
Geese	10
Feathers—new	4 1/2
Hides—dry—per lb.	\$1.25
—green—per lb	\$1.25
Tallow	20a@25
Fodder	70a@85
Hay	
Beeswax	
Meal	

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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 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.

Jesus never worried about his social standing; he sought the outcast and fallen.

**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.

The devil hates to see a man give up tobacco, for fear he will increase his church subscription.

**CURED OPPILES 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.

You can hold a penny so close to your eye that you cannot see a dollar or a whole block behind it.

**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.

"Give until you feel it." But some people feel it so quickly. That is a tender spot, where the purse lies.

**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.

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**A BOLD HOAX.**

Daring Forgery That Figured in the Famous Tichborne Case.

It is a rather striking fact that the greatest deception of the last century brought about one of the most daring forgeries. While the Tichborne case was dragging its weary length the court was staggered one morning by the receipt of a letter purporting to be written by Sir Algernon West at the direction of Mr. Gladstone, his chief, to Lord Chief Justice Bovill. The letter set forth that the slow progress of the trial was a public scandal and that we could not fail to become a byword to all civilized nations. Mr. Gladstone, the letter ran on, added, "He is aware that you are not in any sense responsible for a state of things which is a blot upon our civil jurisprudence, but he thinks an early expression of your and perhaps his opinion, from the high position you occupy, would tend to remedy a state of things which threatens to result in a virtual denial of justice."

Ballantine used to say of Bovill, "With a little more experience Bovill would be the worst judge of the bench." He believed the letter to be genuine and summoned his brother judges to advise him how to act in such an unprecedented interference with the administration of justice. Luckily one of his junior contemporaries had the wisdom to suggest that the best course was to see if the letter were really genuine before considering the grave constitutional question involved. Thereupon they sent down to Sir Algernon. He flew to Westminster. Of course, the thing was a monstrous forgery, and he was in time to prevent the precipitating of the thunderbolt that would inevitably have left the bench had Bovill not been wisely counseled. The author was never discovered, nor did they ascertain how he managed to get hold of official treasury note paper for the purpose.—St. James Gazette.

**A Recoil.**

"Maria," said Mr. Jollyboy very solemnly, thinking to take a rise out of the wife of his bosom, "I heard of a dreadful operation which was undergone by a girl. She seemed in danger of losing her sight, and the clever ophthalmic surgeon who operated on her found"

"Yes," breathlessly interposed Mrs. Jollyboy. "Found what?"

"That the poor girl had a young man in her eye!" rejoined hubby, with a chuckle.

Silence reigned supreme for the space of five minutes, at the end of which time Mrs. Jollyboy said quietly: "Well, of course, it would all depend on what kind of young man it was, as there are many men she would have been able to see through!" And, with a serene smile, Mrs. J. resumed her knitting, leaving the enemy completely routed.

**Adelaide.**

Adelaide enjoys the distinction of being the oldest municipality in Australia. It was named after the queen of William IV., in whose reign it was founded, and its principal thoroughfare bears the name of King William street. Its oldest newspaper, the South Australian Register, was first published in London as the organ of the South Australia association, the body under whose auspices the pioneer settlers and founders of Adelaide were dispatched from England. The pioneer colonists were in sore straits when valuable copper mines were luckily discovered near Adelaide. The late Sir George Grey, who was appointed its governor at the early age of twenty-nine, materially helped to pull the place out of the slough of despond and rescued the infant settlement from imminent bankruptcy.

**Waterfall Suicides.**

So numerous were the self-murderers who sacrificed their own lives by jumping into certain waterfalls that the authorities in Japan put up big signboards of warning, telling the "rashly importunate" who intended to commit the crime of suicide in these streams that serious consequences in the hereafter would surely follow their offenses. It must be considered somewhat strange on careful thought that comparatively few despairing men and women kill themselves by leaping into the stupendous cataract of Niagara.—New York Tribune.

**Ancestral Right**

"It all seems so strange," said Miss Roxie MacKinnes, the heiress, who was engaged to the foreign count, "that I am to have a coronet."

"Faith, not at all," replied the old servant of the family, "for that's what yer gran'father had before ye, an' 'twas all he had."

"What do you mean?"

"A car an' net. 'Twas when he caught fish an' peddled 'em out o' Galway bay."—Philadelphia Press.

**A Very Close Call.**

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store. Price 50 cents.

He makes no mark who has no aim.

**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.

The future holds no failures to the eye of faith.

**Saved From Terrible Death.**

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physicians and every remedy used, failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discoveries for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. Its most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed Bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial Bottles Free at Wooten's Drug Store.

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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.

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We beg leave to announce that we are

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**Bank of Greenville,**

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business Nov. 17th, 1903,—condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

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 Bankers 125,651.52	Expenses Paid 3,655.48
Cash Items 10,009.60	Bills payable, \$18,000.00
Cash in Bank 25,847.01	Deposits 252,723.89
\$319,379.37	\$319,379.37

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**Job Printing**

Start right for the right Printing Office for your NEW - YEAR'S - STATIONERY

We Print Everything known to the Printing Art from a visiting card up. : : :

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# Going to KNOCK DOWN

## Every Line of MERCHANDISE

In this store in order to make room for our  
Spring Stock.

### January Clearance Sale

Means business for us and BARGAINS for you.

Space forbids to mention all but we would like to  
call your attention to our large stock of

## CLOTHING

Every garment in our store is reduced from 15 to 35 per  
cent. and every other line in proportion. THIS SALE  
will last only THIRTY DAYS.

# C. S. FORBES,

THE MAN'S OUTFITTER

# SHOES

## FOR PARTICULAR WOMEN

We are proud of our shoe stock this season. We are  
certain we have the finest line we have ever shown and we are cer-  
tain that no other store gets even a little bit ahead of us.

### ULTRA and BROCKPORT Shoes for Women

are our strong cards, and we are able to meet the require-  
ments of the most fastidious as well as the more conservative pat-  
terns, and we invite a thorough inspection of our line—ULTRA in  
name, ULTRA in character, ULTRA in every feature that con-  
tributes to fit, comfort and style. In finish, material and work-  
manship, we are proud to present to all lovers of good taste in  
footwear a shoe for which we have never yet had to make apology.  
The "Brockport" Shoe is constructed on common sense princi-  
ples without sacrifice of those attributes that appeal to a woman's  
taste, or her pride, in a well and stylishly dressed foot.

Our usually up-to-date line of children's and infant's shoes is  
even better than ever. We are positive we can insure you perfect  
satisfaction and save you money in your shoe needs.

# Pulley & Bowen's

The Home of Women's Fashions.

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

# JAS. F. DAVENPORT

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Masons meet tonight.  
Court is in session.  
January court always brings a  
large crowd to town.  
Sunday gave us beautiful  
weather.  
The morning trains are filled  
with people coming to court.  
Just received Austin Nichols  
new Buckwheat. 1-9-1f  
S. M. SCHULTZ.  
It is said that the John Flana-  
gan Buggy Co. and the Greenville  
Carriage Works have consolidated.  
Embroideries at Cost.--Nap-  
per Brown. d2w  
Mrs. Nana Brown is having a  
handsome residence built on the  
old Masoie lodge lot, Corner Pitt  
and Second streets.

LOST—A large gold watch fob  
set with blood stone. Reward  
\$2.50. W. L. HALL.  
-1-7 d

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be in  
Greenville at Hotel Bertha January  
25th, 26th and 27th, Monday,  
Tuesday and Wednesday for the  
purpose of treating diseases of the  
eye, ear, nose and throat and fit-  
ting glasses. 1-6-6id w

Tomorrow, the anniversary of  
General Lee's birthday, will be  
observed by the Daughter of the  
Confederacy. They will meet with  
Mrs. Jarvis at 3 p. m.

Attention is called to the disso-  
lution of H. C. Edwards and  
Charles Cobb, doing business  
under the firm of Pitt County  
Buggy Co. The business will be  
continued by H. C. Edwards.

#### Yard Conductor Killed.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan 16.—  
While attempting to uncouple  
some moving cars attached to a  
shifting engine on the lower At-  
lantic Coast Line yards this after-  
noon R. J. Rhodes, a yard conduc-  
tor, aged about twenty five years,  
caught his foot between the main  
tract and a guard rail with the re-  
sult that he was thrown under the  
wheels. One truck of a flat car  
laden with granite passed over the  
conductor, cutting both legs off.  
He was sent to the hospital, where  
he died three hours later.

#### Never in the World.

Apparently, the hardest thing  
in the world to get people to un-  
derstand is the fact that all con-  
tributors must give their names  
when they send in their articles.  
Almost every paper keeps a notice  
like this standing in its columns,  
while others continually refer to  
it. Yet constantly, people send in  
contributions without a scratch to  
indicate who their authors are or  
whether they are sent in good  
faith. This thing is a little mat-  
ter that people will never learn.—  
Monro Journal.

#### -- THE --

### Greenville Mfg Co.

Having been closed down sometime  
for needed repairs will resume op-  
erations

### 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.

### The City Hay & Grain Co.,

BUYERS AND SELLERS OF

Hay, Grain, Cracked Corn,  
Bran, Cotton Seed  
Meal and Hulls.

FIFTH STREET, ONE DOOR FROM  
FIVE POINTS.

Get our prices and see our stock be-  
fore buying. We want to buy your  
Corn and Peas for cash.

### PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

R. D. Wall, of Washington, is  
in town.  
Cleveland Moore, of Kinston, is  
in town.  
Dr. W. E. Warren, of William-  
ston is in town.  
Secretary of State J. Bryan  
Grimes returned to Raleigh today.  
E. G. Barrett came over this  
morning from Kinston.  
C. E. Lincoln returned this  
morning from Kinston.  
H. Fleishman returned Sunday  
evening from Baltimore.  
E. M. Cheek left Sunday for  
Wilmington where he will go in  
business.  
Mrs. J. F. Kimp, of Jamesville,  
arrived Saturday evening to visit  
relatives here and left today.  
Miss Kate Hines, of Wilson, who  
has been visiting Miss Lina Shep-  
pard, returned home Sunday.  
Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley and  
child, of LaGrange, who has been  
visiting her parents, returned  
home Sunday evening.

#### James L. Blair Dying.

St. Louis, Mo. Jan 16.—A spe-  
cial so the Post Dispatch, from  
Eustis, Fla, says:  
James L. Blair, of St. Louis,  
formerly general counsel of the  
Louisiana Purchase Exposition,  
now in this city, is dying. He  
was taken with a congestive chill  
on the night of the 11th instant  
and since that time has been slow-  
ly sinking. His physicians give  
but little hope of recovery. Mrs.  
Blair and son Perry, are with him.

#### THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Tuesday ex-  
cept rain Tuesday in extreme  
western portion.

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

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

### 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	13½	13½
Middling	13½	13½
St. Low Middling	13½	13½
Low Middling	13½	13½
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	4½	4½
Strictly Prime	4	4
Prime	3½	3½
Low Grades	3½	3½

#### NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

#### FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

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

#### New York Futures:

	Closed	Today	Yesterday
March	14.00	13.70	13.70
May	14.18	13.92	13.92
July	14.26	14.02	14.02
Liverpool Futures:			
May & June	7.30	7.25	7.25

#### Chicago Markets:

May Wheat	88½	88½
Dec Corn	49½	49½
Jan. Ribs	6.37	6.35
May. Ribs	6.67	6.65

#### GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET, REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO  
Middling 13½ 13½

### Greenville's - Great - Department - Store

## GREAT JANUARY WHITE SALE

This great White Sale starts out with a  
New and Superb stock of Special January  
Merchandise, such as has never before  
been equalled here, in Excellence, Variety  
or Values presented.

Thousands of yards of Crisp, pretty  
white goods are here in Patterns that are  
varied and most desirable.

### The Lace Department

Is full of beautiful new patterns. Torches  
and Val Laces in match sets all widths and  
qualities.

### The Embroideries

Are just too pretty to talk about, so it is impossi-  
ble to give you any idea of their beauty—you must see  
them to appreciate them. We have them all widths and  
prices, in match sets complete; and we have bountifully  
provided for the little folks in our selection.

# J. B. Cherry & Co.

Greenville's - Great - Department - Store



### A Profitable Pointer

BUCK'S STOVES AND RANGES  
have been leading in this market for  
years and will continue to do so. We  
handle these goods because they  
are the best we can get at any  
price. You don't have to wait, as we  
can sell you any size and style at a  
moment's notice, and at the closest  
prices possible for the best stoves and ranges in the world. We have  
everything that goes with these stoves and ranges, and no matter what  
other makes are offered you can't beat Buck's in quality or price.

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