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If They Want War, Let's Have It.

Some years ago when the people of the community petitioned the legislature to grant them relief from the evils of the open saloon a prominent politician of this place is reported as saying to the democrats of the committee that was considering the petition: "These people," referring to the signers of the petition, "will vote with you anyway for they are democrats from principle, but if you take action against the wishes of the saloon men they will fight you."

This same feeling is being cultivated here now. There are men who are thinking they can oppose the temperance people and it will be tamely submitted to, but if they oppose the saloons they will lose trade. In other words they can go with the whiskey men and thereby gain the trade they expect them to take from those men who are fighting for

temperance and still hold all the trade of the people for whom the temperance men are fighting. One man who has lost some trade from a saloon advocate because he favors the dispensary is being pointed out as an example of their powers. Men of Greenville, will you submit to this. Women of Greenville, will you let men suffer in their business because they are trying to save your boys from temptation. Will you let men reap profit from the willingness to stifle their conviction for the sake of their trade?

A majority of you men of Greenville and practically all of the women are on the side of temperance and if it is your will no man can suffer either politically or financially because of his advocacy of morality and temperance.

If they want war let's have it. We are ready and willing.

How Sympathy Stands.

London, Feb. 24.—It has been asserted after most careful investigation that the European public, as a rule, favors Russia in the present conflict in the East. Sufficient time has now elapsed for opinion to have had time to adjust itself and your correspondent yesterday polled all Europe through correspondents and the result shows that so far as sympathy goes Russia is the favorite. England is loyal to Japan, though the conservative elements fears an alliance may result in German government shaping the policy of China.

France is almost unanimously pro-Russian, as is also Germany. Austria and Hungary are almost unanimously in favor of Russia, a majority of the population being slaves and bound to Russia by race ties. Italy is officially not cordial to Russia as a result of the Czar's snub in not visiting that country. Serbia, Bulgaria and Montenegro are bound to the Czar's government by race and religious sympathy. Athens is opposed to Russia, as is the case in Norway and Sweden. The Netherlands is still opposed to England because of Boer war but she takes no stand in favor of Russia, is neutral entirely.

Spain is opposed to Japan because the latter is a friend of England and America.

Russian Victory.

London, Feb. 24.—A Russian report via St. Petersburg reaches here that four Japanese battleships and two transports have been sunk in an engagement at Port Arthur. The dispatch also adds that the Japanese attack was repulsed by the Russians and the Russian battleship Retuisan covered itself with glory.

The Retuisan is one of the cruisers torpedoed by the Japanese in first engagement.

Wants Whipping Post.

Richmond, Va. Feb. 24.—An effort was made to revive the whipping post in a bill offered in the Virginia house of representative yesterday. The bill prescribes from fifteen to thirty lashes for the larceny of goods not worth over five dollars.

Japan Controls Korea.

London, Feb. 24.—A correspondent telegraphs from Paris that it is reported there that Japan has proclaimed a protectorate over Korea.

Berlin Bank Bursted.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The firm of Frankel & Co., bankers, today made an assignment. The failure is an important one.

Japanese Landed.

London, Feb. 24.—A dispatch from Seoul today states that between thirty and forty thousand Japanese troops have been landed at Chemulpo.

For the information of the public it may be stated that the ground hog's time is out on the 13th of March, but expiring as it does on an unlucky number, there is no telling what will happen.—Greensboro Telegram.

They are trying to impeach a Federal judge down in Florida because he don't know the law and are trying to prove it by attorneys who practice before him. If this can be done no judge on earth can hold his place, the lawyers who get it in the neck would plug him in a hurry.—Greensboro Telegram.

LOUISBURG DISPENSARY.

Editor J. A. Thomas Says it Helps That Town.

LOUISBURG, N. C. Feb. 22, 1904.
MR. D. J. WHICHARD,
Greenville, N. C.

MY DEAR SIR:

Your letter of Feb. 18 requesting my views on the workings of the dispensary in Louisburg to hand. In reply I will say that when the question of the establishment of a dispensary for Louisburg was first agitated, I was one of the opponents—for several reasons which I considered good.

First, I did not consider it good old democratic doctrine to force such a law on a community without first submitting it to a vote of the qualified electors. (You will remember that our people had no vote upon the question. It was passed by the fusion legislature of 1897.)

Second, I was of the opinion that the establishment of a dispensary would increase the "blockading" of whiskey and create more "blind tigers."

Third, I was unable to see where the "moral" question came in that justified the entire community entering into a co partnership for the purpose of selling whiskey.

In spite of these objections, however, I made no special efforts to place "stumbling blocks" in the way of the movement, as a large number of our best people of this community were very anxious to try the experiment.

The dispensary was opened July 1st, 1897, and I made up my mind to give it a "fair trial." After a few months had passed and I saw how the "thing worked," I was thoroughly convinced that as a "regulation for the sale of whiskey" in our town the dispensary was far more preferable than the "open saloon," and since that time I have been what you might term a convert to the dispensary system.

The clause in the Watts act, allowing the people of a community the right to vote upon the question, did away with my first objection, and the excellent management of the dispensary at Louisburg has tended to satisfy me that my second and third objections were not very serious.

You will pardon me for saying that I believe that there is not another institution of the kind anywhere that is more nearly conducted according to law than is the dispensary at Louisburg.

The establishment of the dispensary and the abolition of the bars has not, in my opinion, retarded in any way the business and progress of the town, but on the other hand has helped it. There have been fewer cases before the mayor for disorderly conduct and the order in the town has been much better—especially at night.

From a financial standpoint the advantage is in favor of the dispensary by a large majority—the net receipts, which go into the town and county treasuries, being two or three times what they were under the license system.

Wishing you much success, I am with high regard,
Very truly yours,
JAS. A. THOMAS.

Registration books opened in the several wards today for the dispensary election. There are but three days in which you can register.

N. B. Broughton speaks in the Opera House at 8 o'clock p. m. Feb. 25th, 1904. Mr. Broughton is a good speaker and he has a great subject. Now let us give him a great audience.

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ANTI-DISPENSARY NOTICE.

Greenville, N. C., Feb., 23, 1904.
MR. EDITOR:

Please allow me space in your paper on the part of the anti-dispensary people of the town of Greenville to denounce as untrue the report being circulated by dispensary advocates that the anti-dispensary people are endeavoring to register and vote the negroes of the town of Greenville against the dispensary. On the contrary I have been informed that certain dispensary advocates have approached certain negroes and requested them to register and vote for the dispensary. I, for the anti-dispensary people, hereby agree (should the dispensary advocates enter into a like agreement) not to solicit the negroes of the town to either register or vote in said election and that the names of no negroes save those already on the registration books shall be placed thereon at the request or solicitation of the anti-dispensary people.

The anti-dispensary men have faith in the honesty and intelligence of the white citizenship of Greenville and are perfectly willing that the question at issue in the coming election shall be determined by the white people only.

The anti-dispensary people believe:

(1) That if the sale of liquor by private individual is detrimental to public morals, the sale by the town, where the people are not only allowed to buy and use, but

where all the people are made participants in the sales and profits, is still more immoral and detrimental to the public good.

(2) That it is unjust to take from the bar men their business and confiscate their property and put it in the hands of the town government to be conducted by certain political and church favorites.

(3) That a dispensary is no improvement so far as it effects morals or revenue upon the open bar room.

(4) That the establishment of a dispensary in the town of Greenville will be very disastrous to the interest of the town.

Hence the anti dispensary people are willing and hereby propose to the dispensary advocates to enter into the above agreement.

Let every white man in the town of Greenville go to the polls on the 2nd day of March and vote his honest convictions upon the questions at issue and then let the votes be fairly counted and whatever may be the result the anti-dispensary people of Greenville will be satisfied.

Allow me to say in conclusion that if every white man goes manfully to the polls and votes his honest convictions on the second day of March, as he ought to do, a dispensary will not be established in Greenville.

I am ready and willing to pay for the insertion of this article in your paper and will promptly do so upon presentation of bill.

I have this day handed to H. T. King, editor of King's Dollar Daily, an exact copy of this communication.

ED H. SHELBURN.
For Anti Dispensary People.

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 24, 1904.

HON. W. A. DUNN'S SPEECH.

The second address of the dispensary campaign was delivered Tuesday night in the opera house, by the Hon. W. A. Dunn, of Scotland Neck. This strong and courageous handling of the moral question involved in the dispensary agitation was warmly received by a large and appreciative assembly of the Greenville people.

The hearty applause frequently evoked from his audience indicates that a deep seated interest is felt in the subjects brought under review.

Mr. Dunn asserted, as his first proposition, that whenever and wherever men could assist in reducing the drink evil that it is our bounden duty as men to do it. The voters of North Carolina are stirred today, as never before in her history, to discharge their moral claim. That the drink evil exists throughout the land, none will question. That the towns, cities and counties of this entire state are moved to secure liquor legislation, restricting the evil, by means of a dispensary, or absolute prohibition, none will question. These are facts of common knowledge.

That the thinking classes of men all over the state, lawyers, judges, ministers, editors and teachers should rise up, an exceeding great army, to agitate, to direct a temperance campaign, shows conclusively that reasons exist, sufficient reasons, to move men mightily.

The majority of men are patient, as a rule, willing to accept anything within reason. Existing evils must have become exceeding great if widespread interest and effort is evoked to suppress it. This is true of the saloon business.

The evil is great and observed of all men. The greatness of this evil is finding a parallel in the size and effectiveness of the organization now fighting it.

Discussion of the evils of intemperance, evils that always grow up with the saloon business, discussions in our Sunday schools and churches and public schools, have conspired to bring about organized effort to get rid of the evils. The dispensary is rapidly taking the place of the open saloon and the accumulated testimony gathered from the entire state, in favor of the dispensary is overwhelming.

Those who lead in temperance reform may be called "cranks" by men of today, but not many years hence these same "cranks" will be recognized as true promoters of public good. History is even repeating itself.

Some of the questions asked on the streets and in the homes, on the dispensary, were clearly and forcefully answered. Objections to the dispensary were fully stated and fearlessly considered. It is said for instance, "We believe in prohibition. Let us get rid entirely of the liquor evil." This is correct in principle. No one will dispute it. But if we can't have the best thing, let us accept and work for the next best.

It is piously stated, "I don't believe that the state should be a partner in the liquor business." In reply this question may be asked: Is

not the state a partner in the 11 barrooms now licensed in Greenville? The state is now a partner to 11 places of evil, that are open night and day, instead of one dispensary, as is now proposed. The state is now a partner in a business acknowledged to be beyond state control, although licensed by the state. The saloon man after paying a high license to do business must make all he can, and he is tempted to sell on Sunday and at night, to boys and to drunkards. Multiply these evils by eleven, and contrast the product with one dispensary, operated under rigid rules, with no temptation to the manager to increase sales, and sales, have the dispensary, question, if there is any question, clearly before you.

Many men take their first step toward a drunkard's grave in the barroom, they begin to drink, not because they have any taste for liquor, but simply because of the social features of the saloon. Men are naturally socially inclined, and this is right, until they drink strong, drink treating each other in the saloon.

A dispensary can't sell drinks, and allows no loafing. The drunken rows, fights and gambling, now attending saloon business, will be eliminated by the dispensary. Does any one have the temerity to say that this gain to a town is not worth working for?

Any business or institution that now exists ought to be able to show a reason for its existence. Some men object to Sunday schools, but a good reason can be shown to sustain them. Others oppose the church, but sufficient grounds can be adduced to support the church; as an institution. Can a single good reason be given in support of the saloon? There is absolutely nothing worthy about the business, it confers no benefit, it adds no blessing. On the contrary, it is an evil institution and works nothing but evil, and should be closed by a vote of the people. As a matter of fact, many of our states have already done so. In Texas three fourths of the counties will not allow a drop of whiskey to be sold. In Tennessee only 4 cities now license the sale of liquor. In all the Southern states this subject is before the people and by degrees whiskey is being voted out. Seventy counties in North Carolina have taken action favorable to temperance.

This class is found everywhere, who say, "I want prohibition," if the dispensary is proposed. These same men will say, "I want and will vote for a dispensary," when prohibition is the issue. These men are at heart the strongest advocates of the saloon. Any man who will not assist in reducing the evils of intemperance deliberately chooses the greater evil, the open bar.

Another class of opposers of the dispensary, "It will hurt business." This objection was fairly met and answered incontrovertibly.

The facts and figures gathered from all parts of the state show conclusively that a dispensary will not injure business, but on the contrary, materially develop it.

Let all voters in Greenville, who are open to conviction, make an effort to hear these addresses. Facts and details cannot be given here in full come and hear them.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION—FIRST WARD.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for First Ward of the town of Greenville, will be opened on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 24th, 25th and 26th days of February, 1904, at the residence of Nana T. Brown on the corner of Pitt and Second streets from the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said ward, who have not heretofore registered, for the election to be held in said town on Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, 1904, on the questions whether a dispensary shall be established in said town and whether the manufacture of liquor shall be prohibited therein.

This the 12th day of February 1904.
 E. M. MCGOWAN, Registrar.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION—SECOND WARD.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the Second ward of the town of Greenville will be opened on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 24th, 25th and 26th days of February, 1904, at Mrs. V. H. Whichard's school house on Pitt street from the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said ward, who have not heretofore registered, for the election to be held in said town on Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, 1904, on the questions whether a dispensary shall be established in said town and whether the manufacture of liquor shall be prohibited therein.

This the 12th day of February 1904.
 R. HYMAN, Registrar.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION—THIRD WARD.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the Third ward of the town of Greenville, will be opened on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 24th, 25th and 26th days of February 1904, at the court house from the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said ward, who have not heretofore registered, for the election to be held in said town on Wednesday the 2nd, day of March, 1904 on the questions whether a dispensary shall be established in said town and whether the manufacture of liquor shall be prohibited therein.

This the 12th day of February 1904,
 L. W. LAWRENCE, Registrar.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION—FOURTH WARD.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the Fourth ward of the town of Greenville, will be opened on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 24th, 25th and 26th days of February 1904, at W. J. Thigpen's store on Five Points from the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said ward, who have not heretofore registered, for the election to be held in said town on Wednesday the 2nd day of March, 1904, on the question whether a dispensary shall be established in said town and whether the manufacture of liquor shall be prohibited herein.

This the 12th day of Feb. 1904.
 J. G. BOWLING, Registrar.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION—FIFTH WARD.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the Fifth Ward of the town of Greenville, will be opened on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the 24th, 25th and 26th days of February 1904, at the Centre Brick Warehouse on Dickinson Avenue from the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said ward, who have not heretofore registered, for the election to be held in said town on Wednesday the 2nd day of March, 1904, on the questions whether a dispensary shall be established in said town and whether the manufacture of liquor shall be prohibited therein.

This the 12th day of February, 1904.
 C. D. ROUNTREE, Registrar.

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NOTICE OF A DISPENSARY AND DISTILLERY

ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the voters of the town of Greenville that an election will be held in said town on Wednesday, March 2nd, 1904, in accordance with an ordinance adopted by the board of aldermen of said town at two special meetings of said board one held on Friday, January 29th, and the other on Saturday, January 30th, 1904. The ordinance so adopted is in the following language:

Whereas, a petition has been filed with this board, at a special meeting held on this the 29th day of January, 1904, signed by 104 citizens of the town of Greenville, asking that an election be ordered in said town to determine whether a dispensary shall be established therein, and whether the manufacture of liquors shall be allowed in said town.

And whereas, it has been found after a careful investigation and verification of said petition with the registration books of the town, that said petition contains the names of one third of the registered voters of the town of Greenville who were registered for the preceding municipal election.

And whereas, the law having been complied with, it has become the duty of this board to order an election and to fix the time thereof, therefore

The board of aldermen of the town of Greenville, in the state of North Carolina, do ordain,

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the several wards of the town, at the usual places therein on Wednesday, the 2nd, day of March 1904, at which the qualified voters of said town may, if they desire, vote upon the two questions set out in said petition, to-wit: First, shall there be established in said town a dispensary, Second, shall the manufacture of liquors be allowed within the corporate limits of said town. At said election those who favor the establishing a dispensary will vote a written or printed ticket upon which shall be written or printed the words "For Dispensaries." Those who are opposed to establishing a dispensary shall vote a written or printed ticket upon which shall be written or printed the words "Against Dispensaries." Those who are in favor of allowing the manufacture of liquors in said town shall vote a written or printed ticket upon which shall be written or printed the words "For Distilleries," and those who are opposed to allowing the manufacture of liquors in said town shall vote a written or printed ticket upon which shall be written or printed the words "Against Distilleries."

Section 2. That it shall be the duty of the registrar and judges of election at each voting place to provide a separate box for the voters on the question of dispensaries and a separate box for the voters upon the question of the manufacture of liquors, and the votes upon each shall be deposited in the appropriate box.

Section 3. That there shall be appointed for each ward in the town one registrar and two judges of election, who shall attend at their respective voting places on said 2nd day of March, 1904, and open and conduct said election according to law, and they shall make returns of said election to this board at its regular meeting on Thursday the 3rd day of March, 1904.

Section 4. That the registrars appointed for said election shall attend the usual voting place of their respective wards three days immediately preceding the Saturday next preceding the election. They shall remain at said voting place from nine o'clock a. m. to five o'clock p. m. during said three days with their books of registration, to register such persons as may be entitled to register.

Section 5. That the registrars appointed to conduct said election shall give at least ten days notice, of the time and place of registration, in one or more newspapers published in the town and at some public place in their respective wards.

Section 6. That the following named persons are hereby appointed as registrars and judges of election for these several wards of the town to hold and conduct said election, to-wit:—

- First Ward—E. M. McGowan registrar and B. T. Bailey and B. H. Hearne judges of election.
- Second Ward—K. Hyman, registrar and Allen Warren and Josiah Dixon, judges of election.
- Third Ward—L. W. Lawrence, registrar and W. S. Atkins and W. H. Smith judges of election.
- Fourth Ward—J. G. Bowling, registrar and R. W. King and Z.

Hooker, judges of election. Fifth Ward—C. D. Rountree, registrar and Jesse L. Sugg and R. A. Nichols, judges of election.

That the said election be held at the following places to-wit:—

- First Ward—At Mrs. Nana T. Brown's residence on corner of Second and Pitt streets.
- Second Ward—At Mrs. V. H. Whichard's school house on Pitt street.
- Third Ward—At the court house.
- Fourth Ward—At W. J. Thigpen's store at Five Points.
- Fifth Ward—At the Centre Brick Warehouse on Dickinson Avenue.

Section 7. That the mayor shall cause a copy of this order to be published in one or more newspapers published in the town.

This February 1st 1904.
 HARRY W. WHEDEBEE, Mayor of Greenville.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of Tunstall & Potter was this day dissolved by mutual consent, A. L. Potter having sold his interest in the business to W. J. Smith. The firm will hereafter be known as Tunstall & Smith, who assume all liabilities of the old firm, and all accounts due the old firm are payable to the new firm.

This Feb. 2nd 1904.
 C. D. TUNSTALL,
 A. L. POTTER.

A CURE FOR ECZEMA.

My baby had Eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all come out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The Eczema is cured, the scabs are gone, and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky., in buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co is on every box. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

RELIEF IN ONE MINUTE.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, Colds and croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, Unequalled for Constipation.

Mr. A. R. Kane, a prominent druggist of Baxter Springs, Kansas, says: Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are, in my judgement, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation. They are sure in action and with no tendency to nauseate or gripe. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bro. Farmville.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the relief of rheumatism is being demonstrated daily. Parker Triplett, of Grigsby, Va., says that Chamberlain's Pain Balm gave him permanent relief from rheumatism in the back when everything else failed, and he would not be without it. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville, R. L. Davis & Bros. Farmville.

Perfect Confidence.

Where there used to be a feeling of uneasiness and worry in the household when a child showed symptoms of croup, there is now perfect confidence. This is owing to the uniform success of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the treatment of that disease. Mrs. M. I. Basford, of Poolsville, Md., in speaking of her experience in the use of that remedy says: "I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success. My child Garland is subject to severe attacks of croup and it always gives him prompt relief." For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville; R. L. Davis & Bro., Farmville.

Whiskey and Beer Habit

PERMANENTLY CURED BY

"ORRINE,"

A SAFE, SURE AND HARMLESS SPECIFIC

Physicians pronounce drunkenness a disease of the nervous system, creating a morbid craving for a stimulant. Continued indulgence in whiskey, beer or wine eats away the stomach lining and stupefies the digestive organs, thus destroying the digestion and ruining the health. No "will power" can heal the inflamed stomach membranes. "ORRINE" permanently removes the craving for liquor by acting directly on the affected nerves, restoring the stomach and digestive organs to normal conditions, improving the appetite and restoring the health. No sanitarium treatment necessary; "ORRINE" can be taken at your own home without publicity. Can be given secretly if desired.

CURE GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

Mrs. E. Wycliff, New York City, writes: "ORRINE cured my husband, who was a steady drunkard for many years. He now has no desire for stimulants, his health is good and he is fully restored to manhood. He used only five boxes of 'ORRINE.'"
 Mrs. W. L. De Helena, Mont. writes: "I have waited one year before writing you of the permanent cure of my son. He took sanitarium treatment, as well as other advertised cures, but they all failed until we gave him 'ORRINE.' He is now fully restored to health and has no desire for drink."
 Mr. A. E. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it for thirty-two years. It finally brought me to the gutter, homeless and friendless. I was powerless to resist the craving and would steal and lie to get whiskey. Four boxes of 'ORRINE' cured me of all desire and I now hate the smell of liquor."
 Price \$1 per box. Mailed in plain, sealed wrapper by Orrine Company, 817 14th St., Washington, D. C. Interesting book—Treatise on Drunkenness, (sealed) free on request.
 Sold and recommended by
 J. W. BRYAN, Druggist, Greenville, N. C.

ESTABLISHED 1875.

S. M. SCHULTZ

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Egg, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Bay Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Corillard and Gail & Ax Snaul, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cigars, Henry George Cigar, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass and China Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and Quantity. Cheap for cash. Come to see me.

S. M. Schultz.

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L. R. WHICHARD

General Merchandise
 Whichard, N. C.

The Stock complete in every department and prices as low as the lowest. Highest market prices paid for country produce

Better Than Gold

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Wooten's Drug Store.

Z. T. CHERRY & ALLEN

PAPER HANGERS,
 Greenville, N. C.

Solicit contracts for work in this line. First-class work in all respects and prompt attention given. Sample books of new style papers shown on application.
 Orders left next door to Weatherington's market, near court house, will reach us. 2-13-11

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT
 R. A. TYSON, Vice-President.

Letters from Women

Cured by the use of Kodol are received daily. Their troubles nearly all begin with indigestion or other stomach disorder. If the food you eat fails to give strength to your body, it is because the juices secreted by the stomach and digestive organs are inadequate to transform the nutrient properties of the food into blood. That is indigestion. The system is deprived of the amount of nourishment required to keep up the strength, and the result is that one or more of the delicate organs gradually grows weak, and then weaker, until finally it is diseased. Here a great mistake is made. That of treating the diseased organ. The best doctors in the land make this very mistake. Why should they? It is so easy to see that the trouble is not there.

Kodol Cures

This famous remedy puts the stomach and digestive organs in a healthy condition so that rich, red blood is sent coursing through the veins and arteries of every muscle, tissue and fiber throughout every organ of the entire body, and by Nature's law of health, full strength and vigor is soon restored to each. Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders.

I have taken Kodol for nearly two months after each meal and it is the only remedy that gave relief from the terrible pains I endured. After a time I would take it but once a day, and now, while I keep a bottle handy, I seldom need it, as it has cured me. Mrs. J. W. COOLBAUGH, Milo Center, N. Y.

Kodol Digests What You Eat.

Bottles only. \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which calls for 50 cents.

Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO

Escaped an Awful Fate

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by Wooten's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

AN EARLY RISER.

A strong, healthy, active constitution depends largely on the condition of the liver. The famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers not only cleanse the system but they strengthen the action of the liver and rebuild the tissues supporting that organ. Little Early Risers are easy to act, they never gripe and yet they are absolutely certain to produce results that are satisfactory in all cases. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

ROY C. FLANAGAN,

Attorney at Law,
 Greenville, N. C.

R. L. DAVIS, PRESIDENT
 J. L. LITTLE, Cashier

Bank of Greenville,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Statement of The Bank of Greenville, Greenville, N. C., at the close of business Jan. 22nd, 1904.—condensed from report to North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$135,644.35	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 4,329.19	Surplus, 20,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 3,618.57	Undivided Profits less
Cash Items 5,028.77	Expenses Paid 5,964.36
Cash on hand and	Deposits 280,024.89
in Banks 182,368.37	
\$330,989.25	\$330,989.25

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

1/4 Off

Woolen Dress Goods, Blankets and Comforts, White Goods, Embroideries and Rubber Boots.

Men's Clothing, Boy's Clothing, Rain Coats, Overcoats, Underwear, Men's and Boy's Trousers.

At a Reduction of 25 per cent. We want to make room for our Spring Stock and in order to do so we have reduced the price on every dollars worth of Merchandise save

"Queen Quality" and "Crossett" Shoes.

We will quote these prices for 20 days only THAT'S ALL.

C. S. FORBES,

THE MAN'S OUTFITTER

New Embroideries and Laces.

New line of India Linens from 5 cents a yard to 25. Extra values at 10 and 12 1/2c the yard.
 New line of White Silks at 10, 12 1/2, 15 and 20c the yard.
 New Line of White Goods for Ladies Shirt Waists; also white shirt waist goods in 3 yard lengths.
 New line of Persian Lawns, Dimities, Shirt Waist Linen.
 New Line of Pearl Buttons.
 New line of Brass Buttons.
 New line Pearl Shirt Waist Sets.
 New line of Black Dress Goods for Skirts and Suits.

Ultra Shoes and Slippers in All Styles.

COME TO SEE US.

Pulley & Bowen's

The Home of Women's Fashions.

BLAND & PARKERSON,

DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

We have just opened in the Phoenix Building (Pender's old stand) with an entirely new and clean stock of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES

And we are here to sell just as cheap as the cash can buy. We have all the leading and staple Dry Goods, and in shoes no firm can surpass us in quality or price.

We make a specialty of HEAVY and FANCY GROCERIES and can supply any article ordered for family use. We solicit orders and will deliver goods anywhere in town. Phone 136.

BLAND & PARKERSON.

Game Chickens.

I have for sale, 15 hens and six roosters, full blood Game. 2-2211 J. P. FLEMING, Pactolus, C. N.

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 before buying. We want to buy your Corn and Peas for cash.

Sunshine is taking away the mud.

Folks Must Eat

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

Seasonable Eatables at Seasonable Prices.

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

W. J. THIGPEN, GROCER.

Five Points.

phone 156.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

H. H. Wilson, of Kingston, was here today.

Rev. W. E. Powell went to Hobgood this morning.

W. A. Dunn returned to Scotland Neck this morning.

M. H. Quinerly returned Tuesday evening from a trip up the road.

Mrs. J. J. Best of Wilson, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Parker, in South Greenville.

Miss Pearl Hardy, of Kelford, who has been visiting Mrs. L. T. Smallwood, returned home today.

Mrs. W. F. Sutton, of LaGrange, who has been visiting Mrs. Alice Harper, returned home Tuesday evening.

If everybody could feel the pangs of whiskey, as the man with a conscience, nobody would drink it.

In another column we print a letter from Mr. J. A. Thomas, of Louisville, showing the results of a dispensary in that town. Mr. Thomas is editor of the Franklin Times and is also treasurer of his county and is in a position to know whereof he speaks. It should be borne in mind also that he was originally not an advocate of the dispensary, but after seeing its operations has become convinced that it is the best regulation for the sale of whiskey. His letter clearly shows the benefit of the dispensary in his town, and that it helps rather than hurts the business of the town.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and colder in extreme western portion. Wednesday fair, colder in the interior.

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
New York Futures:		
Strict Middling	14 1/2	14 1/2
Middling	14	14
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 1/2	4 1/2
Prime	4 1/2	4 1/2
Low Grades	4 1/2	4 1/2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

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

Closed	Today	Yesterday
March	13.55	14.25
May	14.03	14.62
July	13.93	14.49

Liverpool Futures.

May & June. 7.52 7.41

Chicago Markets:

May Wheat	106 1/2	104
May Corn	57 1/2	55 1/2
May Ribs	7.90	7.57
July Ribs	7.95	7.70
May Lard	8.02	7.87
July Lard	8.15	8.00

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Middling	13	13
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LAST CALL FOR TAXES.

I will be at the following places on the dates named for the purpose of collecting taxes: Meet me and save cost.
 Bell X Roads, Belvoir township, March 1st,
 Pactolus, Pactolus township, Mar. 3rd
 Grimesland, Chicod " Mar. 5th
 Ayden, Contentnea " Mar. 5th
 Johnsons Mills, Swift Creek township, March 5th.
 Cobb, s Store, Beaver Dam township, March 9th,
 Falkland, Falkland township, March 11th.
 Farville, Farmville township, Mar 12th
 Stokes, Carolina township, Mar. 12th
 Bethel, Bethel township, March 19th.
 O. W. HARRINGTON, Sheriff Pitt county.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Prayer meetings in the different churches tonight.

The Woman's League for Moral Reform will meet in the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Peach preserves and honey at Coward & Patrick's. 2-22 3td

Hon. N. B. Broughton will speak in the opera house here tomorrow night on the temperance question.

Try our new desert Jell-O.—Bland & Parkerson,

It's a great deal easier to regulate a clock when it gets too fast than it is to regulate a fast young man.

Look at the finest samples of Wall Paper at S. M. Schultz.

Hyman's mixed pickles and stuffed mangoes at Coward & Patrick's.

Get up with the lark, but don't disturb other people with your larking.

Stuffed and plain olives at Coward & Patrick's.

Love is both blind and deaf. That's why a young couple in love can nether see nor hear the clock.

Just received, a new line of Heckers Buckwheat at Bland & Parkerson's.

The size of a ton of coal depends on whether you are buying it or carrying it up two flights of stairs.

The best Queen Olives at Bland & Parkerson's.

The householder who feeds the furnace will be the first to welcome the advent of the good old summer time.

Durham brand choice Tripe, at Bland & Parkerson's. 2 23 tf

It has been said that all the world loves a lover, but the proof is missing.

Select line of Headley's chocolates and other fine candies at Bland & Parkerson's. 2 9 tf.

DRY WOOD—Sawed in any length and delivered in any part of the town. Yard south of A. T. Co. plant Terms cash. 23rd-d-1f HALL & ANTHONY.

Sewing—I solicit work in sewing, cutting and fitting. Residence corner Evans and Twelfth streets, MRS. M. A. BANHILL. 2-22 4td

Many a girl marries a man merely to keep some other girl from getting him.

D. M. Ferry's new garden seed at S. M. Schultz.

WHICHARD ITEMS.

WHICHARD, N. C. Feb. 23, 1904.

Miss Maude Mooring spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Thomas.

Miss Gertrude Woolard is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. L. K. Whichard.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jones spent Sunday afternoon here.

J. N. Woolard, of Fortress Monroe, came in Saturday night to spend some time with his father, M. A. Woolard.

J. H. Woolard, Jr., and Miss Eva Latham spent last Thursday night in town.

Crumble Rawles, of Gold Point, came down Saturday and returned Sunday.

R. L. Woolard was all smiles Sunday, a young lady.

Last Sunday night was a week ago G. M. Mooring's pack house was destroyed by fire. The loss was about \$250. The origin of the fire is unknown.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned having duly qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Calvin Kirkman, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to come forward and settle, and all persons having claims against the estate are notified to present the same for payment on or before the 24th day of February, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. This 24th day of February, 1904, L. B. MEWBORN, Executor of Calvin Kirkman.

Greenville's - Great - Department - Store

Dorothy Dodd SHOES.



The "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe has that something in beauty and style that means individuality.

It possesses 'style' in the highest degree; it gives distinction to the foot. In the diversity of kinds there are styles for every person from the exquisite evening slipper to the sturdy winter street boot; they all have a light, airy gracefulness peculiarly their own, which is sure to appeal to a woman's eye. "DOROTHY DODD" Shoes Fit, They Fit Perfectly.

Shoes should always fit closely under and about the instep so as to make it impossible for the foot to slip forward and crowd the toes, while the ball and toes should have plenty of room thus giving free play to the foot.

This is exactly what "Dorothy Dodd" shoes do. Our new Spring Styles in oxfords and sandals will be here very shortly.

J. B. Cherry & Co.

Greenville's - Great - Department - Store.

R. J. Cobb. C. V. York. L. H. Pender.

The Building and Lumber Co.,

Contractors, Constructors and MANUFACTURERS

Factory situated by the railroad just North of the Imperial Tobacco Factory.

All kinds of dressed lumber, mouldings, turned and scroll work.

All machinery new and up to-date and of the best make.

Plans furnished and contracts taken for erection of buildings.

Tinning, Slatting, Guttering and all kinds of sheet metal work. Our in shop is on fourth street, opposite Lanier's marble yard. Mr. R. L. Wyatt has charge of our tinning and slating department. You will find him a master of his trade.

We ask for our share of the public patronage and will do our best to give satisfaction.



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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A. H. TAFT & CO

BACK AGAIN.

The candy factory is back again at his old stand, and ready to serve the public with fresh home made candy. Everything pure and guaranteed. Made every day. Now is the time for candy. Give us a call. CHRISTIAN GEORGE, Opposite Savage Stables

Hundreds of lives were lost as the result of the bursting of a dam at Hoang-Ho, on the 22nd.

Two Stencil boys, near Wilson, shot and killed W. P. Harrison, on the 22nd. Both are in jail.