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### AYDEN ITEMS.

AYDEN, N. C. February 26, 1904  
J. T. Grishom was here Wednesday.  
Miss Annie Joyner, music teacher at the seminary, spent Sunday in Kinston.  
Rev. S. B. Stephens and family left Thursday for New Bern where Mr. Stephens will hold a meeting.  
Joe Edwards lost a little child with croup Wednesday.  
B. W. Pearce, of Falkland, is here to take a position as blacksmith in the buggy factory.  
W. C. Buhman, superintendent of Ayden Lumber Co., was married to Miss Naunie Belle Hazlett, of Bowden, N. C. on 23rd. They will make their home in Ayden.  
Car white corn for sale by J. R. Smith & Bro.  
W. J. Boyd, of Washington, was here Friday.  
Rev. C. J. Harris will preach at

the seminary next Sunday.  
Bob Pearce has pneumonia.  
B. F. Manning is building a nice residence on Maine street.  
Car nice hay at J. R. Smith & Bro.  
Mrs. T. H. King came in from Raleigh Tuesday.  
Mrs. J. T. Smith is visiting friends in the country.  
Ayden Milling & Mfg. Co., will begin to manufacture buggies in a few days.  
Car cotton seed hulls and meal at J. R. Smith & Bro.  
I have just received a nice lot of can corn, can peaches, spanish olives, blue label catsup, pickles, oat meal, can syrup, mustard, tomatoes, milk, can salmon, can peas, dried peaches, prunes, tea, coffee butter cheese and pickle pigs feet. All these are new goods.  
2-26-dtf J. G. LATHAM.

### A COLORED MINISTER WRITES.

The Dispensary Will Help His People.  
EDITOR REFLECTOR:

After reading an article in Wednesday's REFLECTOR in which some things were said concerning the negroes of Greenville being registered and voted for and against the dispensary, with considerable embarrassment and reserve, I venture one or two assertions.

There are some few negroes in Greenville, who, if allowed, would vote their honest convictions.

However, we are not worrying ourselves. We feel perfectly willing to trust the entire matter in the hands of the good white voters of the town—willing quietly, as in other political measures, to accept whatever result may follow.

However, I am reminded that strong drink is no respecter of persons. It has about the same effect on all men, the effect being determined more by the strength of the constitution than by the color of the skin. In fact, it is color-blind.

This is evident from the harm it has done, and is doing in both races.

So if the good white voters shall succeed in establishing a dispensary in the town in lieu of the open saloon, they will not only benefit themselves but will bestow a great blessing upon our people.

While but a very few of us can assist in achieving the victory, we shall all be benefitted by the happy result.

Respectfully,  
W. A. TAYLOR.

While I do not deny the existence of a strong sentiment in our church for dispensary; I wish to state that there has been no official action taken.

W. A. TAYLOR, Pastor.

### Great Fire in Rochester.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The business section of this city is threatened with destruction by fire which broke out in the heart of the dry goods district at 5 o'clock this morning. Two hours after the alarm had been turned in the loss was estimated at \$7,000,000 with the flames still spreading. Buffalo and Syracuse have been appealed to for assistance.

The fire started in the central elevator shaft of the Rochester Dry Goods Co., on Main street, and in ten minutes after the alarm had been sounded, the six story building was ablaze from cellar to roof and the walls began to bulge. In less than half an hour the rear wall fell in Division street and the flames spread to the seven story fire proof building of Sibley, Lindsay & Co.

At seven o'clock the fire chief stated that the local fire department could not stop the blaze and assistance was called for. Shortly after 7 o'clock an explosion occurred, followed by the breaking out of the flames in a twelve-story building, the loftiest structure in the city. The whole building was gutted. The fire is not yet under control.

LATER—The fire was under control at 10:15. The loss is in the neighborhood of \$7,000,000. Seven buildings burned but no fatalities. About three acres of buildings destroyed.

### Another Fire.

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 26.—Fire broke out this morning in Nicholson, a town 22 miles from this city. The fire is beyond control and now looks as though the entire business section of the town will be destroyed. Nineteen buildings are already in ruins.

### Bar Rooms Produce Evil.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

The question of the dispensary is now the absorbing topic of the large mass of the citizenship of the town of Greenville, and it is one that is not fanatical or sentimental. It is a matter of good or evil for the town and its future, the real citizenship that must be the men and women of the town who are to make its success or failure.

The records of the mayor's court as published are enough to satisfy any reasonable man or woman that the town is in a bad state when four-fifths of the cases tried before that tribunal are for drunk and down or drunk and disorderly. The records of the criminal docket of the Superior court show that over 75 percent of the offences tried by that tribunal are the outgrowth of intoxicants of some kind. This alone, it does seem, ought to cause the people of Greenville to think and act accordingly.

Another feature that is the result of the saloon is the loafing and loitering around of a large number of men and boys who gather soon in the morning and late at night, and on rainy days, in the bar rooms—men and boys who ought to be otherwise engaged. The assembling around billiard and pool rooms in the rear of bar rooms of young men who engage in games and leading up to drinks and other vices—numerous were they mentioned.

The young men of today must be the middle aged and old men of the future of the country, and clear heads and cultivated minds are becoming more essential to business success than ever before.

I am not engaged in the fight for or against the dispensary, but it is a fact as above stated, and one to be deplored. Fathers who have sons should seek to have such conditions surrounding them as is not afforded in barrooms, billiard and pool rooms and the associations they form there. This is not a fanaticism, but is in thorough keeping and accord with a higher and better civilization, better government, better citizenship, greater law for that humanity that needs and deserves to be lifted up and established in the common good of all the people.

A FATHER WHO HAS SONS.

### Channel Blocked to Battleships.

Chefoo, Feb. 26.—Reports received here today from Japanese sources say that while the ships sunk at Port Arthur Tuesday do not block the channel sufficiently to impede the destroyers and small cruisers, battleships will not be able to pass them. To this extent the ruse was successful. It is said that the Japanese had no intention of trying to reduce Port Arthur by an attack, but were merely cornering the movement of transports.

### Blocking the Harbor.

London, Feb. 26.—The Japanese embassy at London this morning issued the following statement regarding the Japanese attempt to block the entrance to Port Arthur harbor: "Early on the morning of the 24th four old vessels escorted by some torpedo boats bound to entrance of Port Arthur for the purpose of blocking the mouth of the harbor. Their object of sinking the vessels was attained. The officers and crew returned in safety."

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### RENSTON ITEMS.

RENSTON, N. C. Feb. 24, 1904.  
Mrs. E. D. Braxton and son Sam are on the sick list.  
G. A. Jackson and sister, Miss M. J. Jackson, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the residence of E. E. Dail.  
J. A. Jarrett, of Farmville, spent Sunday in the neighborhood.  
Little Ray Worthington is slightly ill.  
Carlos Harris and Miss Dessie Kittrell, of Greenville, spent Sunday at the residence of Bennett Speight.  
Miss Mayne Ives, of Winterville High School, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Anna and Tessie Speight.  
Miss Veadie Little spent a short while Sunday afternoon in the neighborhood.  
E. E. Dail went to Vanceboro Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith spent Saturday in the neighborhood.  
Miss Allie Dail has been quite ill for several days but is improving.  
We are glad to learn that Mrs. W. E. Patrick who is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenza McGlohon, is improving.  
Blaney Stocks spent Sunday in the neighborhood.  
Jerome McGlohon, and Joe Syd-

ner went to Greenville Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Langston went to Grangers Sunday to see their sick mother, Mrs. Louisa Langston.  
Grover McGlohon spent Sunday afternoon with Jerome McGlohon.  
Rev. R. J. Corbit filed his regular appointment at Bethany Sunday.  
Resolutions of Reform League.  
Whereas, we have learned that the Editor of the Greenville REFLECTOR, Mr. D. J. Whichard, has been threatened with personal violence by a saloon man, on account of the courageous and manly fight the editor has made against intemperance and the saloon business in Greenville,  
Be it Resolved, That the Ladies League for Moral Reform hereby expresses to Mr. Whichard its cordial approval of the fair, honest and courageous stand he has taken in THE DAILY REFLECTOR for temperance and moral reform.  
Further be it Resolved, We hereby express our disapproval of the use of threats or personal violence in this dispensary contest.  
MRS. F. G. HARTMAN, Pres.  
MRS. G. E. HARRIS, Secy.  
Feb. 25th, 1904.  
The Free Will Baptists will hold service in the public school house Sunday, 23th, morning and night. They will hold communion service. All members are requested to be present and all others invited.

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 26, 1904.

AN APPEAL TO THE VOTERS OF GREENVILLE.

We, the 151 members of the Women's League for Moral Reform, in meeting assembled, do adopt and publish this appeal to the voters of Greenville:

That you consider the interest of the women and children, when you vote in the election to be held on the 2nd day of March, on the question of closing up the eleven bar rooms and limiting the sale of liquor to a single dispensary.

You have had the bar rooms in your midst for generations and you must know something of the wreck and ruin they have wrought, if you have not shut your eyes to their evil work, but you cannot know the anguish and sorrow they have sent into the homes whose fathers and sons they have destroyed. The aching and bleeding hearts of the afflicted can alone know this, and it is too deep and humiliating for them to tell.

If the husband spends his time and wastes his substance in the bar rooms, it is the wife and children who suffer the most. If he spends nights in drunken revelry, it is the sorrow stricken wife who watches for his coming. If he returns by day or night with crazed brain and debauched temper, it is the innocent wife and children who have to bear his brutal treatment. When the home is ruined and the husband is penniless, it is the wife who has to struggle in poverty and shame for substance for herself and little ones. When the wayward son finds companionship in the patrons of the bar room and falls a victim to its evil influences, it is the hearts of the mothers and sisters that are torn and crushed. No matter whether the victim be a husband, father, son or brother, the blow falls heaviest on the women and children who are in no way responsible for it.

Is it not strange, surpassingly strange, that strong men hesitate to come to the rescue of the women and children who, are always in greater or less peril when the open bar room has the right of way?

No truthful man can say that one dispensary, open only in the day time, can do as much harm in a community as eleven bar rooms, running from early dawn to eleven o'clock at night. Do you think so? Whatever tends to lessen the evil tends to a better protection of the women and children. We therefore appeal to you to vote for the dispensary.

We feel that a crisis is upon us. If this movement fails and Greenville is given over to the whiskey venders their numbers will be multiplied and the women and children will be the chief sufferers.

But in no event are we going to surrender. It is our purpose to keep up this fight for moral reform, for the safety of our homes and the better safety of our children. None of us know, none of us can tell whose sons are safe, if the bar rooms remain open, bidding for their ruin.

In the fight which is now on, the women and children are on one side and the bar rooms are on the other. Can you question this? The

honor and life of our sons is the prize for which we contend. The bar rooms must have patrons or their doors must close. As the old men pass away places their must be supplied from the ranks of the boys. The bar rooms are bidding for the boys as their future patrons. We are appealing to the manhood of the town to close these saloons lest they succeed in their wicked designs. We are deeply in earnest. We plead with you to take your stand on the side of the women and children, and we promise to stand by you with our prayers and our influence.

Men of Greenville, if you have hearts within you, hear us. If you have any pity for the weak, hear us. If you have any love for humanity, hear us. While we plead with you, we will pray to a God of Mercy to move upon your hearts, and consciences leading you to vote to protect the women and save the boys of Greenville.

To the wives, mothers and sisters we will say that victory is within our reach if we will but stretch forth the hand and grasp it. So let us be up and doing. Plead with husbands, fathers, sons and brothers, to save the boys from the snares the bar rooms set for them, and the ruined life they offer them.

February 26 1904.

MRS. F. G. HARTMAN, Pres.

MRS. G. E. HARRIS, Sec.

The saloon breeds poverty, disease, crime, insanity and suicide. It can be abolished only by the united effort of the churches and patriotic citizens.

The church member who stands for the saloon is giving his influence against morality and peace and for the devil and debauchery.

The town runs the dispensary; the barrooms run the town.—Webster's Weekly.

WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Feb 24.

Mrs. G. L. Moore and children, of Bethel, have been visiting her father, J. H. Smith, near here for the past week.

Josephus Cox, David McLohon and J. B. Carroll were in Greenville yesterday.

David Askew, of Farmville, was here yesterday to see J. D. Cox.

Work has already commenced on the brick stores. The bricks that are to be used are of a fine quality.

J. B. Carroll has accepted a position with A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., as book-keeper. A most excellent selection on part of the company.

The library of Winterville High school now numbers about 800 volumes, having recently received a set of Cong. Records from Hon. John H. Small, also 278 valuable vols. from Senator Lee S. Overman. For the latter the school is largely indebted to the kindness of Prof. F. L. Carr, who is Senator Overman's private secretary.

Dr. R. L. Carr expects to be in Winterville next Monday to examine the teeth of all the school children and others who wish it, and make out charts showing the condition of their teeth. The examination will be free of charge, but he will be prepared to do dental work for any who may so desire.

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## HOW HE WAS SNARED

(Original.)

My definition of a genius is one who does things the wrong way with the right results.

The Marroquils lived in a flat on the seventh story of a building facing the park. On the third floor lived the Tuckers. In the Marroquill family, which was a large one, was the oldest daughter, Jeannette, only eighteen years old, but with a remarkable head on her shoulders. Jeannette knew perfectly well that she must be provided for, or, rather, that she must provide for herself by securing a husband. The Tucker family was small, there being but one child, Adolph Tucker, twenty-one years old, and just come into an estate from his grandmother of \$200,000. The Marroquils did not know the Tuckers nor the Tuckers the Marroquils, but the wife of the janitor had told Jeannette all about the Tuckers and the fortune. Besides, Jeannette had gone up in the elevator with Adolph Tucker and considered him "perfectly lovely."

Jeannette was determined to make Adolph Tucker's acquaintance. But how? There are many sets in large cities, and the two families belonged to different sets. Jeannette never found one of her friends who happened to know the Tuckers. Nevertheless she felt no doubt whatever that she would make young Tucker's acquaintance.

She was leaning out of her window one summer morning looking across the street below into the park. Hearing the pattering of footsteps on the sidewalk, she looked down and saw the object of her wishes, who had just come out from the house, standing on the sidewalk in immaculate costume.

Miss Marroquill was not only a girl of resource, but her conceptions came to her like lightning and were executed nearly as rapidly. Rushing to a stand, she filled a pitcher, returned to the window and poured the contents on Mr. Tucker, aiming for the streak of sunlight that glistened across the top of his silk hat. Waiting only till she had seen a splash like a radiating fountain, she set down the pitcher and, seizing a newspaper, fixed her eyes intently upon it.

Mr. Tucker, who was a fiery young man, first shook himself like a dog which has just emerged from a swim, then, going across the street muttering maledictions, stood on the opposite sidewalk and looked up to discover whence had come his unwelcome bath. A number of windows in the flats above were open, but only one window was occupied, and there sat Miss Marroquill. Mr. Tucker was sure that she was the aggressor.

Mr. Tucker went to his room and again made himself immaculate. Half an hour later he emerged from the building covered by a silk umbrella with a silver mounted handle. When he returned he had made up his mind for the most bitter revenge man can take on woman. He had resolved to make the acquaintance of the girl who had so wounded his dignity, win her heart and throw it to the winds.

Just why Mrs. Tucker took it into her head to call upon Mrs. Marroquill never was satisfactorily explained. The call was returned and was followed by another from Mrs. Tucker, with a request to be permitted to bring her son. Miss Marroquill, armed with her daintiest costume, met Mr. Tucker ready for a fight to the finish. She did not know his intentions, but believed they were vengeful. Mr. Tucker said nothing about his ducking, but made himself as fascinating as possible. Miss Marroquill accepted his attentions and made it as pleasant as possible for Mr. Tucker. Indeed it was apparent to him that all was working well till one morning, when emerging from the building, he received a second cold water bath. This time, though he looked up with surprising quickness, he saw no one at the Marroquills' window.

Mr. Tucker was surprised. He could understand the girlish freak that had led Miss Marroquill to give him his first ducking, but had supposed he had made an impression and would be at least treated with proper consideration. He began to feel that he was not after all an object of the slightest reverence to Miss Marroquill, for he did not doubt that she was this second time the aggressor. His future action was not clear to him, but upon consideration he finally resolved to cut Miss Marroquill the next time he should meet her. A few days later when he passed her coming out of the door of the apartment house he turned his head.

Miss Marroquill had now done everything she could to entangle Mr. Tucker. If he was caught he would soon show it; if not, there was nothing more to be done.

The two did not see each other again till one day they met in the elevator. Mr. Tucker turned red, then white. Miss Marroquill chatted glibly with a friend, apparently forgetful of her former acquaintance with Mr. Tucker. Then her cousin, Tom Martin, came and passed a week with them, and Mr. Tucker saw her going out with him for walks in the park.

This was the last round. One day Miss Marroquill received a note from Mr. Tucker saying that he would like to be permitted to call that evening and make an explanation. He received no reply. Three days after Mr. Tucker saw his enemy go into the park alone for a walk. He followed and joined her. The result of the meeting was a humble apology from Mr. Tucker for cutting her. As to an apology from her for ducking him, it was forgotten owing to Mr. Tucker's condition. He declared that away from or at enmity with her he would go mad. Since their marriage Mr. Tucker has made many apologies, Mrs. Tucker never one.  
F. A. MITCHEL.

## 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 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. Sagg 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 news papers published in the town.

This February 1st 1904,  
HARRY W. WHEDBEE,  
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,  
L-3 d4w 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, Unequaled 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 & Bro., 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.

Cotton seed and corn for sale by W. P. Baughman, 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. Cotton seed \$1 00 per bushel. 1-20 -4-wk D. & W.

## HAVE YOU INDIGESTION.

Have you indigestion, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure you. It has cured thousands. It is curing people every day—every hour. You owe it to yourself to give it a trial. You will continue to suffer until you do try it. There is no other combination of digestants that digest and rebuild at the same time. Kodol does both. Kodol cures, strengthens and rebuilds. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

## 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. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cherries, Henry George Clear, 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. Com to see me.

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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

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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 Weathington's market, near court house, will reach us. 2-13 if

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

## 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 230,024.89
in Banks 182,368.37	
\$330,989.25	\$330,989.29

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to us.

WANTED—Several industrious persons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital to calupon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$24 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self addressed envelope. National, Caxton Bldg., Chicago. 1 25-20-1d

## Escaped an Awful Feat

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.

## William Fountain, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon,  
GREENVILLE, N. C.  
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## Dr. D. L. James,

Dental Surgeon.  
Greenville, N. C.

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First Class work and prices reasonable designs sent upon application.

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Attorney-at-Law,  
GREENVILLE N. C.

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Dress Goods,  
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Men's Clothing,  
Boy's Clothing,  
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Overcoats,  
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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.

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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 1/2 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.

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### Groceries that Please

Our customers, are the kind that we sell. Sometimes there is a strong temptation to please our selves by purchasing something "just as good" at a lower price, and thereby get a bigger profit, but we are firm and only goods of highest quality are bought. We have no old goods to work off. These Groceries are fresh and in perfect condition. Nothing low about them except the price. We pay the highest market price for all kinds of Country Produce. Phone 139. BLAND & PARKERSON.

### Game Chickens.

I have for sale, 15 hens and six roosters, full blood Game.  
2-2311 J. P. FLEMING, Pactolus, C. N.

Once more it is know.

### ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

The undersigned, having this day qualified before the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County as administrator of the estate of Dennis C. Smith deceased, and letters of administration having been issued to me as such administrator, Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the first day of March, 1905 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me. This the 26th day of February 1904.  
W. L. SMITH,  
Admr. of Dennis C. Smith, Sr. dec'd.  
Jarvis & Blow, attorneys

### 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.

R. Greene went to Kinston Thursday evening.

Robert Tunstall returned to Kinston Thursday evening.

### THE WEATHER.

Rain tonight, warmer in eastern portion. Saturday rain.

### Assault on the Editor

On Wednesday afternoon as the editor of THE REFLECTOR was returning from dinner he was passed on the street by A. Horton, a saloon keeper. As he was passing he said "Good evening, Mr. Horton" and was surprised at the latter saying "Don't trouble yourself about speaking to me or I will mash your jaw." He used other threatening language of the same character as he walked on, but no reply whatever was made to his threats.

Thursday evening a little after 6:30 o'clock, as the editor was on his way home from the office, at Five Points he was assaulted from the rear by Horton who struck him several times.

To defend himself the editor drew a pistol and shot twice at his assailant. One of the balls struck the stomach, but coming in contact with a button, its force was broken so that no damage was done. The editor was not injured.

### 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 14.39 13.58

May 14.69 13.95

July 14.68 13.96

Liverpool Futures.

May, & June. 7.50 7.31

### Chicago Markets:

May Wheat 104 1/2 106 1/2

May Corn 56 1/2 57 1/2

May Ribs 8.02 8.05

July Ribs 3.10 3.15

May Lard 8.05 8.12

July Lard 8.22 8.25

### GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

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### The City Hay & Grain Co

BUYERS AND SELLERS OF

Hay, Grain, Cracked Corn,

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FIFTH STREET, ONE DOOR FROM

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

### Paint Your Buggy for 75c.

to \$1.00 with Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer, and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by H. L. Carr. 2-25 d cowk.

### 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,  
2-16 w Opposite Savage Stables.

### SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Jr. O. U. A. M. meets tonight.

Nova Scotia. See and cut her-rings at Coward & Patrick. 2-25

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

Deviled Crabs at Coward & Patrick.

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

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

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

Cut Loaf sugar at Coward & Patrick.

The best Queen Olives at Bland & Parkerson's.

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

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.

231d-d-tf HALL & ANTHONY.

### To The Public.

In the beginning of the dispensary campaign a conference was held which was attended by a large number of those who favored a dispensary because they believed it would be a vast improvement on eleven open bar rooms. At this conference the following named committees were appointed.

1st A campaign committee composed of T. J. Jarvis, F. C. Harding and Jos. G. Moyer.

2nd A committee on Public Speaking composed of W. H. Ragsdale, F. C. Harding and T. J. Jarvis.

3rd A committee on Ways and Means composed of Jos. G. Moyer and G. E. Harris.

4th A committee on Literature composed of the white Ministers of the Gospel and the two Editors of Greenville.

5th A committee on Registration of voters composed of A. L. Blow, W. R. Parker and W. L. Brown, A. L. Blow was also appointed the Chairman of the Conference.

The publications which have appeared from time to time in THE REFLECTOR advocating a dispensary were prepared by some member of one or more of these Committees and were published by the approval of the committee on literature. The editor of the Dollar Daily, however declined to serve on this committee, and is, therefore, in no way responsible. The editor of the THE REFLECTOR cheerfully published and endorsed the matter thus prepared. We make this frank and candid statement because of the unprovoked and brutal attack that was made on the editor on Thursday by one of the bar men whose business we are attacking.

It is our pleasure to say further that we assume our full share of the responsibility of those publications. Not one word has been said in any one of them which we do not believe to be strictly true. If any one who feels aggrieved can point out one word in any of them which is not true we will gladly correct it.

We now publicly endorse these publications and now express our purpose to continue to work for success till the day of the election.

We do not propose to be deterred from doing our full duty by any exhibition of bar room methods or threats of violence. And we call upon the good people of Greenville to array themselves on the side of law and order.

Alex. L. Blow, F. C. Harding, W. E. Powell, F. G. Hartman, J. A. Hornaday, W. H. Ragsdale, Thos. J. Jarvis, Wm. E. Cox, A. T. King, J. G. Moyer, E. G. Harris, W. L. Brown.

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.

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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, Slating, Guttering and all kinds of sheet metal work. Our 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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