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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 9th, 1904.

| Resources: | | Liabilities: | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$183,309.34 | Capital Stock paid in | \$25,000.00 |
| Overdrafts | 3,239.39 | Surplus | 20,000.00 |
| Furniture & Fixtures | 3,618.57 | Undivided Profits less | |
| Due from Banks | 73,225.39 | Expenses Paid | 12,097.92 |
| Checks & other cash items | 3,525.03 | Deposits | 226,973.38 |
| Gold Coin | 5,828.50 | Cashier's checks out- | |
| Silver Coin | 3,319.37 | standing | 7,014.29 |
| U. S. 10's & other U. S. notes | 15,020.00 | | |
| | \$291,085.59 | | \$291,085.59 |

State of North Carolina,
County of Pitt.

I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of June, 1904
JAMES C. TYSON,
Notary Public.

Correct - Attest:
J. G. MOYE,
R. A. TYSON,
J. A. ANDREWS,
Directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Greenville Banking & Trust Company, GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA.

At the close of business June 9th, 1904.

| RESOURCES. | | LIABILITIES. | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and discounts | \$99,697.55 | Capital stock paid in | \$25,000.00 |
| Overdrafts, secured | 2,936.23 | Undivided profits, less | |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | 362.28 | expenses & taxes paid | 4,238.47 |
| Bonds, etc. | 1,000.00 | Individual deposits | |
| Furniture and fixtures | 2,316.04 | subject to check | 94,228.73 |
| Other real estate owned | 1,027.10 | Time certificates of | |
| Due from Bank | 15,183.47 | deposit | 10,250.00 |
| Cks and other cash items | 343.00 | Cashier's checks outstand- | |
| Gold coin | 100.00 | ing | 37.97 |
| Silver coin | 1,450.76 | | |
| National Bank notes and | | | |
| other U. S. notes | 10,277.00 | | |
| Total | \$134,693.43 | Total | \$134,693.43 |

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:

I, R. J. Cobb, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. J. COBB, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of April, 1904.
C. S. CARR, Notary Public.

Correct - Attest:
E. A. MOYE,
H. A. WHITE,
CHAS COBB,
Directors.

RENTON ITEMS.

RENTON, N. C., Aug. 24, 1904
Everybody feels refreshed today owing to the rain yesterday afternoon which cooled the atmosphere.

Most of our farmers have finished curing the golden weed and are busy saving fodder.

E. E. and George Dail will take in the excursion to Norfolk today and tomorrow.

Miss Nora Laughinghouse, of Greenville, is the guest of Miss Annie Hardee this week.

Miss Delia Smith, of Ayden, came Saturday to spend a few days with Miss Allie Dail.

J. A. Jarrell, after a week's vacation at home, returned to Farmville Monday.

The guests at E. E. Dail's had the good fortune to enjoy a tableaux scene—"In the shadow of the pines" Sunday afternoon.

Misses Pearle and Swan Nelson, of Grifton, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Annie McGlohon.

Miss Annie Hardy, after spending a very pleasant week in Greenville, returned home Monday.

E. E. and Mrs. Dail spent Tuesday afternoon in Ayden.

Miss Addie Owen, of Saratoga, came Saturday to visit Miss Allie Dail. She returned home Monday leaving, at least, one sad heart.

Miss Fannie House, of Parker's chapel, is visiting Misses Cornelia and Addie Nobles.

A large crowd attended the quarterly meeting at Bethany Saturday and Sunday.

Notice

Dawson Won Out.

Tarboro, N. C., Aug. 25.—As neither of the six aspirants for the office of sheriff received the requisite number of votes necessary to a nomination in the primary Aug. 4th, another primary was held yesterday to choose between the two leaders in the former primary. It was a hard fought contest and both sides claimed a majority of just a few votes until the final result showed Dawson to be the successful man. He won from Jenkins by probably a hundred votes.

Notice.

Got Her Money Back.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 24.—Last night Mrs. Frank James, wife of a wealthy New York merchant, who figured prominently in a kidnapping episode near Asheville Monday evening, went to the local theatre in company with her maid, a very black negro woman, and presented box seat tickets for herself and maid. The door keeper declined to allow the negro woman to occupy the seat, and because of this Mrs. James became angry and declared that if the negro woman could not sit in the box she did not care to stay. The money that had been paid for the tickets was refunded.

Notice.

Death of an Editor.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 24.—Carlyle McKinley, associate editor of the News and Courier, died here this morning, after a long illness. He was the author of "An Appeal to Pharaoh," an argument for deportation of negroes to Egypt, which attracted much attention. Some of his poems have been widely quoted. He was a distant relative of the late President McKinley.

THEATRE SEASON NEAR.

Will Open With "A Boy Wanted."

Greenville people are to be congratulated that the new season will bring them much better opportunities for enjoying good theatrical companies that they have had heretofore. The completion of the modern opera house in the Masonic temple building gives Greenville a play house that is the equal of that in any town. Its accommodations and appointments are ample for the larger and stronger troops, and now it is expected that many of the best attractions on the road will come this way.

The new season will begin on Wednesday night, 31st, when the Masonic temple opera house will be opened by Blaney's all fun show "A Boy Wanted."

Notice

Ten Cent Cotton the Thing

Said a level headed gentleman today: "Ten cent cotton would be the best thing that could happen for this section, because that means the establishment of a general equilibrium. It means prosperity for the cotton planter, of course, and it means besides that the mills can stock up with the raw material and run right along, instead of having to shut down or curtail production because of a lack of cotton. Yes, sir, ten and not fifteen cent cotton is what this country needs. Give us that and farmers, mill owners and operatives and our business interests generally will share more equitably in the prosperity and it will be better for all."—Charlotte News.

Notice

Don't Want Claude Bernas.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 23.—The Republican Congressional Committee of this district was to meet here today to nominate a candidate for Congress. Postmaster N. C. Cooper, of Nashville, and Deputy Collector Adams, of Wake, hearing that ex-District Attorney C. M. Bernard would be nominated refused to go into the meeting. Thus the committee could not get a quorum and adjourned for a week.—Wilmington Star.

Notice

Off to Washington.

The baseball boys left for Washington today, a good company of rooters going with them. The team is in good shape for the contest on the diamond and expects to make Washington walk. The line up is as follows: White 1b, Cheshire 2b, Taylor c, James B. p, Forbes ss, Smith 3b, Blow rf, Anderson lf, James D. cf.

Notice.

McNeill President.

St. Louis, Aug. 23.—J. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, N. C., was today elected president of the National Firemen's Association. The next meeting will be held at Kansas City.

Notice

Sixteen Horses Lost.

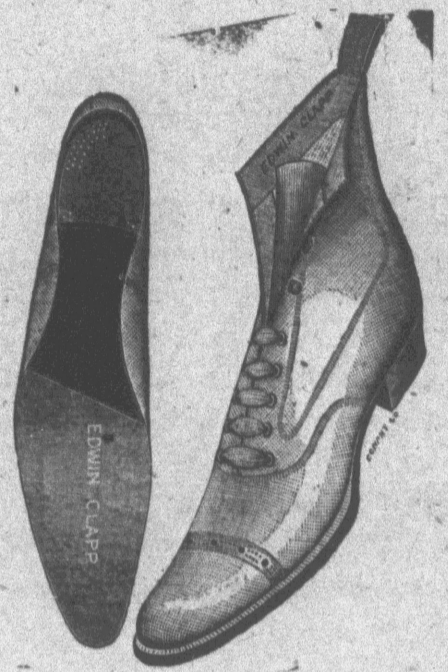
Hardin's livery stable in Raleigh was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. Sixteen horses were burned to death in the building.

Notice

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday.

DO YOU NEED SHOES SIR?



We Have Shoes

For city streets or country lanes—for Golf, Tennis, Yachting or riding, for Summer hop or Garden party, Summer makes the greatest demand on your Shoe supply of any season. We stand between you and every description of Shoe want. What you can't find in this store you may safely ignore. What you do find is the best possible, as to quality, style and service; and the most moderate as to price.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 25, 1904.

It strikes us that to "approve" a matter is just as strongly favoring it as to "endorse" it. Our dictionary gives endorse and approve practically the same meaning, and one of the definitions of the word endorse is to approve, showing that one of the words refers to the other. If anything approve is the stronger word.

And the democratic state convention in saying "we approve the general principles of the Watts law," gave it about as strong endorsement as words can convey. The convention made it one of the principles of the party platform, and the man who declares himself against it certainly is at variance with the principles of the party. Therefore we repeat emphatically that such a man should not be asking the party to give him an office, and he acts with gross inconsistency when he does so.

The Watts law should be made a test of democracy, and the man who will not stand by it should have no voice in the party deliberations.

The president has "reprimanded" Postmaster McMichael of Philadelphia, for selecting forty-nine republicans for clerks and rejecting the same number of democrats, and has warned him that he must "hereafter" obey the civil service law enacted by congress. "Hereafter." But Mr. Roosevelt ostentatiously neglects to order that the illegally appointed clerks be dismissed and the illegally rejected be appointed to the places for which they were certified.—Durham Sun.

That sounds all right so far as the theory goes to show that the president is preaching civil service and at the same time winking at every violation of it. But democrat don't have much business looking for office under republicans. We can't get away from Zeb Vance's and Bob Glenn's idea that "the horse that pulls the plow should have the fodder."

M. J. W. A. Guthrie, of Durham, recently returned from the St. Louis exposition, writes a letter to the Charlotte Observer in which he says North Carolina's exhibit there is a disgrace to the state. The major is not far from right in his opinion. When THE REFLECTOR man visited the exposition in May he saw enough to convince him that those supposed to be looking after North Carolina's interest there were gathering plums for themselves and letting their state take care of herself as best she could.

"Labor day is two weeks off," says an exchange. That will give the loafers plenty of time to get out of the way before it comes.

Col. Hamilton C. Jones, one of the state's most prominent lawyers, died Tuesday afternoon at Wilmington.

You would not know some people had a record unless they told it themselves.

The dispatches now say that Pert Arthur is almost taken. Almost, but—

What is the difference between tweedledee and tweedledum?

They Are Passing.

Take a walk through any of the cemeteries throughout the country and you will believe with us that fools are passing away.

With silent tread you pass the last resting place of the individual who blew into an empty gun.

The modest tombstone of the hired girl who lighted the fire with kerosene, and the grass covered mound that covers the remains of a boy who took a mule by the tail.

The tall monument of the man who "didn't know it was loaded" overshadows the dugout of the man who jumped off the car to save a ten rod walk.

Side by side lay the remains of the ethereal creature who always kept her corset laced up to the last hole and the intellectual idiot that rode a bicycle nine miles in ten minutes.

Here reposes the young doctor who was foolish enough to take a dose of his own medicine, and the old fool who married a young wife.

Right yonder in the northeast corner, where the gentle breezes sigh through the weeping willows, lies the fellow who told his mother-in-law she lied.

Down there in the potter's field with his feet sticking out to the rude blasts of winter and the blistering rays of the summer's sun, stretches all earthly remains of the misguided regulator who tried to lick the editor, while the broken bones of the man who wouldn't pay for his paper lay piled up in the fence corner.—Ex.

A Johnston County Family.

We thought that there were some very large families in this county, but Mr. Wm. Richardson, of Johnston county, who was here last Tuesday, told us of a Johnston county family which makes the largest Union county family look like an old bachelor. Mr. Richardson says that Mr. Applewhite Richardson, a distant relative of his, who lived in Johnston county and died a few years ago, was married three times and was the father of 31 children and at his death had 32 living children, 360 grand children, 190 great grand children and over 90 great great grand children.—Monroe Enquirer.

Two editors in Richmond were deeply engrossed in a discussion as to which has more sense, a horse or a mule. The debate was young and exceedingly interesting to those engaged in it when it was rudely interrupted and suddenly cut short by the boorishness of a man writing to one of the papers that either a mule or a horse has more sense than to carry on such a controversy. This saows the difficulties under which editors labor and how little appreciation they receive in their efforts to improve and enlighten mankind.—Raleigh News & Observer.

in the United States is the warmer weather and the absence of frost, which fact greatly extends the picking season. Fully five thousand acres of cotton are now under cultivation in the island of Cuba.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as last will and testament of W. W. Tucker, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate are notified to present the same for payment on or before the 18th day of July, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 18th day of July, 1904.
W. E. TUCKER,
Executor of W. W. Tucker.

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Ladies Congo Crook Umbrellas worth 75c while they last, Bee Hive Price 35c

OXFORDS

La Firue Kid Oxfords worth \$1.00 Bee Hive Price only 49c pair

LAWNS

700 yards Scotch Figured Lawns worth 8c Bee Hive price 4c d

Organdy, Dimity.

200 yards fine figured Organdy and Dimity Lawns worth 10 12 1-2 15c. Bee Hive price 6 3-4c

LACES

10,000 yards Hamburgs, Insertion and laces 1-3 off

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Quick Arrest

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. at Wooten's drug Store.

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NO MORE EXILE FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

A Cure at Last Obtained, After a Searching Investigation, by St. Louis Interests.

A few months ago the attention of a few scientific and philanthropic gentlemen of St. Louis was directed to an entirely new method of combating that most dreadful of all diseases, tuberculosis, commonly called consumption. Out of 115 test cases, 77 were completely cured and 28 have shown such improvement that their ultimate recovery is but a question of a few weeks.

So astonishing have been the results and absolute cures in cases pronounced incurable by all old methods that a company has been formed and is now prepared to furnish at a normal cost this cure to all sufferers of the "White Plague." One of its chief features is that patients can remain at home, surrounded by friends and relatives, and in a great many instances, especially the incipient or early stages of the disease, pursue their daily vocations and still become completely cured.

Patients receiving the same treatment here in St. Louis have completely recovered as rapidly as those in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. The wonderful results in question have been accomplished by the Bensonizer, and the company which controls this marvelous medical device have located their main office at 417 North Seventh street, St. Louis. They have also located a factory on Easton avenue and a laboratory has been built at Hillside, Mo. The cure will be known as the Bensonizer Lung Cure, and Mr. C. P. Benson, the discoverer of the fluid inhalants which are used, will personally have charge of the affairs of the company. Mr. Benson will personally meet all who call at the office of the company on Seventh street, and will answer all communications from sufferers who are unable to make a personal call.—From the St. Louis Globe Democrat.

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For Sale.

I have for sale on reasonable terms the most convenient lot in Greenville for a wood yard, together with a twelve horse engine and boiler, all belts pulleys and saws ready for operation, also a number one flat that will carry 50 cords wood at a load. Will also sell cheap to any one who means business a thousand cords of wood or less quantity if desired. A wood yard is very much needed in Greenville and here is an excellent opportunity to assure one who will give it the proper attention.
O. L. JOYNER
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S. M. Schultz
Phone 55

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

A convention of the democratic party of Pitt county is hereby called to meet in the court house, in Greenville, on Thursday, September 15th, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the legislature and the various county offices.

Township primaries will be held at the usual meeting places in the townships on Saturday, September 10th 1904, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of appointing delegates and alternates to said county convention, the nomination of candidates for justice's of the peace and constables and also to elect township executive committee. The number of delegates and alternates each township will be entitled to is as follows:

- Beaver Dam.....5
- Belvoir.....4
- Bethel.....9
- Carolina.....10
- Chicod.....19
- Contentnea.....25
- Falkland.....9
- Farmville.....9
- Greenville.....33
- Pactolus.....4
- Swift Creek.....10

By order of the democratic executive committee of Pitt county.

ALEX L. BLOW, Chairman.
W. L. BROWN, Secretary.

A Warning to Mothers

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give a child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of a bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by J. L. Wooten.

A Sure Thing

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but this is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. Van Metre of Shepherdstown, W. Va. says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely. It's infallible for Croup, Whoop Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by J. L. Wooten's Drugget. Trial bottles free. Reg. U. S. Pat. Office. Price 50c per bottle.

A Perfect Painless Pill.

This is the one that will cleanse the system, set the liver to action, remove the bile, clear the complexion, cure headache and leave a good taste in the mouth. The famous little pills for doing such work pleasantly and effectually are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Bob Moore, of Lafayette, Ind., says: "All other pills I have used gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers are simply perfect." Sold by J. L. Wooten.

A Sweet Breath

Is a never failing sign of a healthy stomach. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. There is no remedy in the world equal to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for curing indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Mrs. Mary S. Crick, of White Plains, Ky., writes "I have been a dyspeptic for years tried all kinds of remedies but continued to grow worse. By the use of Kodol I began to improve at once and after taking a few bottles am fully restored in weight, health and strength and can eat whatever I like." Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

Nothing on the Market Equal Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowels complaints." For sale by J. L. Wooten.

Leaves From a Detective's Notebook

(Original.)

We were a jolly house party at the country residence of my friend Colonel Peterson till a damper was cast upon the festivities by the announcement that one of the guests had lost a valuable diamond ring. There was not a servant in the house but had been in the family for years and thus far had been perfectly honest. There was no evidence of the house having been entered from without. Everything pointed to a suspicion that some one of the guests was the thief.

As I had a fancy for amateur detective work, I asked the host to put the case in my hands. He did so, and I commenced my observations at once. All I asked of Colonel Peterson was to prevent any guest from leaving if he could possibly do so without making a scene. This he promised, but none of the guests would leave until the thief was discovered.

It is well known that detectives usually get their clues from observing minutiae. I began a systematic entry in a notebook, a copy of which I give:

1. Saw Miss Ives come out of Miss Benton's room. When she discovered me looking at her she started.
2. Wilkins is feeling the servants more lavishly than is proper in the house of a host. Saw him hand the butler a silver dollar today.
3. Another gem missing.
4. Hovey keeps the tip end of the forefinger of his right hand covered with kid. Keeps his nails well pared and says he cut the nail of this finger too closely.
5. Wilson is the man. I have just heard that his money was made in organizing schemes, getting in other people's funds and selling out. So says Barker, but I am not sure that Barker is not prejudiced against Wilson.
6. Miss Ives is very conscious every time I look at her. Caught her whispering with Miss Martin, and when they saw me they stopped and walked away from each other. Wouldn't have Miss Ives turn out to be the thief for the world. I am half in love with her.
7. Another gem missing today. The colonel insists on all the jewels of his guests being placed in his safe. He alone knows the combination. The jewels were put in the safe this morning, each in a box marked by the name of its owner.
8. Have been approached by several persons today saying they suspect Miss Ives. They declare she has been acting queerly, but they have not caught her doing anything peculiar.
9. Miss Ives came to me this evening, with tears in her eyes, to say that the guests all act as if they suspected her. She explains it all in this wise: She says that she left a hat pin in Miss Burton's room and went for it. When she came out and saw me looking at her, remembering that any one of us is liable to suspicion, she felt embarrassed. She consulted Miss Martin to know what she ought to do, and Miss Martin has been talking to the others, who have caught a false impression. Poor Miss Ives is heartbroken over the matter. I am thoroughly convinced that she is innocent. I would give my head to prove her so.
10. Am watching Wilson like a hawk. He has a passion for jewelry and wears a great deal of it. The thefts having usually been committed at night, I am going to watch Wilson's bedroom door. Fortunately it is directly opposite mine.
11. Last night revealed the thief. Singularly enough, it was Miss Ives who led the way to the discovery.

About 12 midnight Wilson's door opened cautiously, and I heard him leave his room in his slippers. Slipping on a dressing gown, I followed him. He went to the dining room and straight for a drawer in the buffet where the silverware is kept. He opened the drawer and took out a spoon. He then opened a door below and took out a bottle. He poured some liquor into a glass, put in some sugar with the spoon he had taken, poured in water, stirred the mixture and drank it. He then went back to his room. I remained below till I heard his door shut.

I was greatly disappointed. Starting back to my chamber, I felt a touch on my shoulder. The gas, turned down, is kept burning in the dining room, and by its dim light I saw Miss Ives in loose gown and slippers. I looked at her astonished.

"One of the guests is at work at the safe," she said.

"You don't mean it?"

"I heard a footstep and followed it. Come."

We both stole softly to a rear part of the house on the floor above. At the end of a hall opposite where a staircase goes to the floor above the safe is kept. I led the way up a front staircase, and, going along the upper hall, we took position at the head of the back staircase, where we could watch the safe. Some one was working at it—a man. He had a light, which was shut off by a screen. We could see him distinctly.

He was Hovey.

Holding the tip of his forefinger (the finger he had kept covered) against the lock, he was turning the knob back and forth. He worked half an hour. Finally there was a click, and he opened the safe door. Taking out the boxes of jewelry, he shut the safe and returned to his room. I sent Miss Ives to bed and awakened the colonel. Together we went to Hovey's room and found him getting ready to leave the house. He confessed. He had cut the tip of his finger to the blood vessels and could feel the tumblers fall.

Miss Ives is going to marry me. She says her love began with gratitude for the sympathy I gave her in her trouble. The colonel says it should have been with pity for my stupidity as a detective.

MARY W. BLAKE

Sick Headache

"For several years my wife was troubled with what physicians called sick headache of a very severe character. She doctored with several eminent physicians and at a great expense, only to grow worse until she was unable to do any kind of work. About a year ago she began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and today weighs more than she ever did before and is real well," says Mr. Geo. E. Wright of New London, New York. For sale by Wooten's Drug Store, Greenville.

A Starting Test.

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Cotton Growing In Cuba.

A correspondent sends from Cuba some very interesting and at the same time surprising information concerning the cultivation of cotton in Cuba. He says the results of recent experiments on the island have been so startling that an immediate impetus has been given to the cultivation of cotton and it is confidently expected by those who have studied the matter that it will not be long before the value of the cotton exported from Cuba may exceed that of her sugar crop. Samples of cotton raised experimentally in parts of the island, in 1901, have been appraised as high as 20 to 30 cents per pound, and the amount of lint cotton per acre has reached 1,500 pounds, which would return a gross income of from \$300 to \$450 per acre per annum. This correspondent continues by saying that an important factor which makes for an increased yield in Cuba is the fact that raised from the same seed

Were you ever tempted to think that the editor was indulging in personal "digs," when you saw something in the paper which seemed to fit your case? Discard that thought. Remember the old saying that "many a shaft at random sent finds mark the archer little meant." Why, only the other day we read of a Texas editor who published the ten commandments in his paper by request, with the result that he lost half of his subscribers before he could have time to explain in the next issue that no personal reflections were meant. —Durham Sun.

Notice.

Quickens the blood, rounds the form, lifts the brain and body from weakness to power. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents Tea or Tablets. Wootens Drug Store.

Notice

You little knew when first we met That some day you would be The lucky fellow I'd choose to let Pay for my Rocky Mountain Tea. Wootens Drug Store.

Notice.

Skinner & Whedbee Have moved their office to the New Masonic Temple building } 8-3-2nd

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

W. O. Shelburne, of Richmond, is in town.

F. C. Tobleman, of Henderson came in today.

T. J. Walker, of Richmond, spent last night and today here.

Miss Delphia Abrams left Wednesday evening for Winterville.

Monte Latham came in Wednesday evening from Washington City.

Mrs. T. C. Williams, of Vanceboro, is visiting Mrs. B. F. Patrick.

M. T. Spear took the train here Wednesday evening for Seven Springs.

Ex-Gov. and Mrs. T. J. Jarvis came home this morning from Morehead.

T. L. Bland went to Kinston Wednesday evening and returned this morning.

Mrs. J. R. Moye and children returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Scotland Neck.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale left this morning for Maclefield to speak at an educational meeting.

Mrs. H. L. Carr and daughter, Miss Mildred, returned Wednesday evening from Kinston.

T. B. Yuille, of New York, one of the head men of the American Tobacco Co., spent last night and today here.

Miss Alice White, of Greensboro, who has been visiting her brother, H. A. White, left Wednesday evening.

H. W. Phillips and O. G. Calhoun, of Shelmerdine, took the train here this morning for the St. Louis exposition.

Dr. D. L. James left this morning for St. Louis to attend the national dental association and take in the world's fair.

Mr. E. B. Dixon, of Greenville, happened to the misfortune of losing his horse last Sunday evening. Mr. Dixon brought his sister here to attend school and on his way home his horse fell and in a few minutes he was dead.—Ayden Baptist.

Up about Baltimore a few days ago a negro was found in a box car where he had been locked in for three days. "Wasn't that awful?" you would say, but not so. The car was loaded with watermelons. —Wilmington Star.

J. C. Young, Providence—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cured me of indigestion and constipation. Gained twenty-five pounds in six months. Am entirely well 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Wootens Drug Store.

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 | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ |
| Middling | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| St. Low Middling | 10½ | 10½ | 10½ |
| Low Middling | 10½ | 10½ | 10½ |
| PEANUTS: | | | |
| Fancy | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| Strictly Prime | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| Prime | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| Low Grades | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

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

| | Closed | Today | Yesterday |
|--------------------|--------|-------|-----------|
| Sept. | | 10.92 | 10.80 |
| Oct. | | 10.83 | 10.68 |
| LIVERPOOL FUTURES. | | | |
| Aug. & Sept. | | 5.85 | 5.83 |
| CHICAGO MARKETS: | | | |
| Sept. Wheat | | 1.94 | 1.93½ |
| Sept. Corn | | .53 | .53½ |
| Sept. Ribs | | 7.35 | 7.40 |
| Oct. Ribs | | 7.47 | 7.47 |
| Sept. Lard | | 6.90 | 6.95 |
| Oct. Lard | | 7.02 | 7.02 |

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

REPORTED BY

J. B. CHERRY & CO.

| | | |
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| Middling | 10½ | 10½ |
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SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Notice

Red Men meet tonight.

Last night was pretty enough.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

Not long before schools will open again.

August is now in the last quarter.

Our baseball boys have gone after Washington's scalp today.

Just a week to Little & Kittrell's big excursion to Norfolk. It goes Sept. 1st, returns 2nd. Last excursion of the season.

The T. J. Jarvis chapter of the Daughters of Confederacy will meet tomorrow afternoon at four thirty with Miss Lou-ile Cobb.

Wanted—Position by young man of liberal education and temperate habits. Clerical position preferred. If you mean business see REFLECTOR. 8-22 6t

Healthy, happy babies. Mothers say Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest baby medicine in the world. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Wootens Drug Store.

Clerk Wanted—Who can take charge of dry goods department. Must be good salesman and strictly sober. State salary, experience and references.

M. Care Drawer A. Greenville, N. C. 8-20 6t

Notice

No Mourning.

The will of the late Dr. J. H. McAden, was probated in Charlotte Monday. He left an estate valued at a quarter of million dollars. The following extract is taken from the closing paragraph of the will:

"I make this request that none of my family shall wear mourning for me after my death. I have tried through life to school myself to look on the bright side of every picture and make life as bright and pleasant as possible for all my family and I do not want recollections of me shrouded in darkness."

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