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A HISTORIC FLAG.

Presented to the State by Comrade John G. Young.

A Confederate flag that was carried by a North Carolina Company through the entire war and on the same staff was presented to the state yesterday by Comrade John G. Young, of Winston, for the Yadkin Gray Eagles. The flag bears the inscription on one side: "We scorn the sordid lust of self and serve our Country for herself"

On the other side of the flag are thirteen stars, twelve forming a circle and one being in the centre.

The flag is torn and tattered by grape shot, ball and shell, and it is evidence of many a fearful conflict. The material of which the flag was made is silk, cut from the dresses of the fair ladies of Yadkinville.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Cyclone.

The storm Wednesday night reached the velocity of a cyclone about four miles below Greenville. In a track nearly a mile wide it uprooted and twisted off large trees, and several houses were knocked off their foundations.

Notice.

THE REFLECTOR will come out tomorrow earlier in the day than usual. Any announcements or other matter for that issue should be handed in early in the day. Ministers are requested to send in their announcements both for Sunday and Christmas exercises.

Times Have Changed.

You do not see much more orderly crowds than those in town this week. In by-gone years the days preceding Christmas were marked by the police making frequent trips to the lock-up with people arrested for drunkenness, fighting and other offences. It makes quite a difference.

"Next."

A merry Xmas it will be to all who buy their presents from us. We are already sold out of good many things but have many more to select from. See our line of Jap vases, Bisque figures and gold plated clocks. They make nice presents. Sterling silver and cut glass for wedding gifts.

Bradley & Best, Jewelers.

For the Best Interest of Its Own People.

We congratulate our neighbor, the Greenville DAILY REFLECTOR, on its enlargement and growing usefulness. It has just completed its eleventh year as a daily and has enlarged to eight pages. No paper in the State is truer to the best interest of its own people, and from all appearances none is more appreciated and better patronized. All hail and good cheer to our prosperous neighbor. May it continue to grow in every feature of its good work.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

Misses Emma and Blanche Carr, of Willow Green, on their way home from school at Littleton, spent Thursday night here with Mrs. H. L. Coward.

WOMEN IN THE POSTAL SERVICE.

No Discrimination in Regard to Sex, Says Postmaster General.

In the January Delineator Postmaster General Cortelyou takes occasion to point out the opportunities for women in the postal department. He says: "We have in the postal service of this country 289,000 men and women, almost three times the combined forces of the army and navy. No other single interest with the exception of the public school system employs as many women or gives them a better average of pay, and in no work outside of the home and the school do they show a larger usefulness in the general scheme of progress. Woman's share in the postal work is varied and intimate.

If you visited Washington you would find hundreds in the various divisions. Go to your own post office and either your mail may be handled by women or a woman may be the dependable one in the background who keeps order and maintains the efficiency of the office. In every direction we have woman as a trusted and well paid employee. And yet you may search the annual reports and the statistics of the postal department without discovering how many of the employees are men and how many women. The question of sex does not figure in the showing.

"It is a just complaint not only in the United States, but in every other country, that in most employments woman does not receive the pay of a man when she does the work of a man. The United States Government makes no such unfair discrimination. We may say the salaries are not altogether what they ought to be, that larger remuneration is deserved in many places, but whatever the sum paid it is the same to man or woman. We sometimes forget this equality and do not properly estimate its significance, for in the end the Government's standards will be the standards of private business and the day must come when justice will establish a more uniform compensation. Meanwhile it is a gratification that the Government is doing by example what it can to bring about the reform."

GREENVILLE TOBACCO SALES

This Season 9,320,456 Pounds, Against 6,784,709 Last Year.

According to the figures furnished us by Secretary C. W. Harvey, of the tobacco board of trade, the sales of leaf tobacco on the Greenville market for the month of December, up to the close on the 20th, were 1,116,340 pounds, at an average price of \$8.31 per hundred.

The total sales for the season from August 1st to December 20th were 9,320,456 pounds. In the same five months of last year the sales were 6,784,709 pounds.

THE WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness tonight followed by rain in western portion, Saturday fair, warmer on the coast, rain in the interior.

LETTER OF THANKS FROM AURORA LODGE.

Appreciate Courtesies Shown by Covenant Lodge.

At a meeting of Aurora Lodge 138, I. O. O. F. held Tuesday night Dec. 19th, a committee was appointed to draft a letter of thanks to Covenant Lodge of Greenville for the hospitality accorded the members of Aurora Lodge while attending the District meeting. The committee reported as follows:

We, the members of Aurora Lodge do hereby tender our thanks to the brothers of Covenant Lodge for the kindness and courtesy shown us while attending the District meeting at Greenville on the 14th inst. We feel that much good will result to us from seeing the work done by Covenant Lodge in conferring the degree.

The many brothers of the order who were unable to attend missed a treat in the speech of welcome by Bro. James, the speech of the Grand Secretary, Bro. B. H. Woodell, and others.

After the transaction of all business before the meeting a motion was made to adjourn to the dining room where a sumptuous supper, given by Covenant Lodge, awaited the visiting brothers. Here we were met by sisters of the Rebekah degree who presided at the table with due care and courtesy. After supper we wended our way to the hotel each feeling that he had been greatly benefitted by the meeting, and with kind feelings in our bosoms towards the brothers of Covenant lodge.

W. H. GASKINS,
J. M. LITCHFIELD,
J. R. BARBOUR.
Committee.

ALL OVER THE STATE

Happenings of Interest in North Carolina.

Arnold Borden, aged 50 years, a prominent citizen of Goldsboro, died Thursday.

Will Carter, a negro, who committed a criminal assault on a 6 years old white girl, was hanged at Kenansville Thursday.

When no one was looking a negro stole \$385 from a table in the Southern express office at Fayetteville and made away with it.

A pathetic death was announced yesterday at the governor's office. The friends and attorneys of Dave Chambers, of Richmond county, were preparing to petition the governor for the pardon of the prisoner, who was convicted in Richmond county Criminal court of retailing liquor without license and was sentenced to twelve years. While the application was being considered the governor was notified of the death of Chambers. The prisoner was a paralytic, and there was strong sympathy for him.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Big Steamer on Fire.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 21.—A large unknown steamer is on fire about five miles off this city. Life savers will endeavor to go to the rescue of the crew.

PERSONAL MENTION

Of Those Going and Coming.

W. P. Edward went to Norfolk today.

Prof. W. B. Dove went to Raleigh today.

A little son of J. J. Jenkins is very sick.

E. B. Ficklen returned today from Richmond.

Ben Starkey went to Ayden Thursday evening.

Prof. Z. D. McWhorter, of Mt. Olive, came in today.

Miss Dora Hornaday came home this morning from Ayden.

Frank Johnston is very sick at his home just East of town.

Alvin Dupree came home Thursday from school at Raleigh.

Chief of Police Pulley, of Tarboro, spent Thursday here.

R. F. Betts left this morning to spend the holidays in Virginia.

W. E. Goolsby left this morning for Danville to spend the holidays.

J. Burt James came home Thursday from the University at Chapel Hill.

Miss Fannie Bagwell came home Thursday evening from school at Oxford.

Miss Helen Brinkley came home Thursday evening from school at Durham.

Miss Lillian Whitfield went to Henderson today to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Blalock and little son went to Durham today to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harvey left this morning for Danville to spend the holidays.

E. B. Thomas left this morning for Republican Grove, Va., to spend the holidays.

Miss Stella York, of Greensboro, came in Thursday evening to visit her brother, C. V. York.

Miss Bunice Hornaday came home Thursday evening from school at Littleton.

Miss Sudie Joyner, of Hassell, came in Thursday evening to visit her brother, O. L. Joyner.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale went to Ayden Thursday evening and returned this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Gardner and children went to Onslow county today to spend Christmas.

Capt. C. A. White, who has been sick the last two weeks, is now able to be up some about the house.

Miss Martha Harding, of Grifton, came in Thursday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. F. C. Harding.

Mrs. Pattie Fitch and two sons and Miss Ellen Proctor went to Berkley, Va., today to spend Christmas.

L. I. Moore returned Thursday evening from a trip to several points in the interest of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound railroad.

Mrs. Kleber Denmark and children, of Kinston, came in Thursday afternoon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Starkey.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Little Bits Caught up Here and There That Are Interesting.

Royal and Dunlop flour at J. J. Turnage's.

Tomorrow will wind up the Christmas shopping.

Home grown pecans for sale. Phone 250. R. M. Hearne.

Nice Florida oranges at \$2.90 a box at J. J. Turnage's.

Christmas neckware at Frank Wilson's, he is telling you about it today. See his advertisement.

Christmas gift? Nothing better than a Palm, Fern or Primrose. Ollen E. Warren, Florist.

The calendar marks this as the shortest day of the year. They will now grow gradually longer for six months.

We will be glad to have your orders for oysters and celery, W. T. Burton & Bro.

We carry the best butter and cheese. T. E. Hooper & Co. Phone 31.

The prettiest dolls in town at Evans' Book Store.

Kingan's kettle rendered lard at J. J. Turnage's.

Large assortment of nuts and candies at Johnston Bros.

SPECIAL prices on Canned goods at Johnston Bros. d tf.

I have a few more of those fine pecans for sale. L. H. Pender.

Malaga grapes just arrived, 15 cents per pound at W. T. Burton & Bro.

For a real handsome line of Christmas goods, make a visit to Evans' Book Store.

Young man, your girl would be delighted with one of those pictures at Evans' Book Store.

Pickles of all kinds, sweet and sour, W. T. Burton & Bro.

Washington City bread, 5 cents, at Johnston Bros. 6 tfd

Sweet Florida oranges, 30 cents per dozen, W. T. Burton & Bro.

All kinds of fancy groceries at W. T. Burton & Bro. Darden building, Dickinson avenue.

We have the largest line of fruits in town W. T. Burton & Bro.

Tangerine kid glove oranges. W. T. Burton & Bro.

Toys, Dolls, Cups and Saucers, Wagons, Velocepedes, etc, at S. M. Schults.

\$8.00 chocolate set free—Don't forget our offer. This beautiful set will be given free to the one making the largest cash purchase. Remember contest closes Friday night, 22nd.

John A. Ricks & Bro.

We have them—apples, oranges and raisins for Christmas.

Johnston Bros.

For Sale—Three valuable town lots with good dwellings thereon. Good location in heart of town. For particulars apply to REFLECTOR office. 21 5 d

SOLD OUT—Don't let us have to say this, but come right along and select your Xmas wants before the great rush begins. John A. Ricks & Bro.

The store and warehouse now occupied by Johnston Bros., will be for rent Jan. 1st. Apply to J. A. Andrews. d tf.

FIREWORKS, Fireworks. — Yes boys they are here. Come in and get what you will need for Xmas. John A. Ricks & Bro.

THE RAINBOW.

Thought to Be a Great Pump in Many Countries.

In many countries the rainbow is spoken of as being a great bent pump or siphon tube, drawing water from the earth by mechanical means. In parts of Russia, in the Don country and also in Moscow and vicinity it is known by a name which is equivalent to "the bent water pipe." In nearly all Slavonic dialects it is known by terms signifying "the cloud siphon," and in Hungary it is "the pump," "Noah's pump" and "God's pump."

The Malay natives call it by the same name that they do their banded water cobra, only that they add "boba" (meaning double headed), the equivalent in our language being "the double headed water snake." They tell you that the bow is a real thing of life, that it drinks with its two mouths and that the water is transferred to the clouds through an opening in the upper side of the center of the great arch.

In the province of Charkov, Russia, the rainbow is said to drain the wells, and to prevent this many are provided with heavy, tight fitting stone platforms.

In the province of Saratov the bow is said to be under the control of three angels, one of whom pumps the water, the second "feeds" the clouds and the third sends the rain. Many improbable and impossible things would happen if you could only get in reach of the bow.

The little Turk is told that if he would have a silver head, with gold teeth and ruby eyes, he has but to touch the orange stripe.

In Greece, they say that the person so unfortunate as to stumble over the end of the bow will have his or her sex immediately changed.

A Fish With Lungs.

There is one rare fish which can boast of a pair of lungs in addition to the gills with which alone less favored fish are endowed. The necessity of these two sets of breathing apparatus is readily seen when the habits of the animal are known. In Africa, where the fish lives, it inhabits lakes and ponds, which are often completely dried up during the dry season. As long as the water remains the lung fish lives as do the other members of the finny tribe and breathes by means of his gills, but when the ponds dry up he burrows down into the mud and makes a round nest, where he lives in a semitorpid condition, breathing by means of his lungs until the rainy season releases him again.

The Art of Resting.

Many are the suggestions offered as to resting, for, strange as it may seem, few people understand the art of resting properly. Thorough rest does not necessarily mean lying down or sitting. It means to relax the entire system, the mind and body. For a tired brain physical exercise is the best remedy rather than a resort to drugs. If a brisk walk in the fresh air can be taken, so much the better. A very good remedy for a weary brain is to rise slowly on the toes (lifting the heels from the floor) until the muscles at the calf of the leg ache and then to kick vigorously a few times. Repeat this simple exercise several times and excellent results will follow.

Presence of Mind.

Old Bachelor (concluding story)—Thus was I saved by mere presence of mind.

Young Friend (gloomily)—Great thing—presence of mind. I might have been a rich man today if my presence of mind had not failed me at one time.

Old Bachelor—Indeed! When was that?

Young Friend—You remember my uncle George, rich old duffer? Well, sir, I was with him one day when he was taken with a fit. I was so frightened that I lost my presence of mind and called in a doctor, and Uncle George is living yet.—London World.

In a Bad Plight.

"Your husband 'll be all right now," said an English doctor to a woman whose husband was dangerously ill. "What d' yer mean?" demanded the wife. "You told me he couldn't live a fortnight." "Well, I'm going to cure him after all," said the doctor. "Surely you're glad." The woman wrinkled her brows. "Puts me in a bit of an 'ole," she said. "I bin and sold all his clothes to pay for his funeral."

CHRISTMAS BUYERS

read this space.

It is only a few days before we celebrate December 25th, 1905, once more and every one has a dear friend or friends to whom he or she will present with a present and you could select no better store than

A. E. TUCKER'S

414 WEST MAIN STREET,

... TO DO YOUR SHOPPING. ...



IF IT BE A LADY FRIEND

... YOU WILL FIND A NICE LINE OF ...

Furs, Dres Coods, Shoes, Handkerchiefs, Hoiery,

Table Linen, Towels, Side Combs, omforts, Trunks, Skirts, &c., &c.



IF IT BE A GETLEMEN FRIEND

... YOU WILL FIND A NICE LINE OF ...

CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS, CAPS,

Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Fancy Vests, Gloves
Your father, mother, brother, sister sweetheart or friend can find here a present that will make one of the above a nice handsome gift.

One visit to this store will show you exactly what we have and at prices not be discounted in Greenville. Hoping a look from one and all.

A. E. TUCKER, 444 WEST MAIN STREET, GREENVILLE, North Carolina

Wouldn't Kick Away the Ladder.

The people of the extreme south of France, in the neighborhood of the Pyrenees, have a hard shift to live. Some of them gain a livelihood by taming bears. Many others take to begging, which becomes a trade by itself, reasonably remunerative and not exactly dishonorable. Baron Haussmann in his "Memoires" cites the case of one of these professional beggars who amassed a good property and finally became mayor of a large commune. Even then he continued to ply his trade, especially in the bathing season, when many tourists visited the country. One of these outsiders was so taken aback at the sight of the mayor begging on the street that he remonstrated with the mendicant.

"I should think you would be ashamed," said the stranger, "you, a man holding so honorable an office."

"Office," said the mayor; "my office! Why, man, this is how I gained it!"

DEALER IN

General Merchandise.

Country Produce

BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Will keep constantly on hand a fresh supply of Chickens, Turkeys, Eggs, Butter, Cheese, etc. Goods delivered free in any part of the city. Phone No. 110.

H. A. PARAMORE,
tf d. Greenville, N. C.

DID YOU SAY

Santa Claus is Coming. Sure, and he is going to hang out at the store of

J. H. STARKEY

where a full line of goods suitable for Christmas is in waiting for him.

DOLLS AND TOYS

in great variety, and all kinds of the very nicest Fruits and Confections, and GROCERIES, you never saw a better line, heavy and fancy. All shelf goods to be sold at cost from now until Christmas. Remember the place when you want the best

J. H. STARKEY.

H. A. PARAMORE



If you are too fat it is because your food turns to fat instead of muscle—strength. If you are too lean the fat producing foods that you eat are not properly digested and assimilated.

Lean, thin, stringy people do not have enough Pepsin in the stomach, while fat people have too much Pepsin and not enough Pancreatine.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

contains all the digestive juices that are found in a healthy stomach, and in exactly those proportions necessary to enable the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all foods that may be eaten. Kodol is not only a perfect digestant, but it is a reconstructive, tissue building tonic as well. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Palpitation of the Heart and Constipation. You will like it.

Digests What You Eat

Rests the stomach, rebuilds the tissues and gives firm flesh.

Dollar bottle holds 24 times as much as the trial, or 50 cent size.

Prepared at the Laboratory of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, U. S. A.

Pulley & Bowen

New Shirt Waist Silks, Ladies Woolen Goods in all the latest styles and weaves.

Boys and Childrens Clothing and Novelty Suits.

You want style in your shoes. Ultra shoes have just as much snap in them as any \$5.00 or \$3.00 shoe, and our own designers are all the time producing styles which are later copied by houses all over the country. Style is the first consideration, but if the shoe does not fit, you will not buy it for the style alone.

The fitting qualities are what is necessary to a shoe, and in this the ULTRA

Stands Pre-eminent.

Our pattern and last makers are undoubtedly the best in their respective trades.

Ultra Shoes Wear.

FULL LINE OF CHILDRENS SHOES

Pulley & Bowen,

THE HOME OF WOMAN'S FASHIONS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Greenville Banking and Trust Company,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

At close of business November 9th, 1905.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts \$115,405.84	Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts, 6,673.81	Surplus 6,500.00
Bonds, 1,000.00	Undivided profits, 5,237.11
Furniture and fixtures 2,415.64	Bills payable 5,000.00
Due from Banks 25,009.32	Time cer. of deposit 16,808.70
Cash items 910.00	Deposits 102,545.61
Gold Coin 200.00	Due to bks & bkrs 125.00
Cash 462.17	Cashiers ck outs'd'ng 254.35
National bank notes and U S notes 9,403.00	
Total \$161,470.78	Total, \$161,470.78

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 Nov., 1905.

C. S. CARR, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CHAS. COBB,
H. A. WHITE
R. O. JEFFRESS

Directors.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

ARE UPON US AND

J. A. RICKS AND BRO.

have received there full supply. The holidays are here and like a train it comes quickly and soon gone. We have a beautiful line this season and will be glad to show them to you.

CHINA AND GLSSWARE

Bisque Figures, Lamps, Clocks, Wagons, Carts, Drums, Pistols, Albums, Mirrors, and Toys of every description. We carry a full line of Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Candies of every kind, Fruit, Pound and Chocolate Cakes, Cakes, Bread and Pies, Lowney's Candies, a full line of Heavy and Fancy Groceries, in fact any and everything you may need for Chistmas.

Including a full line of FIREWORKS if allowed.

Remember the place and come early as the rush will be great this season. Prices right.

J. A. RICKS & BRO.
GREENVILLE, N. C.

W. H. HENRAHAN.

Clark Street Market

in South Greenville, Fresh Beef, Pork, Sausage and Fish on hand at all times. Send me your orders.

LADIES' DR. LAFRANCO'S COMPOUND.

safe, speedy relief. Scented. Druggists or mail order.

GREENVILLE'S TONSORIAL PARLOR,

Hopkins, Daniel & Davis, Props

Cleanliness our Motto

Only experienced men employed. Opposite ne drug store.

A GAME OF POKER.

It Taught One Man Not to Play For High Stakes With Friends.

"Only once in my life did I play poker for high stakes," remarked a Louisianian. "One night I was invited to join a select party at table stakes. I demurred on the ground that I was not the equal scientifically—for I consider poker a science—of the others who were to sit at the board. There were six gentlemen in the party, including myself. I had played with one of the number before, but the limit was nominal. He volunteered to give me some advice. He said he had noticed my playing and said that where I was lame was in the exercising of judgment; that I trailed along when I had nothing to go on. He told me that if I would adhere to the universal rule observed by those who followed the game, either as a diversion or, as a profession, I would break even in the long run. That was the worst that I could do. On the other hand, I stood as good a chance as the next one to make a neat haul once in awhile. He was anxious that I sit in with the party. I should be patient, he said, and not come in until I had something. Then I should whoop them up. He was so persistent that finally I consented, telephoning my wife that probably I would be a trifle late in getting home that night owing to a business engagement.

"The game progressed merrily, but the outlook was anything but favorable to me. I played conservatively and at midnight was not more than fifty to the bad. I was discouraged and was on the point of quitting when I picked up three kings. I opened the pot, and all came in except one man. I held up a kicker to create the impression that I was playing two pairs. I spiked the fourth king. I checked. My next door neighbor pushed in a stack. This was raised before I was reached. I met the boosts and made it a little stronger. Then hoisting went on until my friend who had given me the good advice and myself were left to fight it out between ourselves. When we quit betting there was \$500 in the middle of the table. Did I call him? Not on your tintype. He did the calling. When I laid out the four emperors he turned as pale as a ghost. For the moment he was speechless, then he turned on me and abused me like a pickpocket. I took in the money and quit the game. Of course, the next day my friend was sorry for having lost his head, and he called on me at my office and apologized. High stake poker makes bad blood. Where so much money is involved friendship ceases. A fifteen cent limit will do me."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Tracing a Murderer.

Some years ago an aged woman was murdered near Carlisle, in Scotland, for the sake of the little sum of money in her possession. There was no clew beyond a footprint marked in a pool of congealed blood. The notable feature of this print took the form of two peculiar indentations near the toe. News of the clew got abroad, and when the police pounced upon an engine driver whom they suspected they found that there had been withdrawn from the toe of one of his boots two nails, the positions of which corresponded with the marks left in the impression. They searched until they found those two nails, hidden beneath newly turned earth. And upon those two nails was woven a chain of evidence which hanged the man, who confessed that the sentence was just.

Divorce in Burma.

Divorce in Burma is free. It can be claimed by either party for any good reason, such as incompatibility of temper, and carries no slur with it. No lawsuit is required. They go to the village elders, in a town to the elders of the quarter, and a divorce paper is drawn up that defines all arrangements as to property and children. The law as to property is this: Each retains his or her own property, and all property acquired jointly during married life, as by trading, is divided equally. But the claimant of the divorce must leave the house and all the household goods to the other. If it be the woman, she may remove her loom; if it be the man, he may take nothing. Thus there is a certain penalty on claiming a divorce, but it is not a

1905.

1906.

A VERY MERRY XMAS and a Happy New Year to all. In extending to our friends and customers the compliments of the season, we take the occasion to express our high appreciation of your kind and liberal patronage for the year 1905.

As we have endeavored during the past year by a stick adherence to our motto, "Always maintaining the Highest Standard of Quality" to merit your patronage, so during the year 1906 it shall be our highest aim to merit, not only a continuance, but a large increase, of your valuable business. We shall make this store a safe and satisfactory place to trade.

That you may spend a pleasant and joyful Christmas, and that the new year may bring forth for all abundant happiness and prosperity is the sincere wish of this store.

C. L. WILKINSON & CO.
Greenville.

Tarboro.

DAVENORTS

Clearance:--:Sale.

FROM NOVEMBER 28TH TO JANUARY 1ST, 1906

Beginning Tuesday, November 28th, we will sell our Entire Line of

Dress Goods and Trimmings, Laces, Embroideries and all Oxfords and Sandals

AT COST

All other goods will be marked down to 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. off. We intend changing our business by the 1st of January, 1906, and the stock must go by then.

A FEW PRICES,

\$1.00 Broad Cloth in black and colors, 85c
\$1.00 Panama Cloth in colors and black at 85c
36-inch black Tafeta, \$1.15 quality, guaranteed 88c
All 60c Dress goods, rare chance, 42c
Good Bleaching, better buy nw at 8 1-2c

A-Big-Reduction

in the whole line of DRY GOODS and NOTIONS

Come One

Come All.

Jas. F. Davenport,

OPPOSITE GREENVILLE BANKING & TRUST CO

THE DAILY REFLECTOR.

EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

D. J. WHICHAID,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Entered at the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class matter.

Subscription rates: One Year, \$3.00; One Month, 25 cents; One Week, 10c. Delivered in town by carriers without extra cost.

Advertising rates reasonable and can be had on application to the editor or at the office.

FRIDAY DEC. 22, 1905.

Christmas is not Xmas, though some folks persist in writing it that way.

Be glad that you are spending Christmas in America and not in Russia.

You do not have to argue much about what Greenville is doing when you look at the figures of the tobacco sales on this market.

The merchants have had good Christmas trade, at which THE REFLECTOR is glad. They deserved it. It is also an indication of the good times existing among the people.

The Greenville REFLECTOR, which is just eleven years old, has on its list as a prepaid subscriber King Edward and the train for which it has battled so long has been named the "Reflector Special." In this embarrassments of honors, THE REFLECTOR should take heed lest some envious corporation puts its name on a cigar that will be a reflection and a reproach.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Oh, you are away behind. The "Reflector" cigar has already been named, and it is the best 5 center on the list.

Drinking and Society.

It is no longer good form to drink in polite society.

At some houses nowadays no wine at all is served. Scotch and soda has taken its place, because the doctors say it is the least injurious of all tipples, but very little of that is consumed. The butterflies of fashion have at last learned the lesson that a drunken millionaire is as bestial as a drunken tramp and that a society woman who overindulges in drink is as disgusting as though she were an habitue of Harrison Street Police Station. They have learned, too, that there is no fun in the word like the fun of always being sober. The women, especially have also learned that drink rapidly and inevitably destroys their physical as well as their mental charms.

The result is that today drinking is decidedly bad form among rich and fashionable persons, in Chicago, at any rate. The occasional man who makes a practice of drinking too much is soon ostracised. The woman who is observed only once under the influence of liquor is tabooed thereafter.

Those philosophers who heretofore have never been able to see that what is called "society" is of much use in the world will have to admit that now it is of some use, in the good example it is setting. For it is useless to deny that too often the tone of morality in the mass is given to it by those persons who are conspicuous because of wealth and fashion. Now that they have made temperance fashionable, they will benefit the community as a whole in a very important respect.—Chicago Journal.

Raise More Cotton on Fewer Acres.

It begins to appear that the cotton crop of this county will be little short of the usual amount this year in spite of the great reduction of acreage that was made last spring. This means that more care and better cultivation put on the smaller number of acres this year bring as much as that bestowed on a large number last year, for the seasons were no better during the past year than in the former one. Our farmers are learning that the latter is the best course, and from now on the lesson will be increased in the same direction. This means more comfort and less hard and unremunerative work for the bulk of the population.—Monroe Journal.

Homemade Rosy Cheeks.

Gladys is an anaemic child with pale cheeks, and she is eight years old. Much to the annoyance of Gladys, her playmates have made the absence of color in her cheeks the subject of conversation even in her hearing. Evidently the young lady determined to put a stop to criticism and appeared the other day with cheeks glowing like the rose with a most beautiful and artistic pink.

"Oh, Gladys, where did you get the pink cheeks?" cried her playmates in chorus.

Casting down her eyes, the discreet dame replied, "Mamma told me not to tell."—New York Press.

Have Plenty of Daylight.

It is impossible for a healthy person to have too much daylight. One might as well say it is possible to have too much fresh air. Daylight does not mean the direct glare of the sun, and a healthy person is not one whose eyes demand darkness. Whether the house furnishing is rich or mean does not matter in the least. There are mansions in which one feels gloomy, and there are cottage homes that make one sing from lightness of heart. Let the light into the rooms. See that stairways and passages are bright as the garden outside. Shun the "dim religious light" as you would the plague.

Montefiore's Wit.

Sir Moses Montefiore was once described by a comic paper as a bon mot. "They will soon be calling me a jeu (Jew) d'esprit," was his comment. In 1823 a poor Jew living in the city of London was convicted of highway robbery and condemned to be hanged. Mr. Montefiore, as he was then, convinced of the man's innocence, exerted himself to obtain a reprieve and called upon a justice of the peace whose sentiments toward the Jews were not of the most favorable kind. "Ah," observed the J. P. in answer to Mr. Montefiore's efforts, "you Jews always hang together, and so you ought." "Sir," retorted the philanthropist, "I fear the wish in your case is father to the thought."

Learning to Cook.

"No, ma'am," said the grocer, making a great clattering among his tins, "I have coffee-pots and teapots, but there isn't such a thing as a jack pot in the store."

"I'm so sorry!" wailed the young wife. "You see, we haven't been married long, and my husband's mother has always cooked for him, and when I heard him talking in his sleep about a jack pot I thought I'd get one, for he mentions it so frequently he must be used to it. Could you tell me what they cook in it?"

"Greens, ma'am," said the grocer. And he sent her to the tin store in the next block.

Two of a Kind.

An old farmer went to a cattle show to exhibit a favorite cow, for which he had high hopes of winning first prize. On learning the result and that his cow had been placed fifth his anger knew no bounds, and, rushing into the ring, he attacked the judges.

"Why is my cow not first? What are her faults, I'd like to know?"

At this point one of the judges approached him and answered:

"Her faults, my good man, are somewhat akin to your own—she lacks good breeding."—London Answers.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills are a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Sold by John L. Wooten, druggist.

A girl has an awful lot of sense to do so well without any.

For sunburn, tetter and all skin and scalp diseases, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. It is a certain cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It will draw the fire out of a burn and heal without leaving a scar. Boils, old sores, carbuncles, etc., are quickly cured by the use of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Accept no substitute as they are often dangerous and uncertain. Sold by John L. Wooten, druggist.

It is much better to have a wife than a breach of promise suit.

Copies of the books "Messages and Papers of the Confederacy" can be seen at REFLECTOR office, where orders for the books are taken. Every one interested in a correct history of the Confederacy should have copies of these books.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion constipation, liver and kidney troubles Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents. Wooten's Drug Store.

Too much soft soap makes the fellow you want to catch so slippery you can't hold him.

There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy, pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength; nervousness headache, constipation, bad breath sour rising, rifting, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles that are curable are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Sold by John L. Wooten, druggist.

If women had to shave they would have a very different idea from what they have of what a mirror is for.

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Girls, if you want red lips, laughing eyes, sweet breath and good looks use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The greatest beautifier known. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug Store.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES 1905-'6.

TO

All points east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio and Potomac rivers, via ATLANTIC COAST LINE. Tickets for the public will be sold at one and one-third fares plus twenty five cents for the round trip on December 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th and 31st, 1905 and January 1st, 1906, final return limit January 4th.

Tickets for Students and Teachers will be on sale from December 17th to 24th inclusive, with final return limit January 8th, 1906 upon presentation and surrender of certificate signed by Superintendent, Principals or Presidents of the various colleges. For further information, call on your nearest ticket agent or write.

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Christmas NECKWEAR.

It matters not how many Christmas Gifts a man may receive, he will always be expecting something very handsome in the way of

A HANDSOME TIE

Don't disappoint him. We have a beautiful line of Christmas Neckwear in every new shape and style that is correct. Many of the Silk and shapes are confined to us for this locality and can not be found elsewhere. We have the choicest creations of the

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Special Sale On Pictures And Chairs

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I will make Special Prices on
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Lasting until SATURDAY, the
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Just received a fresh lot of evaporated apples, peaches, apricots, and cherries in pound packages at T. E. Hooker & Co.

Fruit cakes any size, and all kinds of fancy cakes at, T. E. Hooker & Co's., Phone 31

LOST.—Medium size white setter dog, with lemon colored ears, also has one lemon spot on tail. Reward for information leading to recovery. W. B. Dove, Greenville, N. C.

Cutting the price of box paper to 5 cents at Reflector Book store made them go yesterday and today. A few boxes left for tomorrow.

All kinds of cereals, buck wheat, oatmeal, grape nuts, possum, force, cream of wheat, Pettyjohn's breakfast food, shredded wheat biscuits, hecker's flapjack flour and grits, T. E. Hooker & Co. Phone 31. tf.

Judging from number of Parker fountain pens sold for Christmas presents there will become pleased recipients. There is yet a nice assortment to select from at Reflector Book Store.

Buy your seeded raisins, currants, citron and shelled almonds from T. E. Hooker & Co. Phone 31.

Primroses, Cyclamen, Asparagus, Pierson and Boston Ferns, &c. Remember your friend with one of these.

Olin E. Warren, Florist.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that we will apply to the Board of Commissioners of Pitt county at their meeting to be held on the first Monday in January, 1906, for license to retail liquor in the town of Bethel, N. C.

W. M. SKINNER & Co.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby forbidden under penalty of the law, to hunt on any of my lands on the North side of Tar river, known as the Wilson, Brown and Perkins farms, 51m

C. T. Munford.

The streets were lively today and will be more so tomorrow.

I am yet paying 11 1/2 cents for turkeys. S. M. Schultz

The passenger train had on an extra coach this morning to accommodate the holiday travel.

Every member of the Baptist church is requested to meet at the church at 7 o'clock tonight for practice.

All members of the Methodist church are requested to be at the church to night a 7 o'clock for practice.

Capt. W. Lewis is here again with two boat loads of nice oysters. Now is your chance to get your orders for Christmas. 22 2nd

Every purchaser of 50 cents worth of our Christmas goods we give you a chance to get a handsome gold watch free. Because it is to be given away, don't think that the watch is some cheap and shoddy affair. It is one of the best made, fitted with 15 jewel plain movement, and in a Crescent twenty five year gold filled case.

Mutually Satisfactory.

They had been married in due and ancient form.

"Geoffrey," said the young wife, "you endowed me with all your worldly goods, didn't you?"

"I did," answered the young husband.

"Well, I hereby give them back to you."

"Gwendolen," he said, "you promised to obey me, did you not?"

"I did."

"Well, dear, I hereby solemnly command you to do as you please hereafter, no matter what orders I may give you."

On that basis they lived happily ever after.—Chicago Tribune.

Similar Symptoms.

"Well, suzz, Ezry!" ejaculated a certain citizen of Pruntytown upon meeting an acquaintance. "You are lookin' real smilin' and satisfied this afternoon. Betcha it's a boy or girl—hey?"

"Betcha 'tain't!" was the reply.

"I've just swapped a balky horse to Deacon Pettifer for an animal that ain't got a thing in the world the matter with him except a spavin, the heaves and a stringhalt. That's what tickles me so."—Tom Watson's Magazine.

CHRISTMAS

Almost--Here



And we take the liberty of suggesting a few of our "Specials" before making Xmas purchase. Every article we sell is an ideal Xmas present and will be useful as well as appreciated.

THINK OF

Our line of Umbrellas from \$3.50 to \$10.

Our line of Silk Mufflers 50c to 3.00

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In addition to our line of novelties, we have the finest line of Clothing, Rain Coats, Footwear and Headwear, to be found anywhere. A suit clothes, a rain coat a pair of shoes or fine hat would make a nice present.



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THE MAN'S OUTFITTER.

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV. 9th, 1905.

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$141,402.67	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,575.80	Surplus,	25,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc.	2,500.00	Undivided Profits less	
Furniture & Fixtures	3,617.32	Expenses Paid	10,179.46
Banking House	4,100.00	Bills Payable	5,000.00
Due from Banks	128,610.89	Deposit subject to check 258 972.74	
Cash item	11,522.98	Cashier's checks out-	
Gold Coin	4,069.50	standing	347.99
Silver Coin	4,888.03		
Notes and other US notes	19,183.00		
	\$324,500.19		\$324,500.19

State of North Carolina, } ss
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 9th day of Nov., 1905
WALTER G. WARD,
Notary Public.

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By Wire to Daily Reflector.)

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts
AS WIRED BY
J. W. PERRY & COMPANY,
Cotton Factors, Norfolk, Va

	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	11 1/2	12
Middling	11 1/2	11 1/2
St. Low Middling	11 1/2	11 1/2
Low Middling	11 1/2	11 1/2
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	3 1/2	3 1/2
Strictly Prime	3 1/2	3 1/2
Prime	3	3
Low Grades	2 1/2	2 1/2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY
COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY
Bankers and Brokers,
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

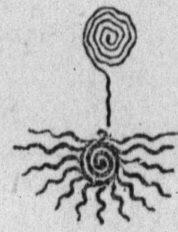
	Closed	Today	Yesterday
Jan.		11 54	11 55
May.		12 00	
Liverpool Futures.			
Dec. & Jan.		6 19	6 15
Chicago Market:			
May Wheat		87 1/2	87 1/2
May Corn		44 1/2	44 1/2
Jan Ribs		7 10	7 05
May Ribs		7 22	7 22
Jan Lard		7 37	7 40
May Lard		7 42	7 42

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,
REPORTED BY
J. B. CHERRY & CO.

Middling 11

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be Greenville at Hotel Bertha on Friday Dec. 15th for only. His practice is limited to eye, ear, nose and throat and fitting glasses 29 3wk

Special Rug SALE



Begins Monday at 9 O'clock—Will last Four Days only. We have just received a new Lot and very Pretty Patterns.

Come early and get Your pick.

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THE CHINESE WIFE.

Some of the Attributes of the Slant Eyed Helpmates.

The Chinese wife is nearly always constant, chaste and affectionate. Chinese stories like to dwell on the love of women that has no limit. This is why widowhood is revered and suicide on the part of the bereaved woman is not condemned in the old classics. It is because of this general acknowledgment of the unwavering constancy of wives that the fickle woman is held up to scathing satire in their plays and proverbs. It was from a Chinese story that Voltaire drew his inspiration for the tale of the woman who promised her husband on his deathbed that she would not marry till his grave was dry and was found next day fanning the mound to hasten the drying process.

Much of this contentment on the part of the Chinese women may no doubt arise from the common interest of the husband and wife in the growing family. You will often see fathers wheeling baby carriages along the streets, just as you see older sisters carrying the little fellows or mothers taking them on a visit to their neighbor for a mutual comparison of baby ailments and engaging traits. Until his school days begin the little boy does about as he pleases, but as soon as his days of study begin he is put under very strict discipline.

Girl babies are less welcome arrivals in a family than their little brothers, especially if there be several of them already. Among very poor people in times of famine girls are sometimes sold into slavery by their parents, both to rescue the rest of the family and the girls themselves from starvation. The lot of the slave girl is a hard one. She has none of the rights of a free woman. But it ought to be added that the Chinese look on this custom with great disfavor. A slave owner is nearly always a thoroughly hated individual in the community. — Pilgrim.

A Real Gentleman.

"John, a peddler came around today selling stove polish. He was a very agreeable gentleman. Why, he talked so pleasantly about the weather."

"You don't say, Maria?"

"Yes, and I bought a package. Then he complimented the baby, and I bought another package."

"H'm!"

"Presently he said our vestibule was kept in better order than any in the neighborhood, and then I bought another package."

"Great Scott!"

"Before he left he said he thought I was your daughter instead of being old enough to be your wife. Then I bought three additional packages. Oh, it doesn't do any harm to encourage a real gentleman when you meet one." — Chicago News.

Innocent or Not.

In the time of William III. Mr. Trendenham, a poet, was taken before the Earl of Nottingham on suspicion of having treasonable papers. "I am only a poet," protested the poor man, "and these pages are only my roughly sketched play."

The earl, however, carefully looked over the papers in question before liberating the poet. Finally he returned the sheets to the delighted author:

"I have heard your statement," said the earl gravely, "and I have read your play. As I cannot find the least trace of a plot in either the one or the other you may go free."

With this unflattering tribute to his innocence the poet departed with his plotless play.

A "Nonpossibility."

A lawyer from Maine, a big countryman, rawboned and red faced, had gone to the south to build up there a practice. His mouth was extraordinarily large. He had on the witness stand a southern backwoodsman. The witness had replied to his question that "it was a nonpossibility."

Quoth the lawyer: "A nonpossibility? Now, will you tell this court and this jury here what you mean by a nonpossibility? Give us an example."

Witness: "Well, I think it 'ud be a nonpossibility to make your mouth any bigger without setting your years back."

Of course the dignity of the court was sustained.

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A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.

Specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

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Located in main business section of the town.

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Our place is inviting, razors sharp our towels clean.

We thank you for past patronage and ask you to call again when good service is wanted

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Winslow & Mills.

The time being at hand when you will want some horses or mules to meet your needs the coming season we solicit your patronage.

We have SALE STABLES at Greenville and Ayden where we will carry a full stock of GOOD HORSES and MULES during the entire season. Come to see us and we will show you that it is a saving for you to trade with us, for we get our stock direct from the stock farms, thereby saving you the profits that the middle dealers have to make and which you save by buying from us. It would not take much of your time to pay us a visit and get familiar with our methods of doing business as we feel that it would result in making you a permanent customer, and we are sure we can make it benefit you for so doing. We are prepared to suit your needs and what is more we guarantee satisfaction.

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FIRST CLASS TEAMS for pleasure drives, or to take passengers to nearby points.

Good Drive and Work Horses and Mules for sale. I buy them in large numbers and can sell as low as any dealer, either for Cash or on Time.

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A leading magazine for 18 years. With the recent change of ownership it has been improved. It is far better in every respect, and aims to be the best in the field. Every year or so there's one notable advance in the forward movement among the many magazines. This year it is the Cosmopolitan.

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The Woman's Home Companion is for every member of the family. For our bright, earnest, cultured, home loving American woman it is an ideal entertainer and helper in a thousand congenial ways; but the fathers and brothers and sons join in its perusal by the fireside; children eagerly turn to the pages that are written for them.

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AN HONEST CHINAMAN.

He Followed Orders to Do as the Colored Servant Did.

"Whatever may be said about the Chinese, one thing in their favor is their honesty," said a man who has traveled. "I have been told that one reason for this is because theft is a capital offense in China, and that the average Chinaman is honest because he has been taught from youth up that if he steals he will lose his head. I don't know whether this is true or not. However, if you will talk to people who reside on the Pacific slope and who are loudest in their cries in favor of the exclusion of Chinese labor they will tell you that as a class the Chinese are honest. They work for a mere pittance and can live on almost nothing, but they are not thieves.

"Some years ago when I was in California I was told a story illustrative of Chinese honesty. A citizen of Los Angeles had a negro cook in his family. The negro had given notice of his intention to give up his place, and a Chinaman had been employed to succeed him. The lady of the house instructed the Chinaman to go to the kitchen and work with the negro for a couple of days in order to learn from him the methods followed in cooking in that particular household. 'Now, John,' said the lady to the Chinaman, 'I want you to do just what the negro does and thus learn how we want our work performed.'

"Accepting this order, the Chinaman proceeded to his duties. A couple of days later the negro gave up his place, and the Chinaman was left alone in the kitchen. The lady of the house did not go to the kitchen until three days after the negro had left. To her surprise she found on one of the tables a small pile of flour, a pile of potatoes, a number of slices of raw ham and in fact samples of everything in the food line which had been eaten there for the past several days. 'What in the world does this mean, John?' she called out to the Celestial. 'Wellee, you tellee me to do what niggee do. Every morning niggee pour little flour on table, den he pour out little rice, den he keep out little ham. Chinee must do what niggee do, you say.' Then it dawned upon the lady that before each meal the negro cook had reserved a portion of the uncooked food for himself and had carried it away—had stolen it. The Chinaman in literally obeying the orders given him to do what the negro did had also taken 'toll,' but, unlike the negro, had neglected to make way with his booty, but left it on the table and before each meal had added to the accumulation, thus proving that while the yellow man was a good imitator he was a sorry thief."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Uisge, Whisky.

When you ask the peasant boy in Scotland whom you meet after your dip in the river what is the name of the river and what is the Gaelic for water, the river, he says, is called the Esk, and the Gaelic for water is uisge. "Uisge!" you say. "That sounds very much like whisky." And so it is unquestionably, as the schoolmaster may tell you, uisge-beatha, the full Gaelic for the strong drink of the mountains, being neither more nor less than a compound of uisge (water) and beatha (life), evidently the Latin vita—eau de vie, as the French call it. But what is uisge, which appears also in the name of more than one Scottish river? The Esk is simply uisge, the water, the oldest form of the Latin aqua.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Pertinent.

Charles II. was altogether in favor of extempore preaching. On one occasion he asked the famous Stillingfleet how it was that he always read his sermons before him, when he was informed that he always preached without a book elsewhere. Stillingfleet answered something about the awe of so noble a congregation, the presence of so great and wise a prince, with which the king himself was very well contented. "But pray," continued Stillingfleet, "will your majesty give me leave to ask you a question? Why do you read your speeches when you can have none of the same reasons?" "Why, truly, doctor," replied the king, "your question is a very pertinent one and so will be my answer. I have asked the two houses so often and for so much money that I am ashamed to look them in the face."

Four Passenger Trains a Day

WITH SPECIAL HOLIDAY RATES TO THE
Great Pre-Christmas Gift Sale.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Train No. 58 from Kinston arrives at Greenville 8.28 a. m. Train No. 59 leaves Greenville for Kinston at 5.47 p. m., giving 9 hours to do your shopping at

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE,
Greenville, N. C.

MUNFORD'S

Is the ocean to which all Traffic Rivers Flow. It has been our good fortune to offer a sale at such savings at a time when they would be so highly appreciated as now.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Train No. 57 from Tarboro arrives at Greenville 11.18 a. m., train No. 56 for Tarboro 4-27 p. m., giving you 5 hours to do your shopping at

MUNFORD'S BIG STORE,
Greenville, N. C.

CHRISTMAS

Is upon us and with the thought comes that happy smile, born of keen pleasure afforded us in an opportunity to remind our friends that we still retain a "cozy corner" in our hearts and memories for them. Suitable Presents now to be found at

Munford's Big Store, Greenville.

Dress Suits, Tuxedo Suits, Business Suits, Fine Underwear, Soft and Stiff Hats, Dress Gloves, Driving Gloves, Dress Shirts, Silk Scarfs, Silk Suspenders, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Full Dress Protectors, Silk Mufflers, Umbrellas, Dress Suit Cases. Women's Wearables at underselling prices. What could be more appropriate for a holiday gift than some nice Furs. Full line of Waists and Skirt Patterns, Millinery, Women's Coats, Tables, Chairs, Bed-room Suits, Rugs, Carpet, Matting, Pictures, Trunks. Be careful don't overlook our Shoe and Clothing Department or you may never know what you might have saved till it is too late.

C. T. MUNFORD'S

«Big Store»

Greenville, North Carolina.

How many people there are who wait until their friends are dead and gone before they say a good word in their favor! We have seen them, and so have you. Eulogies, flowers and tears will do no one good after they have shuffled off this mortal coil. If you have nice and pleasant things to say, say them while your friend is living. Some writer has truly said, "If my friends have alabaster boxes laid away full of fragrant perfumes of sympathy and affection, which they intend to break over my dead body, I would rather they would bring them out in my weary and troubled hours, and open them, that I may be refreshed and cheered by them while I need them. I would rather have a plain coffin without a flower, a funeral without a eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy. Let us learn to anoint our friends before hand for the burial. Post mortem kindness does not cheer the burdened spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over the weary way."—Durham Sun.

Women's clubs are reported to be on the increase all over the country. This helps to explain why babies are on the decrease.—Atlanta Journal.

THE TAYLOR HOUSE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

After January 1st I will be found at the Blow House, on the corner west of the Masonic Temple opera house, where I will be glad to see all my old customers who have patronized me at the old Quinn House. The house has been thoroughly renovated and put in neat condition, and everything that the market affords will be found on my table.

THE TAYLOR HOUSE,
MISS LULA TAYLOR, PROP.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, having issued Letters of Administration to me, the undersigned, on the 13th day of Dec. 1905, on the estate of F. M. Whichard, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of said estate to present their claims properly authenticated, to the undersigned, within twelve months after the date of this notice, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

This the 13th day of Dec, 1905,
Mrs. L. M. Whichard.
Ashley whichard Adm. on the Estate of F. M. whichard. I. A. Sugg Atty.

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND Known as "Spring Garden Farm"

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain Deed of Trust made and executed on the 23rd day of December 1903 by R. J. Wethersbee to E. H. Meadows and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Craven County, N. C. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the premises, known as "Spring Garden Farm" near Neuse River on Monday the 22nd day of January 1906 at 12 o'clock M.

The following tract of land, known and designated as the "Spring Garden Tract," beginning at a stake on the margin of Neuse river, and running South 32 dgs west 40 poles to an old marked gum, the original corner of the tract of land, then south 52 dgs west 44 poles along a line of old marked trees to an old marked Pine one of the original corners of the tract of land, then north 60 dgs west along a line of old marked trees to a light wood stake, now the dividing line between the lands now or of the late John Rhem and said tract of land, then N. 5 dgs east along the line of marked trees the dividing line between said land now or late of John Rhem and the said tract of land 279 poles to a gum, then north 22 dgs east to the river, then down the river to the beginning always save and excepting so much of said tract of land as is described in a deed from George Allen, Edward Arnold, Elisha F. Arnold and Caroline Arnold to Rachel Ann Arnold, recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Craven county, book 88 folios 53 to which reference is made for a more particular description. Also saving and excepting that part of said tract of land which was conveyed by Edward Arnold and others to T. J. May by deed registered in office of Register of Deeds of Craven County book 87, page 349 and book 100 page 352 respectively, to which reference is made for a more particular description.

Also three head of team, all the harvested crops of corn, hay &c. all carts, wagons, buggies, harness and all farming implements of every kind and description belongin to and used in the cultivation of said "Spring Garden Farm."

Dated at New Bern, N. C. December 18th 1905.

E. H. Meadows,
Trustee.

The Christmas Store

Greenville's Great Department Store

Is always to the front with new and desirable merchandise, and Christmas finds us ready to meet your demands in the most satisfactory manner. Christmas shoppers will do well to pay

our store a visit before purchasing.

The **CUT GLASS AND CHINA** department is sparkling with beauty and richness.

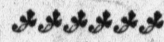


The **STERLING SILVER** display is beautiful and very handsome, containing many useful and artistic things.



The **TOYS AND BRIC-A-BRAC** are all that could be required. Here the children and grown folks too can all be suited.

In the **GROCERY** Department you will find many things to tickle the palate. Good things to eat in abundance, and all of the best quality.



Look through our **FURNITURE** stock before deciding on a Christmas Gift. How would you like a pretty Chair?



GUNS; Loaded Shells and Loaded Implements for holiday sport.

Our Dry Goods Store

Offers you a fine opportunity to make splendid selections of useful gifts and of course you want to buy here where the variety is the greatest.

Beautiful **FUR NECKWEAR**, Scarfs of various shapes and sizes in black, Coney, Isabella Fox, Sable Coney, Sable Opossum, from **\$2.00** to **\$15.00** each.

Childrens **FUR SETS**, scarf and muff to match, from **\$1.00** to **\$4.00**.

Linen Mexican **DRAWN WORK** in Doilies, Table Covers, Bureau Scarfs, Tray Cloths.

Stamped Linens, Embroidery Silks, Sofa Pillow Tops, Pillow Cords.

Tapestry Portieres, Table Covers, Lace Curtains, Net Curtains, Silk Mantel Draperies and Tapestry by the yard.

Gillette Safety Razors, Silver Plated, a fine present for Christmas.

Guaranteed **Kid Gloves**, in black, grey, mode, tan and white, at **\$1.00** per pair. Golf Gloves for ladies, Knit Gloves and Mittens for children.

Great values are offered in our **Gloak** Department. Long and short Cloaks for ladies, misses and children. Infant's Cloaks in white and light colors.

Our **Notion** Department is very attractive, showing lovely things in Shopping Bags, Belts, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Fans, Hosiery, Marsalles Quilts, Towels, Table Linen and Napkins.

Fay Stockings for children and ladies.

Shoes you always want and a pair of those stylish, elegant **DOROTHY DODD** Shoes will be just right for a Christmas gift.

Make our store your headquarters, look through our large and select stock and let us help to make your Christmas a happy one.

J. B. CHERRY & CO.