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MAIL ORDER HOUSES.

The Local Merchant Can Hold His Own Against Them if They Will Follow Their Example

In discussing the damage inflicted upon the business of the local merchant by the competitions of the mail order house the Southwestern Manufacturer and Jobber, of Kansas City, is inclined to believe that the home dealer would have no difficulty in holding his own except for the fact that the mail order house is invariably an aggressive advertiser. Advertising is the power that enables the mail order people to divert the dollars of the farmer from the till of the country store into their own coffers.

They advertise much and well. They publish full descriptions of their goods—they show them in cuts—they almost invariably print the exact prices. How else could they get business? It is by heavy advertisement that they succeed. To spend \$10,000 to \$25,000 a year in various forms of advertising is no uncommon thing with these houses. Their annual catalogues, heavy volumes in themselves, are sent out by the cartload. They reach almost every postmaster in the country by their circulars and letters; they communicate with the rural delivery carriers; they expend effort, time and money in getting the addresses of persons in every neighborhood and hamlet in the entire country. They advertise by sending circulars, letters, pamphlets, catalogues, pictures and papers to every home where there is a possibility of selling five cents worth of goods. Moreover, they employ talented men in their correspondence department. One manager with often a number of assistants, devotes his entire time to the "kicks" and complaints of dissatisfied customers. Genial and pleasant letters are written, regrets for mistakes, assurances that the house will make it right, and a strong statement that such a valued customer will always get immediate attention—all advertisements in an indirect form.

The mail order horse endeavors to get into direct personal connection with every possible customer. The local merchant might benefit by a like course. Let him study the methods of the mail order house and meet them on their own grounds—fight them with their own weapons. If the local merchant should circularize as carefully, if he would show up the methods, character of goods, the expense of freight, etc., as strongly and as persistently as the mail order houses endeavor to undermine his trade, he might find a very different result in a short time.

Wash Outs

Owing to the dam at Sam branch being washed in two by the heavy rains, Carrier A. L. Potter, on Greenville Route No. 1, could only reach the patrons living this side of the branch on Tuesday. Today he is trying to reach his patrons by taking another road. Washouts are giving all of the carriers more or less trouble.

WHAT THE TRUST HAS DONE TO TOBACCO GROWERS.

The tobacco farmers of Rockingham county are reported to be in the humor to abandon the cultivation of tobacco because the trust has continually hammered down the price until it cannot now be produced at remunerative prices. In Stokes and other counties the farmers are organizing for the purpose of holding their crops in order to compel the trust to pay better prices.

An examination of prices shows how the trust has steadily put down the price to its own enrichment and the impoverishment of the tobacco growers. The Danville (Va.) market is the largest bright tobacco market in the country. In 1875 there were sold on that market 14,679,431 pounds and it brought \$3,002,218.17, or an average of \$20.45 per hundred pounds. In 1885, there was sold 37,016,908 pounds for \$5,012,999.19, an average of \$13.54 per hundred pounds. In 1906 there was sold 40,160,999 pounds for \$3,127,568, and average of \$7.79 per hundred pounds. These figures show that twenty one years ago, before the trust became all powerful, tobacco farmers got over twenty cents a pound for their product. Now that the trust magnates fix the price in a back-room office in New York, the farmers get only seven and three-quarter cents a pound. It costs more to make a pound of tobacco now than then for labor and everything else has gone up in price. The product of the factories has been raised to consumers while the leaf tobacco has been decreased to the producers.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Church Dedication.

The Universalist church here will be dedicated next Sunday morning. The dedicatory services will be conducted by Dr. D. B. Clayton and Rev. Thos. Chapman. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend the service.

Rev. Mr. Chapman will preach at the church on Friday and Saturday nights, July 27th and 28, previous at the dedicatory services Sunday.

GRIMESLAND ITEMS.

Grimesland, N. C., July 24, 1906.

W. H. Ricks and family, of Greenville, and Miss Emma Warren, of Washington, spent Saturday night and Sunday with R. T. Wilson and family.

Miss Ward Moore is spending some time with relatives in Norfolk.

Robert Wilson and wife, of Beaufort county spent Sunday with W. M. Moore.

F. Ward and Jno. F. Boyd, from near Greenville, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Dr. C. M. Jones.

Our sick are all much improved. We hope to see them out soon.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday.

OBITUARIES.

Haddock—Bessie, wife of Mr. Jessie Haddock, was born July 24th 1877; and died at her home near Haddock X Roads, July 18th, 1906. She was the youngest daughter of Wm E. Winley, deceased.

In early womanhood, she joined the M. E. church, South, at Macedonia; and from that day on, she tried to live a Christian. But like others, she had her trials and conflicts. And above all, there was sickness and disease to fight against yet she fought patiently and bravely unto the end.

She was conscious that death was near, but said that all was well, and there was no dread or fear of death except its sting. So we believe that sister Haddock has entered into rest.

May this glorious thought comfort the bereaved husband, little daughter, four sisters and other relatives and friends.

B. E. Stanfield, P. C.

Venters—Death has claimed another victim.

Claud E. Venters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Venters, was sick just exactly seven weeks with typhoid fever; and died July 21st, 1906.

He was only about 22 years of age when he died, so he was just developing into young manhood, and seemingly had a long life before him. But we never know the day or hour that we must die. How important then to be ready.

I received Claud into the Methodist church at Macedonia last fall and I hope he lived a Christian from that day on. He has told me since that he was determined to try, and to do his duty.

May God comfort the father, mother, sisters and brothers; and other relatives during this dark hour of affliction.

B. E. Stanfield, P. C.

LITTLE FOR REGISER.

We the undersigned voters of Chicod township, second the citizens of Winterville in presenting R. L. Little of Greenville township for our next Register of Deeds.

We believe he will prove more strength in the primaries than any candidate in the field.

L. S. Edwards
J. B. Galloway.
W. H. Buck.
Henry Dixon.
J. B. Tucker.
W. H. Porter.

STRICKLAND-BOYD.

Marriage Near Greenville.

Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, 4 miles from Greenville in the presence of relatives and friends, Miss Mary Hoover Boyd was married to Mr. Junius T. Strickland, Rev. B. E. Stanfield performing the ceremony.

The bride entered the prettily decorated parlor with her brother, C. O. H. Boyd, the groom with his sister, Miss Lizzie Strickland. After the wedding they were driven to Greenville, where they left on the evening train for Asheville and other places of interest.

Mrs. Strickland is one of Pitt county's charming young ladies. Mr. Strickland is one of Wilson's most promising young men. Their many friends bespeak for them a happy future. They will make their home in Wilson.

WINTERVILLE NOTES

Interesting Items from Our Hurling Neighbor.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., July 25 —

Miss Elizabeth Boushall, of Belcross, spent Sunday here visiting Miss Laura Cox. Miss Boushall is from one of the leading families of the State. Winterville High school is exceedingly fortunate in securing her as a teacher of the primary department the coming year. She took a special course in primary work at Raleigh this summer. We predict for her much success here.

Rev. C. J. Wells, of Kinston, filled Rev. T. H. King's appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning, preaching an excellent sermon. There were no services Sunday evening on account of the rain. He returned to Kinston Monday.

Miss Helen Galloway, of Grimesland, was visiting at Mrs. R. G. Chapman's Sunday.

A party of our young people consisting of the following couples, J. E. Greene and Miss Mimie Cox, F. F. Cox and Miss Hattie Kirtrell, C. J. Jackson and Miss Dora Cox, Joshua Manning and Miss Lala Chapman, took a most pleasant hay ride to Ayden Saturday night. In addition to the enchanting songs, watermelons, candy and fruit were in profusion. From the glowing accounts we predict another hay ride soon.

Miss Mimie Cox left Monday to spend some time visiting in Kinston, LaGrange and Seven Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jolly, of Ayden, attended church here Sunday.

Miss Mollie Bryan returned Saturday evening after a most pleasant visit at Seven Springs for several days.

Prof. Lineberry spent Sunday at home and went to Snow Hill Monday.

On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cox gave a most delightful party in honor of Miss Elizabeth Boushall who was visiting Miss Laura Cox. Their host of friends who attended were received into the parlor where they were delightfully entertained for sometime by sweet strains of music furnished by Miss Ventia Cox, and many games. Couples to repair to the spacious and beautifully decorated dining room for refreshments, were chosen by each young man and young lady fitting pictures which had been given them. One young man who has very red hair rendered his excuse for the rapid disappearance of the cream by saying that his hair melted it. After the refreshments the guests returned to the parlor for music and games. Couples for the guessing contest in the dining room were again chosen by the ladies representing the States and the young men the capitals. The highest prize was awarded to J. S. Cox and Miss Kate Chapman and the booby to Oscar Rollins and Mrs. Sarah Taylor. The prizes were delivered by Jno. B. Carrol with a neat and appropriate little speech. The party was an entire success in every feature.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Of Those Coming and Going.

C. C. Vines went to Virginia Beach today.

Rev. W. E. Cox went to Ayden this morning.

Jimmie Rives went to Ayden this morning.

H. A. White went to Scotland Neck this morning.

T. R. Moore returned Tuesday evening from Norfolk.

W. S. Atkins returned Tuesday evening from New York.

Miss Lucy Ross, of Bonneron, is visiting Miss Bernice Hornaday.

Miss Lucille Cobb is spending the week with Miss Mary Shelburn.

Mrs. F. G. James and returned Tuesday afternoon from Morehead.

Julius Brown went to Ayden Tuesday evening and returned this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Latham returned Tuesday evening from Beaufort county.

Ernest Baker is sick with fever.

Earl Harrington went to Scotland Neck this morning.

Miss Kate Hudgins, of Portsmouth, who has been visiting Miss Lollie White, returned home this morning.

Miss Louise Josey, of Scotland Neck, who has been visiting Miss Elise Vincent, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Pattie Hooker, Mrs. T. E. Hooker and children and W. L. Hooker left this morning for Asheville.

Mrs. H. C. Hooker and daughter, Maud, went to Elm City Tuesday afternoon to attend the district conference.

Rev. J. A. Hornaday and sons, Clifford and Fred, went to Elm City Tuesday afternoon to attend the district conference.

Mrs. Joe Lichtenstein and daughter, Miss Florence, and son, Joe, of Richmond, are visiting the family of her brother, S. M. Schultz.

Miss Mary Fleming, of House, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Claud West, returned home this morning accompanied by Mrs. West.

J. W. Strickland, of Henderson, who was here looking after the telephone exchange during the absence of Manager Williams, left this morning.

Mrs. Charles Perkins, of Philadelphia and Miss Louise Stam, of Chestertown, Md., who have been visiting Mrs. F. C. Harding, left this morning for their homes.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ayscue left this morning for a vacation which they will spend at Chicago and Geneva Springs, Ills. While away Mr. Ayscue will combine recreation with a course of reading at Chicago University.

Doctors Meet.

The County Medical Association held a meeting here today. After the meeting the local doctors entertained their visiting brethren at dinner in Carolina Club rooms.

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ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Treatment For Patients Suffering From Sunstroke.

In case of sunstroke immediate treatment must be given to remove excessive heat. Get the patient to a shaded spot, remove the clothing and bathe the body, face and head in ice water. Lay ice in towels on head and neck and over the wrists. Rub spine and surface with it. If able to drink give all the cold water the patient can take, but never stimulants. In case of sunstroke the face is red and the head and body hot and dry. In case of heat exhaustion the face is usually pale and the pulse rapid and feeble. In this case give the patient rest in a cool, well ventilated room and administer stimulants gradually. Persons addicted to alcoholic drinks are much more susceptible than others to sunstroke and exhaustion.

The sincerest tribute that can be paid to superiority is imitation. The many imitations of Dewitt's witch Hazel Salve that are now before the public prove it the best. Ask for Dewitt's Good for burns, scalds, chafed skin, eczema, tetter, cuts, bruises, boils and piles. Highly recommended and reliable. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

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2.50 Regania Shoes at	2.05	12 1-2 cent Percale at	8c
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Proclamation by the Governor. \$100.00 REWARD

State of North Carolina
Executive Department

Whereas official information has been received at this department that W. H. Harrington Jr. late of the County of Pitt stands charged with conspiracy and assault upon W. J. Tell, and whereas, it appears that the said W. H. Harrington Jr. has fled the State or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

Now, therefore, I, R. B. Glenn, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of One hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said W. H. Harrington Jr. to the Sheriff of Pitt County at the Court house in Greenville N. C. and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our City of Raleigh the 16th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six and in the one hundred and thirty-first year of our American Independence.

R. B. GLENN,
By the Governor.
A. H. ARRINGTON,
Private Secretary.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

A Democratic convention of Pitt county will be held at the court house, in the town of Greenville, at 12 M, Wednesday August 15th 1906, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Legislature and various county officers.

Township Primaries—The Democratic primaries of the several precincts are hereby called to meet at their usual places on Saturday, the 11th day of August, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the county convention, nominate Constables, Justices of the Peace, and elect precinct executive committee. The townships are entitled to delegates and alternates as follows:

Beaver Dam	3
Belvoir	2
Bethel	7
Carolina	6
Chico	16
Conte's tree	17
Falkland	7
Farmville	6
Greenville	20
Pactolus	3
Swift Creek	6

It is hoped that a full attendance of the Democratic voters of each township will be present and select their delegates in accordance with the organization of the party.

By order of the Democratic Executive committee
W. L. BRWN, L. I. MOORE,
Secretary, Chairman.

Notice

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention, and will appreciate the support any friends may give me.
J. C. Lanier.

SUMMONS.

North Carolina, } In Superior Court.
Pitt County. }

Airy G. Peyton, vs Robert D. Peyton

The defendant Robert D. Peyton, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court for Pitt County, for divorce, and the defendant will take notice that he is required to appear at the Superior Court for the County of Pitt to be held at the Court House in Greenville on the second Monday after the first Monday in September, 1906, and answer or demur to the complaint, a copy of which will be deposited in the Clerk's office of said court within the first three days of said term or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and seal, this July 19th 1906. D. C. MOORE,
J. A. SUGG, C. S. C.
Atty for Pl'tf.

NOTICE.

On account of disagreement between my partner, L. I. Moore, and myself concerning the accounting for fees, commission, &c. belonging to the firm I declined to continue the partnership, and Mr. Moore assented to a separation, which actually took place on July the 17th, 1906.

We have been unable to agree upon a settlement of the affairs of the partnership, and therefore the dissolution and settlement will have to be hereafter perfected in some other way.

All civil business pending at the time of the separation in which the firm or either of us have been retained will receive my best efforts to its final determination.

I shall continue the practice of law at my same office and will be glad to have my clients and friends call to see me.
This July 20th 1906

JAMES L. FLEMING.

JAMES L. FLEMING,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
GREENVILLE, N. C.

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Unto the poor some cash I give,
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TO THE VOTERS PITT COUNTY.

I take this method to announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

If I am nominated and elected I will endeavor to fill the office with credit to myself, and satisfaction to the people.

If I am not nominated, I will do all in my power to elect the nominee, and the entire Democratic ticket.

Respectfully,
OSBORN C. NOBLES.
July 23rd, 1906. 24 3wke.

\$8.25

TO WASHINGTON, D. C. And Return via. ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Account Negro young peoples Christian and Educational Conference, July 31st-August 5th 1906.

Tickets on sale July 27th, 30th and 31st final limit August 8th. Final limit to September 8th may be obtained by deposit of ticket with Special Agent, Washington D. C. between the hours of 8:30 a m and 6 p m daily except Sunday, or between the hours of 9 a m and 2 p m Sunday's not earlier than July 27th nor later than August 8th. and payment of fee of fifty cts. For further information communicate with your nearest ticket agent or write

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.
Wilmington, N. C.

FORMOSA HEAD HUNTERS.

The mountainous interior of Formosa is inhabited by a race of blood-thirsty savages, whose chief delight is to sally forth on head hunting raids. Few strangers (the exceptions being some intrepid Japanese explorers) have ever penetrated far into the wild mountain country which is the home of these savages.

They appear to be akin to the Dyaks of Borneo, but no definite study of their language or habits has yet been made, though interesting details will be found in Consul Davidson's voluminous book on Formosa. For hundreds of years the tribes, eight in number, have withstood their enemies, who have never been able to penetrate to their fastnesses. It remains to be seen what success the more systematic Japanese will achieve.

It seems almost incredible that the station of a military force should not be safe from the raids of these head hunters, but it was the case a few years ago. At that time one of the tribes crept in the night upon a post of the Japanese and made off with a score of heads.

Their most usual method is to stalk the Chinese of either sex when they are engaged in tea picking. The savage creeps up unobserved to his victim, transfixes him with his spear, secures his head and is lost in a moment in the neighboring jungle.—Macmillan's.

A Revolving Head.

What they call the "man with the revolving head" is being examined by the medical society of Prague. The subject's name is H. Costo. He turns his head around naturally as far as the shoulder and then twists it farther with his hands till he looks completely backward, with his chin above the line of the spine.

Try This One.

Did you ever try this one? Take any number between one and nine. Add one to it. Multiply by nine. Cross out the left hand figure. Add fourteen. Add the original number selected. Then follow the advice of the answer.—Pittsburg Post.

Cottage Cheese Salad.

Mold soft cottage cheese into balls the size of a bird's egg; arrange them carefully with cucumber dice and a little chopped onion; serve with French dressing.

A Kitchen Hint.

If you will always set the dishpan with the handles at the front and back instead of at the sides as you face it you will have fewer nicked tea sets.

Sonnet on and Against Time.

Ah, Time, how fleet thou goest and how fast!
As Horace once poetically said
And all the other poets I have read;
They are unanimous, from first to last,
The future is not yet; gone is the past;
The present in a moment will be dead
And (this is sonnet license) buried.
So be it then, forsooth; the die is cast!
How many times it has been said! And yet
In all my books of poetry and prose
No single glowing instance do I find
Where bard hath ever mentioned it. I'll bet
That never Time one-half so quickly
As in a poker game—when you're behind!
—American Spectator.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

How a Bumble Bee Made a Sprinter Out of Critic.

One day as the Bumble Bee was sitting on the top rail of a fence and swinging his legs and taking things easy a man came along and called out:

"Ah, here you are, loafing aound as usual. Do you know that you are called the laziest of the insect kingdom? You toil not, neither do you spin, but are always eating the bread of others."

"That's a little way I have fallen into," replied the Bumble without ill feeling.

"Then you had best fall out of it. My dear sir, everybody works but father, and if you want to save your character get busy."

"I think I will, and thanks for your interest in me."

Thereupon the Bumble went at it and "lifted" the man three feet from the ground and ran him around two haystacks and a cider mill to be met with the complaint:

"Alas, but owing to your activity and the vigorous manner in which you do business you have given me palpitation of the heart and caused me to lose a whole day's work."

Moral—He who wakes up a sleeping dog should be prepared to outrun him.—Chicago News.

Unconscious Greatness.

"The ancestors of whom you boast," remarked the reproving friend, "displayed no such pride as yours."

"Certainly not," answered the haughty person, "why should they? They had no means of knowing they were to be my ancestors."—Washington Star.

In the Wedding Month.

Bishop Olmsted of Colorado was talking at a dinner party in Denver about June weddings, according to the Chicago Inter Ocean.

"June is a lovely month," he said, "and that it should be the month of all months for weddings is a fact easily understood.

"I was amused by the remark a jeweler made the other day.

"The jeweler said that at this season it is a very common thing to see a well dressed, handsome, intelligent looking young man come into his shop and say in a painfully nervous way:

"Um, ah—er—er—ah—er—ha, um—"

"In this contingency the jeweler simply calls to his clerk:

"Get out that tray of engagement rings, Jackson."

To Polish Pewter.

Get pulverized rottenstone and wet with sweet oil. Rub on good and hard with a piece of old flannel, put aside to dry, then get some whiting, rub on with a piece of clean flannel, and your pewter will look like silver.

The Mucilage Dottle.

A mucilage bottle is always handy, and if the tip comes off a shoestring or a firm end is wanted on cord drop the end into the glue, and when dry the shoestring is as good as retipped for many weeks.

To Peel Apples.

Use a silver knife to peel apples, and the hands will not be blackened as when a steel knife is used. The acid of the fruit (acetic acid) acts on the iron in the latter case, but does not affect the silver.

Alum Water.

This is used for rinsing curtains and muslin hangings and children's dresses and pinafores, rendering them noninflammable. Dissolve two ounces of alum in a gallon of water and use for rinsing.

Raspberry Sherbet.

Mash a quart of raspberries, cover with a pound of sugar and add the juice of a large lemon. Stand for two hours, then squeeze hard through coarse muslin. Turn into a freezer and freeze.

Well Recommended.

There is a story told of the late Dr. Tait, archbishop of Canterbury, when he applied for his letters to some village postmaster in the Land o' Cakes. "And ye'll be the archbishop noo?" cried the little shopkeeper, peering urbanely at his grace over his spectacles. "Weel, I've hard tell o' ye frae my son, who is weel placed in London and has hard ye preach. And, indeed, he was verra weel satisfied w' your discourse."

Saved His Comrades Life.

"While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a comrade from Elgin, Ill. was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition," says Mr. J. E. Houghland, of Elgin, Iowa. I gave him Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe saved his life. I have been engaged ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

A Tragic Finish

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Venceboro Me., permitted a little cold to go on until a tragic finish was ordered by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes "Three doctors gave me up to die of lung inflammation, caused by a neglected cold but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life. Guaranteed best cough and cold cure at J. L. Wooten's drug store. 50 cent and 1.00 Trial bottle free.

Modest Claims—Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by J. L. Wooten

Only 82 Years Old.

"I am only 82 years old and don't expect even when I get to be real old to feel that way as long as I can get Electric Bitters," says Mrs. E. H. Brunson, of Dublin Ga. Surely there is nothing else keeps the old as young and makes the weak as strong as this grand tonic medicine. Dyspepsia, torpid liver, inflamed kidneys or chronic constipation are unknown after taking Electric Bitters a reasonable time. Guaranteed by J. L. Wooten druggist. Price 50c

Removes the microbes which impoverish the blood and circulation. Stops all trouble that interferes with nutrition. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Tea or Tablets. 35 cents. Wooten's Drug Store.

Tied down to his desk in the office while others are free and at play, Papa fancies he is having a vacation, while drinking Rocky Mountain Tea.

Does evil still, your whole life fill? Does woe betide? You, thoughts abide on suicide? You need a pill!

Now for prose and facts, DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most pleasant and reliable pills known today. They never gripe. Sold by J. L. Wooten

A sweet breath adds to the joys of kiss. You wouldn't kiss your wife, mother or sweet heart with a bad breath. You can't have a sweet breath without a healthy stomach. You can't have a healthy stomach without perfect digestion. There is only one remedy that digests what you eat and takes the breath as sweet as a rose—and that remedy is Kodol for dyspepsia. It is a relief for sour stomach, palpitation of the heart, and ailments arising from disorder of the stomach and digestion. Take a little Kodol after your meals and see what it will do for you. Sold by J. L. Wooten

A prompt relief for croup. One Minute Cough Cure, cuts the phlegm, always the inflammation—the cough syrup with a reputation. Sold by John L. Wooten.

It brings the little one that priceless gift of healthy flesh, solid bone and muscle. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. Best baby medicine on earth. Tea or Tablets. 35 cents. Wooten's Drug Store.

Pharmacists throughout the world have devoted their lives to the perfecting of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It contains the choicest medicinal roots and herbs known to modern medicine. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents.

Watermelons are moderately plentiful but the real goodness are few and far between.

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY, 25, 1906.

The railroads catch it hard in such wrecks as the recent one near Hamlet.

The Longworths tumble just like other folks when their automobile gets to bucking.

The government is now taking a turn at the powder trust. They will find something to blow up yet.

One subscriber suggests that The Reflector talk good streets more. That is almost like talking to the mud.

Blackburn has become very sanguine. He says he is going to beat Hackett this time and Adams next time.

From the way folks went after the \$30,000,000 Panama canal bonds shows that they like Uncle Sam's due bills.

The business men of Greenville are not tumbling over each other to organize a chamber of commerce or board of trade, but it is not because they ought not to be doing so.

A Louisiana man announces the discovery of a variety of cotton that is weevil proof. A kind that could be immune from the attacks of bulls and bears would be best.

Rockefeller is reported to be laughing at the Ohio sheriff who declares he will arrest him as soon as he sets his foot back on American soil. But "he laughs best who laughs last."

An Asheville man has brought suit against the compilers of a city directory because by the mistake of a printer a mark was placed by the name distinguishing the family as negroes.

In a short while now the National Guard of the State will go into summer encampment. It is to be hoped that such disgraceful scenes that have marked the conduct of the soldiers enroute to and from the camp in past years will be left off this time.

NO LAWYERS BY AND BY.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis, corporation counsel of Chicago, politician, former Congressman, wit and after-dinner speaker, says: "In eight hundred years—yes, before that period has elapsed—the lawyer will be without a profession.

"The law is in the midst of great changes," he said to a Chicago Post writer. "I believe that in 50 years the evolution will have progressed so far

that we will have a tribunal something like those of ancient Greece, where any man, whether he be lawyer or not, can go and present his case.

"The lawyer, except as an advocate, is disappearing from the world. The necessity for him is waning. Men are learning to get together and settle their business matters or their troubles without him.

There was a time when the law offered a man preferment honors, social entree, and everything to be desired. Not so today. The lawyer is looked upon as a parasite, feeding on the body politic. On every hand we see lawyers turning away from the practice of their profession and getting into channels of life offering them better returns for their abilities.

"I say without hesitation that the lawyer is the lowest paid worker in any class of endeavor to be cited, considering what he puts into his work. Take the corporation lawyer getting perhaps \$2,500 or \$3,000 a year. He makes it possible for his employers to accumulate millions. Take the lawyer who defends the corporation damage suit. What does he get for the life-blood he puts into his fight?

Take the criminal lawyer. He gives his very flesh to the cause. He saves life and liberty, and in return what does he get but a paltry sum?

"I repeat that the world is learning to get along without lawyers. You ask me if it is not true that the colleges are turning out more lawyers today than ever before and that the number of lawyers in proportion to the population is increasing. I am not prepared to say that such is the fact. My opinions have been derided by the law schools that are turning out lawyers to starve.

"We do not have to go far back to see what an evolution already has taken place in the legal calling. Now it is not learning that takes a man to the front. It is not depth of wisdom, years of study or conscientious work. What is it? Paper cap explosions! Noise!

"No longer is it necessary for a man to be a lawyer to go to Congress. Business men go there. The places once considered as belonging only to the lawyer are going to men in other walks of life. The lawyer on every hand is being crowded out. The people are becoming intelligent enough to get along without him as an intermediary."

THIS IS FOR YOU

I take this method to thank every one who has sold a load of Tobacco with me for the past nine years. Since on the Greenville market I have always, as auctioneer, at all times, looked after your best interest in the sale of your tobacco and if you will continue to sell with me I will see in the future, as I have in the past, that every pile of your tobacco is well looked after. This season you can find me at the "Liberty Warehouse" to welcome you at all times and with Mr. S. T. Hooker, one of Greenville's best judges of tobacco, and as we all know the strongest bidding warehousemen in the State, I feel safe in saying that I am in a better position this season to look after your interest than ever before. You will also find Mr. H. S. Hardy to see that nothing is left undone that is to your best interest. Yours to serve,

THE LIBERTY WAREHOUSE, Co.
Per H. A. Timberlake,
Auctioneer.

For Register of Deeds.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Register of Deeds of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and county convention.

W. M. Moore
Griffesland, N. C.

Report of the condition of

THE NATIONAL BANK OF GREENVILLE,

At Greenville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 18th, 1906.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	50,263.80
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	474.34
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	476.56
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	1,894.91
Due from National Bank (not reserve agents)	24,797.07
Due from State Banks and Bankers	10,715.71
Due from approved reserve agents	6,844.69
Checks and other cash items	187.82
Notes of other National Banks	1,575.00
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	749.98
Legal-tender notes	3,485.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625.00
Total	114,519.88

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	418.57
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Individual deposits subject to check	39,585.65
Time certificates of deposit	11,985.50
Cashier's checks outstanding	35.16
Total	114,519.88

State of North Carolina,
County of Pitt,—ss.
I, J. W. Aycock, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. AYCOCK, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June 1906
F. J. FORBES,
Notary Public

Correct Attest
H. W. WHEDBER,
SAM T. WHITE,
E. A. MOVE, JR.
Directors

SHELMERDINE ITEMS.

SHELMERDINE, N. C. July 25
Hon. Geo. H. Cole has returned from an extensive visit to Parmele, Baltimore, Halifax and other points.

Mrs. F. G. Whaley and Mrs. H. B. Phillips spent Tuesday in Greenville shopping.

Mrs. J. O. Bobbitt and Miss Elizabeth Bonshal left this morning for the latter's home in Norfolk.

ESTABLISHED 187

S. M. SCHULTZ

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, Henry George Clear, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Milk, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Tea and China Ware, Tin and Glass Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machine and numerous other goods. Quality and quantity. Cash on order. Come see me.

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Workingmen's CLOTHES

If there is a man on earth who should have a good Suit of Clothes for his money, it's certainly the workingman. He not only is entitled to it but he also wants it. Now we, make it our particular business to provide in fine var

Good Durable Suits for Workingmen

We think this fact has been noised, abroad, judging by the number of Workingmen who are coming here for their clothes.

Our Workingmen's Suits are made from strong fabrics in neat, good looking patterns, cut in conservative Styles that are always correct and tailored as well and strong as it is possible to make garments. workingmen, wearing our kind of Clothing, are

ALWAYS WELL DRESSED

They are never troubled with seams ripping, buttons coming off or a general state of suit collapse. We back up these Suits with our strong guarantee of "Money back, if anything goes wrong."

Frank Wilson,

THE KING CLOTHIER.

Pulley & Bowen

THE HOME OF WOMAN'S FASHIONS.

We will inaugurate Our Spring Season by putting on display the newest ideas to be shown in

SILKS & WHITE GOODS

We have no trash or Special Sale stuff but we will have the latest and best things that were obtainable in the American markets and we cordially invite the Ladies that are desirous of seeing the NEWEST CREATIONS IN SILKS AND WHITE GOODS to call at our establishment and feast their eyes. Very truly yours,

PULLEY & BOWEN

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H. W. WEDBEE, A. or
Greenville, N. C.

Economy.

The foundation of success in a business way is ECONOMY. There is nothing which helps you to save like keeping your money in a bank. Do not wait until you have a big deposit. We accept small ones as well. We pay interest on Time Deposits. If you do not carry a bank account, come in or write us.

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THE BANK of GREENVILLE Greenville, N. C.

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BY means of this wonderful instrument your home can be brought in direct touch with the musical world, and you can hear as many times as you like, for the small cost of a Edison Record, what people in the large cities pay one or two dollars a night to hear. The Edison Phonograph reproduces so perfectly that you miss nothing but the sight of the orchestra and the faces of the singers.

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TO those interested we will take great delight in showing it at our store. Come and hear it for yourself. Ask about our easy payment plan at the cash price. To prospective purchasers we will exhibit the Phonograph at their homes.

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Because their prices are lower for the same goods than others. Because they have but one price. Because if goods are not satisfactory they can be returned and money refunded. Because they buy and sell for cash and save you time profits. Because it is the only store of its kind in Greenville. Because they need your patronage and are trying to deserve it. Because they study your wants and try to supply them. Don't forget the

Racket Store.
Picture Frames made to order

PROTECTING WITNESSES.

Judge R. B. Peebles, who has in the past had unrestful moments on the Superior Court Bench, is now holding court in Mecklenburg county for the first time. Monday, after convening court, he took occasion to deliver a sort of introductory speech to the bar and in which he dwelt interestingly upon the rights that witnesses are entitled to. His remarks were timely, as it is often the case that some lawyer is found who trods rough shod over witnesses irrespective of their rights much less their feelings. Judge Peebles, of course made no personal thrust and his remarks could apply with equal force to the bar of one county as well as to the bar of another. He stated that he would not allow a lawyer to unduly criticize a witness, nor would he allow a party to a suit to be treated improperly. If a lawyer treated a witness or a party to a suit improperly and a verdict was rendered for the party the lawyer represented he would set the verdict aside, although if an adverse verdict was rendered he would permit it to stand.

Relative to the legality of a judge setting verdicts aside on such grounds we are in the dark but there appears plenty of light from common sense, equitable standpoint, for lawyers who unduly criticize witnesses deserve to lose. There are cases, of course, where witnesses or parties to suits may need criticizing and criticizing severely, but there are many more cases where witnesses especially are criticized and they do not deserve it. It is true that a witness may not always possess a good character, but it seems hard if fate makes him witness a crime that he should be made to suffer for it, and it is not right for small things in the life of a witness to be picked-up and flaunted vividly and harshly before the people merely because accident may have placed him in the witness chair. It is the duty of every judge, like Judge Peebles, to protect witnesses from undue criticism and in doing so they will be but following a plain line of responsibility and will well merit the gratitude of the people. The percentage of lawyers who indulge in such wanton practice is small, but it should grow smaller. Some lawyer may indulge in such conduct unthoughtedly, but then he should be sharply reminded of his position.—Wilmington Dispatch.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Wire to Daily Reflector.

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts		
AS WIRED BY		
J. W. PERRY & COMPANY,		
Cotton Factors,	Norfolk, Va.	
COTTON:		
	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	11½	11½
Middling	11½	11½
St. Low Middling	11	11½
Low Middling	10½	11.00
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	3	3½
Strictly Prime	2½	3½
Prime	2½	3
Low Grades	2½	2½

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL
FUTURE MARKETS,
AS WIRED BY
JOHN BROTHERS & COMPANY
Bankers and Brokers,
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

Closed	Today	Yesterday
Aug.	10 01	10 00
Oct.	10 20	10 18
Jan.	10 35	10 2½
Liverpool Futures:		
July & Aug.	5 73	5 74
Chicago Markets:		
July Wheat	76½	75½
July Corn	51½	51½
July Ribs	9 15	9 30
Sep. Ribs	9 20	9 30
July Lard	8 85	8 90
Sep. Lard	8 92	8 97

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,
REPORTED BY
J. R. & J. G. MOYE,
Middling 10½



It's Enough
To Turn
The Girls
Heads.

When a fellow walks past dressed in one of our suits, No clothes look so well, none so shapely and perfect fitting. Every garment bears the unmistakable

stamp of fine tailoring all over it. The season to sell is getting late and FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS we will reduce every garment in our store from 15 to 30 per cent. While the season is some what late to sell, the season to wear is just at hand. Our Fall and Winter Goods will be coming in in a few days and we want to make room for new goods. Space forbids to quote prices but the reductions that we have made will be a pleasing surprise

Come in and look 'em over, no trouble to show you.

C. S. FORBES

THE MAN'S OUTFITTER

TAILORED SUITS
\$14.00
TO ORDER

Quality in Clothes

is what the discerning buyer is after mostly. He gets quality in

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Made-to-Order CLOTHES

and of course the style is there in abundance. They are smartly made from the finest fabrics in the world.

PAUL MERRICK
The TAILOR
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A Servant of the Public,
A modern necessity.
The best of the Pen family.
Every Sale makes a Friend.
For Sale by
EVANS BOOK STORE

USE CHRISTMAN'S OINTMENT.

For all Skin Diseases on Man or Beast.
This Ointment has been used nearly two hundred years with the most wonderful success in the treatment of nearly every form of Skin disease, and in many instances, it has effected cures where other remedies had failed. While we do not claim that this Ointment will cure everything, we say a fair trial will convince any reasonable person that it's equal to any, and superior to most of the remedies for skin diseases on the market. This Ointment is made by the Christman Ointment Co. Greenville, N. C. and is for sale by druggists at 25 and 50 cts per bottle.

SECOND HAND MACHINERY

FOR SALE!

One 20 H. P. Ret Fuby Boiler
One 18 H. P. Center Crank Engine.
One No. 1 DeLoach Saw mill
One 60 saw Winship Gin F. and C.
One Beasley Power Press.
This machinery is 18 months old and will be sold cheap. It is practically as good as new, purchaser can have solid or inserted, or both.

HENRY HARDING, AGENT

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Baby's
Comfort

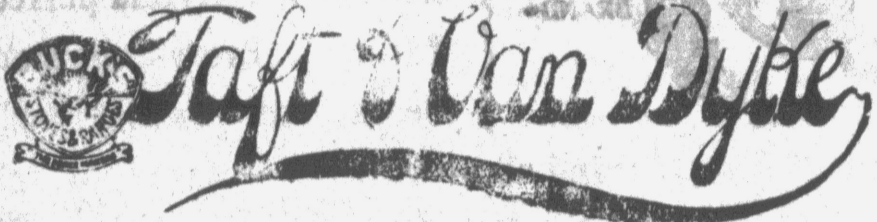


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Having consolidated the two stocks of H. A. Paramore and John A. Rick is one store we are prepared to furnish our customers anything needed in

Dry goods and groceries

We will carry an up-to-date line of

Hats, Shoes, dress goods, Notions, &c.

In Groceries we will have at all times a full line of the very best goods, not only the staples like

Meat, Flour, Sugar, coffee, but all kinds of
canned and Package goods, the finest brands

We can supply anything you need to wear or to eat, and pay highest prices for
COUNTRY PRODUCE. Quality and prices of our goods will please you.

Paramore & Ricks,

GREENVILLE, N. C.

TO OUR FRIENDS
THE TOBACCO GROWERS

We take this opportunity of extending to our friends and patrons our sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed upon us the past season.

WHEN THE CENTRE BRICK WAREHOUSE

was first erected, three years ago, it was the intention of its management to build up a permanent business upon a sound business basis. Our business has increased with the years, and we trust to be favored with your patronage the coming season

Each customer, as well as each Pile of Tobacco shall have our
Personal Attention, and we shall endeavor, as in the
past, to make The Centre rick headquarters for
High Prices, Fair and honorable treatment.

It affords us pleasure to announce in this connection that

MR. W. T. LIPSCOMB,

THE VETERAN TOBACCONIST AND WAREHOUSEMAN

Will be associated with us the coming season. Mr. Lipscomb is too well-known to the trade, planters, buyers, or manufacturers to need any commendation at our hands, suffice to say with his judgment and experience at the command of our customers with our facilities for conducting the warehouse business, assisted as we will be by an experienced and competent force, in every department, it puts us in better position than any other warehouse in Eastern Carolina, at all times, to secure for our friend outside prices for their Tobacco. When you come to GREENVILLE, always

Always make the CENTRE RICK your headquarters,

and when your tobacco is ready to sell, bring it where experienced judges will sell it to the best advantage for you. Again thanking you for your liberal patronage we beg to remain,
Your friends

BRINKLEY and LASSITER,

BRINKLEY, LASSITER and LIPSCOMB, Successor

BUYING WIDOWS.

Matrimonial Trafficking in the Days of Chivalry.

"Of all the matrimonial trafficking in the age of chivalry the ways of widows," says a writer in an English magazine, "are at once the boldest and most comprehensive. As a rule their methods seldom resort to blandishments. It is remarkable when tenderness is an item in their bargain. Speed was their maxim. It was one that King John honored, for he profited by it. Yet one of the rarest exceptions in the way of delicacy to these commercial negotiations has evidently been prompted by a widow who had quite an exceptional lover. In 1206 William de Landa, either one of the most famous of the crusaders or his son, offers 50 marks and a palfrey for having to wife Joan, who was the wife of Thomas d'Arescy, 'if he may be pleasing to the said Joan.' The sheriff is instructed to ascertain the widow's wishes, and if the said Joan shall be pleased to have him for a husband then the sheriff shall cause William to have seizin of Joan and her land, both of which he obtained in the name of gentle love and the faith of a true soldier. It is fitting that the name of one of the men who led the assault of Acre should be preserved in such a record as the above. He was in truth a very perfect knight.

"One of the most rampageous of the northern English borderers manifested the like delicacy. Young Walter de Umfraville, son of Gilbert, had left a widow, Emma, presumably in the very blush of her charms. Peter de Vaux had fallen at her feet, but he declined to obtain her in border fashion, and this fact is the earnest pledge of the chivalry of his love! If he would not steal her he was bound to buy her, and coin with the De Vaux was always a scarcity. So he offered the king 5 palfreys for her 'if she wished it,' and with what would read as a graceful acknowledgment of the borderer's pure chivalry John absolutely drops the commercial from his reply and simply orders Robert Fitz Roger, the sheriff, 'to permit it to be done.'

The Mosaic Law and Marriage.

More than two centuries ago a tailor living in Currie was admonished by the kirk to stop courting his first wife's half brother's daughter. Instead of yielding obedience he fled to England with the woman and there married her, according to the Dundee Advertiser. A jury unanimously found him guilty, and the court ordered him to be beheaded. The reporter suggests that on the death of a wife her sister is no longer within the degree forbidden by the Mosaic law, nor is his brother's wife on the death of that brother. In fact, to marry a brother's widow was an express injunction of that law, and if the surviving brother declined the match the widow was entitled by that elegant and dignified system of jurisprudence to spit in his face.

One Better.

An Englishman who was entertaining his American cousin was continually annoyed by being reminded of the superiority of things American. A number of attempts to show young Jonathan something that distanced American progress all resulted unsatisfactorily, and the Englishman in desperation escorted the cousin to Mount Vesuvius.

"Well," exultingly exclaimed the Englishman, "you haven't anything like that in America."

"Well, no," replied the American as he watched the outpouring of smoke, "but we have a little Niagara falls over there that would put the whole thing out in a minute."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Warning of the Green Light.

An old sea captain was talking about the colored signal lights of ships. "In the past," he said, "all lights were white. The colored light is a comparatively recent invention. I once knew a young Scottish sailor to whom the new colored lights were an unknown thing. As he stood at the wheel of his sloop one night a big steamer hove in sight, and the boy saw the great red and green lights for the first time.

"He rammed down the helm with a loud yell.

"'Preserve us!' he shouted. 'We're goin' right into the 'pothecary shop at Peebles!'"—Detroit News.

SALE MUNFORD SALE

LADIES CORSETS
50 Good Corsets, all sizes, different lengths now **9c.**

Munfords Big STORE
Still Offering Goods at Sale Prices.

50 Doz. Ladies HOSE.
8 1-2 to 9 1-2, 12 1-2 value going at 8 cents will be on display Saturday. Come and be convinced.

Keep Your Eye on The March of Progress.

Success will not come if you lock arms with a has been Life of business, is buying the best for the money Do not buy your suit until you see Munford's complete line of Men's youths and boys Clothing. They fit and have style comfort and durability.

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Hurry
Check Mu2lin 10c value 6cts. 16 and 25c India Linen in one 12yds pieces while they last 10c. 12 1-2 and 15 cent Cambric 10 cents, 40 inch quality now 9 cents, 36 inch 1-2 Linen, only a few days cent.

SHOES.
Shoe to fit all classes and ages. Prices to suit the man or women who know the worth of a hard earned dollar. A look will convince you and to try a pair will prove there is none better, Men's 2.50 vic Kid Oxfords going at 1.69. Men's 3.00 all Patent leather Oxfords 1.99. Men's 3.50 Patent leather Button Oxfords 2.49. Boy's 2.50 Patent leather Oxfords \$.97.

Silks.
One yard wide Taffeta black only 55c. China Silk, new 30c Remnants 25 cents.
Ladies Handkerchiefs.
Ladies Handkerchiefs hemstitched while they last 8c. Dress Gingham. Best gingham now 3 1-2 cents. 10 cent quality now 7 cents.

Clothing!-clothing!



Mens 7.50 Suit, full Spring Style for 3.99
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Little Bits Caught up Here and There That Are Interesting!

Just a week to the opening of the tobacco market.

Ladies long black silk gloves a Pulley & Bowen's. 13 tr

When the Reflector does the talking for you it goes to the people.

Wool and beeswax wanted for Cash. Sam'l M. Schultz.

The colored people will run an excursion from Kinston to Richmond on Aug. 10th.

For Sale Cheap—60 gallon oil tank suitable for store. Apply to Reflector.

The extremely wet season is giving the farmers trouble with their tobacco curing.

Men's Panama hats reduced from \$7.50 to \$4.50.

C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

Lunsford Fleming and daughter Miss Bettie Pearl, have returned from Ocaoke.

The Reflector can furnish employment to a printer who understands make-up and ad. setting.

While the coping is being placed around the court house lawn it will be extended to include the front of the Masonic Temple.

Nice stall fed beef at E. M. McGowan's market. 12Dt

A new assortment of the famous Parker fountain pen just in a Reflector Book Store.

Young's hats reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.50.

C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

Ladies long white silk gloves just received at Pulley & Bowen's.

All wanting electric motors, electric fans or any other electrical equipments will do well to see H. Harding. 5 tr

Was the weather reporter just faking with us when he said it would be fair today?

A fresh supply of Huylers just received at Coward & Wooten's.

The self filling Parker fountain pen is a wonder. Reflector Book Store.

Hanan's slippers for men reduced from \$5.50 to \$4.00, at C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

Zeigler Bros. slippers for ladies greatly reduced.

C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

For Rent—5 room house on Washington street. Possession July 1st. B. F. Patrick. 22 d tr

All the millinery goods to be closed out at half price.

C. L. Wilkinson & Co.

The ladies of the M. E. church will postpone the lawn party for Thursday night. The date will be announced later.

Give Us Time.

Deputy Sheriff Dudley has got it in for The Reflector. And it is all on account of the beastly weather. He says if we don't change it somebody is going to get locked up, but when advised that in such an emergency he would have to furnish rations as well as lodging, he sized us up and decided to give us a little more time. So the weather report today clears us, unless it turns out a fake.

North Carolina
Pitt County } In Superior Court,
East Carolina Railway vs.

T. Whitehurst, Octavia Whitehurst (a minor) and Shelly Swain guardian of said Octavia Whitehurst. T. W. Whitehurst, who is a defendant in the above entitled cases, will take notice that a special proceeding, entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county, before the clerk, to condemn a right of way for the plaintiff's railway across a tract of land in Farmville township, Pitt county, in which the said defendant has an interest. And the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the clerk of Superior court of said county on Friday the 31st day of August 1906, in the town of Greenville, and answer or demur to the petition and complaint in said proceedings, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief therein demanded.

This the 24th day of July 1906.

D. C. MOORE,
Clerk of the Superior Court

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