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WINTERVILLE NOTES

Interesting Items from Our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C. Sept. 1.

B. F. Manning & Co. have just moved into the new concrete store. They are opening a nice line of goods and will appreciate a call from all their old customers and friends.

A negro slight of hand performer was here Friday showing some of his tricks. Some of them were right good. He aroused much curiosity as to how they are done.

How remarkable! We have actually had one day without any rain. None at all here, so far as we know, Friday after sun rise, though quite a rain before day.

Prof. F. C. Nye returned from Greene county Thursday evening. Mrs. W. H. Rouse has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. E. Jackson, in the country this week.

M. T. Spier, of Pactolus, was here Thursday.

B. G. Taylor and Johnny Kittrell went to Kinston and returned Friday.

Mrs. R. L. Little is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. B. G. Taylor left Friday morning for Kinston to visit friends.

Mrs. B. T. Cox went to Ayden Thursday and returned Friday accompanied by her daughter, Olivera, who has been visiting there some days.

Mrs. M. G. Bryan went to Robersonville Friday evening.

Miss Mary Outler, who has been been visiting Miss Venetia Cox, left for her home in Washington Wednesday.

Miss Kate Chapman spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. B. Tucker.

Misses Hattie Kittrell and Kate Chapman left this morning to visit friends at Gold Point.

A. W. Ange returned from Baltimore Friday evening.

Elder T. N. Manning returned from a visit to Ayden Friday evening.

Wednesday afternoon lightning struck Rudolph Oroom's house completely demolishing one stove flue and damaging the others, also tearing up the ceiling around the base of the flue. From there the bolt went to one of the porch posts, splitting that. Mrs. Oroom was sitting nearly directly under the flue that was struck and had a narrow escape from the falling bricks. The baby was in the cradle near by. Neither of them were hurt.

Joshua Manning went to Parmele today.

Prof's. Lineberry and Nye have about completed their extensive canvass through several counties in the interest of Winterville High School. They report that a far greater number of students have engaged rooms in the dormitories than ever before. The lady teachers Misses Effie Barker intermediate teacher, Elizabeth Boushall primary teacher and Bessie Sams music teacher, arrived today. Several pupils also came in.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday.

NEW TEXT BOOKS.

The State book commission has selected the following books for use in the public schools of the State for the next five years:

History—Beginner's History of the United States, White American Book Company; Chambers' Higher History of the United States, University Publishing company.

Readers—Graded Classics, first and second, B. F. Johnson Publishing company; Classics Old and New third, fourth and fifth, University Publishing Company.

Arithmetic—Johnsons series; primary, intermediate, advanced, B. F. Johnson Publishing Company.

Language and Grammar—Hyde's Lessons in English, book No. 1, D. C. Heath & Co.; Our Language book 11, Smith, B. F. Johnson Publishing Company; Buehler's Modern English Grammar with Composition, Newsom & Co.

Geography—Maurey's Elementary, Maurey's Complete. University Publishing Company

Spelling—A spelling book, Foust and Griffin, Alfred Williams & Co.

Physiology—Lippincott's Physiology, three book series, J. B. Lippincott.

Drawing—Webb and Ware's Practical Drawing, Webb & Ware.

Writing—The Natural System of Vertical, D. C. Heath & Co. The Old North State copies, Medial, North State Publishing Company; Smithdeal Writing Book, stout, B. F. Johnson Publishing Company.

Agriculture—Beginners' Agriculture, Hill Burkert and Stevens, Ginn & Co.

Dictionaries—Webster's Primary Common school, High school Academic, American Book Co.

BLOCKED SALE ONE DAY.

But Market Cleared Up in Good Shape.

In spite of the rapid work done by the tobacco warehouses and buyers Friday, there was a blocked sale and one house had to hold over to sell this morning, Saturday. The cash paid out by the banks for the one day's breaks was over \$20,000.

Some parties working in the interest of other markets have started the report that the Greenville market is so overrun that tobacco cannot be readily handled here. This is a mistake. Notwithstanding the immense business of the past week the warehouses and buyers are cleaned up and are in as fine shape for business the coming week as ever. All the tobacco that comes will be promptly handled and the banks have plenty of money to pay for it.

First Bale.

The first bale of cotton of this season's crop was brought in today by Thomas Little, colored, a tenant on the farm of Mrs. Nana Brown, and sold to Speight & Co., and shipped to A. M. Agelosto & Sons, Norfolk.

Thomas is the same man who brought in the first new bale a year ago, but this is several days later.

GREENVILLE GRADED SCHOOL.

Next Session Begins October 1st, EDITOR REFLECTOR;

Through the columns of your valuable paper I desire to transmit to the people of Greenville some information concerning the next session of the graded school.

By order of the board of trustees the white school will re-open on Monday, Oct. 1st, the colored on Oct. 8th. Both schools will continue for a period of eight months, as usual.

Contrary to my expectations and hopes, there are several changes in the faculty. Our teachers for the coming year will be as follows:

First grade, Miss Irvine.

Second grade, Misses Taylor and Harding.

Third grade, Miss Florence Sweet.

Fourth grade, Miss Elizabeth H. Wade.

Fifth grade, Miss Lillie Bennett.

Sixth, seventh, ninth and tenth grade, Misses Neff, Cox and McKinney.

Owing to the fact that Prof. Dove combined the seventh and eighth grades last fall, there will be no eighth during the coming session.

Miss Florence Sweet, the lady who will succeed Miss Rhodes, is from Ripley, Tenn. She has the reputation of being one of the best lower grade teachers in West Tennessee, and I am sure we were fortunate in getting her. She is a thoroughly competent teacher and is intensely interested in her work.

The successor to Miss Rogers in the fourth grade is Miss Elizabeth H. Wade, of Farmville, Va. Miss Wade is a graduate of the State Normal school of Virginia. She has been an instructor at the summer school of the South, and also at the summer schools at the University of Virginia. She is a specialist in primary methods, and will make us a very strong teacher, I feel sure. Her testimonials are of a high order.

Miss Ellen Gertrude Neff was originally from Indianapolis, but during the past few years she has lived in Tennessee. She was educated in the city schools of Indianapolis, graduated from Grant University, and has attended every session of the summer school of the South since its organization five years ago. Miss Neff has held some very responsible positions in the teaching profession and judging by her testimonials, she has been entirely satisfactory everywhere she has taught.

Miss Birdie McKinney, of Reidsville, is a graduate of the State Normal College at Greensboro. She has taught three or four years most successfully. While I was principal of the Reidsville schools Miss McKinney taught Latin and mathematics for us; I had an opportunity to observe her work closely and I know that she is an exceptionally fine teacher.

During the summer I have received hundreds of applications for the vacancies in the Greenville school. I have steadfastly refused to consider but one class of people, viz., those who have had the best educational advantages, and who could furnish a number of good testimonials stating that

they have been successful and satisfactory teachers elsewhere, people of high character whose hearts are in the work they are trying to do. From this class I have selected those whom I consider the best. I hope no errors have been made.

All but three of our teachers are full graduates of the best colleges in the South. These three have had special training at Chicago University and the University of Tennessee. To get a stronger teaching force would be rather difficult, it seems to me.

If the enrollment in the first grade is very large this year, which is more than probable, the grade will be divided into two divisions. One division will come to school in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. At the end of the first month the second division will come in the forenoon, the first in the afternoon, and so on alternately. This arrangement will give us two teachers in the second grade, something that is very much needed, and will also be better for the first grade children. It is conceded by all experienced teachers that long daily sessions for first grade children are injurious in many ways.

I hope the parents will send the little tots along. We shall keep them only three hours each day, but in a term of eight months Miss Irvine can accomplish a great deal for them. When they reach the second grade they will be a year older; two teachers will serve them and they can be advanced rapidly.

In every school with which I have ever been connected, I have found a class of pupils who simply cannot manage Latin. Superintendents all over the country have had and are having the same trouble. They are not hesitating to permit pupils to drop this study and take some other subject instead. Next year all pupils in the Greenville school must take Latin in the eighth grade. At the end of the year the teacher and the superintendent will make out a list of those who have trouble with the subject, and who may drop it if they so desire.

Next month a list will be made of those in the present ninth and tenth grades who may drop Latin and take physics instead. The work in physics will necessarily be theoretical, as we have no laboratory, but much good work can be done in it, nevertheless.

I hope the pupils in our school have enjoyed and are enjoying the vacation, and when school reopens they will be ready to do some good work in their respective grades.

Very truly
H. B. Smith, Supt.

Favorite Umbrella Gone.

As the showers have held up for a short period, and the sun shiner, though feebly, will the person who borrowed, took violet arms or otherwise, one very favorite umbrella from my office without leave or license, please return the same before the next rainy season sets in. I have had it 10 years and have carried it 25,000 miles, and prize it very much. No charge for use.
Isaac A. Sugg.

PERSONAL MENTIONS.

Of Those Coming and Going.

C. C. Cobb, of Norfolk, was here today.

G. W. Evans went to Tarboro today.

T. W. Whitehurst went to Norfolk today.

B. P. Cobb returned Friday from Greensboro.

O. L. Joyner went to Richmond Friday afternoon.

J. S. Tunstall returned this morning from Atlantic.

Joe Cobb left today for Oak Ridge to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hearne and son returned from Norfolk today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brady returned Friday evening from Clinton.

Mrs. J. M. Griffin, of Aurora, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. W. Lawrence.

Miss Lillian Whitfield returned Friday evening from a visit to Henderson.

W. B. Bradley, of Petersburg, arrived this morning to visit his brother, O. E. Bradley.

Mrs. C. T. Muntord and son, Charlie, returned Friday evening from Virginia Beach.

Miss Mattie Lawrence has returned from a visit to Washington, Aurora, and Bayboro.

J. E. Fantone, of Norfolk, has accepted a position with Speight & Co., for the cotton season.

Mrs. A. H. Taft and children returned Friday evening from a visit to her father in Henderson.

Misses Bliss and Susie Perry of Kinston, who have been visiting Miss Hennie Whichard, returned home today.

Rev. J. A. Hornaday returned Friday evening from Chatham county where he has been conducting a meeting.

Mrs. H. M. Snuggs, of Albemarle, who had been visiting the family of L. W. Lawrence, left this morning.

Mrs. George Hadley and children, of LaGrange, came in Friday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. O. J. Forbes.

Miss Rosa Exum, who has been visiting her aunt in Lenoir county, has returned home. The latter accompanied her home to visit her sister, Mrs. C. W. Exum.

OVER THE STATE.

Happenings of Interest in North Carolina.

A Rowan county boy shot one of his arms off while playing with a gun.

E. G. Ferrell, a member of the grand jury at Durham court, was summoned before Judge Fred Moore to show cause why he should not be attached for contempt, he having been intoxicated while serving on the grand jury. Ferrell is said to be a prominent farmer and church member. He was fined \$50.

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FREAKS OF GOLF BALLS.

Have Killed Birds on the Wing and Caused a Sheep to Drop Dead.

It does not often happen that a bird falls a victim to a golf ball in its flight, although such a mishap has occurred in two or three instances, says London Tit-Bits.

Not long ago an incident of this kind was reported from Raynes Park Golf club. It took place in the course of a bogie competition. One of the players, a Mr. Crocker, having driven off at the eleventh tee, his ball created some astonishment by coming in contact with a lark in midair and literally knocking off its head.

A similar incident happened last season but one on the ground of the Birkdale club. Two members were playing a round when one of them made a brassie shot. The ball was in full flight when a bird of the wagtail species was seen crossing the line of flight, and the next moment both objects came into collision at a distance of about forty paces from the striker.

The consequences were fatal to the unfortunate bird, which was not only killed, but decapitated. As for the golf ball, its flight was stopped by the impact, the ball falling to the ground within a few yards of its slaughtered victim. The incident had the further object of losing the player the match, he having to make an extra stroke or two to cover the distance short covered, thus costing him the game.

A still more extraordinary freak of a golf ball resulted in a tragedy on the Balcomie links in Scotland. In the course of a match one of the players, in his drive from the sixth tee, put so much vigor into it that the ball struck a sheep on the head with such force as to cause it to fall dead on the spot.

A very different, but no less interesting, story was reported from another links in Scotland about the same time. In a foursome match, played at North Berwick, one of the golfers drove his ball against a wall. It rebounded into some rough grass and for a few minutes could not be traced, but ultimately the caddie found the ball lying in a lark's nest, in which were four eggs all unbroken. For a ball to drop into a nest of eggs without breaking any was surely an extraordinary occurrence.

It is not long since a player at Woking in approaching the hole landed a ball on the top of the clubhouse. This little incident did not, however, upset his equilibrium very much. As nimbly as he could he followed the ball to the roof and from that coign of disadvantage played it so well that he was successful in securing a half of a hole which everybody considered irretrievably lost.

A similar scene was once witnessed on the St. Andrews links in the course of a three ball match. One of the players happened to drive his ball on to the corrugated iron roof of a shed and in the belief that he had consequently given up the hole, the other two calmly proceeded with the match. But they had reckoned without their host, for the next moment there was a great clatter of feet on the iron roof. Barely had the warning cry of "fore" reached the players' ears when a ball whizzed on to the course close by. It was that of the other player, who had mounted to the roof and played it from that unexpected corner.

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HUNTING WITH A LEOPARD.

Now the Swiftest Animal on Earth Goes After His Prey.

Four miles beyond the palace gates of Jaipur you may see a cheetah hunt. Now and again in the noonday heat you may have seen a leopard crouching along beside his master—querulous, uncertain, half timid, heavily hooded with blue silk, and finding the trimmed stone of the pavement maddening hot beneath his silent pads. But it is a different animal when at last, after a tedious stalk of a herd of black buck, the leopard is unhooded from the whining bullock cart and left to his own work.

In all the world there is little left so savage and so beautiful as this steel sprung cat when he scents his quarry. In a flash he has dropped to the plain, belly flat upon the hot stones, while he works his way to a ten inch patch of sagebrush, all elbows and seemingly but four inches above the ground. You may see the trail of him as he goes. From one bush he makes for another or a fold of ground. One watches him with a touch of his own silence, though the little caravan of bullock carts must still be kept moving lest their stopping should alarm the buck.

So it goes on, this yellow demon edging himself nearer and nearer to his chosen prey till, while fifty yards away yet, the buck raises his head. Whether he temporizes his danger at once or not, there is no chance of stalking him a yard farther, and the cheetah makes his dash. There is not a sound on either side. Two of the fastest animals on earth—the cheetah is beyond all question the swiftest—engage in a life and death race. It is soon over, for if the cheetah does not bring his prey down in 250 yards he throws up the chase and returns ignominiously to his master. If he catches the buck there is another final of jetting life-blood and convulsive limbs and glassing eyes, interfered with by the cheetah's master, who brings a huge wooden spear filled with blood and entrails, which he forcibly substitutes for the buck itself under the still sucking muzzle of the sated leopard. But whether he catch it or not the cheetah's flight over the ground for 200 yards is a thing that is worth going to Jaipur to see.—Jaipur Letter in London Telegraph

Dr. R. L. Carr, Dentist. Greenville, N. C.

urers protects you from ate's oplin Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar—the cough srrup that drives the cold out of your system Sold by J. L. Wooten.

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, Atty for Pl'tt. C. S. C.

"Make Hay While the Sun Shines."

There is a lesson in the work of the thrifty farmer. He knows that the bright sunshine may last but a day and he prepares for the snows which are so liable to follow. So it should be with every household. Dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is the best known medicine for these diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary, and delay may prove fatal. For sale by J. L. Wootens, druggist.

In Self Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked 4 years ago, by Piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says, "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores Cuts and wounds. 25c at J. L. Wooten's drug store.

Beauty Rules of the Beauties. Breakfast, a little walk, a little talk, a little rest, an hour's rest, and at night Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, 35 cent. Wooten's Drug Store.

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Sold by H. L. Carr, Greenville, N. C.

The End of the World

of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago Kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of General Debility." Sure cure for all stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints, Blood diseases, Headache, Dizziness and weakness or bodily decline. Price 50c. Guaranteed by J. L. Wooten's drug store.

NOTICE!

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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 Eldon, 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.

Summer Diarrhoea in Children.

During the hot weather of the summer months the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention, so as to check the disease before it becomes serious. All that is necessary is a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by a dose of castor oil to cleanse the system. Rev. M. H. Stockland, pastor of the first M. E. church, Little Falls, Minn., writes, "We have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years and find it a very valuable remedy, especially for summer disorders in children." Sold by J. L. Wooten.

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STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

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Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite, but no for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours. Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills, and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weaknesses. Unequaled as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by J. L. Wooten-Druggist. Price only 50c.

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makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton street in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone." Cures chronic Coughs, La Grippe, Croup, whooping cough and prevents pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at J. L. Wooten's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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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 it; 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.



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Turn backward, O time! in your
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night,

"I'll do it" cried Time, "just let
me be

Until I fix some Rocky Mountain
Tea.

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CONDENSED STORIES.

**A Characteristic Story of the Great
French Diplomatist.**

Talleyrand, the illustrious diplo-
matist, one day found himself be-
tween Mme. de Stael and Mme. Re-
camier, both intimate friends, both
celebrated.

"You say charming things to us
both, but which do you prefer?"
said Mme. de Stael suddenly.

"Madame, such a question is a
veritable ambush. Take care, the
penal code!"

"Prince, no subterfuge here!
Which do you prefer—my friend or
myself? Come, speak, is it the brun-
nette or blond?"

"It will be her who will deign to
honor me with a look."

"What, still diplomatic! Well, I
will put the question in another
form. Suppose while sailing on the



"SUPPOSE THE PERIL TO BE EQUALLY
IMMINENT."

Seine this evening the boat should
 upset and we should be in danger
 of drowning, which one would you
 help?"

"That is easy, or the one who was

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SHE MADE CHANGE.

**A New but a Mean Way to Collect an
Old Debt.**

A woman in stunning attire got
aboard a Columbus avenue car at
Forty-ninth street. When the con-
ductor called for her fare she gave
him a five dollar bill. He put the
usual question about smaller change
and she gave the usual negative re-
ply. The situation was unpleasant,
especially for the conductor. Ob-
viously she was such a fine lady
that to put her off the car for non-
payment of fare would be to invite
his own downfall. He looked at the
men who sat near, with an urgent
appeal for a nickel in his eyes, but
those unchivalrous passengers were
inured to the woes of the woman
who travels with five dollar bills.

The woman got nervous. "What
shall I do?" she said.

"Perhaps I can find somebody
who has change for the bill," said
the conductor.

He sounded several people on the
subject, but they proved to be short
of change. Presently a woman up
front said, "I have the change."

At the sound of her voice the
owner of the five dollar bill turned
with a startled air and blushed vio-
lently.

"You need not bother about the
change," she said. "I believe I will
get off at the next corner, anyway."

The conductor said, "All right,"
and reached out his hand for the
bill, but the second woman had al-
ready tucked it into her pocketbook
and had counted out 50 cents in
nickels and dimes.

"Here," she said, "give this to
her and tell her I have kept back
the \$4.50 she has owed me for a
year and a half."

The conductor looked from one
to the other helplessly. "Give it to
her," was the supplementary com-
mand. "She'll take it. She knows
better than to raise a row."

He tendered the 50 cents to the
well gowned woman. She picked 45
cents out of his palm and started
toward the door.

"You mean old thing," she
shrieked at the woman who made
change. And then she left the car.
—New York Press.

Followed Instructions.

"Gracious, man!" exclaims the
doctor when Mr. Glubbins calls him
in a hurry. "Your temperature is
rioting along near the danger point,
and you!"

"And I'm worse off than I ever
was before, all through the diet you
prescribed."

"Impossible, Mr. Glubbins. I told
you distinctly to confine yourself to
such foods as would be taken by
a three-year-old child."

"And didn't I follow orders? I
ate apple cores and dog biscuits and
ends of burned matches and scraps
of potato peeling and everything
else I could pick up while no one
was looking—and here I am pretty
near dead!"

Hastily reflecting upon the gas-
tronomical tendencies of the aver-
age three-year-old child, the doctor
tells Mr. Glubbins that he has been
overdoing the diet and will have to
subsist on soft toast and hot water
for a week.—Life.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

By direction of the Republican
County Executive Committee for
Pitt county, a convention of the
people of Pitt county is hereby
called to assemble in the court
house in Greenville Saturday Sept.
15th, 1906 at 12 o'clock for the
purpose of nominating candidates
for the various county offices and
to transact other business a
may come before the convention.
The people are requested to meet
at the several voting precincts of
the county on Saturday the 15th
day of September, 1906 at 3 p. m.
to nominate candidates for Justices
of the Peace and Constables for
their respective townships and to
appoint delegates to attend the
county convention. It is suggested
that all citizens who desire
to affiliate with the Republican
party in this campaign, and see to
a good opposition county ticket in
the field, be invited and requested
to act as delegates from their re-
spective townships to the county
convention.

The time has come, when two
well organized and active political
parties in Pitt county is essential
to the proper administration of
public affairs and the preservation
of the independence and rights of
the people. Prominent speakers
will address the convention,

R. C. Flanagan,
Chm. Rep. Ex. Com.

W. E. Murphrey, Sec.

I pays no taxes—I pays no rent,
Often busted—without a cent;
But a king among men—from dis-
ease I'm free.
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
Wooten's Drug Store.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Department of State.
CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.
To All to Whom These Presents May Come—
Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by
duly authenticated record of the proceed-
ings for the voluntary dissolution thereof of
the unanimous consent of all the stock-
holders, deposited in my office, that The
National Salvage Company, a corporation of
this State, whose principal office is situ-
ated in the town of Greenville, County of
Pitt, State of North Carolina, (Charles T. Man-
ford being the agent therein and in charge
thereof, upon whom process may be served),
has complied with the requirements of
Chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Cor-
porations," preliminary to the issuing of this
Certificate of Dissolution.

Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Sec-
retary of the State of North Carolina, do hereby
certify that the said corporation did, on
the 9th day of August, 1906, file in my office a
duly executed and attested consent in writ-
ing to the dissolution of said corporation,
executed by all the stockholders thereof,
which said consent and the record of the pro-
ceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said
office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set
my hand and affixed my official seal
at Raleigh, this 9th day of August A. D. 1906.
(Seal) J. Bryan Grimes,
aug. 14 Secretary of State.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified before the Superior Court,
Clerk of Pitt county as administrator of the
estate of H. G. Nobles, deceased, notice is
hereby given to all persons indebted to the
estate to make immediate payment to the
undersigned, and all persons having claims
against said estate must present the same to
me on or before the 25th day of
August 1907, or this notice will be plead in
bar of recovery.
This 25th day of August 1906.
W. L. NOBLES
Admin. of H. G. NOBLES.

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D. J. WHICHARD,
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SATURDAY, SEPT. 1, 1906

The Supreme Court has licensed 57 more lawyers, that many passing out of a class of 67.

We forgot it at the time, but Friday was the twentieth anniversary of the Charleston earthquake.

If Noah Webster could appear just now the new fangled spelling book would make him smile.

The papers have not told how the great Bryan demonstration in New York jarred President Roosevelt. We expect he showed his teeth.

One thing about the new spelling, it will help a fellow out on words he did not know how to spell. Anything they sound like will do now.

Mr. Bryan made a strong speech at the reception given him in New York Thursday night. One of the measures he advocated is government and state ownership of railroads.

Putting in box sewers on the streets is that much work wasted. They will rot out by Christmas. When the town has work done on the streets somebody should be in charge who knows what to do?

The key note of a speech delivered by Judge Alton B. Parker at St. Paul, was that we should have fewer and better laws. He spoke strongly of the efforts of mediocre members of State legislatures to make for themselves reputations by endeavoring to get laws enacted that have nothing in them. He said "the quality of the laws, and not their number, counts." Judge Parker is right.

DECADENCE OF THE PARTY ORGAN.

Many newspapers on each side of the party line have succeeded in effecting that reform. Indeed, the old-time party organ, the political journals that never dared to indulge in views of its own, but, like a servile camp follower, echoed the sentiments of the reigning powers, putting its benediction on whatever the leaders or bosses approved, and handing out maledictions of whatever failed to gain their favor, that brand of newspapers is almost extinct. One after another nearly all of the really important journals have achieved their freedom. And this may be recorded as one of the most cheering evidences of the intellectual and moral progress of the United States. The change

in this respect has only to go on a few years longer at the rate of the last four decades to consign the last of the servile organs to the companionship of the dodo in the dark domain of oblivion. — Exchange

SAID HE'D DIE FOR THE LIE AND HE DID

Greenville, Aug. 31.—A strange negro who gave his name as Tom Smith, died in a restaurant here yesterday. A few minutes before he was taken off he prophesied that he would soon pass in his checks. He said that he had been working for the Hire Lumber Company at Kinston, and that a short while ago he intended to get married and wrote to his old mother in Virginia that he was paralyzed and asked her to send him twenty dollars. Receiving the money he went to a store to buy a shirt in which to be married, when he was stricken with paralysis. He recovered from the shock and came on to this city, where he went into a restaurant this morning and got breakfast. While he was eating he told his tale and said that he was going to have another stroke of paralysis all on account of telling his old mother a lie. In a few minutes after he finished eating he had the stroke and died in a short while. It is a strange story, but it is vouched for by reliable negroes.

Brain Leaks.

Easy won, poorly kept. Rusting out is not resting. Firmness is not bullheadedness. Truth concealed gives a lie the right of way.

Successful business men leave business cares at the office.

The easiest thing in the world is to make a good resolution.

Any kind of woman's hat is in style if she pays enough for it.

Lots of men would rather hold a public job than make a living.

Guessed-at is always limping along behind worked-out and begging for help.

Some people are so afraid of committing a sin that they omit doing anything.

It's funny how much more crowded a flat seems after you've been married a little while.

Adam must have been mighty glad he didn't have any plumbing to try to fix for his wife.

A very short fall will plunge a man so deep in trouble that he can't climb out with a fifty-foot ladder.

Men who have followed the beaten track usually end up with accomplishing much that is worthwhile.

A woman thinks if she could sharpen a lead pencil better everybody would say she had a good business head.

Life is not measured by length of days. Methuselah lived nearly a thousand years, but he accomplished very little.

When a man starts after something he usually finds it coming to meet him. If he waits for it he usually sees it fading away.

When a woman gives her husband a piece of her mind it is a whopping big chunk.

Don't think that because a man has one foot in the grave he isn't able to do a lot of unnecessary kicking.

A man is very apt to think marriages are made in heaven until he has been married about six months.

STRAY TAKEN UP.

I have taken up one sow, weighing about 200 pounds, if fat, red and black spotted, spilt in left ear. Owner can get same by proving property and paying cost. J. F. May, Greenville, N. C.

It's easy to get satisfaction by going to law-if you are a lawyer.

It's safer to guess than it is to predict—and it is equally uncertain.

It sometimes happens that after a man gets his price the law steps in and compels him to hand it back.

STRONG Again



is what Mrs. Lucy Stovall, of Tilton, Ga., said after taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hundreds of other weak women are being restored to perfect health by this remedy. YOU may be well if you will take it. Indigestion causes nearly all the sickness that women have. It deprives the system of nourishment and the delicate organs peculiar to women suffer—weakens, and become diseased.

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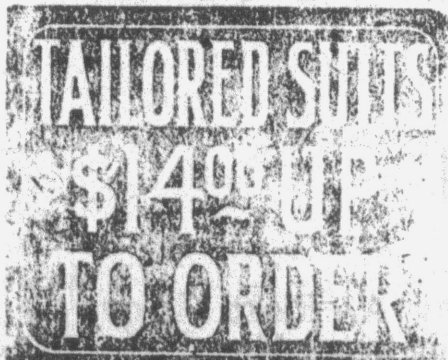
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TODAY'S MARKETS.

See to Daily Bulletin.

Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts

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

	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	9 1/2	9 1/2
Middling	9 1/2	9 1/2
St. Low Middling	9 1/2	9 1/2
Low Middling	9 1/2	9 1/2
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	3	3
Strictly Prime	2 1/2	2 1/2
Prime	2 1/2	2 1/2
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
Oct.	8 95	8 88
Dec.	9 04	9 06
Jan.	9 12	9 14
Liverpool Futures.		
Sep- & Oct.	4 95	4 90
Chicago Markets:		
Dec. Wheat	73 1/2	
Dec. Corn	43 1/2	
Sep. Ribs	8 77	8
Oct. Ribs	8 72	8 72
Sep. Lard	8 77	8 77
Oct. Lard	8 87	8 87

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET, REPORTED BY J. R. & J. G. MOYE, Middling 9 1-4

It's Dangerous!

To carry money around in your pockets.

When you sell your cotton and tobacco, you should leave the money with the National Bank, and take a check book.

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HENRY HARDING, AGENT

THE REFUGEES

By A. CONAN DOYLE,

Author of "The Return of Sherlock Holmes"

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(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY)

"To Paris, major?"

"I go there myself within an hour. Will you not wait, that we may go together?"

"I am sorry, but I ride on a matter of urgency."

"Very good. Good night, and a pleasant ride."

"Is he a trusty man, our friend the major?" asked Amos Green, glancing back.

"True as steel."

"Then I would have a word with him." The American hurried back along the way they had come, while De Catinat stood chafing at this unnecessary delay. It was a full five minutes before his companion joined him, and the fiery blood of the French soldier was hot with impatience.

"I think that perhaps you had best ride into Paris at your leisure, my friend," said he. "If I go upon the king's service I cannot be delayed whenever the whim takes you."

"I am sorry," answered the other quietly. "I had something to say to your major, and I thought that maybe I might not see him again."

"Well, here are the horses," said the guardsman as he pushed open the postern gate. "Have you fed and watered them, Jaques?"

"Yes, my captain," answered the man.

"Boot and saddle, then, friend Green, and we shall not draw rein again until we see the lights of Paris."

For a mile or more the comrades galloped along. The road was very dark, and it was hard but for the loom upon either side to tell where it lay. De Catinat at least found it so, and he peered anxiously over his horse's ears and stopped his face to the mane in his efforts to see his way.

"What do you make of the road?" he asked at last.

"It looks as if a good many carriage wheels had passed over it today."

"What! Mon Dieu! Do you mean to say that you can see carriage wheels there?"

"Certainly. Why not?"

"Why, man, I cannot see the road at all."

Amos Green laughed heartily. "When you have traveled in the woods by night as often as I have," said he, "when to show a light may mean to lose your hair, one comes to learn to use one's eyes."

"Then you had best ride on, and I shall keep just behind you. So! Hola! What is the matter now?"

There had been the sudden sharp snap of something breaking, and the American had reeled for an instant in the saddle.

"It's one of my stirrup leathers. It has fallen."

"Can you find it?"

"Yes, but I can ride as well without it. Let us push on."

"Very good. I can just see you now."

They had galloped for about five minutes in this fashion. De Catinat's horse's head within a few feet of the other's tail, when there was a second snap, and the guardsman rolled out of the saddle on to the ground. He kept his grip of the reins, however, and was up in an instant at his horse's head.

"A thousand thunders of heaven!" he cried. "What was it that happened then?"

"Your leather has gone too."

"Two stirrup leathers in five minutes?"

"It is not possible that it should be chance," said the American gravely, swinging himself off his horse. "Why, what is this? My other leather is cut."

"And so is mine. I can feel it when I pass my hand along. Have you a tinder box? Let us strike a light."

"No, no; the man who is in the dark is in safety. I let my enemy strike lights."

"My rein is cut also."

"And so is mine."

"And the girth of my saddle."

"It is a wonder that we came so far with whole bones. Now, who has played us this little trick?"

"Who could it be but that rogue

Jaques? By my faith, he shall know what the scoundrel means when I see Versailles again!"

"But why should he do it?"

"Ah, he has been set on to it. He has been a tool in the hands of those who wished to hinder our journey."

"Very like. But they must have had some reason behind. They knew well that to cut our straps would not prevent us from reaching Paris, since we could ride bareback or, for that matter, could run it if need be."

"They hoped to break our necks."

"One neck they might break, but scarce those of two. They could not have thought to stop us. What did they mean, then? They could only have meant to delay us. And why should they wish to delay us?"

"For heaven's sake!"—broke in De Catinat impetuously.

"Why should they wish to delay us then? There's only one reason that I can see—in order to give other folk time to get in front of us and stop us. That is it, captain. I'd lay you a beaver skin to a rabbit pelt that I'm on the track. There's been a party of a dozen horsemen along this ground since the dew began to fall. If we were delayed they would have time to form their plans before we came."

"By my faith, you may be right."

said De Catinat thoughtfully. "What would you propose?"

"That we ride back, and go by some less direct way."

"It is impossible. We should have to ride back to the Meudon crossroads, and then it would add ten miles to our journey. We are surely not to be turned from our path by a mere guess. There is the St. Germain crossroad about a mile below. When we reach it we can strike to the right along the south side of the river and so change our course."

They mounted and rode on. Suddenly De Catinat's eye caught something in the gloom which brought a smile to his face. Away in front of them, between two dark tree clumps, lay a vast number of shimmering, glittering yellow points, as thick as flowers in a garden. They were the lights of Paris.

"See!" he cried, pointing. "There is the city, and close here must be the St. Germain road. We shall take it, so as to avoid any danger."

"Very good! But I should not ride too fast, when your girth may break at any moment."

"Nay, come on. We are close to our journey's end. The St. Germain road opens just round this corner, and then we shall see our way, for the lights will guide us."

He cut his horse with his whip, and the two galloped together round the curve. Next instant they were both down in one wild heap of tossing heads and straggling hoofs, De Catinat partly covered by his horse, and his comrade hurled twenty paces, where he lay silent and motionless in the center of the road.

M. de Vivonne had laid his ambush with discretion. With a closed carriage and a band of chosen ruffians he had left the palace a good half hour before the king's messengers. On reaching the branch road he had ordered the coachman to drive some little distance along it and had tethered all the horses to a fence under his charge. He had then stationed one of the band as a sentinel some distance up the main highway to flash a light when the two couriers were approaching. A stout cord had been fastened eighteen inches from the ground to the trunk of a wayside sapling, and on receiving the signal the other end was tied to a gatepost upon the farther side. The two cavaliers could not possibly see it, coming as it did at the very curve of the road, and as a consequence their horses fell heavily to the ground and brought them down with them. In an instant the dozen ruffians, who had lurked in the shadow of the trees, sprang out upon them, sword in hand, but there was no movement from either of their victims.

M. de Vivonne lit a lantern and dashed it upon the faces of the two unconscious men. "This is bad business, Major Despard," said he to the man next him. "I believe that they are both gone."

"But, tut! By my soul, men did not die like that when I was young!" answered the other, leaning forward his grizzled face into the light of the lantern. "Pass your rapier under the third rib of the horses, De la Roche. They will never be fit to set head to ground again."

"Two sobbing gasps and the thud of straining necks falling back to earth told that the two steeds had come to the end of their troubles.

"Where is the Latour?" asked De Vivonne. "He has studied medicine at Montpellier."

"Here I am, your excellency. It is not for me to boast, but I am as handy a man with a lancet as with a rapier. Which would you have me look to?"

"This one in the road."

The trooper bent over Amos Green. "He is not long for this world," said



The dozen ruffians, who had lurked in the shadow of the trees, sprang out.

he. "Methinks that it were well for me to pass my dagger through his throat."

"Not for your life!" cried the leader. "If he die without wound, they cannot lay it to our charge. Turn now to the other."

The man bent over De Catinat and placed his hand upon his heart. As he did so the soldier heaved a long sigh, opened his eyes and gazed about him with the face of one who knows neither where he is nor how he came there. De Vivonne, who had drawn his hat down over his eyes and muffled the lower part of his face in his mantle, took out his flask and poured a little of the contents down the injured man's throat. In an instant a dash of color had come back into the guardsman's bloodless cheeks and the light of memory into his eyes. He struggled up on to his feet and strove furiously to push

away those who held him. But his head still swam, and he could scarce hold himself erect.

"I must to Paris," he gasped. "I must to Paris. It is the king's mission. You stop me at your peril."

"He has no hurt save a scratch," said the ex-doctor.

"Then hold him fast. And first carry the dying man to the carriage."

The lantern threw but a small ring of yellow light, so that when it had been carried over to De Catinat Amos Green was left lying in the shadow. Now they brought the light back to where the young man lay. But there was no sign of him. He was gone.

De Vivonne caught the false doctor by the throat and, hurling him down, would have choked him upon the spot had the others not dragged them apart. "You lying dog!" he cried. "Is this your skill? The man has fled, and we are ruined!"

"He has done it in his death struggle!" gasped the other hoarsely. "He cannot be far off."

"That is true. He cannot be far off," cried De Vivonne. "He has neither horse nor arms. You, Despard and Raymond de Carnac, guard the other, that he play us no trick. Do you, Latour, and you, Turberville, ride down the road and wait by the south gate. If he enter Paris at all he must come in that way. If you get him, tie him before you on your horse and bring him to the rendezvous. In any case, it matters little, for he is a stranger, this fellow, and only here by chance."

The two horsemen rode off in pursuit of the fugitive, and De Catinat, still struggling desperately to escape, was dragged down the St. Germain road and thrust into the carriage, which had waited at some distance while these incidents were being enacted. Three of the horsemen rode ahead, the coachman was curtly ordered to follow them, and De Vivonne, having dispatched one of the band with a note to his sister, followed after the coach with the remainder of his desperadoes.

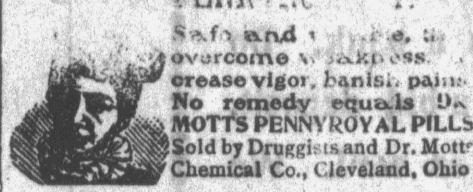
The unfortunate guardsman had now entirely recovered his senses and found himself with a strap round his ankles and another round his wrists, a captive inside a moving prison which lumbered heavily along the country road. He had been stunned by the shock of his fall, and his leg was badly bruised by the weight of his horse. His mind, however, pained him more than his body. He sank his head into his pinioned hands and stamped madly with his feet, rocking himself to and fro in his despair. What a fool, a treble fool, he had been! He, an old soldier, who had seen something of war, to walk with open eyes into such a trap!

But then came a return of that com-

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North Carolina
Pitt County } In Superior Court,
East Carolina Railway
Vs

T. W. Whitehurst, Octavia White (a minor) and Shelly Swain guardian of said Octavia Whitehurst.

T. W. Whitehurst, who is a defendant in the above entitled cause, 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 proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for her relief therein demanded, the 24th day of July 1906.
D. C. MOORE,
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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,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters testamentary having this day been issued to me, by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt, as executor of the last will and testament of J. P. Hellen deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of said testator to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 21st day of August 1906, this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment on or before the 21st day of August 1906.
R. W. H. T. Hellen,
Executor of J. P. Hellen, deceased,
Jarvis and Blow, Attorneys.

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mon sense which lies so very closely beneath the impetuosity of the Celt. The matter was done now, and he must see if it could not be mended. Amos Green had escaped. That was one grand point in his favor. And Amos Green had heard the king's message and realized its importance. It was true that he knew nothing of Paris, but surely a man who could pick his way at night through the forests of Maine would not be balked in finding so well known a house as that of the archbishop of Paris.

And then the thought of escape occurred to his mind. Might he not even now be in time perhaps to carry his own message? Who were these men who had seized him? And where were they taking him to? Full of curiosity, he peered out of the windows.

A horseman was riding close up on either side, but there was glass in front of the carriage, and through this he could gain some idea as to his whereabouts. The clouds had cleared now, and the moon was shining brightly, bathing the whole wide landscape in its shimmering light. To the right lay the open country, broad plains with clumps of woodland and the towers of castles pricking out from above the groves. On the left, but far away, lay the glimmer of Paris. They were leaving it rapidly behind. Whatever his destination, it was neither the capital nor Versailles. Then he began to count the chances of escape. His sword had been removed, and his pistols were still in the holsters beside his unfortunate horse. He was unarmed, then, even if he could free himself, and his captors were at least a dozen in number. There were three on ahead, riding abreast along the white moonlit road. Then there was one on each side, and he should judge by the clatter of hoofs that there could not be fewer than half a dozen behind. That would make exactly twelve, including the coachman—too many, surely, for an unarmed man to hope to baffle. At the thought of the coachman he had glanced through the glass front at the broad back of the man, and he had suddenly in the glimmer of the carriage lamp observed something which struck him with horror.

The man was evidently desperately wounded. It was strange indeed that he could still sit there and flick his whip with so terrible an injury. In the back of his great red coat, just under the left shoulder blade, was a gash in the cloth where some weapon had passed, and all round was a wide patch of dark scarlet which told its own tale. Nor was this all. As he raised his whip the moonlight shone upon his hand, and De Catinat saw, with a shudder, that it also was splashed and clogged with blood. The guardsman craned his neck to catch a glimpse of the man's face, but his broad brimmed hat was drawn low, and the high collar of his driving coat was raised, so that his features were in the shadow.

And now they had come to a spot where the main road ran onward, but a smaller side track wound away down the steep slope of a hill, and so in the direction of the Seine. The advance guard had kept to the main road and the two horsemen on either side were trotting in the same direction when, to

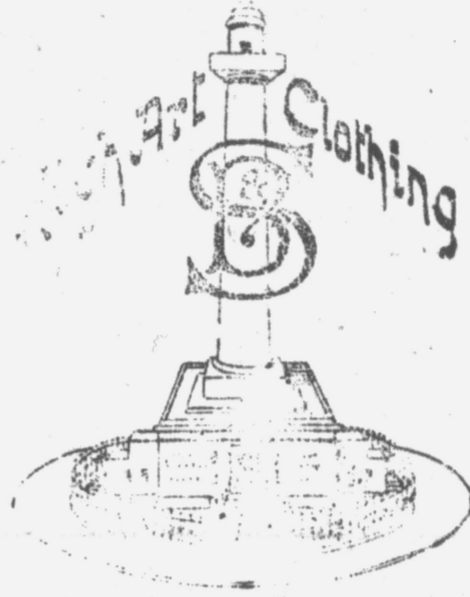
De Catinat's amazement, the carriage suddenly swerved to one side and in an instant plunged down the steep incline, the two stout horses galloping at their topmost speed, the coachman standing up and lashing furiously at them and the clumsy old vehicle bounding along in a way which threw him backward and forward from one seat to the other. Behind him he could hear a shout of consternation from the escort and then the rush of galloping hoofs. Fast as the coach went, its pursuers went faster still. The rattle of their hoofs was at the very back, and suddenly at one of the windows there came into view the red, distended nostrils of a horse. Slowly it drew forward, the muzzle, the eye, the ears, the mane, coming into sight as the rider still gained, and then above them the fierce face of Despard and the gleam of a brass pistol.

"At the horse, forward; at the horse!" cried an authoritative voice from behind.

The pistol flashed, and the coach lurched over as one of the horses gave a convulsive start. But the driver still shrieked and lashed with his whip, while the carriage bounded onward.

But now the road turned a sudden curve, and there, right in front of

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Little Bits Caught up Here and There That Are Interesting.

September.

The oyster is on the way.

The stores now keep open evenings.

New mulets at Sam'l M. Schultz.

County commissioners will meet Monday.

W. M. Pugh has moved to the Bland house on College street.

Cotton baskets for sale by J. O. Proctor & Bro. 21 1st sw

New garden seeds for fall planting, at Coward & Wooten's.

The weather report for last night and today struck it right, so far.

New crop, Ruta Baga and Turnips seeds, at Coward & Wooten's.

There was a better trade out this first Saturday than for some time past.

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This being a holiday on the exchanges, there are no changes in market report.

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The yearly meeting at Flat Swamp is in progress. A large crowd will be there tomorrow.

D. S. Chapman has resigned his position with Coward & Wooten for the purpose of attending school. He left this morning for Winterville, and after spending a few days with his parents there will go to the University at Chapel Hill.

SERVICES TOMORROW.

Methodist Church.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School conducted by the Superintendent, G. S. Pritchard.

11 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.

5 p. m. Devotional exercises by Epworth League.

8 p. m. Preaching by the pastor.

Immediately after the morning sermon the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered.

A cordial invitation is hereby extended to the public to attend all the above services in our church. J. A. Hornaday, Pastor.

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NORTH CAROLINA, }
PITT COUNTY, }

Julia Strong, }
vs. } NOTICE
Henry Strong, }

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Pitt county to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the superior court of said county to be held on the 3rd Monday of September 1906 at the Court house of said county in Greenville, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 16th day of September, 1906.
D. C. MOORE, Clerk Superior Court.
Julius Brown, and B. C. Finanigan, Attorneys for Plaintiff

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