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## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

### Relative to Averages Made by the Consolidated.

The following statement ought to convince every tobacco farmer that it is to his interest to sell his tobacco with the Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Company.

The market sold in the month of August 1,508,589 pounds at an average of 8.91 with our average included. The Consolidated Tobacco Company sold 442,836 pounds of this amount at an average of 9.06, making a difference of 15 cents per hundred above the market.

Deduct our 15 cents from the average of the market which is 8.91 and it will give you the average made by the other warehouses for the same amount sold, which is 8.76. Take this from 9.06, which is the average made by the Consolidated Tobacco Company, and it will give you the difference of 30 cents per hundred pounds higher than the other warehouses obtained. This means \$1,328.59 more money in the pockets of the farmers in one month than it they had sold at other houses.

Now, if we can sell your tobacco for the most money why don't you let us sell it? We are prepared to prove to you under the sworn statement of the secretary of the board of trade that this is a true statement of facts. You have worked hard to raise and prepare your crop of tobacco for market and it is a duty that you owe to yourself and family to sell your tobacco wherever you can get the most money. You don't only get more money for the tobacco that you sell with the company but at the end of the season get every dollar of the commission taken from the sale of your tobacco back less the actual running expenses of the business.

There is not another warehouse in the state that has made as high averages as the Consolidated Tobacco Company has made in the past three years and why it is that the farmers can't see that it is to their interest to patronize and work for the upbuilding of this Company I am unable to see. Other warehouse men and their employees have made statements to the effect that they are in position to give and will give you more money than any other house on the market. Our monthly statement which is sworn to, shows that these representations are not true and it does seem to me that it is time that the farmers were waking up to the fact that they are making a great mistake in not selling their tobacco with the Consolidated.

Throw away your prejudice and patronize the house that pays you the most money.

On September 26th, 27th and 28th the Star warehouse is going to have three days special sales and you will make no mistake in bringing me a load on the above named dates, as I will guarantee to you one of the best sales that you have ever made. Remember the dates.

Yours for high prices,  
The Star Warehouse,  
Ola Fortes, Mgr. and Salesman.

## NORTH CAROLINA MANNING

Washington, Sept. 13.—Representative Small, of the first district, is in Washington today on his way home from the Bryan meeting in New York. When seen at the Raleigh Hotel by The Observer's correspondent and asked for his opinion of the Nebraska speech, Mr. Small said: "There is no doubt that it was a great speech and that it was entirely satisfactory to 99 per cent. of the people who heard it. We had a good turn out of first-class North Carolina Democrats there, including our Governor and Senators, and we helped to whoop things up a little.

"As I said it was a first-class Democratic speech, and I like it, but in two particulars I feel that possibly a mistake was made. One of these was his statement concerning State and government ownership of railroads and the other was that he did not go into the socialistic question as deep as he might have done. In this matter his handling of it was shallow and superficial, I believe it would have been better had he spoken on this point in a deeper and more dignified way. However, as far as his allusion to State and government ownership of corporation is concerned, I think I express the sentiment of many of the Democrats in my State when I say that, while it was possibly a mistake to bring that matter into the speech, it was simply the speech of an individual man and not the speech of a candidate for the presidency though I have not the least doubt that Mr. Bryan will receive the nomination at the next Democratic convention to be the successor of Mr. Roosevelt on the Democratic platform.

"I think," continued Mr. Small, "that many people have been influenced by newspapers that are unfriendly to Mr. Bryan to the extent that, instead of taking the speech as a whole or picking out the good points and leaving the bad ones out, we have gone at it the other way and are trying to see how much fault can be found with it. The metropolitan journals of the country are responsible for this.

"Taking the speech all in all it was a good one and I have not the least doubt, as I said, that Mr. Bryan will be the nominee of the Democratic party, at the next convention, for the presidency. We certainly want him in North Carolina."

### "Paris By Night Co."

Wm. Leavitt, business manager of "Paris by Night Co," came in this morning to arrange for the appearance of his company here on Tuesday night, 18th. This company contains 26 people, with 20 girls in chorus, and gives a musical force with a lot of, good singing, funny comedians. This company had a big business in New York as one of the leading attractions on Broadway.

Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, who has been spending a few days in this section, returned to Raleigh this morning.

## MUST ACTUALLY SEE VALUE OF ADVERTISING.

It seems strange that there are merchants doing a retail business in this age, who are skeptical on the subject of newspaper advertising. If they give the newspaper an ad it is because some other merchant does, or else on the ground of "helping out" the local paper. Either of these classes will also actively refuse to acknowledge that they made a single sale through their advertising. And the reason is plain. They do not go at it with purpose of making it pay. If they approached a customer in their store in the same manner, they would average one sale for every tenth customer. And it would only be necessity that forced any one to return to the store.

It is these classes who advertise without method or preparation, who, if solicited, demand that actual proof of the value of the advertising be given them before they will give an ad to a newspaper. And it is very largely due to the local merchant who refuses to learn and see the value of home advertising, that the mail order houses in the large cities read such bountiful trade results from the smaller cities. These mail order houses use the mail, and the people in the smaller towns see the attractive bargains offered, and not seeing anything that the local merchant advertises, the out of town dealer gets the business.

If the local merchant will try and note the arrival of out of own packages it will be an object lesson, and one which he should heed. It means that money which should pass through his hands goes to another place, and largely because his own home people do not know of his goods.—Newbern Journal.

### Will Be a Reception Such as Befits the Greatest American.

The Northern press is already speculating on the manner of reception that will be given Mr. Bryan while on his tour through a portion of the South. But the South is not near so worked up over Mr. Bryan's advocacy of government ownership of railroads as these northern observers imagine. The South realizes that, as Mr. Bryan himself plainly said, it is his personal opinion, and moreover that it is not an immediate issue. There are other fights to be fought before the consideration of the question of government owned railroads and the South believes that Mr. Bryan is the one man that can lead these fights successfully. It may be put down right now that Mr. Bryan's reception in the South will spell "ovation," and without any simplified spelling.—Columbia State.

### Universalist Convention

The Universalist State Convention will convene in the Delphia Moyer Chapel, in our city, on the 6th and 7th of October. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services. The Universalists desire us to say, they will appreciate assistance in entertaining the delegates. There will be about fifty of them. If you can help, phone to Mrs. W. M. King.

## WINTERVILLE NOES

### Interesting Items from Our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C. Sept. 15,

Mrs. G. W. Wynne, who has been visiting at the home of James Dixon, returned to her home in LaGrange Thursday.

J. F. Harrington Joseph Barber and Henry Corey, returned from Baltimore Thursday evening. They report hot weather there also.

Rev. B. W. Spilman lectured to a large congregation at the Baptist church here Wednesday night on the benefits of taking the normal course offered by the Sunday School Board at Nashville, Tenn. Several joined the class. He also lectured for fifteen minutes to the students of W. H. S. Thursday morning on the kind of literature they should read.

Miss Huldah Cox, after spending the summer at Seven Springs, is now at home again to the delight of her many friends and relatives.

Irwin Baker, Joe Tyson, Leroy Venters and sister, students of W. H. S., left Friday evening to spend Saturday with their parents.

We are glad to announce that George E. Hood, of Goldsboro, will deliver a lecture Friday night, Sept. 28th, in the auditorium of W. H. S. under the auspices of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of this town. The public is cordially invited to be present. He is an excellent speaker and all should hear him.

The Vance Literary Society held its first meeting last night. The officers for the fall term were elected as follows: Norman Madlin, of Lewiston, president; D. B. Jackson, of Winterville, vice-president; B. T. Cox, of Winterville, secretary; F. C. Perry, of Trenton, supervisor; LeRoy Jackson, of Kinston, treasurer; L. N. Rouse, of Seven Springs, Marshal.

### SERVICES TOMORROW.

#### Episcopal Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Service with sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. W. E. Cox.

#### Free Will Baptist.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. E. T. Phillips. Sunday school at the usual hour.

#### Baptist Church

Sunday school and Baraca class meet at 9:30 a. m. All visitors are welcome and a cordial invitation to strangers. They will find friends and a hearty greeting.

Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. E. Ayscue.

#### Methodist Church.

9:30 a. m. Sunday school conducted by G. S. Prichard, Superintendent. 11 a. m. Preaching by R. B. John.

5 p. m. Devotional exercises by the Epworth League.

7:30 p. m. Preaching by the Presiding Elder.

A most cordial invitation is hereby extended to the public to attend all these services.

## PERSONAL MEN.

### Of Those Coming and Going.

L. I. Moore returned this morning from Raleigh.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis returned this morning from Raleigh.

Miss Nancy Coward came in Friday afternoon from Ayden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Edwards have returned from their bridal tour.

Miss Fannie Fleming, who has been attending school at Richmond, has returned home.

Rev. W. E. Cox returned Friday afternoon from Nashville, Tenn., where he has been for some time.

Mr. and George Woodard, Durham, and Mrs. Benjamin Wyobe, of Austin, Texas, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Woodward, left this morning.

Frank Wilson returned Friday evening from Chapel Hill. He has been made first alternate for the appointment from this district to the U. S. naval academy at Annapolis, and will soon leave to enter a training school there preparatory to the examination.

### The 4 Pickerts.

There was another pleased audience in Masonic temple opera house Friday night to witness the presentation of "Sis Hopkins" by the Pickerts company. The play was good and the specialties between the acts were splendid. The illustrated songs were something new here and much enjoyed. The Pickerts close their engagement tonight and should have a good audience.

### LILIPUTIAN WEDDING

### Opera House, Monday Night, 17.

The young people of the T. J. Jarvis chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, will have a Liliputian Wedding in the Masonic temple opera house on Monday night, 17th.

The program will be as follows: Instrumental solo, Miss Bessye Patrick.

Vocal solo, Miss Janie Tyson. Vocal solo, Miss Nina James. Cast of characters for wedding Groomsmen, Hugh Parham, Tom Moore, Dink James, Churchill Hodges.

Bridesmaids, Nell White, Maud Hooker, Gladys Bagwell, Bessie Ricks.

Father, Leonard Prichard. Bride, Francis Whedbee. Groom, Richard King. Best Man, James Ficklen. Maid of Honor, Louise Fleming. Dame of Honor, Helen Laughinghouse.

Pages, Larry James, Charles Laughinghouse. Minister, David Moore.

After the entertainment refreshments will be served on the court house green. This entertainment is for the benefit of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and the little folks should have a large audience. Tickets will be sold Monday night at the opera house, price 15 cents.

A. H. TAFT.

# IF IT IS A Furniture Problem,

We can solve it for you.

## Leadership

Furniture Sale Competition is Brisk and Furniture Sale Claims are many and loud.

### WHO LEADS---AND WHY?

What shall decide it? There is but one test. That sale is best and most important that offers you

The Lowest Prices on the Furniture You Want Come and be convinced. Yours to please.

# A. H. TAFT & COMPANY,

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of the Trustees of Greenville Methodist Church.  
Gentlemen:— We take the liberty of telling you that every church will be given a liberal quantity of L. & M. Paint whenever they paint. 4 gallons L. & M. mixed with 3 gallons Linseed Oil will paint a moderate sized house. L. & M. Paint cost only \$1.20 per gallon. L. & M. Zinc hardens L. & M. White and makes the paint wear like on. Largest mills in the world use L. & M. Arnold Paint Works, North Adams, Mass., used nearly 17,000 gallons L. & M. Paint made with 10,000 gallons L. & M. and 7,000 gallons pure Linseed Oil. 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!

Having made arrangements to manufacture the Nelson Reversible tobacco Truck and also to sell same will be pleased to accommodate anyone in need of same. Apply to A. H. TAFT, N. C.

### 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.

A hacking cough is most annoying. One Minute Cough Cure draws the inflammation out of the throat, chest and lungs. Sold by J. L. Wooten

W. H. RICKS.

### Greenville's Tonsorial PARLORS.

Hopkins, Davis and Daniels, Proprietors. CLEANLINESS OUR MOTTO. FOUR CHAIRS. Only experienced men employed. Opposite Coward & Wooten's Drug Store.

### PENNYROYAL PILLS

Safe and reliable, the over-coming weakness, increase vigor, banish pains. No remedy equals DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS. Sold by Druggists and Dr. Motz Chemical Co., Cleveland, Ohio

### HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache, Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

W. H. Long  
MOORE & LONG, Attorneys-at-Law, GREENVILLE, N. C. Practice in Civil Cases only.

### Greenville Livery and Transfer

Can furnish nice horses and carriages for all occasions. Horses boarded by the day, week or month.

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W. PERRY & CO. Norfolk, Va. Cotton Factors and handlers of Baggins, Ties and Bags. Correspondence and shipments invited

### COBB BROS. & CO

Norfolk, Va. Cotton Buyers and Brokers in stocks, Cotton, Grain and Provisions. Private wires to New York.

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LAWYERS Practices in all the Courts. GREENVILLE W. R. PARKER DEALER IN DRESSED AND KILN-DRIED LUMBER CATHS, SHINGLES AND BRICK. Greenville N. C.

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. A. W. GLEASON, NOTARY PUBLIC. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Is The Moon Inhabited.

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite, but not 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. Unequalled 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.

### A Mystery Solved.

"How to keep off periodic attacks of biliousness and habitual constipation was a mystery that Dr. King's New Life Pills solved for me," writes John N. Pleasant, of Magnolia, Ind. The only pills that are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction to everybody or money refunded. Only 25c at J. L. Wooten's drug store.

### Don't be Backward

Do not hesitate to ask for a free sample of Chamberlain's stomach and Liver Tablets. We are glad to give them to any one who is troubled with biliousness, constipation or any disorder of the stomach. Many have been permanently cured by their use. Sold by J. L. Wooten.

### Galveston's Sea Wall

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 a growing worse. Now it's gone. Cures chronic coughs, La Grippe, Croup, whooping cough and pneumonia. Pleasant to take. 50c bottle guaranteed at J. L. Wooten's drug store. Price 50c and 25c per bottle free.

# A BIG CUT ON ALL GOODS TO MAKE ROOM FOR FALL GOODS.

The price on all Dry Goods and Notions will be marked down low.

We are now selling our ladies' oxfords, figured lawns, and embroideries at cost.

3.00 Regani Shoes at	2.50	10c figured Lawn at	8ct
2.50 Regania Shoes at	2.00	12 1-2 cent Percale at	10
figured at	11c	A. F. C. Gingham at	8cts

# Jas F Davenport,

### INSANITY AND PROSPERITY.

In view of the oft repeated discussions on the questions whether insanity is more prevalent than formerly, and if so what are the causes for that condition, the statement made by Dr. Charles G. Hill, physician in charge at Mount Hope retreat, in the sixty-third annual report of that institution, is interesting. Dr. Hill in speaking of the reasons for any possible increase gives, among other things, "the prosperity of the period." He says: "If there is a marked increase of insanity at the present time I believe that by a thorough research, consisting not only of a survey of the mental symptoms, but an investigation with microscope and chemical retort of the tissues, fluids and secretions of the body, it could be traced in a great part to the prosperity of the period—the luxurious indulgence, the dissipation, the departure from the old standard of rectitude and the moral deterioration made possible in all conditions of society to a greater or lesser degree."—Baltimore American.

### The Lazy Worm.

A large district in the middle of Porto Rico with a population of 100,000 is afflicted with "the lazy worm," and official efforts are being made to improve the inhabitants' condition. A hospital has been established at Albonito, with an endowment of \$15,000, and will do what it can to check the ravages of this minute reptile, of the existence of which the old time native Porto Rican never had the slightest notion. Last year an American medical officer, Captain Ashford, treated 4,500 cases, and nearly all of them were cured. As a result the population are aroused to much enthusiasm, and the afflicted are applying in great numbers for treatment. Heretofore the malady has been deemed incurable.

### Improving Bananas.

Bananas, bought by the bunch for family use, may be greatly improved in flavor if hung with the larger end of the stalk upward, so that the little sap left may flow down and nourish the fruit. Scoop out the pulp in the larger end to the depth of two or three inches. Keep this filled with water, as you would water your plants. Thus fed the bananas will be much improved.

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

users protects you from ate s opim Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar— the cough srup 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, C. S. C. Atty for Pl'tt.

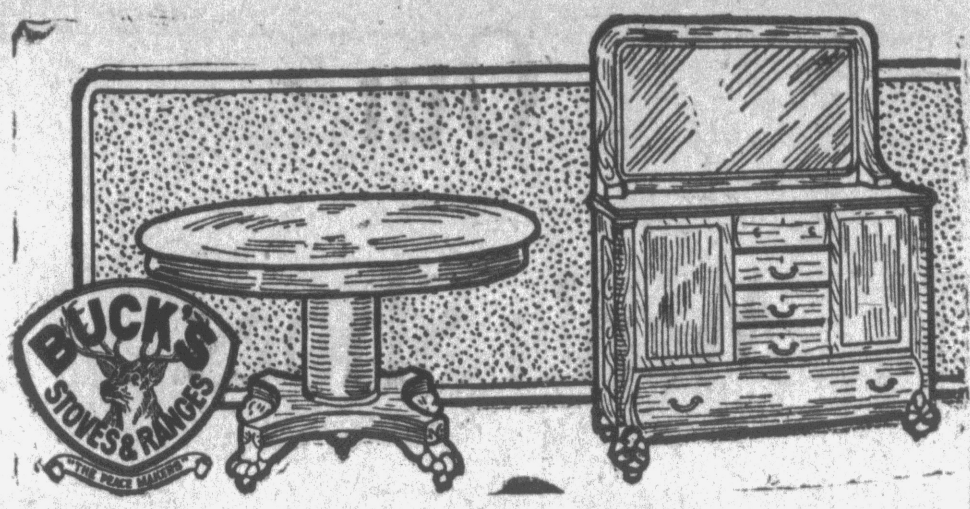
### "Make Hay While the Sun Shines."

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 showers 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. Wooten, druggist.

### In Self Defense

Major Ben M. editor and manager of the Constitution at 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.

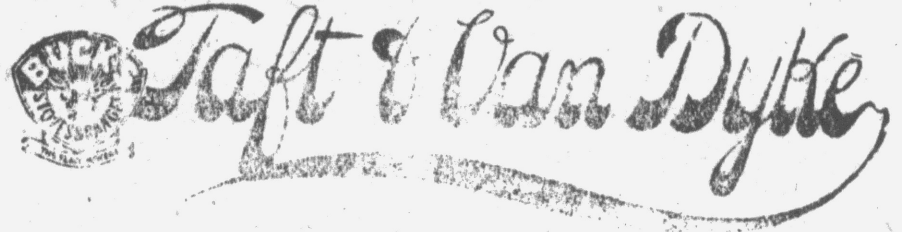
Young ladies should be most particular in their hair looks. Do not let your hair grow carelessly, be sure it is dressed with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will do the best. Tea or Tablets 25c each. Drug Store.



## Dining Room Furniture.

The variety of dining room furniture is so large, and the number of styles is so extensive, that it is almost impossible to keep up with them. However, you will find, here that all the most desirable patterns are represented in our stock, and you will enjoy seeing them whether you buy or not.

Here are some specials. Dining Tables 6.50 8.50 12.50. Side Boards 17.50 22.50 and 27.50.



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Next to Postoffice  
Sharp Razor's clean Towels and  
good work guaranteed  
**Cosmetics A Specialty.**  
Hot and Cold Baths  
Thanking one and all for you pas  
patronage and hoping for your con  
tinuance, I remain,  
Yours to serve,

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### Central Barber Shop.

Edmond & Fleming, Props.  
located in main business section  
of the town.  
Four chairs in operation and each  
one presided over by a skilled  
barber.  
Our place is inviting, razors sharp  
our towels clean.  
We thank you for past patronage  
and ask you to call again when  
good service is wanted

Turn backward, O time in your  
flight,  
Make me a child again just for to  
night,  
"Till do it cried Time, "just let  
me be  
Until I fix some Rocky Mountain  
Tea.  
Wooten's Drug Store.

The Spirit of the Times.  
Two newsboys were standing in front of a Bowery tobacconist's window recently gazing with rapt admiration at the enticing display of "weed." "Ef I had 2 cents I'd treat to cigarettes," remarked one. His companion remained thoughtfully silent, then quietly sauntered into the store. In a few minutes he emerged, a cigarette between his lips and a self assertive air. "Two?" remarked the other. "Nope, one. I's been hit by de street." For a few moments there was silence. "Den where do I come in?" questioned the nonsmoker. "Youse de minority stockholder—do de spittin'."—New York Post.

Sidelights on Royalty.  
What queer little sidelights on royal life come sometimes from the quaintest quarters. An old lady named Pike, who wanted to be discharged from Old Windsor workhouse, has mentioned incidentally that she made the king's first waistcoat, of velvet with silver buttons, when his majesty was a boy in kilts, and that once she received 10 shillings for washing some handkerchiefs for Queen Victoria at Windsor castle, her majesty's clean handkerchiefs having by some means "been mislaid." It would seem that a domestic contretemps is not wholly unknown even in the most exalted families.

Glass.  
According to Pliny, the discovery of glassmaking was purely accidental. He tells us that two merchants were carrying a quantity of niter over a desolate tract of country and at length paused upon the banks of a river to rest. Wishing to partake of some food, they built a fire, and, not finding any stones on which to place their kettles, they put them on some pieces of niter.

STRAY TAKEN UP.  
We have taken up two Shoats, one black male with no ear mark, one red female with ear marks, weight about 50 ponds each. Owner can get same by paying charges. J. S. Edwards & Bro R. F. D. No. 1, Grimesland, N. C.

## Some People Expect New Shoes



HURT  
And they're so comfortable. They buy that kind. The fact that a shoe should feel comfortable from the start is unknown to them because they have never felt the luxury of putting on a rightly made shoe.

The Hanan Shoe offers more real comfort when new than their kind of shoes offer after months of wear—it starts out a smart, stylish shoe and ends just as smart and stylish. There are not so many such people as there used to be. We know this because we sell so many more Hanan shoes than we used.

Maybe you would like to prove these facts.  
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H. A. PARAMORE.

JOHN A. RICKS

# Paramore & Ricks.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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

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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.

### S. M. SCHULTZ

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Wholesale and retail Grocer and furniture Dealer. Cash paid to Hides, Fur, Corn Meal, Oil, Beans, Turkeys, etc. etc. Redheads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor Suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, Corillard 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, Nut-Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currents, Raisins, Canned and China Ware, Tin and Copper Ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines and numerous other goods. Quality and quantity cheap for cash. Com

S. M. SCHULTZ

### 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-tands 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

### 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 such other business as may come before the 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.

### 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. F. 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, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me. This the 21st day of August 1906.  
R. W. SMITH,  
Executor of J. F. Hellen, deceased,  
Jarvis and Blow, Attorneys.

I pays no taxes—I pays no rent,  
Often busted—without a cent;  
But a king among men—from disease 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 proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof of the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that The National Salvage Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Greenville, County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, (Charles T. Munford 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 "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution.  
Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary 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, duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings 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 the undersigned 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.

# THE DAILY REFLECTOR

EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY

J. J. WHICEART,

EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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SAURDAY, SEPT. 15, 1906

If Secretary Show's visit to North Carolina accomplished any good for the Republicans it must yet show itself.

North Carolina will belong to Mr. Bryan next week. He will get a cordial reception all through the State.

Looks like Uncle Sam is going to do something. Several cruisers in the Navy Yard at Norfolk have been given hurry orders to get in readiness to proceed to Cuba.

Mr. Bryan says it must be government control or ownership, or it will not be long before the railroad will control and own this government. The latter is almost the case now.

Some scientist is putting up the claim that a disposition to general meanness in a boy can be removed by an operation on the brain. The old fashioned way of removing it was an operation with a slipper on another part of his anatomy.

The Statesville Landmark says that as a rule the so called agricultural fairs are humbugs and that the state fair heads the list. All this is true enough, yet the people who attend them are not humbugged, as they know in advance what they are going to get for their money—Durham Herald.

There will be many an unwilling dollar pulled from the pockets of the people to provide the new text-books ordered by the commission in the public schools. It seems a pity that our schools cannot reach some sort of a standard without having a complete revolution every four years.—Charity and Children.

Mr. C. Matthews, city editor of the Charlotte News, died in Asheville Thursday night from an operation for kidney trouble. This is the third death of recent occurrences among the widowed fraternity of Charlotte, the Observer having lost two brilliant members of its staff, Messrs. Avery and Abernethy. Mr. Matthews was one of the best writers on the News, and his death is a serious loss.

### STRAY TAKEN UP.

I have taken up two male shoats running in my field, one black and one spotted, weighing about 40 pounds each. Both marked underbit and round hole in right, smooth crop in left. Owner can get same by identifying and paying charges. C. R. Hardee, B. F. D. Grimesland, N. C.

### A CARD.

To the voters of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina.

The office of Solicitor has always been declared to be a non-political one.

The present incumbent, Hon. L. I. Moore, has held the office two terms, 8 years, and now seeks to have the people elect him for another term of four years more.

To my mind, and the mind of a great mass of the people, he has by his own act, disqualified himself from holding this office longer and should resign. He has accepted the attorneyship of a Railroad corporation at a salary of three thousand dollars per year, to wit: The Raleigh and Carolina Sound Rail Road. It is well known, that the interest of the state is often brought in conflict with the interests of railroads, and other corporations and no man can serve both as attorney, when these conflicts arise, with zeal and fidelity.

"No man can serve two masters for either he will hate the one and love the other or else he will hold to the one and despise the other." "Ye cannot serve God and Mammon."

For these reasons, and others I do hereby declare myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina, and I ask all the right thinking voters, to vote for, and elect me to that position with the assurance on my part, that I will faithfully perform the duties of the office to the utmost of my ability.

ISAAC A. SUGG,  
Greenville, N. C.

Sept. 10th, 1906.

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF GREENVILLE,

At Greenville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, Sept. 4th, 1906.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	96,372.64
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	1,486.44
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	476.56
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	2,275.47
Due from National Bank (not reserve agents)	12,297.30
Due from State Banks and Bankers	5,278.06
Checks and other cash items	550.12
Notes of other National Banks	325.00
Fractional paper currency nickles and cents	107.39
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	765.00
Legal-tender notes	8,322.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>141,380.98</b>
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	771.37
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due approved reserve fund	1,958.50
Individual deposits subject to check	48,087.57
Time certificates of deposit	5,981.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	110.95
Notes and bills rediscounted	12,071.59
Certificates of deposit for money borrowed	10,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>141,380.98</b>

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 12th day of Sep 1906

F. J. FORBES,  
Notary Public  
Correct Attest  
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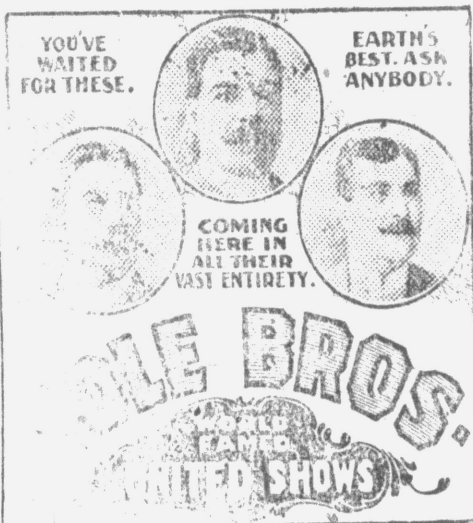
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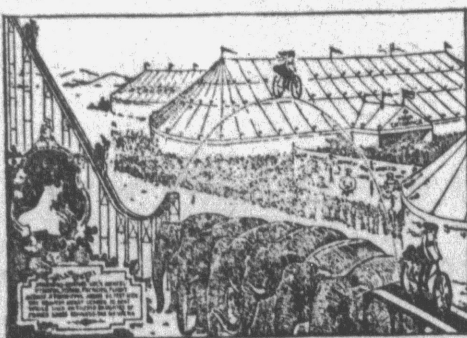
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GREENVILLE, N. C.**

At close of business Sept 4th, 1906.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts \$174,797 80	Capital stock paid in \$25,000 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 13,226.07	Surplus 12,500.00
Bonds, 1,000.00	Undivided profits, 3,085.29
Furniture and fixtures 2,451.09	Bills payable 55,000.00
Due from Banks 20,830.05	Deposits
Cash items 2,596.82	Time 23,994.66
Gold Coin 90.00	Subject to check 105,563.84
Silver Coin 893.17	Due to bks & bnkrs 293.34
National bank notes and US notes 10,111.00	Cashiers ck outs'd'ng 558.87
<b>Total \$225,996.00</b>	<b>Total, \$225,996.00</b>

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:

I, C. S. Carr, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. S. CARR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of Sept 1906.  
THOS. J. MOORE,  
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
R. O. JEFFRESS  
F. G. JAMES  
E. G. FLANAGAN  
Directors

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF  
THE BANK OF GREENVILLE.**

At the Close of Business, Sept. 4th 1906.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$181,537.04	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 5,912.86	Surplus, 25,000.00
Stocks, bonds mortgages 2,400.00	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes Paid 12,878.43
Furniture & Fixtures 3,647.32	Bills payable 40,000.00
Banking House 4,100.00	Time certificate of deposit 11,330.93
Due from Banks 21,836.73	Deposit subject to check 112,946.33
Cash items 767.01	Cashier's checks outstanding 3,455.89
Gold Coin 2,394.50	
Silver Coin 1,617.12	
N'tnl'bk & other US notes 7,299.00	
<b>\$230,611.58</b>	<b>\$230,611.58</b>

State of North Carolina, }  
County of Pitt. } ss.

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

JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of Sept, 1906.  
WALTER G. WARD,  
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
J. A. ANDREWS.  
R. W. KING,  
J. R. MOYE,  
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**TODAY'S MARKETS.**

Write to Daily Bulletin.

**Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts**

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

COTTON:	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:	Today	Yesterday
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  
JOBBS BROTHERS & COMPANY  
Bankers and Brokers,  
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:	Closed	Today	Yesterday
Oct.	8 91		8 94
Dec.	9 20		9 21
Jan.	9 27		9 28
Liverpool Futures.			
Sep- & Oct.	505		5 12
Chicago Markets:			
Dec. Wheat	73 1/2		73 1/2
Dec. Corn	42 1/2		42 1/2
Sep. Ribs	8 95		9 00
Oct. Ribs	8 55		8 60
Sep. Lard	8 92		8 87
Oct. Lard	8 90		8 87

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,  
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# THE REFUGEES

BY A. CONAN DOYLE

CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY

was, with a sprinkling of Oneidas. We had a running fight for a few miles, and we have lost five men. We



Eight of the covering party were running with their heads bent.

had best have all ready to retire to the house if they carry the stockade. We can scarce hope to hold it when they are twenty to one."

"All is ready."  
"And with our cannon we can keep their canoes from passing, so we might send our women away tonight."

"I had intended to do so. Will you take charge of the north side? You might come across to me with ten of your men now."

The firing came in one continuous rattle now from the edge of the wood, and the air was full of bullets. The assailants were all trained shots, men who had lived by their guns and to whom a shaking hand or a dim eye meant poverty and hunger. On the other hand, the defenders were also skilled in Indian fighting and wise in every trick and lure which could protect themselves or tempt their enemies to show. They kept well to the sides of the loopholes, watching through little crevices of the wood and firing swiftly when a chance offered. A red leg sticking straight up into the air from behind a log showed where one bullet at least had gone home, but there was little to aim at save a puff and flash from among the leaves or the shadowy figure of a warrior seen for an instant as he darted from one tree trunk to the other. Seven of the Cana-

dians had already been hit, but only three were mortally wounded. The other four still kept manfully to their loopholes. The women sat in a line upon the ground, beneath the level of the holes, each with a saucerful of bullets and a canister of powder, passing up the loaded guns to the fighting men.

At first the attack had been all upon the south face, but as fresh bodies of the Iroquois came up their line spread and lengthened until the whole east face was girt with fire, which gradually enveloped the north also. The fort was ringed in by a great loop of smoke save only where the broad river flowed past them. Over near the farther bank the canoes were lurking, and one, manned by ten warriors, attempted to pass up the stream, but a good shot from the brass gun dashed in her side and sank her, while a second of grape left only four of the swimmers, whose high scalp locks stood out above the water like the back fins of some strange fish. On the inland side, however, the seigneur had ordered the cannon to be served no more, for the broad embrasures drew the enemy's fire, and of the men who had been struck half were among those who worked the guns.

The old nobleman strutted about with his white ruffles and his clouded cane behind the line of parched, smoke grimed men, tapping his snuffbox and shooting out his little jests.

"What do you think of it, Du Lhut?" he asked.

"They seem to be drawing closer upon the east face, and I think that they will make a rush there before long," said Du Lhut.

The fire had indeed grown much fiercer upon the side which was defended by De Catinat, and it was plain that the main force of the Iroquois was gathered at that point. From every log and trunk and cleft and

bush came the red flash with the gray halo, and the bullets sang in a continuous stream through the loopholes. Amos had whittled a little hole for himself about a foot above the ground and lay upon his face, loading and firing in his own quiet, methodical fashion. Beside him stood Ephraim Savage, his mouth set grimly, his eyes flashing from under his down drawn brows and his whole soul absorbed in the smiting of the Amalekites. De Catinat was bearing himself like an experienced soldier, walking up and down among his men with short words of praise or precept—those fire words, rough and blunt, which bring a glow to the heart and a flush to the cheek. Seven of his men were down, but as the attack grew fiercer upon his side it slackened upon the others, and the seigneur, with his son and Du Lhut, brought ten men to re-enforce him. De la Noue was holding out his snuffbox to De Catinat when a shrill scream from behind them made them both look round. Onega, the Indian wife, was wringing her hands over the body of her son. A glance showed that the bullet had pierced his heart and that he was dead.

For an instant the old nobleman's thin face grew a shade paler and the hand which held out the little gold box shook like a branch in the wind.

"The De la Noues always die upon the field of honor," he remarked. "I think that we should have some more men in the angle by the gun."

And now it became clear why it was that the Iroquois had chosen the eastern face for their main attack. It was that the clump of cover lay midway between the edge of the forest and the stockade. A storming party could creep as far as that and gather there for the final rush. First one crouching warrior and then a second and then a third darted across the little belt of open space and threw themselves down among the bushes. The fourth was hit and lay with his back broken a few paces out from the edge of the wood, but a stream of warriors continued to venture the passage until thirty-six had got across, and the little patch of underwood was full of lurking savages. Amos Green's time had come.

From where he lay, he could see the white patch where he had cut the bark from the birch sapling, and he knew that immediately underneath it lay the powder bag. He sighted the mark and then slowly lowered his barrel until he had got to the base of the little tree as nearly as he could guess it among the tangle of bushes. The bullet penetrated the bag, and there was an explosion which shook the manor house and swayed the whole line of stout stockades as though they were cornstalks in a breeze. Up to the highest summits of the trees went the huge column of blue smoke, and after the first roar there was a deathly silence, which was broken by the patter and thud of falling bodies.

The blow was a heavy one. Of the thirty-six warriors, all picked for their valor, only four regained the shelter of the woods and those so torn and shattered that they were spent men. Already the Indians had lost heavily, and this fresh disaster made them reconsider their plan of attack. Their fire gradually slackened.

"Is it possible that they are going to abandon the attack?" cried De Catinat joyously.

But the wily Du Lhut shook his head. "A wolf would as soon leave a half gnawed bone as an Iroquois such a prize as this."

"But they have lost heavily."

"Aye, but not so heavily as ourselves in proportion to our numbers. They have lost fifty out of a thousand and we twenty out of three score. No, no; they are holding a council, and we shall soon hear from them again. But it may be some hours first, and if you will take my advice you will have an hour's sleep, for you are not, as I can see by your eyes, as used to doing without it as I am."

De Catinat was indeed weary to the last pitch of human endurance. Amos Green and the seaman had already wrapped themselves in their blankets

and sunk to sleep under the shelter of the stockade. The soldier rushed upstairs to say a few words of comfort to the trembling Adele, and then, throwing himself down upon a couch, he slept the dreamless sleep of an exhausted man. When at last he was aroused by a fresh sputter of musketry fire from the woods the sun was already low in the heavens, and the mellow light of evening tinged the bare walls of the room. He sprang from his couch, seized his musket and

rushed downstairs. The defenders were gathered at their loopholes once more, while Du Lhut, the seigneur and Amos Green were whispering eagerly together.

"What is it, then? Are they coming only?" he asked.

"They are up to some devilry," said Du Lhut, peering out at the corner of the embrasure. "They are gathering thickly at the east fringe, and yet the firing comes from the north. It is not the Indian way to attack across the open, and yet, if they think help is coming from the fort, they might venture."

"The wood in front of us is alive with them," said Amos. "They are as busy as beavers among the underwood."

"Perhaps they are going to attack from this side and cover the attack by a fire from the flank."

"That is what I think," cried the seigneur. "Bring the spare guns up here and all the men except five for each side."

The words were hardly out of his mouth when a shrill yell rose from the wood, and in an instant a cloud of warriors burst out and charged across the open, howling, springing and waving their guns and tomahawks in the air. Some of those in front bore canoes between them, and as they reached the stockade they planted them against it and swarmed up them as if they had been scaling ladders. Others fired through the embrasures and loopholes, the muzzles of their guns touching those of the defenders, while others again sprang unaided on to the tops of the palisades and jumped fearlessly down upon the inner side. The Canadians fired while they had time to load, and then, clubbing their muskets, they smashed furiously at every red head which showed above the rafters.

The din within the stockade was infernal, the shouts and cries of the French, the whooping of the savages and the terrified screaming of the frightened women blending into one dreadful uproar, above which could be heard the high, shrill voice of the old seigneur imploring his men to stand fast. With Du Lhut, Amos, De Catinat and Ephraim Savage was ever in the forefront of the defense. So desperately did they fight the sword and musket butt outreaching the tomahawk, that though at one time the Iroquois were over the palisades they had slain or driven back nearly all of them, when a fresh wave burst suddenly over the south face, which had been trapped of its defenders. Du Lhut saw in an instant that the inclosure was cut and that only one thing could save the house.

"Hold them for a moment," he screamed, and, rushing to the brass gun, he struck his flint and fired it straight into the midst of the savages. Then, as they were an instant, he struck a nail through the hole and drove it home, blowing from the butt of his musket across the yard, he sprang to the other corner and fired through the door as the remnants of the Iroquois were hurled against the wall of the assailants. The gun recoiled in and swung the powder bag of wood into position, breaking the head of the foremost warrior and driving to follow them. The seigneur saw that they had time for but one word for counsel.

## CHAPTER XX

**B**UT their case was not so evil one. Had the Iroquois been lost, so that they might have turned upon the door, their resistance would have been but Du Lhut's presence of mind saved them from that danger. The guns upon the river face and the canoes were safe, for they were behind the windows of the stockade. But their numbers were too small, and those who were left were weary and wounded and spent. The shot gained the house, but one had passed through the body, while another had his shoulder cleft by a bullet, and could no longer raise his rifle. Du Lhut, De la Noue and Amos were uninjured, but Ephraim had a bullet hole in his forehead and Amos was bleeding from a cut across the face.

A few shots from the stockade windows sufficed to clear the inclosure, for it was all exposed to their aim, but on the other hand the Indians had the shelter of the stockade now, and from the farther side of it they kept up a fierce fire upon the windows. Half a dozen of the canibales returned the fusillade while the leaders consulted as to what had best be done.

"We have twenty-five women and fourteen children," said the seigneur. "I am sure that you will agree with me, gentlemen, that our duty is toward them. Some of you, like myself, have lost sons or nephews this day. Let us at least save our wives and sisters."

"No Iroquois canoes have passed up the river," said one of the Canadians. "If the women start in the darkness they can get away to the fort."

"By St. Anne of Beaupre," exclaimed Du Lhut, "I think it would be well if you could get your men out of this also, for I cannot see how it is to be held until morning."

"Tut! tut! What nonsense is this!"

cried De la Noue. "Are we to abandon the manor house of Ste. Marie to the first gang of savages who choose

to make an attack upon it? No, no, gentlemen; there are still nearly a score of us, and when the garrison learns that we are so pressed, which will be by tomorrow morning at the latest, they will certainly send us relief."

"If you stand by the fort I will not desert you," said Du Lhut, "and yet it is a pity to sacrifice brave men for nothing."

"The canoes will hardly hold the women and children as it is," cried Theuriet. "There are but two large and four small. There is not space for a single man."

The Iroquois were very quiet now, and an occasional dropping shot from the trees or the stockade was the only sign of their presence. The twilight was gathering in and the sun had already sunk beneath the treetops. Leaving a watchman at each window, the leaders went round to the back of the house, where the canoes were lying upon the bank. There were no signs of the enemy upon the river to the north of them.

"We are in luck," said Amos. "The clouds are gathering, and there will be little light."

"It is luck, indeed, since the moon is only three days past the full," answered Du Lhut. "I wonder that the Iroquois have not cut us off upon the water, but it is likely that their canoes have gone south to bring up another war party."

"In an hour it might be dark enough to start."

"I think that there is rain in those clouds, and that will make it darker still."

The women and children were assembled, and their places in each boat were assigned to them. To Onega, the Indian wife of the seigneur, who was as wary and as experienced as a war sachem of her people, the command of the women was intrusted.

"It is not very far, Adele," said De Catinat. "It is but a league or two."

"But I do not wish to leave you, Amory. We have been together in all our troubles."

"My dear love, you will tell them at the fort how things are with us, and they will bring us help."

"Let the others do that, and I will stay. I will not be useless. Amory, Onega has taught me to lead a gun. I will not be afraid, indeed I will not."

"You must not ask it, Adele. It is impossible, child. I could not let you stay. It is for my sake, dear. You do not know what a load it will be from my heart when I know that you are safe. And you need not be afraid for me. We can easily hold the place until morning."

Adele was silent, but her hands tightened upon his arm. Her husband was still endeavoring to reassure her when a groan burst from the watcher in the window which overlooked the stream.

"There is a canoe on the river to the north of us!" he cried.

"How many warriors are in it?" asked the seigneur.

"I cannot see. The light is not very good, and it is in the shadow of the bank."

"Which way is it coming?"

"It is coming this way. Ah, it shoots out into the open now, and I can see it! May the good Lord be praised!"

"What is it then?" cried De la Noue impatiently.

"It is not an Iroquois canoe. There is but one man in it. He is a Canadian."

"A Canadian!" cried Du Lhut, springing up to the window. "Who but a madman would venture into such a hornets' nest alone? Ah, yes; I can see him now. He keeps well out from the bank to avoid their fire. Now he is in midstream, and he turns toward us."

"It is a Jesuit," said one, craning his neck. "They are everywhere there is most danger."

"No. I can see his capote," said another. "It is a Franciscan friar."

An instant later there was the sound of a canoe grounding upon the pebbles, the door was unbarred, and a man strode in attired in the long, dark gown of the Franciscans. He cast a rapid glance around and then, stepping up to De Catinat, laid his hand upon his shoulder.

"So! You have not escaped me," said he. "We have caught the evil seed before it had time to root."

"What do you mean, father?" asked the seigneur. "You have made some mistake. This is my good friend Amory de Catinat, of a noble French family."

"This is Amory de Catinat, the heretic and Huguenot!" cried the monk. "I have followed him up the St. Lawrence, and I have followed him up the Richelieu, and I would have followed him to the world's end if I could but bring him back with me."

"Tut, father! Your zeal carries you too far," said the seigneur. "Whither would you take my friend, then?"

"He shall go back to France with his wife. There is no place in Canada for heretics."

Du Lhut burst out laughing. "By St. Anne, father," said he, "if you could take us all back to France at

present we should be very much your debtors."

"And you will remember," said De la Noue sternly, "that you are under my roof and that you are speaking of my guest."

But the friar was not to be abashed. "Look at this," said he, whipping a paper out of his bosom. "It is signed by the governor, and calls upon you, under pain of the king's displeasure, to return this man to Quebec. But I have you now and I shall never leave you until I see you on board of the ship which will carry you and your wife back to France."

De Catinat could but admire the energy and tenacity of the man.

"It seems to me, father, that you would have shone more as a soldier than as a follower of Christ," said he,

"but since you have followed us here and since there is no getting away we may settle this question at some later time."

A great brown cloud had overspread the heavens and the night had fallen so rapidly that they could hardly see the gleam of the river in front of them. The savages in the woods and behind the captured stockade were quiet, save for an occasional shot. Suddenly a dull red glow began to show above one of the roofs of the cottages.

"They have set it on fire!" cried Du Lhut. "The canoes must go at once, for the river will soon be as light as day. In! In! There is not an instant to be lost!"

There was no time for leave taking. One impassioned kiss and Adele was torn away and thrust into the smallest canoe, which she shared with Onega, two children and an unmarried girl. The others rushed into their places, and in a few moments they had pushed off and had vanished into the drift and the darkness. The great cloud had broken and the rain pattered heavily on the roof.

"Thank God for this storm!" murmured Du Lhut. "It will prevent the cottages from blazing up too quickly."

But he had forgotten that, though the roofs might be wet, the interior was as

dry as tinder. He had hardly spoken before a great yellow tongue of flame licked out of one of the windows, and again and again, until suddenly half of the roof fell in, and the cottage was blazing like a pitch bucket. The flames hissed and sputtered in the pouring rain; but, fed from below, they grew still higher and fiercer, flashing redly upon the great trees and turning their trunks to burnished brass. Their light

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The Sayings of Grace.

Some of Dickens' most touching and effective word-pictures were those family gatherings where for a moment song and mirth were hushed and the revered head of the household quietly invoked a blessing on the repast. Who does not remember the wedding feast at the Wardle home, when even genial Mr. Pickwick brushed away a tear and Dickens voiced his feelings in that memorable passage, "There are dark spots on the earth, but its light shines brighter in the contrast." And through a mist of happy memories rises the home of the Cheeryble brothers, those typical examples who in the midst of their prosperity always remembered at mealtime the "giver of all good." "For these and all other blessings, brother Charles," said Ned, "Lord, make us truly grateful, brother Ned," said Charles.

Good Hint.

Although it has been said that puns belong to the lowest order of wit, there are occasions when a well-timed pun serves an excellent purpose. One of these occasions was improved a good many years ago by a Boston man, honored and beloved by all who knew him. It was at the centennial anniversary of the "tea party," which was held in Faneuil hall. The first speaker said that, to him, the card of invitation, which bore a large teapot, gave a delicate intimation which he should endeavor to bear in mind, as he doubted not the other speakers would also "I noticed," said he, with the utmost gravity, "that the teapot, though a large one, had a very short spout."

An Exceptional Effect of Nagging.

A young man was forced into teaching of mathematics against stronger inclinations and greater love for another science because of a failure to pass an examination in arithmetic in early life. He was so badgered and taunted by his family that in sheer desperation he specialized in mathematics and even achieved some distinction therein, although he is still reminded at times of his childish fiasco. But not every young man has so much grit. Most of the nagging critics' victims are too hurt, sore and discouraged to attempt further and bolder flights. The wings are clipped and rarely grow again.—Independent.

Dawes Could Thin Them Out.

The Hon. H. L. Dawes in his young manhood was an indifferent speaker. Participating in a law case soon after his admission to the bar before a North Adams justice of the peace, Dawes was opposed by an older attorney, whose eloquence attracted a large crowd that packed the courtroom. The justice was freely perspiring, and, drawing off his coat in the midst of the lawyer's eloquent address, he said: "Mr. Attorney, supposing you sit down and let Dawes begin to speak. I want to thin out this crowd."—Boston Herald.

An All Round Game.

A man owning a double house sublet the half he did not occupy to a noisy tenant. Such a racket was kept up that he notified the party to quit.

"What's the matter with me?" he asked, much hurt in his pride.

"Ah, you raise too much noise all the time, and I can't stand it."

"Why don't you balance matters by raising something yourself? I don't object."

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