

EASTERN NORMAL SCHOOL BILL.

The matter of establishing a normal school at some point in Eastern North Carolina, a bill to that purpose now pending in the legislature, is of vital interest to Greenville, this town being among those at work in the effort to get the school. The committees on education of both the senate and house of the General Assembly, held a joint meeting Wednesday night to consider the bill and to hear representatives from those towns which desired to get the school.

The first speaker was Prof. S. L. Sheep, of Elizabeth City, who spoke of the need of trained teachers and the difficulty in getting them to serve the schools in the Eastern section of the State. With such condition it is impossible to make the educational advancement that is desired. He also read letters from several prominent educators setting forth the need of an Eastern normal school and urging that it be established. Prof. Sheep's id this movement was in no spirit of antagonism to the normal college at Greensboro that has done such excellent work for the State, but that no State in the union could make proper educational advancement with only one normal school for training teachers. He called a list of several States that have from three to nineteen such schools. County superintendents in Eastern North Carolina are seriously handicapped in their work by the inability to get trained teachers for the schools.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville, was the next to address the committee, and was greeted with applause as he arose. He said he regarded the education of the children and the proper care of the insane as the two greatest matters that come before the legislature. Some French writer said "let me write the songs of a nation and I care not who writes its laws". This can be paraphrased "let me educate the children of North Carolina and I care not who makes her laws." He plead earnestly for the establishment of the Eastern normal school. He pitied the man who could not look beyond his immediate section and feel an interest in the whole State. He said in advocating the establishment of this school it was without a word of hostility to any institution already existing. If asked what man in North Carolina had been most useful to the State in the last ten years, he would unhesitatingly say Charles D. McIver; and if asked what institution had done most for the State he would say without peradventure that it was the normal and industrial college at Greensboro. While not assuming to dictate to or instruct the committee, he would say that the legislature could crown itself with glory by putting \$100,000 at the disposal of the institution at Greensboro and tell them to go ahead and erect a great building as a monument to Dr. McIver.

Governor Jarvis said there have been schools without build-

ings and without money, but two things are absolutely necessary to have a school—they are pupils and teachers. By way of digression he expressed pleasure at seeing a suggestion from our excellent State superintendent in reference to compulsory education. His own ideas had undergone a change in this particular. He used to think the idea of compulsory education was horrible, but he now looked upon it that the State had just as much right to say that a man should send his child to school as to say that he should pay taxes to educate the children and make them better citizens, and he hoped this legislature would take some step in that direction.

It used to be regarded that anything was good enough to teach a public school, but thank God that day has passed and the demand now is for trained teachers to instruct the children. Every avocation calls for trained men and women, and the same requirement should rule in our schools. He was not asking that a college be established in Eastern North Carolina, but he did think we should have a normal school that will train the young women to teach the common schools of Eastern North Carolina.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale, of Greenville, next spoke before the committee. He said he was not here to antagonize any institution in the State, and not a word would he utter against one. He stood for the greatest number of educational advantages to the greatest number of people and for a trained teacher for every child in North Carolina. These determine the destiny of North Carolina.

Emphasizing the need of training for teachers he said as is the teacher so is the school. The past fifteen years has shown wonderful progress along educational lines. In many communities through the advantages of rural mails and public libraries the people are in advance of the teachers that can be obtained for the schools. The towns are able to control all of the trained teachers and they have made progress, but these teachers cannot be obtained for the rural schools. It is a mistake to get communities to consolidate school districts and erect larger buildings unless you can give them better teachers. He said he stands for any movement that means more trained teachers for the schools. The best way to get children in the schools is to put trained teachers in charge of the schools. A trained teacher is able to instruct both parents and children in the schools. There is a most difference in having a school open so many months and in educating children—there is quite a difference in keeping school and teaching school.

Prof. Ragsdale then gave some statistics of the schools east of Raleigh and pointed out the inadequate supply of trained teachers for these schools. He urged that the school asked for be established, showing in forceful

argument that the State could not make a better investment.

Representative W. K. Jackson, of Beaufort county, spoke briefly in advocacy of the school. He gave some figures showing that two-thirds of the students at the Greensboro normal were from territory near to it, while the remote sections were denied the advantages of it, therefore the Eastern school should be established.

Mr. W. C. Rodman, of Washington, spoke of the precedence the State has for the passage of the bill now before the legislature by pointing out the establishment of two such schools in the west that exist by State aid. He spoke of Eastern North Carolina's devotion to and ardor for existing State institutions and that no man desired to take from any of them, but that the remote sections of the East should have an institution in reach.

Superintendent W. S. Wilkinson, of Rocky Mount, Mr. E. F. Aydtlett, of Elizabeth City and Representative Ehringhaus, of Pasquotank county, made brief remarks in closing the argument before the committee. The claims of the Eastern normal school were strongly presented, all the speeches being of a high order, and the bill has the distinction of being the one important measure before this session of the legislature against which not one word of opposition was uttered before the reference committee.

The Reflector hopes the bill will receive the favorable report of the committee and that the General Assembly will pass it.

BETHEL ITEMS

Bethel, N. C. Feb. 7, 1907—Mr. Judson Hassell Blount, son of Mr. M. O. Blount, of Bethel has been given the appointment to West Point by Senator Overman. Young Mr. Blount will stand his entrance examination in May.

Mr. Will Roberson is quite sick with pneumonia.

Miss Estelle Jones, daughter of Mr. S. M. Jones, who is attending Massey's Business College, Richmond Va., is ill with measles. There are a few cases of measles in this community. The disease seems to be in mild form and is not spreading rapidly.

Miss Blanche Mayo entertained some friends Saturday and Sunday last, at her home near Bethel. Among the invited guest were Misses Hennie Ragsdale and Sophia Jarvis, of Greenville, Bertha Waldrop and Elizabeth Jones, of Bethel.

Mr. Harvey Roberson, of Robersonville spent Sunday with Mr. W. H. Woolard.

Messrs. Thomas J. Moore, Fred Forbes and Bob Howard, of Greenville, spent Sunday in and near Bethel.

Mr. W. C. Ward, who has been living in Rocky Mount, N. C. since September, is back in Bethel for a few weeks. We extend to Claud a hearty welcome if he will decide to stay with us.

Miss Alice Carson, of Goldsboro, is visiting at Rufus Bullock's.

Several pupils in the graded school will compete for the Grimes and Arthur medal.

FOREIGNERS LOSE THEIR WAY.

Fall Among Friends And are Put Right

A man and his wife and one small child, from Poland in Russia, had a peculiar experience here Wednesday night, but fortunately for them found friends among our people who helped them out of their dilemma. This Polish family left their country recently for America to join a brother of the man who is a miner at Shelburn, Ind., and landed at Baltimore about two weeks ago, where because of the sickness of the wife they had to remain some days.

It was upon leaving Baltimore that the family got on the wrong route, but it was through no fault of their own. The man had the written address of his brother, giving the name of the mine at which he worked at Shelburn, Ind., House No. 6. This address was shown to the railroad agent in Baltimore when the man went to buy his tickets, but the agent through some error gave him tickets to House, N. C.

Capt. Hawks found these people on the train Wednesday evening, and as their tickets read House, N. C. he put them off at that station which is 3 miles north of Greenville. The foreigners finding themselves at such a small station with no one to meet them were in a great dilemma. They went into the store of Randolph Bros., but being unable to speak a word of English could not explain the situation. Mr. Randolph hit upon the idea of phoning over to Greenville to see if any one could converse with the foreigners. Messrs. S. M. Schultz and S. Fleishman both tried the phone but neither of them could understand the language the foreigner spoke. Finally Mr. Paul Mitrick was brought to the phone and though it had been many years since he had heard the language he at once recognized it, and those around the phone at the House end say a smile of joy came over the foreigner's face when he heard some one speak in his mother tongue. Mr. Mitrick was not long in getting hold of the situation and learning the man's trouble. A carriage was sent over to House to bring the family to Greenville. They spent the night at Hotel Bertha and next morning were started out right to reach their destination at Shelburn, Ind. Capt. Hawks took charge of them as far as Weldon, and there saw them properly transferred. The foreigners seemed to appreciate falling in the hands of people down this way who were ready to help them out of their trouble.

Came in With "News".

Mr. A. L. Blow walked into The Reflector office at 10:30 this morning looking about as white as when Simon Stern and some others rolled him over in the big snow of Christmas, 1876. He leaned over the desk and said "Tell the people it began snowing at 11:30 last night, and if it keeps up at the present rate until the first of July there will be enough ammonia left in the soil to make crops for five years. Yes, tell 'em its snowing."

2000 bu. seed oats at F. V. Johnston's.

For Sale—Good fresh milk cow and young calf. J. W. Tucker. 4th 3rd

Tomorrow is the date for the monthly meeting of the county teachers' association.

TOWN MATTERS.

Proceedings of the Board of Aldermen.

The board of aldermen met in regular monthly session Thursday night, all the members being present.

The finance committee reported that about \$7,000 would be needed for payment on the sewerage system on the 15th of this month. On motion the finance committee was introduced to ascertain if \$15,000 can be borrowed for the necessary time to complete the sewerage system, and report at the next meeting of the board.

The mayor and water and light committee were instructed to confer with the water and light commission with regard to the water and light plant and make report to the board at next meeting.

There was a discussion on the matter of bootblacks congregating on the streets, and Alderman Moseley offered the motion that all bootblacks be required to obtain license to carry on their business and that a license tax of \$5 be charged. A tie vote resulted and mayor cast his decision against the motion.

Alderman Woodward then offered the motion that a license tax of \$2.50 be charged.

Another tie vote resulted and the mayor decided the matter against the motion.

Another motion was made by Alderman Woodward that a license tax of \$2.50 per year be levied on bootblacks. It was embodied in the same motion their it be declared unlawful for any bootblack to carry on his business on the Evans street between Second street and the grade school building and on Third Fourth and Fifth streets between Washington and Catach streets This was adapted.

The monthly reports of officers were examined and approved.

The report of the superintendent of the water and light plant showed that five water customers and five light customers were added during the past month, and the revenue of the plant for the month amounted to \$1,182.96.

It was ordered that an appropriation of \$20 be made to Hope Fire Company to enable the company to join the State firemen's association.

It was ordered that incandescent street lights be placed at the corner of Latham and Third streets and Jarvis and Fourth streets in West Greenville.

The board endorsed a recommendation to have a bill passed by the General Assembly exempting Greenville from the fire waste law.

It was ordered that all surface privies on the four blocks between Third and Fifth streets and Cotanch and Washington streets be required to make connection with the sanitary sewerage of the town on or before May 1st, 1907, any non-compliance being subject to a fine of \$5 for every day such connection is neglected.

Alderman Carr, having moved out of the fourth ward from which he was elected, tendered his resignation as a member of the board, and on motion action on the resignation was deferred to a future meeting.

Bills were allowed and ordered paid amounting to \$1,857.34.

The board adjourned to a special meeting to be held on Tuesday night, 12th.

Dont forget "The Reflector" cigar when you want the best smoke. Sold only at Reflector Book Store.

TO THE OLD COUNTRY

Greenville Citizen Off on Trip Abroad.

Some twenty odd years ago Mr. Paul Metrick, then a youth of 16, set sail from his native land in Austria to cast his destiny with America. He landed in New York, spent some years in the northern States and Virginia, and nine years ago came to Greenville and engaged in the tailoring business. Since that time he has lived here and made a good citizen.

Long separation from his native home and kindred, and a loss of correspondence between himself and mother, had led each to suppose that the other was dead. Recently through the aid of friends they located each other and an exchange of letters expressed their delight at knowing that each was living. Mr. Metrick at once decided to visit his mother and for that purpose left Greenville this morning. He will sail from New York on the 16th for Bremen, and from there will go to Austria. His address while abroad will be Jakil Dorf, Lecte posta Margit Dorf, Cipser Kornidat, Austria Ungarn, Europe.

His host of friends in Greenville wish him a happy voyage and safe return. He asked the Reflector to tell all good bye for him, and said he would return in about two months. It is his hope to induce his mother to return with him and make her home in Greenville.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Printed Pictures of Passing People.

R. F. Windham returned to New Bern today.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale returned this morning from Raleigh.

Dr. E. A. Moye returned Thursday evening from Washington.

Misses Bertha Waldrop and Blanch Mayo, of Bethel came over today to visit Miss Hennie Ragsdale.

F. G. James, H. W. Whedbee, W. S. Atkins and D. J. Whichard returned Thursday evening from Raleigh.

Big Snow.

It began snowing before midnight last night and continued to come down furiously until noon today, when it looked like stopping for a time. It has reached a depth of about 5 inches, which is the largest snow here in several years. Even with all the snow, this immediate section is fortunate in escaping the severe sleet that has prevailed over the State through the week. Tar river seemed to be the line of demarkation for the sleet, as there was very little of it on the south side of the river.

Rough on the Force.

People can imagine the difficulty of The Reflector carrier boys in getting the paper to them through such a snow as this. We are trying to help the boys by getting out the paper as early in the day as possible, so as to them enable to get around before night. If you find the paper short on news in this kind of weather you can think of the trouble we all are having and not complain.

Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Warmer Saturday.

About all the work that could be done today was shoveling snow and getting fuel.

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Toad Superstitions.

Superstitions as to toads having been early indicated, it has been exceedingly difficult to get rid of them. One remnant of this ancient credulity still exists. It is in regard to the absolute imperishable character of the toad. There are well educated Americans who believe that a toad hops out alive from a slab of stone though he has been imprisoned there for several millions of years. We give in brief Dr. Buckland's experiments with toads in 1825. He took twelve toads and had the toads put in twelve cells cut in sandstone, and over these he put plates of glass. They were buried in a garden for over a year. When exhumed they were all dead. Then some were put in porous sandstone, and at the end of a year a few were found "greatly emaciated." When buried for another year, they all died. Toads were inclosed in wood, and they all died. The conclusion is that, deprived of atmosphere or without food, toads must die. If a toad as a tadpole could have entered a crevice in a rock, it might have grown, but would have died in time for want of air and food. This toad nonsense is so ineradicable that it is supposable it never can be dissipated.

Pellisson's Little Adventure.

Pellisson, the famous French historian, was frightfully ugly. One day as he was walking down the street a beautiful lady took him by the hand and conducted him into a house close by. Dazzled by the lady's charms and flattering himself that this adventure could not possibly entail any unpleasant consequences, he had not the strength to offer any resistance. His fair captor introduced him to the master of the house, saying: "Line for line, exactly like this," whereupon she took her departure. Pellisson, on recovering from his astonishment, demanded an explanation. The master of the house, after sundry apologies, confessed that he was a painter. "I have undertaken," he added, "to supply the lady with a picture of the 'Temptation in the Wilderness.' We have been debating for a couple of hours as to the mode of representing the tempter, and she ended by saying that she wished me to take you for a model."—Revue Anecdotique.

The Judge Sinned Too.

Wirt Gerrare, in his volume on "Greater Russia," says that in the czar's country one may not call another a fool. There is a Scriptural injunction against that, and it is consequently a legal offense too. Not long ago a "vint" player called his partner a fool for needlessly trumping their trick. The offended man brought his accuser before the court. The culprit pleaded provocation and, knowing that the judge was a passionate follower of the national game, explained the matter in detail. The judge became interested and got excited as the particulars of the play were given. "I took the trick with my queen, and, instead of throwing away, my partner played the king!" shouted the accuser. "The fool!" said the judge. Then he hastily dismissed the case.

Companionship of Books.

Will you go and gossip with your housemaid or your stable boy when you may talk with kings and queens, while this eternal court is open to you, with its society wide as the world, multitudinous as its days, the chosen and the mighty of every place and time? Into that you may enter always, in that you may take fellowship and rank according to your wish. From that, once entered into it, you can never be ousted but by your own fault.—John Ruskin.

Mislaid the Pudding.

Dinner was late, but when the mistress started to make a mild remonstrance the new maid was on time with her excuse. "Sure," she said, with an irresistible frisk smile as she placed the soup on the table, "sure, I mislaid the pudding, and there I was hunting the house for it, and where would it be after all but in the oven!"

Shopping.

There is nothing finer for the temper than a new hat, no balm for hurt feelings like a fresh gewgaw. Ordering new frocks takes a woman out of herself. Out a woman off her shopping, and the result may be disastrous.—London World.

The Polish He Needed.

"I stopped down the street," said the man who prided himself on being blunt, "to get a polish on my shoes." "Don't you think," asked his sarcastic companion, "that you began at the wrong end?"—Baltimore American.

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Floy Thigpen & husband A. L. Thigpen Huldah Keel, Johnnie Keel, Oscar Keel, Ida Keel and H. F. Keel. By virtue of a decree made by D. C. Moore, clerk of Superior court of Pitt county, in the above entitled special proceeding to sell land for partition. The undersigned commissioner will on Monday, the 18 day of March 1917, expose to public sale before the court house in Greenville, N. C. to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract of land to wit: Lying and being in Greenville township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of H. F. Keel, John Tucker, Ben J. Jolly, L. C. Arthur, Noah Forbes and J. S. Tunstall, and known as the James Sutton home place containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less. This sale is made for partition. This the 5th day of February 1917. Julius Brown, Commissioner.

Report of the condition of THE NATIONAL BANK OF GREENVILLE, At Greenville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, Jan. 26th. 1917.

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The Most Desolate Spot.

Perhaps the most desolate spot on earth is a tiny storm swept islet in Bering sea nearly midway between Alaska and Siberia. Nearly fifty miles from the nearest land, King's Island is a barren rock, so steep that no beach landing can be found. Here on the southern side, perched like nests above the roaring surf and secured to the rocks by wretched thongs, are the skin dwellings of the walrus hunters. Here the sun to never shining, the sea never smooth. Cold, chilly fogs enshroud the place in summer, while the frequent and furious gales that sweep through Bering Strait at all seasons render the narrow summit uninhabitable. Ice locked during nine months of the year, the natives depend entirely upon the seal, walrus and whale as a means of existence. During the brief summer a stray whaler may visit the island for a couple of hours, but this is the sole communication with the outer world. The King's Islanders are closely allied to the Alaskan Eskimos. They are a fine, hardy race, inured to daily dangers and privations, and are reckoned the best and bravest sailors in Bering sea. Their boats of walrus hide will carry from twenty to thirty persons in a mountainous sea.

Strange Fuels.

"I have eaten mutton cooked on a fire of broken mummy," said the sailor. "It was in Egypt, and the mummy was stolen out of a tomb. Them natives is always stealin' mummies. They sell them in pieces to tourists, and what pieces they can't dispose of otherwise they burn 'em into the bin for fuel. Mummy burns like tinder, but it's a ghastly fuel. It has a ghastly a fuel as the shoe lasts what they burn in the shoe makin' town of Lynn, where the old fashioned and discarded lasts glowin' in the grates look to you like amputated human Trilbies. I been in tannery towns where the fuel is leather chips. This fuel smells and smokes. It clinkers, too, formin' itself into big, solid chunks what have to be broke up with the poker every little while. In British Columbia, where fish is as plentiful as air, they burn dried fish when there's no wood handy. The oil in the fish causes them to burn well, but the smell of this fish fuel ain't no white man's taste."

Pawnshop Art Sales.

"One of the most indefatigable painters in Philadelphia has almost exclusively a pawnshop trade," said a pawnbroker the other day while discussing the many tricks of his business. "He has been working this market," he continued, "for almost four years. I believe I was his first customer. He was reduced to the point where his only capital was a lot of pictures that he could not sell. In his extremity he came to me. I advanced him a little money on several pictures, which I was lucky enough to sell. The funny part of it was that the man himself couldn't sell a picture to save his soul. He finally realized that he was deficient in business ideas and confined himself strictly to painting pictures, while I attended to the sales. At last he got other customers in my line, and today he actually makes a living from the pawnshop trade."—Philadelphia Record.

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State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, as: 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 27th day of Feb- 1917. THOS. J. MOORE, Notary Public. Correct—Attest A. M. MOSTLEY, R. O. JEFFRESS, J. L. WOOTEN, Directors.

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North Carolina, } ss. County of Pitt, } I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of Jan 26 1917. C. MOORE, Notary Public. Correct—Attest J. G. MOYE, W. B. WILSON, R. W. KING, Directors.

WHAT CURES INDIGESTION AND DISPEPSIA? PANACEA WATER. "REFER TO THE FOLLOWING—ASK THEM" Prof. H. B. Smith, Messrs. J. W. Aycock, J. L. Little, Wiley Brown, R. S. Evans, Herbert Hardee, A. R. Breedlove, J. Y. Monk and many others in Greenville. Geo. S. Prichard GREENVILLE, N. C.

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To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the local.

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The Kindness of the Poor.
 The old adage that the poor are the best friends of the poor was instanced in the story of a chambermaid, who is a young widow with two children to support. After a lingering sickness the younger of the children died, and, the young mother's bank account having been depleted from paying the expenses of the weeks of medicine and doctor's visits, she was obliged to contract a debt at the undertaker's. After that she paid a small monthly installment until the bill was half settled, when one day there came through the mail a receipt for the remainder. The receipt was accompanied by a badly written and blotted note from a scrub-woman in a large uptown hotel, who knew of the trouble, knew the family and the circumstances and in her note explained that she had no family nor near relatives and that she earned enough to support herself and that she wanted to use this surplus money for the little mother, who needed all that she could make extra to support the remaining child. As scrubwomen receive only 50 or 75 cents a day, one will readily appreciate the spirit which moved one kind soul to help another in distress.—Leslie's Weekly.

What Words Can Do.
 "Any one who swears," declared the bishop of Carlisle, "manifests the beggarliness of his vocabulary." The Concord Patriot puts it in this fashion: "People swear because they do not know the possibilities of plain English or have not the skill to manipulate it so that it will yield the amount of fire they want. You can do almost anything with common words. No matter how tame and lifeless they look standing in stupid rows as if they didn't know enough to come in when it rained, they can be made to dance like imps, to frolic like fairies, to float angelwise on light wings, to glow like fire spirits. They can do things that make the ordinary bits of profanity look like feeble scarecrows stiffened up with a fence stake. The cure for profanity—reformers and educators please make a note—is merely wit enough to handle your words so that swearing will seem like baby talk in comparison."

When Blondin Was Afraid.
 One of Blondin's favorite jokes was to offer to carry some distinguished spectator across the rope with him on his back. Everybody naturally refused, and the great equilibrist, with a genial smile, would say, "I am sorry you are afraid I should drop you." But he was hoist once with his own petard.

He was exhibiting in Paris and was about to cross the Seine on his rope. Cham, the great caricaturist, had come to make a sketch. Blondin, recognizing him, at once invited him to cross with him.

"With pleasure," replied Cham, "but on one condition."

"And that is?" queried Blondin.

"That I shall carry you on my back," answered Cham.

"Not if I know myself," answered Blondin.

"Ah," triumphantly exclaimed Cham, "this time, M. Blondin, it is you who are afraid!"

Illustrious Shoemakers.
 Shoemaking is a calling which has given the world some very great men. One authority asserts that the majority of cobblers have exceptional brains, that their attitude when stooping over their work tends to a cranial development in the part where the intellectual faculties are seated. Some one has written a book on illustrious shoemakers. In it are Sir Clondesley Shovel, Gifford the Terrible, Bloomfield, author of the well known "Farmer's Boy," Carey, the orientalist; Admiral Myngs, George Fox, founder of the Society of Friends; John Kitto, the Biblical scholar, and Sturgeon, the electrician. The list of illustrious shoemakers runs into scores.

Rocks That Float In Water.
 A geologist who is well up in his business can name a dozen or twenty different specimens of rocks and minerals that have less specific gravity than water and which will, if tossed into that element, float on the surface. Hubelite is one of the best known representatives of that class. The common pumice stone is another example. The rock with the very least specific gravity known is damar, a substance found in an extinct volcano in Damara-land. Its atomic weight is 5, or exactly one-half that of hydrogen.

The Sum of Genius.
 Men give me some credit for genius. All the genius that I have lies just in this: When I have a subject in hand, I study it profoundly. Day and night it is before me. I explore it in all its bearings. My mind becomes pervaded with it. Then the effort which I make is what people are pleased to call the fruit of genius. It is the fruit of labor and of thought.—Alexander Hamilton.

Art of Reading.
 To get the best out of reading we must begin early and work hard. It is an art like music or painting and demands its stern apprenticeship. It remains true that a man who knows only his own tongue does not know that.—Christian World.

Wonderful.
 She—What interested you most in your travels, major? Major—Well, the mummy of a queen I saw in Egypt. It's wonderful how they could make a woman dry up and stay that way.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A fool can talk without knowing what he ought to say, but a wise man's silence is due to his knowing what he ought not to say.—Chicago News.

A Fairly Big Fish.
 Paddy had been telling the story of a big pike he caught, too big to get into the boat, so that he had to be towed behind (with the gaff in it, it must be understood). Then followed this dialogue: "What weight, Paddy?" "Divvil a know I know, but he was an ojons basta." "Was that the biggest you ever saw, Paddy?" Then Paddy gave a description of the biggest he ever saw. "What weight, Paddy?" "Sorra a bit I know. He was a terror." "How big, Paddy?" "Sure, I can't tell to a foot or two, but a man could walk down his throat." On this incredulity, but Paddy "clinched the matter and silenced all controversy" by adding, "Wid his hat on."—Angler's Evenings.

Emergency Foods.
 According to Dr. Robert Hutchinson of London, if at any time meat is not available, bread, sugar and eggs will make "a very respectable support for the body." Sugar is an exceedingly valuable article of food as a source of energy, the unfortunate thing about it being that it contains no nitrogenous matter. Bread, however, does contain some; hence it balances up well when combined with sugar. In times of scarcity of food bread and molasses is not a half bad diet—at least it can be relied on to keep the body up to a fair state of efficiency.

Women as Walkers.
 Even the athletic girls and women of today can hardly make any advance upon the record of Mary Lamb, who wrote to Miss Wordsworth (both women being between fifty and sixty years old): "You say you can walk fifteen miles with ease. That is exactly my stint." She then speaks pityingly of a delicate woman who could accomplish "only four or five miles every third or fourth day, keeping very quiet between."

Manhattan Island.
 Indians who accepted \$24 from Governor Peter Minuit for Manhattan Island in 1624 did not make such a bad bargain, for if they had invested that sum of money at compound interest at the prevailing rate since then their heirs would now have \$12,000,000,000.

Keeping Pace With the Service.
 Patron (anxiously)—Bring me some lunch. Restaurant Waiter—But you've already ordered a breakfast, sir? Patron—Yes, but it was breakfast time then.

Courage!
 If you get a job the first day you look for it don't be discouraged. You may lose it Saturday.—Atlanta Journal.

About That Home Do You Contemplate Owning One?

If so the first thing to consider is a good lot in a desirable location and you cannot be better suited in a lot than the

Sam White Property.

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Notice.
Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina to pass a bill submitting to a vote of the people of Greenville a proposition to issue \$50,000 bonds to complete the sewerage system of said town and for street improvement.
F. M. Wooten, Mayor
Jan. 14, 1907. 1 mo d.

Notice.
Notice is hereby given, that application will be made to the present general assembly of North Carolina to amend the charter of the town of Grifton.
E. J. Brooks, Mayor.
February 2, 1907. 4 2w?

To Those Wanting Groceries.
I have bought the Williams stock of Groceries in the store next to J. F. Davenport's old stand, and will add a new line. Call on me when you want the best Groceries.
M. A. FLEMING

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Wire to Daily Reflector.)
Norfolk Cotton & Peanuts
AS WIRED BY
J. W. PERRY & COMPANY
Cotton Factors, Norfolk,

COTTON:		
Strict Middling	10 1/2	10 1/2
Middling	10 1/4	10 1/4
St. Low Middling	10 1/8	10 1/8
Low Middling	10 1/4	10 1/4
PEANUTS:		
Fancy	5	4 1/2
Strictly Prime	4 1/2	4 1/2
Prime	4 1/4	4 1/4
Low Grades	4 1/4	4

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

New York Futures:		
Closed	Today	Yesterday
Mch	9 26	9 12
May	9 40	9 34
July	9 52	9 42
Liverpool Futures		
Apr & May	5 53	5 48
Chicago Markets:		
May Wheat	77 1/2	78 1/2
May Corn	46 1/2	46 1/2
May Ribs	9 70	9 67
July Ribs	9 80	9 75
May Lard	9 97	9 95
July Lard	10 02	9 97

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For all kinds of feed stuff at lowest prices see F. V. Johnston.

Rev. R. E. Fuhs, of Augusta county, Virginia, who is to supply the Presbyterian church here for two months, will preach in that church Sunday.

Dr. W. A. Wakefield, of Charlott, N. C., will be in Greenville at Hotel Bertha on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 11th and 12th, for the purpose of treating diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, fitting Glasses. 1906 was a "lean year" on farmers and many others, and the doctor will on this visit reduce his fees for treating eyes for glasses one-half.

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Croup can positively be stopped in 20 minutes. No vomiting—nothing to sicken or distress your child. A sweet pleasant and safe Syrup called Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure, does the work and does it quickly. Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure is for croup alone, remember. It does not claim to cure a dozen ailments. It's for croup, that's all. Sold by Bryan's Drug Store.

To stop a cold with "preventives" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventives will head off all colds and Grippe and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventives are little toothsome cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventives. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by Bryan's Drug Store.

Give me the man with ravishing eyes,

And sweet, red lips;
She is better than mansions of stone,

Or temples of brick,
For joy and pleasure there will be,

If she takes Rocky Mountain Tea.
Wooten's Drug Store.

Mothers who give their children Kenney's Laxative Cough Syrup invariably endorse it. Children like it because the taste is so pleasant. Contains honey and tar. It is the original laxative cough syrup and is unrivaled for the relief of croup. Drives the cold out through the bowels. Conforms to the Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of opium, chloroform or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, it seems has welcomed the Pure Food Drug Law recently enacted, for he has worked along similar lines for many years. For nearly 20 years Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure containers have had a warning printed on them against opium and other narcotic poisons. He has thus made it possible for mothers to protect their children by simply insisting on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold by Bryan's Drug Store.

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WE have received a big line of Spring silks in Navy and Black checks, also Plaids in all colors suitable for whole suits or waists.

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WE have a line of Silk and Wool Batiste 52 inches wide at 50c in Black, Navy, Tan, Cream and Red.

LIGHT Calicoes, Merrimaes and American Prints, regular price 6 cents our price 5 cents. They are advancing yet and may be 7 cents in short.

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