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## MR. LAUGHINGHOUSE'S SPEECH.

### Argument of One of Pitt's Representatives for Jury Reform.

The argument made by Mr. Laughinghouse, of Pitt in the house, yesterday in the debate on the Parsons bill to give the State an equal chance with the defendant, in capital cases, was highly complimented by the opponents as well as advocates of the bill. In the course of his argument Mr. Laughinghouse, said in part, and said well:

Mr. Speaker: I give to the pending bill my earnest and unqualified support, because I consider it wise legislation, much needed legislation, and a step in the right direction towards securing fairer criminal trials in our courts. This bill, if it passes will be productive of good results in the more certain conviction of the guilty and the acquittal of the innocent. For many years I have been an advocate of this kind of legislation. I have long ago been convinced that under our present system of court trials in capital cases, especially with reference to the large number of preemptory challenges allowed defendants and the very few allowed the State, guilty men to often go unwhipped of justice, foul murderers too often escape from the clutches of the law and go forth fore-handed again among the people with conscious guilt resting upon their souls. If this bill becomes a law it will materially strengthen the proper administration of our courts, and perpetrators of capital crimes, whether they be high born or lowly born, rich or poor, white or black, will be less likely to have juries packed in their behalf notwithstanding the activities of the shrewdest lawyers employed in their defense.

Two years ago as a member of this house I earnestly sought to have a bill enacted into law reducing the number of preemptory challenges allowed defendants charged with capital crime and putting the State and defendant on an equality in that respect. It passed this house but failed in the senate or as I now remember was smothered to death in the committee. It failed because of opposition to it by lawyers in that body. I do not mean to say that all the lawyer senators fought it but the preponderance of influence was largely that way. I state this because it is a fact and not that I question their right to do as they choose.

We are sent here, Mr. Speaker, as representatives of the people, to legislate for the public good, to pass laws in the interest of the many and not of the few, to remedy defects, if any exist, in present laws so as to make them effective and serve the good purposes for which they were intended. The bill before us contemplates certain changes and improvements whereby fairer court trials may be had in certain cases. The merits of the bill seem to me to admit of no controversy and should receive the hearty approval of every member of the house. The State and a defendant charged with capital crime should have the same and equal rights in selecting a jury. Why a defendant in this day and time is given 23 preemptory challenges and the State only 4 is more than I can understand when considered in the light of reason or justice. Why this remarkable disproportion? It is rank inconsistency. It is irrational law. Law is said to be the essence of reason, and if

there was any reason for this provision, the long, long years ago when a defendant could not testify in his own behalf it does not exist now and has not for many years. There is no justification for its continued recognition. It should be stricken out of our law books and we should substitute what is right, sensible and just in its place. Only a few weeks ago a Superior court judge (Judge Neal) holding court in my county in his charge to the grand jury called attention to this very matter in forcible language, stating that it was an unreasonable provision to allow 23 preemptory challenges and on account of it the task was quite difficult, and often an impossible one to convict guilty men. His charge at the time was reported at some length in the columns of the Greenville Reflector, an able excellent newspaper, and I wish I had a copy at hand of that issue of the paper so I might read to you Judge Neal's timely words on this subject.

We can understand of course, the advantage it is to an attorney appearing for a defendant in a capital case to have the use of 23 preemptory challenges while the State is restricted to only four in selecting a jury; but when we know it is unfair and unequal and operates as an injury to the public interests in making the conviction of the guilty quite difficult and often impossible, as publicly asserted by a Superior court judge, and as is known generally by the public, it is our duty as legislators to change this unreasonable provision and put the State and defendant on the same footing. In North Carolina on account of this striking disparity juries are packed for a defendant the prosecution being powerless to prevent it. On account of it jurors have been so selected that it was practically known what their verdict would be before a witness was even heard upon the stand. A shameful condition it is, and it calls for a remedy at our hands. I know whereof I speak when I say that packed juries have cleared defendants when the evidence beyond question proved them to be murderers. I know cases where criminals have been acquitted through the disreputable and corrupt methods of attorneys. These are ugly truths, and I refer to them with shame that such can be under our criminal jurisprudence.

And right here, Mr. Speaker, is a good opportunity for me to say that I have sometimes been misrepresented as well as misunderstood as respects my opinion of and feeling towards the legal profession.

I may be considered by some as perhaps prejudiced against lawyers. I may be considered by some as being perhaps careless and extreme of speech concerning lawyers. I want to say I am not so narrow of mind or malignant of heart as not to justly appreciate the worth of an honorable, high minded lawyer wherever I find him. I admire and esteem many true and noble men of that great profession. I know such lawyers here in the legislature. They are valuable members and the state will be benefitted by their services. That profession furnishes able men to fill the highest public positions within the gift of our people. I believe our delegation in congress, the two senators and the nine congressmen with possibly one exception, are all lawyers, and the governor chosen as a rule is taken from their

## Jurors For April Court.

First week—J. H. Smith, J. H. Bryant, J. S. Rollins, B. J. Skinner, J. Z. Gardner, W. L. Wooten, Joseph Lang, James Brown, H. C. Fornes, Rufus Galloway, C. L. Wilkinson, Woodie McLawhorn, J. R. May, D. C. Dudley, B. W. Mosley, B. F. Manning, J. A. Smith, R. M. Williams, J. M. Wooten, M. W. Tyson, M. O. Gardner, H. R. Wooten, J. H. Keel, W. G. Little, D. D. Gardner, S. A. Stocks, R. A. Forbes, W. S. Fleming, J. J. Nobles, John Nobles, Jr. S. A. Jenkins, J. G. Taylor, C. V. York, J. B. Oakley, F. M. Kilpatrick, H. Bently Harris.

Second week—O. M. Fleming, H. L. Blount, Job Moore, J. I. Manning, C. G. Moore, J. L. Starkey, C. G. Barrow, S. T. Woolard, W. L. F. Corey, J. H. Harris, W. J. Turnage, T. E. Hooker, J. B. Britt, F. L. Allen, R. J. Cobb, G. M. Mooring, J. E. Cash, D. S. Spain.

## Jurors for March Court.

First week—D. D. Overton, L. A. Fulford, B. E. Moye, R. B. Sumner, J. F. Barwick, J. M. Windham, Jesse Clark, R. H. Hunsucker, Rowan Cooper, A. B. Hudson, J. E. King, C. L. Tyson, J. J. Hadcock, J. B. Hudson, R. M. Elks, J. A. Lang, Mc G. Ford, W. W. House.

Second week—C. A. Elks, W. L. Clark, E. H. Foley, R. S. Evans, John S. Gaskins, D. C. Barrow, C. M. Buck, Marcellus Fleming, C. T. Munford, J. R. Pippin, J. D. Fleming, W. C. Moore, W. S. Cox, L. S. Edwards, S. J. Parker, F. A. Patrick, E. F. William, W. H. Arnold.

## Parsifal at Tarboro.

This beautiful and thrilling opera, which was Wagner's last production, will be presented in Tarboro Friday night, 15th. As a number of people in Greenville have expressed a desire to witness it The Reflector is arranging for them to do so. The passenger agent of the Atlantic Coast Line has been wired relative to having a special train return to Greenville from Tarboro after the play that night. If those here wishing to go will send in their names as soon as possible arrangements will be made and seats secured for them.

## Meeting of R. F. D. Carriers.

The rural free delivery mail carriers of Pitt county will have a meeting in Greenville at noon on Friday, Feb. 22nd, for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization of R. F. D. carriers. Every carrier in the county is invited to be present.

## Weather

Fair and slightly colder tonight. Tuesday fair.

Lost—On the streets of Farmville, on the night of Feb. 6th Ladies' gold watch and fob, initials L. S. on watch and ten dollar gold piece on fob. Liberal reward for its returned to Dr. J. N. Bynum, Farmville, N. C. 1td & 1tw

ranks. Whether this is because they are always best fitted to fill our highest positions and have the highest claims to recognition I have no desire to discuss, but it does show that the people bear no prejudice and I want to say I share with them in that generous feeling. Some of my best friends belong to that great profession, and on many occasions I have gladly given my best support to some deserving lawyer in his honorable ambition for political honors.

(To be continued.)

## GRUBBS-WHITE.

Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 9.—An event of more than usual interest was the wedding of Mr. O. Leslie Grubbs and Miss Alice White Thursday evening at six o'clock. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. Augustus Bryan White, in Blandwood avenue, and a large number of friends were present.

The entire lower floor of the home was artistically decorated with Southern smilax, and the walls were covered with vines. Banks of smilax covered the mantels, on which stood candelabra with handpainted shades. The ceremony took place in the central room in which had been constructed an improvised altar of white. On either side palms were banked, the whole making a beautiful effect in the soft light from the candelabra.

Just before the ceremony Miss Roberston played a part of Mendelssohn's "Midsummer's Night Dream," and Miss Sadie Dick sang very beautifully, "Schubert's Serenade."

An aisle through which the wedding party entered was formed of white gauze ribbon, carried by Gray Bradshaw with Joe Reece Morton, George Denny with Gena Adams, and Tom Copeland with Kathleen Denny. All the little folks were in white.

First to enter was the maid of honor, Miss Kate Vanstony, who wore white crepe de chine en train, with trimmings of pearl and lace, carrying bride's roses. Following her came the bride, in a wedding gown of white lace with high satin girdle and tulle veil. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and maiden hair ferns, and entered with her sister and dame of honor, Mrs. Joseph P. Minetree, in white crepe de chine, trimmed in real lace and carried bride's roses.

They were met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, I. M. Minus, of Winston-Salem. The Rev. Charles E. Hodgkin, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, was the officiating minister. The ceremony was both beautiful and impressive.

Following the congratulations and good wishes, which were showered upon the young couple, the wedding gown was changed for a dark blue traveling suit. Mr. and Mrs. Grubbs then drove to the depot and took Southbound train No. 29 for a trip to Florida. Upon their return they will reside in this city.

Mr. Grubbs is the agent of the Southern Express Company in this city. He came here about eighteen months ago and in that time has made many friends among the business men of the city. He has the esteem of the men under him, as well as the confidence of his company. His bride is a beautiful and accomplished young woman, and is quite popular with the younger social set. Many handsome presents were received by them.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Messrs. H. A. and N. G. White, of Greenville; Mrs. Frank Morton, of Newbern; Mrs. Daniel Webster, of Randolph; Mr. I. M. Minus, of Winston-Salem.—Raleigh News & Observer.

The bride is a sister of Mr. H. A. White, of Greenville. She has visited here often where she has a host of friends.

During the snow work on the sewerage system and track laying on the new railroad had to suspend.

## PERSONAL POINTS.

### Printed Pictures of Passing People.

Ollie Clark went to Tarboro Sunday.

J. W. Ferrall went to Rocky Mount today.

W. B. James went to Roberstonville today.

J. S. Norman went up the road this morning.

Harry Skinner, Jr., went to Richmond Sunday.

O. L. Joyner returned from Raleigh Sunday evening.

J. B. Higgs returned from Norfolk Saturday evening.

Miss Dora Hornaday returned to Ayden Saturday evening.

Miss Valeria Fleming went to Whitehall Saturday evening.

N. H. Whitfield returned Saturday evening from Oxford.

Misses Bertha Walrdop and Blanche Mayo returned to Bethel Sunday morning.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield of Charlotte, arrived Sunday afternoon, and will be here today and Tuesday.

Miss Evelyn Harris, of Reidsville, who has been visiting Miss Birdie McKinney, returned home today.

Miss Verna Whichard, accompanied by Miss Fannie Fleming, J. G. Watson, C. D. Morton and T. W. Whitehurst, went out to Station, Sunday, to spend the day at her father's.

Mrs. Josiah Dixon and little Miss Minnie Exum Sugg left this morning for Baltimore. The latter, who is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sugg, went to be treated in the hospital for some trouble with her arm.

## WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

### Notes From our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C., Feb. 9th.

A. W. Ange left Friday evening for Jamesville, where he will spend a day or two with relatives and friends.

Arch Fleming and Julius Bennette, students of W. H. S., left Friday to spend Sunday at their respective homes.

The funeral of Jas. Butt, who died Tuesday, was postponed until Thursday morning at 11 o'clock on account of the arrival of some of his relatives from Bonneton.

Miss Mattie Johnson, of Ayden is visiting at the home of Mayor J. R. Johnson.

Thos. Butt and Lonnie Tripp, of Bonneton, attended the funeral of J. L. Butt and returned to their homes Thursday.

Rev. W. E. Cox returned to Greenville Friday morning after a stay of several days here.

We are glad to report Esther Johnson improving.

Prof G. E. Lineberry returned from Raleigh Thursday evening.

The school children have been enjoying the snow yesterday and today. Happy is he that has plenty of good dry wood stacked back. Now is the time to enjoy the royalty of a good fire.

Winterville High School has been exceedingly fortunate in securing Congressman W. W. Kitchin, of Roxboro, to deliver the literary address at the close of the session May 17th. He is not only an eloquent speaker but he is also a fine thinker. A rare treat lies in store for all those who hear him.

We are glad to see Miss Meta Dew, who has been suffering from rheumatism, out again.

J. K. Barnhill went to Parmele Friday evening.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

The valentine will get in its work Thursday.

Fresh pork Sausage at S. M. Schultz.

The hunters have been killing many birds since the snow came.

Maine Red Biiss at S. M. Schultz.

For Rent—Three room house in West Greenville. Apply this office. 11 2td

Greenville Volunteer Fire Company meets tonight in the mayor's office.

Lost—Bunch keys containing postoffice key J. 155. Finder please return to R. W. King. 1t

You better note what the sheriff is saying about taxes. Cost will be added after this call. 11 2td 1tw

But a short while is left in which to pay your taxes for 1906. See the sheriff and save costs. 11 2td 1tw

To the Public—I have a phone put in the ice factory and will attend all orders given between 8 and 12 o'clock each day, Phone No. 109 J. W. Turnage. 11 1t

The Altar Workers will have a called meeting on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. A. Moye, Jr. A large attendance is desired.

Persons having books Nos. 5, 7, 142, 260, 264, 417, 434, from the library will oblige the librarian very much by bringing them in today, or Wednesday. Please do not forget. Open from 3:30 to 5:30.

Kandl & Kehr, merchant tailors, have opened business in the Shelburn building on Third street. Measures taken and suits made in Greenville. Fit and finish guaranteed. Cleaning, pressing and repairing done promptly. Your patronage is solicited. 3td.

Dr. W. A. Wakefield, of Charlotte, 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.

## 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 Greenville.

F. M. Wooten, Mayor. Jan. 14, 1907. 1 mod.

## 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 Winterville. J. R. Johnston, Mayor. Jan. 19th, 1907. mod.

## NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Greenville on Tuesday, Feb. 12th, 1907, at the bank, to consider a proposition to increase the number of directors from nine to eleven.

J. W. AYCOCK, Cashier

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina, at its session of 1907, to pass an act amending the charter of the town of Ayden in Pitt County.

E. G. Cox, Mayor. This 12th-day of Jan. 1907. 12 1 mod

## For Sale.

We have 2500 acres of timbered land for sale in Eastern North Carolina, in the counties of Beaufort and Craven, situated within from 2 to 3 miles of the Norfolk and Southern railroad. If interested, address: F. C. Harding, Julius Brown, Imo d & w. Greenville, N. C.

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If the legislature appropriates half a million dollars for the care of the insane of the State, as now seems probable, it will be the best work of the session.

Canada is ahead of the United States in one respect. Over there it is a misdemeanor for a newspaper to print the nasty details of a sensational court trial. An Ottawa paper is now having trouble with the Canadian government for printing certain disgusting testimony in the Thaw trial.

The judiciary committee of the legislature made an unfavorable report on the bill looking to reform in the jury system by which the State would not be kept at such disadvantage in the matter of challenges. This is a question that the people are getting more and more interested in, and some of these days there will be a legislature that will make the needed reform in the law.

A caucus of the Democratic members of our General Assembly decided to have no legislation at this session looking to the extension of the "grandfather clause" of the constitutional amendment. That is right. The people of the State at the ballot box adopted the constitutional amendment just as it is and it should remain just as it is until the people at the ballot box say change it.

The speech of Representative J. J. Laughinhouse on the Parson's jury reform bill, in the legislature on Friday, was one of the best that has been delivered by any member of that body during the present session. Mr. Laughinhouse is sound on the question of jury reform, and in his argument clearly presented the needs of the State in order that justice may be had in the selection of juries to try capital cases. The speech is published in another column.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the wife of the defendant in the now famous Thaw trial, doubtless aroused some sympathy by her statements on the witness stand. But her testimony should have a good deal of allowance when it is taken into consideration that she is talking to save her husband from execution, and the man against whom she says so much has been murdered and cannot contradict her statements. Prosecuting attorney Jarome wanted to know "when this defamation of the dead is going to end."

**\$10 Reward.**

The above reward will be given by the fence commissioners of Pitt Co for evidence sufficient to convict parties found guilty of destitute or otherwise mutilating the fence around the Stock Law Territory. This Feb. 6th, 1907.  
 T. M. Hooker, Secy.  
 6-6mo d.

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**  
 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they have offered One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
 Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
 Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**NOTICE OF SALE.**  
 North Carolina, In Superior Court Pitt county.  
 Sallie E Albritton and husband B G Albritton & Edgar Keel,  
 VS  
 Floy Thigpen & husband A L Thigpen Hullah Keel, Johnnie Keel, Oscar Keel, Ida Keel and HF 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 1907, 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 HF Keel, John Tucker, Benj Jolly, LC Arthur, Noah Forbes and J S Tunstall, and known as the James Satton home place containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less. This sale is made for partition.  
 This the 5th day of February 1907.  
 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, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$104,523.31
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2,689.20
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	476.56
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	2,504.08
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	14,698.58
Due from State Banks and Bankers	8,745.01
Due from approved reserve agents	7,734.71
Exchanges for clearing house	240.75
Notes of other National Banks	395.00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	175.15
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	625.00
Legal-tender notes	7,210.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	625.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$162,997.36</b>

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,762.14
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Individual deposits subject to check	84,926.07
Time certificates of deposit	7,585.50
Cashier's checks outstanding	49.63
Notes and bills rediscounted	5,173.02
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$162,997.36</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 31st day of Jan., 1907.  
 THOS. J. MOORE, Notary Public.  
 Correct Attest  
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**The Stale Bread of Hungary.**  
 In Hungary they do not eat fresh bread. Whether it is because the Hungarians believe in hygiene more than their American or European brothers, or sisters or not has never been told, but the Magyar is partial to stale bread, and the staler the better. His "roskenyer," or ordinary black bread, as it is eaten by the very large majority of the Magyar population, is carefully laid away on a shelf and dug out for consumption months and months after it has come out of the great ovens. If the huge loaf, weighing something like five pounds and for which the Hungarian pays 6 or 7 kreutzer, equivalent to about 2 or 4 cents in American money, has carefully been hidden away for two years, it is considered all the better. The Hungarian never thinks of where the bread is to come from tomorrow. He thinks of where it is to come from next year, for he has at least a year's supply on the shelves. The Hungarian bakes her bread 365 days ahead of time. Her Wednesday baking is for the Wednesday of a year to come; her Thursday baking for the Thursday of a year to come.

**To Cut the Night in Two.**  
 Professor Victor Hallopeau, member of the Paris Academy of Medicine, says:  
 The true secret of long continued, valuable brain work is to cut the night in two. The scholar, the inventor, the financier, the literary creator, should be asleep every night by 10 o'clock, to wake again at, say, 2 in the morning. Three hours' work, from 2 to 5, in the absolute tranquillity of the silent hours should mean the revealing of new powers, new possibilities, a wealth of ideas undreamed of under the prevailing system.  
 From 5 to 8 or 8:30 sleep again. Taking up then the day's work, the brain will be still saturated with the mental fruits of the midnight vigil; there will be no effort in putting into practice or carrying further what was planned or begun those few hours before.  
 The habit may be hard to acquire, but mechanical means of waking at first will induce the predisposition.—New York World.

**The Military Death Sentence.**  
 "You know how a soldier traitor is put to death," said the colonel. "The traitor stands blindfolded, and half a dozen privates shoot at him simultaneously. But perhaps you don't know that each of those privates, though he take the most careful aim, may afterward say without fear of contradiction that the traitor's blood does not stain his hands. This is the reason: Two of the rifles for this ghastly shooting are always loaded with blank cartridges. Then they are shuffled, and no one knows which the harmless ones are. The executioners draw, and each is as like as not to draw a harmless gun. So when they shoot they can solace themselves with the thought that maybe they are only shooting a blank cartridge at the poor blindfolded wretch before them."

**Hans Breitmann's Philosophy.**  
 I have found that if we resolve to be vigorous of body and mind, calm, collected, cheerful, etc., we can effect marvels, for it is certainly true that after awhile the spirit or will does haunt us unconsciously and marvelously. I have, I believe, half changed my nature under this discipline. I will continually be free from folly, envy, irritability and vanity, to forgive and forget, and I have found, by willing and often recurring to it, that while far from being exempt from fault, I have eliminated a vast mass of it from my mind. It is certainly true, as Kant wrote to Hufeland, many diseases can be cured by resolving them away. He thought the gout could be.—Letters of Charles Godfrey Leland.

**Time to Change.**  
 It was at a table d'hote dinner at a hill station in India that a very young officer just up from the plains found himself seated next to a lady whom he took for one of the grass widows common in those parts. He made himself agreeable, but his neighbor seemed a good deal out of spirits, so he said sympathetically:  
 "I suppose you can't help thinking of your poor husband grilling down below?"  
 But the lady was a real widow, and when he learned that he changed his seat.—London Answers.

**Sparing the Smasher.**  
 "I told you," said the merchant, "to mark this box 'Handle With Care.' What's this nonsense you've painted here?"  
 "That," said the college graduate, "is the Latin for 'Handle With Care.'"  
 "How do you expect a baggage man to understand that?"  
 "He won't and therefore he won't get mad and smash the box."—Philadelphia Press.

**For Feminine Jurors.**  
 In breach of promise cases the presence of female jurors among the male jurors would certainly benefit the men, as they would at once see through the wiles of their own sex, disconnect the picture hat and the pretty gown and disclose the hussy at heart in the pleading, innocent betrayed one.—Lady Violet Greville in London Opinion.

**Superimposed.**  
 In the hall of a philharmonic society the following notice was posted:  
 "The seats in this hall are for the use of the ladies. Gentlemen are requested to make use of them only after the former are seated."—H. H. H. H.  
 We love to expect, and when expectation is either disappointed or gratified we want to be again expecting.—Johnson.

**A GOOD DRIVE HORSE**  
 IS A LUXURY AND A  
**GOOD WORK HORSE.**  
 IL A TREASURE.  
 I have both these kind for sale at reasonable prices. At my stables opposite the court house can be found at all times a lot of good HORSES AND MULES.  
 Call and see them when you want a good animal.  
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 Four chairs in operation and each one presided over by a skilled barber.  
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 We thank you for past patronage and ask you to call again when good service is wanted.

**NOBLES Barber Shop.**  
 Next to Postoffice  
 Sharp Razor's clean Towels and good work guaranteed  
**Cosmetics A Specialty.**  
 Hot and Cold Baths  
 Thanking one and all for your patronage and hoping for your continuance, I remain,  
 Yours to serve,  
**S. J. NOBLES, Prop.**

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 Cotton Buyers and Brokers in stocks, Cotton, Grain and Provisions. Private Wires to New York Chicago and New Orleans.

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 Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Egg, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Suits, Baly Carriages, Go-Carris, Parlor suit's Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorelard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Chbroots, Henty George Cigars, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Meat Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat Soup, Lye Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Brunes, currants, Raisins Glass and china ware Tip anp. wooden ware, cakes and crackers, macaroni, cheese, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines and numerous other goods. Quality and quantity. cheap for cash. come see me.  
**S. M. Schultz.**  
 Phone 55

**NOT NEW PEOPLE BUT A FEW STOCK.**  
 [We have changed from an exclusive grocery business and have added an entirely new stock of  
 Dry Goods, Dress Goods, notions, Shoes, Hats and Clothing  
 Every article new and up-to-date. An examination will convince you that we have the right goods at the right price.  
 Complete line of GROCERIES.

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**BOOKS. BOOKS. BOOKS.**  
 We have several hundred copies of Fiction which we will sell for less than half price. (25c. books for 12) this is your opportunity to get cheap reading. Call at once before they are picked over and get your choice.  
 Head Quarters for School Supplies.  
 CHINA AND GLASS WARE, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, PICTURES, DOLLS, TOYS &c.  
**RACKET STORE.**  
**A B ELLINGTON & CO**  
 419 E. ans Street, Greenville, N. C.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GREENVILLE BANKING & TRUST COMPANY GREENVILLE, N. C. At close of business Jan 26th, 1907.**

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	\$153,216.69	Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	5,871.02	Surplus	12,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,683.89	Undivided profits,	6,196.47
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	10,000.00	Bills payable	
Due from Banks	25,950.62	Deposits	
Cash items	1821.37	Time	39,141.34
Gold Coin		Subject to check 113,076.32	153,216.89
Silver Coin	1,119.94	Due to bks & bnks	2984.90
National bank notes and US notes	8,526.00	Cashiers ck outs'd'ng	285.37
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$200,187.53</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$200,186.5</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 1st day of Feb 1907.  
 THOS. J. MOORE, Notary Public.  
 Correct—Attest  
 A. M. MOSELEY,  
 R. O. JEFFRESS,  
 J. L. WOOLLEN, Directors.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, At the Close of Business, Jan. 26th 1907.**

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$151,222.74	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,999.74	Surplus	25,000.00
Stocks, bonds mortgages	2,400.00	Undivided Profits less Expenses Paid	16,673.96
Furniture & Fixtures	3,872.32	Bills payable	
Banking House	4,100.00	Time	
Due from Banks	56,391.63	Subject to check 113,076.32	174,500.89
Cash items	1,613.46	Deposits Sub Ck 150,216; 17	
Gold Coin	177.00	Cashier's checks outstanding	419.84
Silver Coin	2,969.63		
Nat'l b'k & other US notes	16,932.00		
	<b>\$241,578.51</b>		<b>\$241,578.52</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.**  
 Correct—Attest  
 J. G. MOYE,  
 W. B. WILSON,  
 R. W. KING, Directors.

**WHAT CURES INDIGESTION AND DISPEPSIA? PANACCA 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.**

**"IT'S WRITTEN RIGHT IF HORNADAY WROTE IT"**  
 There's a sense of Safety and of Security  
 In the possession of Policies of Fire Insurance issued by HORNADAY that proceeds from the fact that ample assets and efficient experience doubly guard interests involved. No other Policies can so surely satisfy. See him and get the BEST INSURANCE (if you not already done so.)  
**Frederick M. Hornaday, General Insur Green**  
**ADVERTISE.**

# Stomach Troubles cured by

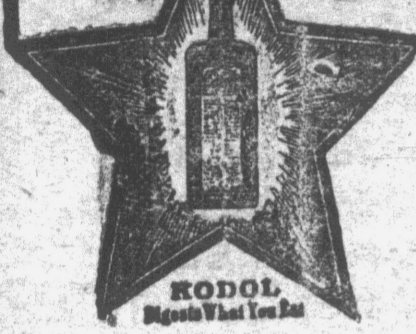
## KODOL

DISPEPSIA CURE

Under all curable conditions

Mr. D. Kauble of Nevada, O., was cured by Kodol of stomach trouble which had effected his legs.

Mrs. W. W. Laylor of Hilliard, Pa., was cured of Chronic Dyspepsia by the use of Kodol.



# Weak Women

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. Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional. The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerves, all tissue, and all blood ailments. The "Night Cure," as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, eases nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

# Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

J. W. BRYAN.

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Plans submitted and estimates furnished on application. All work guaranteed. Turn key job when ever desired.

**Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat**  
A Candy Bowel Laxative.

Established in 1866.

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Cotton Factors and handlers of Bagging, Ties and Bags. Correspondence and shipments solicited.

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**SKINNER & WHEDBEE,**  
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# LOOK IN YOUR WARDROBE.

Get out your winter suit and have it cleaned and pressed. I do all work in this line promptly and as it should be done.

I also have a full line of samples for suits to order and can save you money on an order. Give me a call.

**Paul Mitrick**  
The Tailor.

### 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, pecked like nests above the roaring surf and secured to the rocks by walrus things, are the skin dwellings of the walrus hunters. Here the sun is 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 throw into the bin for fuel. Mummy burns like tinder, but it's a ghastly fuel. It is as ghastly a fuel as the shoe lasts what they burn in the shoemakin' town of Lynn, where the old fashioned and discarded lasts glowin' in the grates look to you like amputated human Tribbles. 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 to 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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sensitive at this omission and anxious  
for some commendation from the great  
authority, could at last contain himself  
no longer and burst out:  
"Doctor, didn't you like my speech?"  
"No, Edmund," replied Dr. Parr,  
calmly eying his excited questioner.  
"Your speech was oppressed with met-  
aphor, dislocated by parenthesis and  
debilitated by amplification!"

### His Shaky Seat.

A small Canadian ventured into the room while his eldest sister was entertaining a masculine caller.  
"Mr. Harris," the youth finally interrupted, "I wish you would take me with you some day."  
"Take you with me!" echoed the caller. "Where do you want to go, Bobbie?"  
"I heard Mr. Grant, next door, say you were on the water wagon and he guessed you'd soon fall off. I'd love to help you drive."—Canadian Courier.

### Eloquent Silence.

There are silences of all sorts, as there is speech of all sorts. There are silences that set one's teeth on edge—it is always a relief to break them—and there are silences that are gentler, kinder, sweeter, more loving, more eloquent than any words and which it is always a wrench to interrupt.—Marion Crawford.

### Not to Be Fooled.

"He wanted me to order a basket of champagne," declared indignant Mr. Nuritch.  
"Well?"  
"I may be ignorant, but I know that champagne comes in bottles."—Washington Herald.

### The Bride's Way.

Friend—Is the bride you're working for getting to be a good housekeeper?  
Cook—No; she hasn't learned to keep out of the kitchen yet.—Detroit Free Press.

### The Secret of Human Society.

It is only because each man is so different from his fellows that we are able to endure one another's company. —Florida Times-Union.

### 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 ojou-baste." "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 pittingly 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 rates since then their heirs would now have \$12,000,000,000.

### Keeping Pace With the Service.

Patron (angrily)—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.

No property surpasses this for a desirable home. Lots can be bought there now at reasonable prices and on easy terms. There is every indication that property around Greenville is going to be higher, and the longer you defer buying the lot the higher it will cost.

This property is located only 5 minutes walk from the business part of the town. See Sam White and let him explain prices and terms.

# JOB PRINTING A POINTER

When you want good Work send your orders to

# TO

# THE REFLECTOR BUSINESS - MEN.



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LARGE QUANTITY OF NEW TYPE AND STOCK RECENTLY ADDED TO THIS

# RAINCOATS OVERCOATS

REDUCED FROM

## 25 TO 40 PER CENT.

While our stock is badly broken yet we have on hand a few of the very best patterns that we have had this season and for the

NEXT THIRTY DAYS

we will sell any pattern or style at a reduction from 25 to 40 per cent

OUR REGULAR \$25.00 RAINCOAT, REDUCED TO	17.50.
" " 20.00 " " "	15.00.
" " 18.00 " " "	13.50.
" " 16.50 " " "	12.50.
" " 15.00 " " "	11.00.
" " 13.50 " " "	10.00.
" " 12.50 " " "	9.00.
" " 10.00 " " "	7.00.

It will pay you to buy one of our coats though you would not have an opportunity to wear it again this season. The time to sell is short but the season to wear is just at hand. We have three months yet to wear winter goods but only thirty days to sell at these prices. Call to-day, don't wait until your size is gone.

### C. S. FORBES,

THE MAN'S OUTFITTER.

# V CRUSHED!

A crushing Reduction Sale, Destroying Cost, Profits and Everything.  
BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH, 1907.  
C. T. MUNFORD'S BIG STORE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

**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 2wp

**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, Va.

COTTON:	10g	10g
Strict Middling	10g	10g
Middling	10g	10g
St. Low Middling	10g	10g
Low Middling	10g	10g

**PEANUTS:**

Fancy	5	4g
Strictly Prime	4g	4g
Prime	4g	4g
Low Grades	4g	4

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

**New York Futures:**

Close	Today	Yesterday
Mch	9 8	9 46
May	9 54	9 62
July	9 66	9 72
Liverpool Futu		
Apr & May	5 58	5 66
Chicago Marke		
May Wheat	80g	80g
May Corn	46g	47
May Ribs	9 65	9 77
July Ribs	9 75	9 87
May Lard	10 00	10 30
July Lard	10 12	10 17

**GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,**  
REPORTED BY  
J. R. & J. G. MOYE,  
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B. W. Moseley

**REAL ESTATE AGT**  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

You'd better paddle your own canoe,  
For that's what you'll have to do,  
For when you are in hard luck  
And want to borrow a "Saw-buck,"  
All you'll get is sym-pa-thee,  
Unless you take Rocky Mountain Tea.  
Wooten's Drug Store.

Does Coffee disagree with you? Probably it does! Then try Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. Health Coffee is a clever combination of parched cereals and nuts. Not a grain of real coffee, remember in Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, yet its flavor matches closely old Java add Mocha coffee. If your stomach heart or kidneys can't stand coffee drinking, try Health Coffee. It is wholesome, nourishing and satisfying. It's safe even for the smallest child.  
Sold by T. E. Koker & Co

Mothers who give their children Kennedy's Laxative 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 valued for the relief of croup. Leaves the cold out through the bowels. Conforms to the Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

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

**Panama Canal-Erie Canal.**  
Machinery is digging the Panama canal a thousand times quicker than the shovel dug the Erie.  
Machinery produces the L & M. paint at 50 times less cost for labor, than if made by hae.  
The L & M. gives the best job in the world, because L & M. Zinc hardens L & M. White lead and makes L & M. paint wear like iron for 10 to 15 years. It only requires 4 gallons of this celebrated paint and 3 gallons of Linseed Oil at 60 ct per gallon, to paint a moderate sized house.  
If any defect exists in L & M. Paint, will repaint house for nothing.  
Sold by H. L. Carr, Greenville. 5 2w

Great investment, absolutely safe, brings returns, giving surplus earning power of youth till old age, securing comfort and health in your declining years That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. Wooten's Drug Store.

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.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like 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.

"Hello Girls." How to be healthy and happy and be a phone girl. Ring us up for a package of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea with full particulars. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.  
Wooten's Drug Store.

**LAST CALL FOR TAXES.**  
I will attend the following times and places for the purpose of collecting taxes for the year 1906. This is the last call for taxes for that year and persons owing should meet me and settle or costs will be added.  
L. W. TUCKER, Sheriff.

Ayden, Contentnea township, Saturday, March 2nd, 1907.  
Grimesland, Chicod township, Saturday, March 2nd, 1907.  
Stokes, Carolina township, Saturday, March 2nd, 1907.  
Fountain, Falkland township, Monday, March 4th, 1907.  
Pactolus, Pactolus township, Tuesday March 5th, 1907.  
Bell's X Roads, Belvoir township, Wednesday, Mar. 6th, 1907.  
C. D. Smith's Store, Beaver Dam township, Thursday, March 7th, 1907.  
Bethel, Bethel township, Saturday, March 9th, 1907.  
Grifton, Contentnea township, Saturday, March 9th, 1907.  
Falkland, Falkland township, Monday, March 11th, 1907.  
Farmville Farmville township, Tuesday, March 12th, 1907.

## JAS. F. DAVENPORT.

# Special -- Sale

**BEGINNING**  
**Thursday, Feb. 7th.**  
**LASTING SEVEN DAYS.**

WE WILL MARK DOWN ALL WINTER GOODS 1-3 OFF CONSISTING OF

*Drees Gods Trimmings Etc*

DRESS GOODS' \$1.00 quality at 78c; 75c quality at 62 1-2c; 50c quality at 42c Owing to bad crops in this section we are overstocked this season with Winter Goods. To make room for Spring stuff we want to close out Winter Goods at a sacrifice.  
We have already received a new line of LACES and EMBROIDERIES, also WHITE LAWNS, 36 to 45 inches wide, at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 18c, 20c yard PERSIAN LAWN, 45 inches wide, good quality, at 25c Other qualities of Persian Lawn ranging from 20c to 75c yard  
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.  
PLAID Mohairs in Black, White, and Tan, 38 inches wide at 50c  
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  
GOOD Bleaching has advanced to 12 1-2 cents but will sell during sale at 10c  
LANCASTER Gingham has advanced to 9 cents and advancing yet, will sell during 7 days at 7 1-2 cents a yard  
WE have a full line of percaes and Gingshams bought at the old price, will sell at old price  
WE have moved in our new quarters in the store formerly occupied Paramore and Ricks Our sale will begin Thursday at 9 o'clock and last 7 days  
ALL Winter goods will be krief and all new springs goods sold reasonable

JAS. F. DAVENPORT.

The Department Stores

OFFER THE PRETTIEST LINE OF

# SHIRT WAIST GOODS

EVER SHOWN HERE

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT THE LADIES OF THE TOWN ARE GOING TO HAVE SHIRT WAIST SALES IN THE NEAR FUTURE WE OFFER THE FULLEST LINE EVER EXHIBITED HERE. WE OFFER FOR :

## THE MANISH WAIST

IRISH LINEN at 40c., 50c., 60c. per yard.  
MADRAS from 12 1-2c. to 30c. per yard.

## The Lingeree Waist

LINEN LAWN at 50c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00.  
PERSIAN LAWN at 15c. to 50c. per yard  
FRENCH LAWN from 12 1-2c. to 30c. per yard.

Drop in when down town and let us show you our elegant line before it is broken. You can purchase now and have them made up ready for the sales.

J. R. & J. G. MOYE.

J. M. MOORE & BRO.

DEALERS IN—  
HATS, AND DISCOUNTS \$151.25 NOTIONS, SHOES  
and secure 1 Y & FANCY  
and unsecured GROCERIES  
furniture and most FRUITS, CANDIES & NUTS.  
MOORE & BROTHER,  
NEAR DEPOT.

Buy Your Horses and Mules OF

J E Winslow  
Dealer in Horses and Mules

GREENVILLE AYDEN, N. C.  
N. C. Sales Stables

This is the time of year to buy your stock and J. E. Winslow is the man to buy your horses and mules from because he buys them direct from the Breeders and the stock farms of the Middle West thereby saving for you the middle man's profits.  
HE WILL GIVE YOU ALL THE TIME YOU MAY WANT or will sell for cash. What you get from him has to be as he says or you do not have to keep it. Go to see him and find out for yourself that he sells cheaper, gives you better time and will treat you right at either the Ayden or Greenville stables.

J. E. Winslow, Sales Stables,  
Ayden and Greenville, N. C.

PULLEY & BOWEN  
Home of Women's Fashions, Greenville, N. C.

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