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## FARMERS' EDUCATIONAL MEETING

Representatives of the Department of Agriculture Hold Farmers' Institute in Pitt County—Two Instructive Sessions in Greenville Monday—Practical Results of Much Importance In View.

As a result of the institute work conducted in Pitt county by the Department of Agriculture the past summer and during morning and afternoon sessions in Greenville Monday, the agricultural interests of the section are likely to be advanced in three important particulars. A growing sentiment in favor of road improvement will receive substantial encouragement through the availability of a department road engineer; local problems relating to the production of our leading crops are to be definitely ascertained and investigated through the location in the county of a department representative; and the prospects are that by the end of the year the county will have a demonstration farm, such as has proved so popular and efficient in other sections in bringing the farmer into closer touch with the spirit, aims, and methods of the Department of Agriculture. These things can fail to materialize only through the indifference of Pitt county farmers; which is to say that they are assured.

These institutes, secured for this section by Congressman John H. Small, serve their greatest purpose when working along the particular lines suggested by local conditions; that of Monday for instance, answering some special needs of the greatest tobacco producing county in the United States. Prefacing the regular program, Mr. Small referred to the wonderful benefits derived from the State departments of agriculture or experiment stations, and favored the greatest co-operation between these and the national department. The fact that so many of our people are directly interested in agriculture had led him to repeated studies of these institutions, with the inquiry as to how they might best accomplish the purpose of serving our agricultural interests; from which, coupled with facts of observation among farmers, he had concluded that the greatest benefit might result from bringing the department of agriculture to the people rather than by trying to bring the people to the department.

If any farmer came to this meeting with the mental attitude of one discharging an obligation only to be bored with scientific theories, he must have experienced a delightful sensation of surprise as he followed Mr. A. D. Shamel through a series of experiments in tobacco breeding; the account of field experiments in Virginia with tobacco, by W. W. Green and E. H. Matthews, department experts and practical farmers; Dr. J. H. Bonsteel, of the Bureau of Soils, on the relation between soils and crops, with special reference to tobacco; C. R. Hudson, of the co-operative demonstration work; and our own State Geologist, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, on the farmers' interest in good roads.

Formerly identified with the seed breeding experiments that have worked a revolution in the great corn belt, Mr. Shamel has, within a half dozen years, demonstrated methods of improving tobacco worth millions of dollars to the growers; methods applicable to the bright product of Virginia and the Carolinas, to

the seed leaf of Connecticut, to the burley of Kentucky and Tennessee, and to the cigar varieties of the lower South. Illustrating and emphasizing the results of intelligent seed selection and plant breeding, the charts reproducing experimental plants, and the apparatus for separating the inferior from the heaviest and best seed, were particularly instructive. Mr. Shamel made the farmers of the county a present of the seed separator used in these demonstrations. One will serve the community and any farmer who desires to do so can use it. Mr. Shamel, by the way, is the inventor of this separator, which is simple in construction and operation and does the work perfectly.

W. W. Graen, speaking of cultivation, fertilization, and curing, and basing the greatest progress along these lines on the use of the best seed obtainable, stressed the importance of a thorough preparation of the soil for tobacco with shallow and frequent cultivation of the crop. Curing tobacco properly was largely determined by the experience and practice of the operator, while the best results could be expected only when the tobacco was ripe and uniform.

With a force of logic and a facility of expression, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, spoke briefly of our roads, upon the subject "Mud." That methods of road improvement now in use amount to the annual expenditure by the United States of two hundred and fifty million dollars for mud, and that North Carolina's mud bill touches a million a year, make mud a subject of some importance. Dr. Pratt noted the recent agitation in the matter of railway rates and transportation with the fact of a remarkable indifference to the condition of our public roads. That it was a common interest which he was discussing was shown by the fact that mud is no respecter of persons. A rich man is as likely to get stuck in the mud as a poor man. Mud has a tendency to lessen pride and respectability. Mud taxes the farmer for three hauls when only one is made. The mud tax is paid in time as well as in money.

It is at the expense of some efficiency in our public schools and rural mail service. Good roads could not be expected from present methods. To build our school houses under a similar system of financing would be to see the foundations rot before the roof was on. Should issue bonds for road improvement.

At the conclusion of Dr. Pratt's talk, Mr. Small gracefully testified from his own knowledge to the efficiency of our State Geologist as a public official. Said that in matters of interest to the State, in which the geologist's department could be of service with the department at Washington, Dr. Pratt always got ahead of him in reaching the authorities there. There is no better official in North Carolina, said Mr. Small, than Dr. Pratt. (Proceedings of afternoon session in tomorrow's paper.)

## Schubert Symphony Club.

The next at the opera house is the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette, which comes Tuesday night, 11th, under the auspices of Covenant Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F. A large number of people have already signed a contract for tickets to this attraction and when tickets are placed on sale these will have the first selection of seats. Others wishing to sign before the sale begins can do so by seeing W. F. Evans, chairman of the committee.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

Mrs. Hal Morsen, of Raleigh, is visiting Mrs. Jno. L. Wooten. Rev. M. T. Plyler went to Wilson Monday evening.

J. E. Carson and family returned from Bethel this morning.

H. B. Tripp has taken a position with the Cabinet Veneer Co.

H. C. Hooker came in Monday from Richmond to see his mother who is sick.

Joe Bartovich, formerly of Wilson, has located here to conduct a shoe shop.

J. S. Congleton went to Raleigh Monday evening to attend the bedside of his niece, Mrs. Lancaster.

Miss Nellie Barnhill has taken a position at the drug store of J. L. Wooten.

Mrs. Cap Bateman, of Wilson, who had been visiting her brother, B. H. Bateman, returned home Monday evening.

Adrian Savage went to Raleigh, Monday evening, to be at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Lancaster.

Mrs. W. S. Moye and Mrs. C. E. Moore went to Washington Monday evening in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of their sister.

## The Aldrich Bill.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The Senate is now busily engaged in the discussion of the Aldrich currency bill, which was reported to the senate on Jan. 7, referred to the senate finance committee, and reported back to the senate by that committee last week. It was thought at first that there would be a long partizan debate over this measure and that its final passage would be indefinite. However, this unfortunate fate has been averted by mutual concessions of both Democrats and Republicans. When the bill was referred back to the committee, it provided for the issue of only \$250,000,000 currency for emergencies, but it was amended by the Democrats to make it \$500,000,000, which is now a satisfactory sum to both parties. As a security for this sum, the national banks may deposit State, municipal and county bonds, and even railroad bonds that have paid a satisfactory rate of interest for five years or more. Heretofore, government bonds only were accepted as security for bank note circulation, and this act, which is the most momentous one that has passed for forty years, will mark a new era in American finances.

When the great panic of 1893 came on, and the "little flurry" of last fall, you simply could not get any money from a bank as a loan on any kind of security, and when the new act becomes a law any national bank may deposit its securities with the secretary of the treasury, and receive bank notes, with government backing, until it can meet its calls for money. This will certainly make a panic impossible in prosperous times, and nothing short of a tremendous crop failure will be able to produce one.

The company of home talent who present "Young Mrs. Winthrop" will go to Washington to give the play in that town Wednesday night.

## SHOPPERS' NOTES.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

For Sale—I have a good bull for sale. J. E. Winslow. 4 4td.

Put a blanket on your horse

See F. V. Johnston before you sell your cotton seed. 4 4td 1tw

Folks can't come unless there are houses for them to live in.

When you need hay of all kinds see F. V. Johnston. 4 4td 1tw.

Have you voted for your teacher?

Cotton seed meal by the bag, ton, or car load. F. V. Johnston. 4 4td 1tw.

Flour—Henry Clay is the very best, at S. M. Schultz.

Voting contest will close Saturday at 3 o'clock.

For Sale—The Eborn lot. Apply to R. Hyman or F. G. James. 18 tf

Don't forget to vote for the most popular teacher in the county at Coward & Wooten's.

The Odd Fellows have work in first degree tonight and desire a large attendance.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. R. L. Humber Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## Notice W. F. M. Society.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. A. B. Edington Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Business of importance. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

## AYDEN ITEMS.

News Notes From a Hustling Town, Briefly Told.

Ayden, N. C., Feb. 4, 1938

In an election held here yesterday, for or against prohibition, the dispensary won by a majority of four. This means that the dispensary will still continue to do business at the same old stand, at least until Jan. 1st, 1939.

Miss Mary Long Whitehead, of the graded school faculty, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Cherry, of Conetoe.

Rev. Mr. Tyndall, of Kentucky, will preach at the Christian church tonight at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Miss Laura Cox, of the graded school faculty, who has been suffering with a severe attack of la grippe, has returned to her duties in the school room.

There are about 50 cases of la grippe in Ayden and from the complaints we hear we think there will be others.

Miss Laura Spier, sister of our esteemed county-man, John R. Spier, died Friday at the latter's home and was buried Saturday. We extend sympathy to the bereaved.

C. J. Tucker, of Grifton, was in town yesterday. Calvin was looking as well as usual.

J. M. Blow is confined to his room with a severe attack of la grippe. We hope to see "Bud Joe" on the streets again soon.

## Died.

Mrs. Jennie Lancaster, wife of Mr. L. W. Lancaster, of Raleigh, died in that city at 6:30 o'clock this morning. She was formerly Miss Jennie Savage, of Greenville, and had many relatives and friends here who learn of her death with sorrow.

## TO THE CITIZENS.

An Address From The Anti-Saloon League.

To the People of North Carolina:

We, and others of the Anti-Saloon League, called the temperance forces together to meet in convention in the city of Raleigh on January 21st. The great convention that assembled unanimously asked the present Legislature to give the State a statutory law against the manufacture and sale of liquor at the present session, but a majority of the members of the Legislature, after considering the matter, decided to submit the question to a vote of the people. The "Long Dowd" bill is now a law. It is a composite bill prepared by the best thought of temperance men in the State. It is not as stringent as some of us would like it to be, but it is an extension of the Watts and Ward bills to the whole State. On Tuesday, May 26th, the issue will be presented to the people of North Carolina, are you "For or against the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors?" The praise for this issue being submitted to the people of North Carolina is due to the great heart of the masses of its citizenship demanding this reform, the ministers of the Gospel of peace and good will towards men, those Senators and Representatives who voted for the bill, most of the press of the State, the educators of the State, and to those splendid men: Senator F. M. Simmons, Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, ex-Governor Thomas J. Jarvis, Governor Robert B. Glenn, ex-Governor C. B. Aycock, Josephus Daniels, Hugh G. Chatham, S. McIntyre, J. A. Hartness, Henry A. London, G. W. Watts, T. H. Vanderford, J. J. Rogers, Henry A. Page, Frank R. McIninch, W. C. Newland, A. D. Watts, H. G. Fennell, J. H. Tucker, J. D. McCall, Settle Dockery, A. D. Ward, J. H. Pou, W. N. Jones, L. L. Smith, N. B. Broughton, W. H. Sprunt, E. T. Cansler, James I. Johnson, Clarence H. Poe, George P. Pell, R. B. White, W. I. Everett, Cameron Morrison, F. S. Blair, Thomas J. Shaw, Q. K. Nimocks, W. S. O. B. Robinson, E. F. Aydtlett, A. M. Scales, R. Lee Wright, J. W. Bailey, W. F. Snider, R. L. Madison, W. T. Shaw, J. L. Choat, W. B. Cooper, Virgil S. Lusk, W. B. Smoot and others. The bill leaves intact the higher local prohibitory laws now in force in the several counties.

We have patiently borne for years the galling yoke of the saloon, distillery and drink evil with all their attending curses and woes. The time has come when this enemy to the human family must be destroyed. No family, high or low, rich or poor, but has felt the awful curse of the drink habit. It is the canker worm that has eaten into the heart of the body politic; it has made the sweet water of life bitter; the tears that have been shed by an army of mourners speak to our heads as well as our hearts.

"In the sweetest bud, The eating canker dwells." No race is exempt; especially is it injurious to the negro, to whom the white race owes a duty. The people of the state, in the generations gone by, have resisted to the last ditch tyranny and oppression, cruelty and wrong. The power is with them, and they are once more called upon to do battle in a righteous cause. Be not deceived with false arguments. The business

man and corporation no longer want one who drinks in their employment. The Mill and Manufacturing towns of the State have refused to license the traffic fraught with such evil to the moral and material prosperity of the community. How wonderfully they have prospered by so doing!

This issue appeals to men of all parties; to men of all creeds; it is above party, above creed, above nationalities; it is a matter of conscience. With malice toward none, and with an eye single to the public good, we call upon all to join with us in the contest. If any have made, wittingly or unwittingly, entangling alliances; hurtful to themselves, or the good of the human family, we appeal to them to sever their connection with the "body of this death," re-assert their freedom and manhood and enter the contest. We especially appeal to those who have been against us in the past to forget all differences for the public good and enter the contest. It is a contest against the saloon, distillery and drink evil, and not against the man; an issue of merit and morals, and not of men and politics.

Friends of temperance, organize, work and pray. If this is done victory is ours.

JOHN A. OATES,  
Chairman Executive Committee.  
HERIOT CLARKSON,  
President of State Convention.  
R. L. DAVIS,  
State Organizer.

## HORRIBLE CRIME IN NEW BERN.

Woman Outraged in Her Home by Two White Men.

New Bern was thrown into a state of wild excitement last night when it became known that a foul crime had been perpetrated by two unknown white men in the very heart of the residential section of the city.

At about 7:30 o'clock, when many people were at church, a knock was heard upon the door of the residence of Mr. S. L. Buck on Broad street. Mr. Buck had gone to church and Mrs. Buck was alone in the house. On answering the knock she found two white men, apparently about middle age, who inquired if they could get lodg'ng for the night. Upon receiving a negative answer, they asked Mrs. Buck if her husband was at home, and were informed that he had gone to church.

The two men immediately rushed upon the defenseless woman, one of them striking her a blow with his fist, which felled her to the floor. She was choked and her head wrapped about with an overcoat until it was impossible for her to make any outcry. While in this helpless condition one of the incarnate fiends accomplished his hellish design, while the other stood guard, with a revolver in his hand, it is said by those who have made an investigation.

Some noise in another room, about this time caused the men to flee precipitately. The woman struggled to free herself, as the overcoat was snatched off her head, when one of the demons dropped his hat. She snatched it, but the man grabbed it away from her at the same time giving her a vicious kick in the side. They then disappeared into the darkness outside.—New Bern Sun, 3rd.

## Weather.

Rain and warmer tonight and Wednesday.

Every afternoon except Sunday

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Governor Glenn has a right to be pleased at the result.

Such meetings as the farmers held in Greenville Monday are productive of much good.

Plenty of time yet to think about where you will spend the summer.

The reasons some men offer for not favoring prohibition are really amusing.

Don't kick about everything that is done, but get in the push and help your section along.

The Greensboro Record says "we are short on gas." Why not call in the directory makers?

In the midst of so many other things to attract attention the Pacific fleet was almost forgotten.

Which way will the street paving go from Five Points to the A. C. L. depot, is a question much discussed. The decision is going to depend upon the attitude of people owning property along Dickinson avenue.

What a change has come about? Last year there was the cry that the railroads could not provide sufficient cars to handle the freight that was offered them for transportation. Now the statement is made in the Wall Street Journal that in various parts of the country 350,000 freight cars are standing idle on the railroad sidings.

Mr. J. J. Laughinghouse spoke a great truth in the farmers' meeting Monday, when he said the farmers of Eastern North Carolina fail to get the benefit to which they are entitled from the government's aid in promoting agriculture because of a lack of organization, and the farmers have only themselves to blame for such failure. If as long been a mystery why there is not organization and concerted action among our farmers.

Greenville has any number of opportunities for development that the business men could take hold of to the town's advantage.

There is already work in prospect, and that will begin by spring, that will call for the expenditure of thousands of dollars this year. When work begins on these the way will be opened of other enterprises. There is no need of anybody being blue or talking hard times. On the other hand cheerfulness should be cultivated and the spirit of co-operation should be stronger than ever. Greenville is all right and this is going to be one of the town's best years.

# WHO'S WHO AND WHY

**Who** made the best crop in Pitt County during the year 1907

**EVERYBODY** admits that this has been a bad crop year and as a whole it has been, but some planters had bounteous yields in return for their labours.

**Why?** Because they used Cotton Seed Meal as a Fertilizer.

**DR. BONSTEFL** of the Bureau of Soils of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in his address to the planters of Pitt county strongly advised its use, stating that as a fertilizer stable manure was the best adapted to our soil and the next best was cotton seed meal.

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 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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A weak Stomach, means weak Stomach nerves, always. And this is also true of the Heart and Kidneys. It's a pity that sick ones continue to drug the Stomach or stimulate the Heart and Kidneys. The weak nerves, not the organs themselves, need this help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restorative has, and is promptly helping so many sick ones. It goes directly to the cause of these diseases. Test this vital truth, and see. Bryan's Drug Store

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Stop that tickling Cough! Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure will surely stop it, and with perfect safety. It is so thoroughly harmless, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else even with very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. Bryan's Drug Store.

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### Heart Strength

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve Strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Positively, not one weak heart in a hundred is in itself, actually diseased. It is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve that really is all at fault. This obscure nerve—the Cardiac, or Heart Nerve—simply needs, and must have, more power, more stability, more controlling, more governing strength. Without that the Heart must continue to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have these same controlling nerves.

This clearly explains why as a medicine, Dr. Shoop's Restorative has in the past done so much for weak and ailing Hearts. Dr. Shoop first sought the cause of all this painful, palpitating, suffocating heart distress. Dr. Shoop's Restorative—this popular prescription—is alone directed to these weak and wasting nerve centers. It builds; it strengthens; it offers real, genuine heart help. If you would have strong Hearts, strong digestion, strengthen these nerves—re-establish them as needed, with  
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 C. C. Parkerson.

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Between Norfolk, Va. and Raleigh, N. C.

STATIONS	No. 30		No. 2		No. 14	
	Ex. Sunday	A. M.	Ex. Sunday	A. M.	Ex. Sunday	A. M.
Lv. Norfolk (Park Ave.)						
Chocowinity	10 40		11 55			
Greenville	12 20		6 00			
Farmville	1 10		6 47			
Stationsburg	1 51		7 08			
Wilson	3 00		7 36			
Baily	3 50		8 00		8 30	
Middlesex	4 15		8 28		9 00	
Zebulon	4 55		8 42		9 15	
Wendell	5 21		9 04		9 38	
Knightdale	5 50		9 14		9 48	
Raleigh	6 35		9 29		10 06	
			10 00		10 40	
<b>EASTBOUND</b>						
	No 1	No. 15	No 29			
	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday			
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.			
Ar. Norfolk (Park Ave)	4 45					
Chocowinity	10 35				5 50	
Greenville	9 55				4 50	
Farmville	9 27				3 50	
Stationsburg	8 59				3 00	
Wilson	8 35		6 40		2 15	
Baily	8 07		6 10		12 15	
Middlesex	7 53		5 55		11 55	
Zebulon	7 31		5 32		11 15	
Wendell	7 21		5 21		10 40	
Knightdale	7 06		5 04		10 06	
Raleigh	6 35		4 30		9 10	

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# Teddy Bear's New Year Resolutions.



**RESOLVED—** That throughout this year 1908 I will try to be good and do good; that I will try to help myself and help others; that I will stand by the old town and the home people and help to boom the burg.

**RESOLVED—** That from January to December, inclusive, I will quit dissipating my dollars by taking them out of circulation here around home and sending them to the big cities to buy the things that I can buy and ought to buy right here in town.

**RESOLVED—** That I will stop smoking—stop smoking pipe dream dope suggesting big bargains to be had, unsight unseen, from the gigantic stores in the gigantic cities, and go around among the stores here at home looking for bargains that are there to be seen with the naked eye.

**RESOLVED—** That I will patronize, by preference, the stores that advertise in the home paper and therefore have enterprise enough to tell the people what they've got in stock.  
(Signed) **TEDDY BEAR.**

Br'er Rabbit: "Say, Teddy, that last resolution is the goods, all right."

The Holidays  
Have Passed and  
all are down  
to business  
again.

A Word to the  
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## THE MALAYS.

Their Lives Seem to Be Governed by Their Superstitions.

Malays will resort to any and every conceivable pretext to avoid paying money on Friday. They believe that if they pay their debts on this day they will be overtaken by poverty and want. Tuesday and Saturday they consider generally unlucky days, and if they shave or cut their nails on either of these days thereafter they will always be in trouble and will perhaps die soon. The Malay never sleeps in the afternoon because of the fear that to waste the hours of daylight tends to shorten life. If a Malay finds his clothes to have been bitten by a rat he is sure that it signifies bad luck, and if he can possibly afford it the clothes are given away in the name of charity. There is a species of bird called in the Malay country rowk rowk, which lives in the fields and does not build a nest. It is believed that whoever obtains a rowk rowk's nest will become invisible by placing it on his head. Of course the Malays believe there is such a nest hidden away somewhere.

The Malays always abstain from taking food during an eclipse of the sun or the moon and are exceedingly careful about their baths, so as to prevent the attack of contagious diseases. The crow is a bird of especially ill omen to the Malay, and if it is heard cawing near a habitation it means death to some one of the inmates. In some other parts of the world if an owl alights on or near a house and hoots it is said to mean "death or desolation"—the house may be burned or sold for debt or other misfortune. If a black cat crosses the road in front of a Malay he will at once turn back and pursue his journey by another way. The crossing of the black cat signifies danger involving the loss of life. In some other countries a rabbit crossing the road has the same significance. The disagreeable habit of biting the finger nails is almost unknown among the Malays. They believe that if indulged in the habit will surely lead to poverty.

It is considered by the Malay to be a very lucky thing to see a pig or a Chinese funeral before the sun rises. Whatever he attempts on this day will be sure to prosper. Dreaming of jumping a brooklet assures the dreamer that he will die in a short time. Then the faithful Malay dreamer gives alms to the poor and behaves gently and kindly to all about him in an endeavor to pacify the gods and persuade them to lengthen his life. To see a monkey in the morning is an evil omen, and it signifies that the day will be a bad one for trade. All of these omens have palliations, and the wise Malay usually takes each one as a warning of danger or misfortune that may be in part if not wholly avoided.

### Our Ugly Ancestors.

"All our ancestors," said a physician, "were pockmarked, and smallpox was a recommendation if you were looking for work."  
"What I mean is that you could not get a job if you had not had smallpox. No one wanted a servant who was liable at any moment to be stricken down with the loathsome disease; hence"—he opened a newspaper volume of 1774—"hence 'help wanted' ads. read like this:  
"Wanted.—A man between twenty and thirty years of age to be footman and underbutler in a great family. He must have had the smallpox in the natural way; also a woman, middle aged, to wait upon a young lady of great fortune and passion. The woman must have had the smallpox in the natural way."

### A Filtering Medium.

Absorbent cotton is highly recommended as a filtering medium. It acts rapidly and is therefore of great value in filtering volatile elements. For ordinary household use it is specially recommended because of its inexpensiveness and ease of management. A large funnel must be provided, and the cotton is pressed more or less firmly into the neck, according to the substance to be passed through. Some liquids are much more difficult to manage than others, and this must of course be allowed for. A little practice will show the housewife just how closely the cotton must be packed to insure success in filtering the various liquids with which she has to deal.

### Reversed.

The foreign visitors to China had asked to see a native execution, and the governor of the province for a consideration had consented to oblige them.

"Have mercy, your highness," wailed the wretched criminals as they cringed before the governor. "Have we no chance?"

"None whatever," responded his highness cheerfully. "It's a case of 'taels I win, heads you lose.'"—Bohemian.

### Getting Even.

On one occasion visitors to a merry-go-round on a vacant lot in the outskirts of Philadelphia were very much touched by the melancholy demeanor of a long, lean, lank individual who despite the fact that he was apparently suffering greatly persisted in riding repeatedly. At last some one said to him sympathetically:

"You appear to be in great distress."

"Yes," replied the man on the merry-go-round. "This continual riding around and around makes me seasick."

"Well, then, why don't you quit riding?" asked the inquisitive questioner.

"I can't help it," replied the poor man. "The man who runs this merry-go-round owes me money, and the only way I can collect it is by taking it out in rides."

### Mistletoe.

On account of its connection with heathen rite and legend the mistletoe was early banished from the churches. Clergymen have in former times been known to forbid its use among the Christmas decorations, regarding it as too tainted with superstitions to fitly ornament the house of God, and from use as an architectural decoration it has been rigorously excluded. Perhaps the only known instance of its use is in Bristol cathedral, where sprays of mistletoe, with leaves and berries, fill the spandrels of one of the remarkable tombs.—London Mail.

### The Wary Editor.

The musician was visibly annoyed. "But, hang it all," he said, "I told your reporter three or four times over that the violin I used was a genuine Stradivarius, and here in his report this morning there's not a word, not a word."

With a scornful laugh the editor replied: "That is as it should be, sir. When Mr. Stradivarius gets his fiddle advertised in this paper under \$2 a line you come around and let me know."—Southwestern-er's Book.

### A Pen Point.

The pen would not write. "Shall I get you another, sir?" the secretary asked.

"No," said the millionaire. "I'll show you something valuable now."

And he held the pen over the lamp a moment, then dipped it in cold water, and lo—it wrote as well as when new.

"That treatment rejuvenates old pens without fail," said the millionaire. "Remember it, and it will save you money."—Exchange.

### TO MY FRIENDS.

Having been away for several months I wish to announce to my friends and patrons of the "empire" of Pitt that I am still connected with the firm of Chas. M. Stieff, and if bachelors are allowed to misuse the happy term home as a synonym for a "hanging out place" I still call Greenville my home, and while I intend to be away from Greenville a great deal of my time during this fall a postal care of box 325, Greenville, will reach me within a day or two. We now have a number of slightly used upright pianos, some of which have been rented during the summer months, others which were temporarily used by artists at the exposition and for orchestra work, at bargain prices.

We also offer a special school piano for \$225 00 fully measuring up in standard to any \$350 00 instrument. This piano is especially built for college and school work for the special price named above and is full guaranteed by my firm for 10 years. Those interested in a school piano or in a good slightly used piano for the home should write me at once and will profit by it, and as ever I am always mindful of my patrons' protection and interest as well as my firm's interest. Grateful of past patronage.  
Very respt.,  
G. G. Fineman,  
Box 325 Greenville, N. C.

### TO MY PATRONS

Ladies and gentlemen, I wish to announce that I am now situated in new quarters, and am prepared to accommodate my customers with more neatness, and promptness, than heretofore being in a more convenient place and having better light. Thanking you for past patronage and wishing a liberal continuance of same, I am as ever, yours to serve.  
FRANK HOPKINS,  
Ladies and Gents Tailor  
409 Fourth, st. opposite Marble yard.

**CAPUDINE**  
CURES COLDS  
and GRIP It Removes the Cause.  
Relieves the aches and feverishness  
Contains No Acetanilide

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is best for cuts, burns, boils, bruises and scratches. It is especially good for piles. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

A deaf mute, it is said, is not a man of his word.

At times when you don't feel just right, when you have a bad stomach, take something right away that will assist digestion; not something that will stimulate for a time but something that will positively do the very work that the stomach performs under ordinary and normal conditions, something that will make the food digest. To do this you must take a natural digestant like Kodol For Dyspepsia. Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. It is sure to afford prompt relief; it digests what you eat and is pleasant to take. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Have you ever thought of it, that the position of a judge is an exceedingly trying one.

The trouble with most cough remedies is that they constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently but promptly on the bowels and at the same time it stops the cough by soothing the throat and lung irritation. Children like it. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

The way to do good is to be good. There must be light, then it will shine.

"Health coffee" is really the closest coffee imitation ever produced. This, the finest coffee substitute ever made, has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Health coffee is made from pure toasted cereals, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for coffee. No twenty or thirty minutes boiling. "Made in a minute," says the doctor. T. E. Hooker & Co.

Everybody expects everybody else to set good examples.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. I am still taking the pills as I want a perfect cure." Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

In the game of life a good deal depends upon a good deal.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventics, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventics contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. A good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes 5 cents. Sold by Bryan's Drug Store.

A man's train of thought moves when his wheels go around.

### IT DOES THE BUSINESS

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at J. L. Wooten's drug store.

It doesn't pay to bunko a woman whose only asset is a gift of gab.

If you have Catarrh, rid yourself of this repulsive disease. Ask Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis., to mail you free, a trial box of his Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. A simple, single test, will surely tell you a Catarrh truth, well worth your knowing. Write to day. Don't suffer longer. Bryan's Drug Store.

His satanic majesty usually occupies the seat of honor at a stag party.

### NOTICE.

I have purchased the interest of the late W. T. Fleming in the mercantile business heretofore conducted under the firm name of Fleming & Mooring, and will continue to carry on the business at the same stand. All accounts due the firm are payable to me. Thanking the public for the patronage given the firm in the past, and hoping to merit a continuance of their favors, I invite all to call to see me at the same stand.  
J. S. MOORING

Builds up the waste tissue, promotes appetite, improves digestion, induces refreshing sleep, giving renewed strength and health. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, 35c Tea or Tablets.  
Wooten's Drug Store.



## THE PRESIDENTS OFFICE

of this bank is always accessible. Callers in search of information or advice are always welcome.

**THE NATIONAL BANK** is an institution for everybody. It solicits your account whether it be large or small. Any service it can render you within the limit of sound banking will be gladly extended, even if your account were the smallest on its books

—ESTABLISHED 1875.—

## S. M. SCHULTZ.

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed, Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, etc. Bedsteads, Mattresses, Oak Sleighs, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor suits, Tables, Lounges, Safes, Lorelard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco Key West Cigars, Henty George Cigars, Craned 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, Prunes, currants, Raisins Glass and china ware Tip and 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.

**J. L. O'QUINN & CO**  
Raleigh, N. C.

**LEADING FLORISTS,  
OF NORTH CAROLINA,**  
All kinds of all kinds of choice cut flowers in season. Special attention given to Wedding and Funeral Decorations. Bulb stock, Pot plants for Winter blooming, Rosebushes, Shrubberies, Hedge plants Evergreens and Shade trees

## Robert Spell

SHOE REPAIRER

Shop in Winslow's Stables on Fourth Street. All work done promptly and satisfactorily  
SEND ME YOUR ORDERS.

## For Coughs and Colds

Nearly all other Cough Cures are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels. Contains no opiates.

## Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup

"A Cold or a Cough nearly always produces constipation—the water all runs to the eyes, nose and throat instead of passing out of the system through the liver and kidneys. For want of moisture the bowels become dry and hard."

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup relieves Colds by working them out of the system through a copious action of the bowels.

**Conforms to National PURE FOOD & DRUG LAW**

For Sale by Jno. L. Wooten.

# What About Christmas?

With the compliments of the season to all our readers we ask you the question of the hour

## WHAT ABOUT CHRISTMAS

The children are asking it with wondering and hopeful expectations of what Santa Claus is likely to bring them.

The older people are asking it, not so much in speculation regarding the remembrance that Christmas will bring to them, but rather as an inquiry as to how they are to provide suitable and satisfactory presents for relatives and friends without too heavy a drain upon their time and purse.

May we help you to solve the problem and put you in the way of doing your Christmas shopping with pleasure satisfaction and economy?

We offer the advantage of selection that can only be found in a very extensive showing of first class goods. We take pleasure in pleasing customers and will do all in our power to help you to just the right article at the right price, so that you may leave our store glad that you came, and perfectly satisfied with your purchases in every respect.

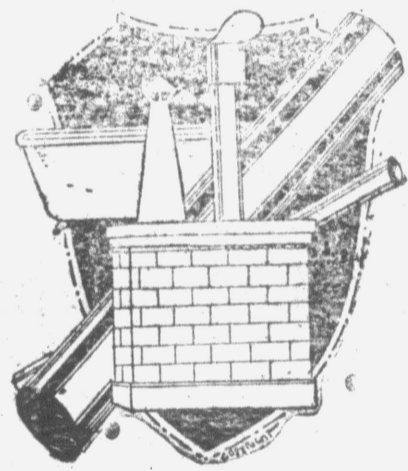
We extend to all a cordial invitation to call and see our line of

## HOLIDAY - GOODS

Hoping to see every reader at our store at an early date, and wishing one and all a very Merry Christmas, we remain,

Yours truly

**J. R. & J. G. MOYE**



**A TUB AND SOME PIPES** are not all that is required to make a handsome, sanitary bathroom.

## SKILLFUL PLUMBING

is as necessary as fine and glistening fixtures. Have us fix up your bathroom or any other plumbing and the work will be properly and scientifically done. We are right up to date in sanitary methods and doctors say our work keeps many a dollar from their pockets.

**C. A. Dickens**

## New Shoe Shop

On February 1st I will open a Shoe Shop in the building on 5th street opposite Hotel Bertha. Shoes made to order and all kinds of repair work. Save your orders and work for me.

**JOE BARTOVICH**

## GOOD EYESIGHT

is a blessing. Have you got it? If not, you should wear glasses.



Let me fit your eyes and give the desired relief

**C. E. Rountree**  
Optician and Jeweler  
Graduate Philadelphia College of Horology and Optics

## CHICKENS

Chickens, Turkeys, Geese and Ducks for sale at Rainbow Stables, in front of market house.

## A Card.

I hereby announce that I have removed for the practice of my profession from Falkland to Greenville. Residence on Third street next door to J. L. Fleming. Office under Masonic Temple where I can be found at all times when not professionally engaged elsewhere.

Dr. Jenness Morrell.

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## THE MARKETS

Norfolk Cotton and Peanuts, wired by J. W. Perry & Co., Cotton Factors.  
COTTON: Today Yesterday  
Strict Middling 12 1-8 12  
Middling 12 11 7-8  
Str Low Middling 11 7-8 11 3-4  
Low Middling 11 3-4 11 5-8

PEANUTS:—Dull, fancy 3 1-4 to 3 3-8 3 1-4 to 3 3-8  
Strictly Prime 3 1-8 3 1-8  
Prime 3 3  
Low Grades 2 7-8 2 7-8

## NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

### FUTURE MARKET

Wired by Cobb Bros. & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Norfolk.

### NEW YORK FUTURES:

Merch	11 16	10 99
May	11 16	10 96
July	10 96	10 77

### LIVERPOOL FUTURES:

Jan. and Feb.	5 93	5 90
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### Chicago Markets:

May Wheat	97 1-4	96
May Corn	61	59 3-8
May Ribs	6 67	6 52
July Ribs	6 90	6 75
May Lard	7 67	7 55
July Lard	7 82	7 67
Greenville (Cotton Market, reported by J. R. & J. G. Moye)		
Middling		11 00

Why get up in the morning feeling blue,

Worry others and worry you; Here's a secret between you and me,

Better take Rocky Mountain Tea Wooten's Drug Store.

## Stray Taken Up.

White and black spotted barrow hog weight 100 pounds smooth crop and hole in both ears. Owner can get same by proving property and paying costs and damages. W. J. Evans. R. F. D. No. 1, Greenville, N. C. 1 m d & w.

## Never Too Young to Learn.

There is one small New Yorker who is being brought up in the way she should go. She is a young woman of perhaps three years, and she was riding with her father in a Sixth avenue "L" car the other day. She slipped off the parental knee and insisted on standing in the aisle.

"Catch hold of the strap, Pussy," said her father. She raised one chubby hand obediently and held it as high as she could. The straps were not more than two or three feet above it.

"That's right," said the father. "Get used to it in time."—New York Tribune.

## Ready For All Corners.

The passengers were suddenly startled by a shower of rice that fell from the bride's parasol when she took it from the rack. The bridegroom, a dark, stalwart chap, observing the smiles, placed his arm about his blushing bride and then faced the passengers, with the following remarks:

"I reckon there ain't no need for me to say we ain't been married long, but I can tell you all one thing—you don't want to smile any more than's perille, for she's my violet, and I'm her sheltering oak, and I weighs 208 pounds."—Success Magazine.

## W B HIGSON

Has just unloaded 6 car loads No. 1 choice Timothy Hay which will be sold on Greenville market also 2 cars of Cotton Seed Meal and 2 cars of Cotton Seed Hulls . . . . .

## See Him

For Cracked Corn, Mill Chops, Bran Oats of all kinds. Corn Meal and Corn Headquarters for all kinds of Feed.

## Close to the Market

## CENTRAL Barber Shop

Edmond & Fleming props.

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

## FOR SALE

At the Old Station Mill, one saw mill, Grist mill, and cotton gin with 3 acres of land with all buildings and improvements thereon. Also one fine yoke of oxen and four head of good mules, will sell all together or part. For particulars see

J. S. Mooring, or T. R. Moore  
jan 23, 2w d w

## READY TO Serve You.

With anything wanted in the way of

## Heavy And Fancy Groceries

Complete stock to select from and goods delivered promptly anywhere in town I am also ready to accommodate you with Hay, Grain and all kinds of Feed Stuff. Bring, send or phone your orders and your needs will be promptly supplied. It is a pleasure to serve patrons.

## C G STARKEY

W. C. DRESBACH D. M. CLARK

## Dresbach & Clark

Civil Engineers and Surveyors Greenville North Carolina.

Railroad, Municipal and land surveying a specialty. Office on Third street near postoffice.

## MAYBE you'll realize the

business value of being well dressed; everybody dosen't. It grows out of the fact that people have to judge your ability and standing by the way you look, until you give them something else to judge by.

## That Means that we

are in a position to increase the business value of every man in this town; we've got Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes for you; and if you live up to your looks in these clothes, you'll be a sure success in

## Business.

**C S FORBES**

R. L. Davis, Pres. J. A. Andrews, V-Pres. J. L. Little Cashier.

## The Bank of Greenville

Would be pleased to have your business and solicits your patronage, with the assurance of its ability to give courteous and satisfactory service . . . . .

With its Capital paid in of	25,000.00
Surplus and Profits of more than	40,000.00
Making a Total of Capital and profits in excess of	65,000.00
It has also Deposits amounting to	175,000.00
Making total sum for the accommodation of our customers of more than	240,000.00

It is the policy of this bank to aid in every legitimate way the development of the financial interest of Greenville and Pitt county.

## Get The best for Comfort

Royall and Borden Felt Mattresses and a 3 piece Bernstein Iron Bed have no equal.

**TAFT & BOYD**

# W A Z H I N G T O N S

Tremendous High-grade Stock of Fine Merchandise Having been brought to Greenville and Placed in C. T. MUNFORD'S big store for a quick sale.

**CONSIDERATION!** After considering what we and our Creditors think best, and they say the only wise thing to do with this combined gigantic stock of high-grade merchandise is to sell and satisfy our creditors, the best way possible, as we have no ready cash to keep them quiet, we must listen to them, have this sale, and throw this immense stock on the market. We must take their advice, mark it down like they say, so we can raise a few dollars to send them so that every time the train blows our color won't change, knowing that as soon as the mail is handed to us we will open after where some house writes like this: "You must pay this bill at once."

Our Doors will be thrown open to the Public January the Twenty-fifth, 1908

**C. T. MUNFORD.**