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HONOR ROLL FOR MARCH.

Of Pupils of the Greenville Graded School.

First grade—Ruth Andrews, Virginia Arthur, Gladys Bagwell, James Cash, Gertrude Elks, Ruby Evans, Graham Flanagan, John Flanagan, Louise Fleming, Lillian Higson, William Higson, Vera Norman, D. D. Overton, Annie Rives, Donald Rouse, Norman Rouse, James White, William White, Avon Wyndham, Joe Willis, Marion Savage, Estelle Dempsey.

Advanced first grade—Evelyn Hodges, Emily Little, Annie Jackson, Bessie Ricks, Ada Turnage, Nina Williams, Philip Jefferson, Charles White, Will James.

Second grade—James Ficklen, Elizabeth Forbes, Ralph Fleming, Jack Hunter, Larry James, Morton Johnston, Tom Moore, Kathleen Kennedy, Ivor Shelburn, Garland Brown, Adelaide Taft, Hattie Turnage.

Third grade—Elken Douglas Arthur, Arthur Brown, Gaither Briley, Erla Critcher, Carlyle Dempsey, William Dupree, Howard Hooker, Robert Humber, Willie Jackson, Hellen Laughinghouse, Doris Overton, Francis Skinner, Minnie Sugg, Louis Turnage.

Fourth grade—Carl Whitehurst, Maggie Bailey, Burton Greene.

Fifth grade, sec. B.—Amine King, Melene Congleton, Edith Foley, Lula Paramore, Pleas Duffy.

Fifth grade, sec. A.—Lillie Lanier, David Whichard, Christine Tyson, Lelia Higgs, Minnie Rives, E. C. Williams, Christine Johnston, Charlie Munford, Milton Pugh, Fannie Spain, Rubelle Forbes, Churchill Hodges, Pearl Norman.

Sixth Grade—Grace Smith, Ora Crawford, Pattie Wooten, Bessie Corey, Allie Rives, Nellie Williams, Herbert Johnston, Joe McGowan, Henry Haskett, Louis Arthur, Wallace McGowan.

Seventh Grade—Linda Smith, Myrtle Warren, Marguerite Higgs, Mamie Ruth Tunstall, Alexander Harper, David Moore, Nina Harris.

Eighth Grade—Essie Whichard, Sadie Exum.

Tenth Grade—Margaret Blow. On the 20th of May at 8 p. m. the boys of the debating society will give a public debate on the query, Resolved that the next legislature should enact a law requiring all children between the ages of seven and fourteen to attend school at least four months each year.

The speakers on the affirmative are Conrad Lanier, Bruce Hooker and Charles Haskett. The negative will be defended by Ben Taylor, Frank Brown, and Wiley Brown. The boys are at work on their speeches, and the debate promises to be as interesting, probably more so, than the one given last commencement.

Date of Meeting Changed.

The date of the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Farmers Consolidated Tobacco Company is changed from April 18th to April 20th, on account of April 18th being on Saturday which will make it inconvenient for many stockholders to attend. The date of holding the Annual meeting will be on Monday the 20th instead of Saturday the 18th. Stockholders will please take notice.

Farmers Consolidated Tob. Co. tfd & w.

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The War Upon the American Saloon.

In two-thirds of all the territory of the United States the saloon has been abolished by law. Forty years ago there were 3,500,000 people living in territory where the sale of liquor was prohibited. Now there are 36,000,000 people under prohibitory law. Since that time the population of the country has scarcely doubled, while the population in prohibition territory has increased tenfold. There are 20,000,000 people in the fourteen Southern States, 17,000,000 of whom are under prohibitory law in some form. In 1900 there were 18,000,000 under prohibition in the United States, now there are 36,000,000. In eight months State-wide prohibition has cleared the saloon from an area as great as that of France. In that territory 300 miles north and south by 720 miles east and west, in which on the first day of next January a bird can fly from the Mississippi to the Atlantic Ocean, and from the boundary of Tennessee to the Gulf of Mexico, without looking down upon a legalized saloon. Great Britain and Ireland could be set down over this space without covering it. There would be 10,000 square miles of "dry" territory left as a border.—From "The Nation's Anti-Drink Crusade," by Ferdinand Cowle Iglehart, in the American Review of Reviews for April.

The Idol, Business.

How many young beings are sacrificed to the idol, Business! Parents send their boys and girls, unseasoned, undeveloped, from the school room to the desk, the counter, the type machine to work all day, often by artificial light—their recreation an occasional evening in a close theater instead of an afternoon under the skies and green trees. All to make money! And when the money is made, too often the man is unmade, as God created him. Health is gone, or else the soul is shriveled, the imagination crippled, the zest of life has vanished.

Often it is necessity that goads the young to premature slavery, but often again it is ambition or greed on the part of parents, or the idea that their chief duty to the boy is to inure him early to the yoke, and keep him under it steadily that he may become a man of business. When he falls in harness, it is piously considered to be the doing of a mysterious Providence, to whose will one must be resigned.—Mary E. Bryan in Uncle Remus's Magazine for April.

Punish the Old Man for the Boy's Accidental Shooting.

It would astonish the people if the list of persons wounded or killed by accidental shooting was published. The unloaded pistol and gun have slain their thousands. Children are not blamable for these tragedies. When the father buys his little boy an air gun, or a 22-calibre rifle, or even a shot gun, and starts him out on the war path, he is responsible for the accidents caused by the marksmanship of his son. Boys have no need of deadly weapons. The father contributes to any deaths brought about by his sons carelessness. The father who leaves his gun in a room where children can play with it is criminal.—Spartanburg Spartan.

There will be services in the Episcopal church tonight and tomorrow.

FOR COMING ELECTION

Registrars and Judges Appointed For Different Townships

The board of election have appointed the following registrars and judges of election for the prohibition election to be held May 26th.

Beaver Dam Township—J. W. Smith, registrar; J. H. Cobb, judge; Ivey Smith, judge.

Belvoir Township—D. C. Barrow, registrar; J. A. Bullock, judge; I. A. Thigpen, judge.

Bethel Township—S. T. Carson, registrar; H. W. A. Martin, judge; W. J. Roberson, judge.

Carolina Township—G. U. Roberson, registrar; A. B. Congleton, judge; S. C. Page, judge.

Chicod Township—J. C. Galloway, registrar; W. L. Wootton, judge; J. L. Gibson, judge.

Contentnea Township—Precinct No. 1.—Jesse Cannon, registrar; Robert Worthington, judge; L. H. Worthington, judge.

Contentnea Township—Precinct No. 2.—B. F. Manning, registrar; J. Mc Dixon, judge; J. J. May, judge.

Falkland Township—John H. Smith, registrar; T. L. Williams, judge; W. H. Peaden, judge.

Greenville Township—W. L. Brown, registrar; J. W. Vinson, judge; F. D. Foxhall, judge.

Pactolus Township—Brascoe Bell, registrar; J. J. Satterthwaite, judge; Henry Crawford, judge.

Swift Creek Township—W. F. Harding, registrar; M. C. Smith, judge; W. B. Bland, judge.

Reduced Rates for Ten or More.

The Norfolk & Southern railway announces rate of two cents per mile per capita for parties of ten or more traveling on one ticket between points in North Carolina, effective April 1st, 1908; also that the same per capita rate will apply for interstate business between points on its line as soon as necessary tariff can be issued and placed in the hands of agents.

Death of Mr. John Moore.

Cox's Mill, N. C. April 1. Mr. John Moore, one of our successful farmers, died last Saturday about one o'clock, and his remains were interred Monday in the family burial ground. He was about 74 years old, was a member of the M. E. Church at Salem, and leaves a wife, three daughters, six sons and several grand children to mourn their loss.

Masquerade Last Night at the Rink.

As Friday will be the last night there will be a masquerade. Suitable prizes will be given to both the boy and the girl who wears the best costume. Come one, come all. Admission ten cents, nothing to skate. 412t

The Auxilliary of C. W. B. M. will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Lang. Last meeting before week of prayer. All members are requested to be present.

The celebration at Hookerton Wednesday in honor of the completion of the East Carolina railroad, was a great occasion with a tremendous crowd in attendance.

A number of Odd Fellows left on the Eagle this morning for Behaven to attend the district meeting.

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ROCKDALE SPROUTS.

Rockdale, N. C., April 1.

I think it is time for our city to sprout again, so I will send in a few items.

Corn planting is talked of but no one in this section has planted any yet as I know of. We are having it too wet to plant corn.

We hear that the mail train on the N. & S. railroad had a wreck yesterday morning, but did not learn the extent of the damage.

T. E. Little went to Wilson last Friday to visit his daughter, and returned Monday. He reports a good time.

We have been having some good preaching here at Smith's school house for a week. It closed last night with ten confessions. Rev. Sam Summerell commenced a meeting here on Wednesday night and closed last night and administered baptism to ten candidates in Tar river at Blue Banks yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the presence of a good congregation. It was one of the most beautiful scenes that we ever witnessed.

Well, Mr. Editor, I guess this will be an April fool to you, it being "all fool's day," and it coming from the source it has, but it may be that some will be interested in it enough to read it because it is from the city of Rockdale.

If this don't find its way to the waste basket perhaps I may write again soon.

[Yes, come again. We like this kind.—Ed.]

Reclaiming Swamps for Farming.

Of the two classes of internal improvement drainage is likely to prove even more popular, as a public issue, than irrigation, and for a number of reasons. In the first place, the swamp areas are scattered principally throughout the already well-settled portions of the country, where population is comparatively dense and transportation facilities already well developed. In the second place, the engineering problems involved, while of great magnitude, are, in many of the projects, comparatively simple, and the cost of drainage much less than that of irrigation reclamation. It is usually an easier and cheaper undertaking to get water off of land than it is to get water on land, and a system once established the cost of drainage maintenance is much lower. Where the cost of government irrigation reclamation ranges from \$22 to \$60 per acre in the projects thus far announced by the interior department, and with a probable average of \$30 per acre for all the government work, the estimated cost of drainage, for most of the projects, is less than one-third this amount, and is as low in some instances as \$2 or \$3 per acre. Reclaimed, this land will vie in the productivity with the most fertile farm-lands of the wealthiest of our agricultural sections, and immediately become worth \$50, \$100, \$200, and even \$300 per acre. The decayed vegetation and humus of centuries and ages lie stored in the swamps, and when drained they form richer soil than any other class of land and are of far more persistent fertility.—From "To Farm America's Swamps," by Guy Elliott Mitchell, in the American Review of Reviews for April.

It is hard to tell which was the gladder that the sun came out this morning, those holding the millinery openings or those attending.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

B. E. Parham went to Ayden today.

G. G. Fineman went to Bethel Wednesday evening.

J. S. Norman went to Tarboro Wednesday evening.

D. E. House went to Conetoe Wednesday evening.

Jesse Speight returned this morning from Wilson.

E. G. Flanagan returned this morning from a trip in South Carolina.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ayscue returned this morning from Wakefield.

Dr. R. L. Carr went to Grifton Wednesday evening and returned this morning.

THE MILLINERY OPENINGS.

Three Attractive Places for the Ladies to Visit.

Today was one to make glad most of the feminine hearts in Greenville and community. As the clouds of the early morning began to drift away, large numbers of the fair ones could be seen wending their way to the place at which the millinery openings were to be held. Three to be in progress at the same time promised to give more than ordinary interest to opening occasions. In front of some of the stores the ladies were gathering even before the doors were open, and all day long they were coming and going from one of the stores to the other.

The openings were held by Mrs. L. Griffin & Co., Pulley & Bowen and C. T. Munford. The millinery artists at each of these establishments showed their skill to perfection and the exhibitions were superb. There were hats on display ranging in price from \$2 to \$20, showing that the purse as well as the taste of all prospective purchasers could be met. The shapes this season are very attractive and much color is in evidence in the trimmings.

Of course the men folks are not expected to know much about millinery, but if the expressions of admiration heard as we looked in at the moving picture of pretty women and elegant hats all mingled together, the styles this season are all perfection. Our millinery firms have certainly acquitted themselves creditably at this opening.

Trade Report.

Richmond, Va., April 2, 1908.

Bradstreet's Saturday will say for Richmond, Va., and vicinity: Trade generally shows some improvement over last week. More activity is shown in building material, hardware and lumber. Manufacturers of chemicals and fertilizers report satisfactory and increasing sales and with the approach of spring dealers in agricultural implements and farming machinery are doing a more active business. Produce is plentiful and in fair demand at satisfactory prices. Orders for wooden and willow ware show considerable increase over a few weeks ago. A few factories that had closed down have resumed operation and many are unemployed. Retail trade is fair, collections continue slow. Crop conditions generally are good. Planters are preparing for a large acreage of tobacco.

The delinquent tax list is almost due.

MOVEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS

Time of Arrival and Departure at Greenville.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.	
Northbound	Southbound
8:28 A. M.	11:21 A. M.
4:31 P. M.	6:00 P. M.

NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN.	
Eastbound	Westbound
9:55 A. M.	12:20 P. M.
4:50 P. M.	6:40 P. M.

Weather.

Fair, colder tonight, possibly light frost in exposed places in western portion. Friday fair, colder on the coast.

April 2 In History.

1791—Count Mirabeau, orator and revolutionist, died in Paris; born 1740.
1872—Professor Samuel Finley Breese Morse, inventor of magnetic telegraph, died; born 1791.
1905—Tunnel at Simplon pass, in the Alps, the longest in the world, inaugurated.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.
Sun sets 6:22, rises 5:30; moon sets 7:10 p. m.

NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

The openings are open.

Board of Aldermen meet tonight.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

April did not wait to start in the shower business.

The best drink of coffee—Gold Medal—at S. M. Schultz.

The millinery openings will be in progress again tomorrow.

The weather is excusable for any pranks today, it being April 1st.

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

Furnished rooms for rent, very reasonable. Mrs. M. A. White. 3 30 3td

Wanted—Good milch cow, to give 2½ to 3 gals. milk per day. D. D. Haskett.

The shimmers were having their inning while the water was too high for seines along the river to operate.

Board and rooms at the W. H. White house on Dickinson avenue. Mrs. H. Bryan. 3 23 10td

Special prayer service in the Methodist church tonight preparatory to the meeting which begins Sunday.

The choir of the Baptist church will meet at the parsonage at 7:30 tonight for practice. All should be present.

The hand fire engine belonging to the town was brought out today to exhibit to a prospective purchaser. The engine does good work.

The placing of the curbing shows that considerable grading must be done along some portions of the street to have it in proper shape for paving.

The Christian church choir will meet at Mrs. T. E. Hooker's residence Friday night at 8 o'clock to practice Easter music. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

The town is having small sewer pipes laid on Dickinson avenue to connect all premises with the main sewer, so that the street will not have to be dug up after paving for connections to be made.

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Guess we were mistaken—no-
body wants to kick.

If there were only offices
enough to go around more of
them could expect something.

It is lucky for the folks that
the coal miners waited until
winter is over to go on a strike.

March must have left the blowing
to the candidates, and passed
the word up to April to do
likewise.

It is not exactly a confidence
game, but most of the candidates
seem to have a game confidence
of winning.

"Uncle Sam" may be too busy
with his political crop to stop
and administer it, but Venezuela
needs a spanking.

Those who do not want to be
troubled with the mileage book
red tape can get around it by
buying a straight ticket.

Nobody seems to want to be
lieutenant governor, as there is
not a candidate out for it. But
the office will hardly go begging.

With one of Alabama's con-
gressmen shooting negroes in
Washington, and her senator at
home kicking up a row that gets
him arrested, there is no danger
that the public will lose sight of
the State.

Fayetteville Presbyterians were
straining at a gnat when they
refused to let ex-Governor Ay-
cock speak in their church on
prohibition. Looks to us like
there is no more appropriate
place for talking prohibition than
in a church.

Two burglars ransacked the
home of Editor J. J. Farris, of
High Point, and report says
nothing was missed after they
left. That is perfectly natural.
It is only a fool burglar who would
expect to find anything to take
away in an editor's house.

Every business man of the
community should begin now
making his plans to be at the
meeting of the Chamber of Com-
merce next Monday night. It is
the time for the regular meet-
ing and there should be some
important matters considered.

The fight for the nomination
for governor is reaching out be-
yond the candidates themselves
and their friends are going for
each other. Over in Kinston,
for instance, there is a three
cornered scrap going on in The
Free Press between a Home
supporter, a Kitchen supporter,
and a Craig supporter. Thus
the candidates get the benefit of
the chestnuts somebody else
pulls out of the fire.

Cheer up! In less than four
months it will be the Fourth of
July.

A CHINESE DROUGHT.

Fragile Scenes That Come With a
Long Spell of Dry Weather.
In many districts of China water be-
comes very scarce during the summer
months. Some of the fearful results
of the drought are described thus by
the Rev. John MacGowan: "The great
sun blazes down from an unclouded
sky and drinks up the water that is
clinging to the roots of the rice. The
soil now cracks with the fervent heat,
and every blade of rice seems to be
making an appeal to the heartbroken
farmer for the water that alone will
enable it to live. He is now at his
wits' end to save his crop, for that per-
haps is the only thing now that lies
between him and poverty and despair.
A failure of a crop means very likely
that he will have to sell his daughter
or a son perhaps or even barter away
his wife if he would keep the home-
stead from slipping from his grasp.
Some of the most piteous scenes in
the many tragic ones that cast their shad-
ows over the home in the experience of
the Chinese husbandmen can be wit-
nessed during the summer months
when there has been a shortage in the
fall of rain.

"The wells have become dry, and the
little ponds have been drained of every
drop of water they contained. The
rice in the field has lost the dark green
color that with its rich sheen tells of
health and vitality and is turning into
a sickly yellow that means decay and
death. Water must be got now and at
any price, for two or three days more
of this will see the grain blasted in the
fields. They accordingly dig the ponds
deeper to catch the tiniest rills that
may flow into them, and as the work
in the blazing sun might at once drink
these up the work is carried on during
the midnight hours, so that not a drop
of the precious fluid may be absorbed
by the great thirsty dragon in the sky.

"Often these most pathetic endeavors
to save their crops end in tragedy and
death. Men are making a supreme ef-
fort to avert disaster from their homes,
and in the mad endeavor to gain the
water for themselves the wildest pas-
sions of the heart are aroused, and
neighbors will struggle with each other
for the slowly trickling drops of
water. The solemn air of night is
broken with the sounds of conflict, and
the stars looking down from the mid-
night sky see murder committed by
men whose sole and controlling motive
is the preservation of their homes."—
Chicago News.

LONDON'S SAFETY VALVE.

Trafalgar Square, Where Agitators
"Blow Off Steam."

There is perhaps no other great city
where the measure of free speech
which is accorded to agitators of all
kinds is larger than it is in London. It
is the practice there to give anybody
and everybody a chance to spout away
to his heart's content in certain well
recognized places of rendezvous, such
as the spacious Trafalgar square, and
especially the far more spacious ex-
panse of field or common in that por-
tion of Hyde park where the "re-
formers' tree" stands and where there
is room not only for thousands and
tens of thousands, but even hundreds
of thousands.

Ordinarily in favorable weather on
almost any fine afternoon or in the
early part of the evening little meet-
ings are going on there, each having a
piece of ground allotted to it by the
police, but on a Sunday, from early in
the morning until well into the night,
these assemblages are very numerous
and in full blast. Twenty, thirty, forty,
even more, I have seen in operation at
the same time, the speakers, men and
women, haranguing to groups or to
big crowds on every theme imaginable
—religion, spiritualism, politics, the
tariff, woman's rights, astrology, pe-
nology, the faith cure, bad literature,
theosophy, socialism, anarchy, govern-
mental abuses, the abolition of the
house of lords, home rule, local re-
forms and the vices of the aristocracy,
while the red flag was as likely to be
as conspicuous as any other emblem
on the poles that are stuck in the
ground or on the folding platforms
which are rolled in on wheels. The
whole practice has long been regarded
by many Englishmen as an excellent
means of letting the people "blow off
their steam."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Ring Finger.

To the question often asked why the
marriage ring should be placed on the
left hand many answers are given.
Some say because the left hand is
much less used than the right, and
therefore the ring is less liable to get
broken. In the British Apollo of 1788
it is stated that for the same reason
the fourth finger was chosen, which is
not only less used than either of the
rest, but is more capable of preserv-
ing a ring from bruises, having this
one quality peculiar to itself—that it
cannot be extended but in company
with some other finger, whereas the
rest may be singly stretched out to
their full length and straightness.

Voltaire's Church.

Voltaire at no time claimed to be an
atheist in the generally accepted sense
of that term. So far as can be learned
from his own utterances and those of
his contemporaries he was a deist, a
believer in God, but not in "revelation,"
save as the revelation comes through
God's visible creation. Voltaire built
a church in Ferney, Switzerland, above
the door of which he had inscribed the
words, "Erected to God by Voltaire."—
New York American.

Consolation.

"Wot's hup, Billy?"
"Fader says my big brudder's gorn to
heaven."
"Don't cry"—hopefully—"nebber
ain't!"—London Opinion.

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sands of people who have had stomach
trouble. This is what one man says of
it: "E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago,
Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a dis-
ease of the stomach and bowels. I
could not digest anything I ate and in
the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of
Kodol and the benefit I received from
that bottle all the gold in Georgia
could not buy. I still use a little oc-
casionaly as I find it a fine blood pur-
ifier and a good tonic. May you live
long and prosper. Yours very truly,
C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27,
1906. Wooten's Drug Store.

Strange that gas bills get big-
ger as the flow gets smaller.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup—the
cough syrup that tastes nearly as good
as maple sugar and which children like
so well to take. Unlike nearly all
other cough remedies, it does not consti-
pate, but on the other hand it acts
promptly yet gently on the bowels,
through which the cold is forced out of
the system, and at the same time it
allays inflammation. Always use
Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup.
Sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Mercury flirting with zero has
become an interesting study.

To have perfect health we must have
perfect digestion, and it is very impor-
tant not to permit of any delay the
moment the stomach feels out of order
Take something at once that you know
will promptly and unfailingly assist
digestion. There is nothing better
than Kodol for dyspepsia, indigestion,
sour stomach, belching of gas and
nervous headache. Kodol is a natural
digestant and will digest what you eat.
Sold by Jno. L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Inability to obtain a seat at
the political pie counter begets
reform.

The kidneys are delicate and sensitive
organs and are very like v. at any time
to get out of order. DeWitt's Kidney
and Ladder Pills are prompt and
thorough and will in a very short time
strengthen the weakened kidneys and
allay troubles arising from inflammation
of the bladder. Sold by Jno. L.
Wooten's Drug Store.

When a bachelor meets a wid-
ow a little lovemaking is dan-
gerous.

A big cut or a little cut, small scratches
or bruises or big ones are healed quickly
by DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel
Salve. It is especially good for piles.
Get DeWitt's. Sold by Jno. L.
Wooten's Drug Store.

It worries a woman if she can't
get some man to worry about
her.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the
famous little liver pills. Sold by Jno.
L. Wooten's Drug Store.

A Card.

On the first Saturday in April
I will be at Greenville North Car-
olina to distribute circulars and
talk to the farmers on the ad-
vantages of Simpkins, Prolif-
cotton over others. Please meet
me there one and all. I will
talk to you on truck growing and
tell you how I grow 3 bales of
cotton per acre. Meet me at
court house at 11 o'clock on Sat-
urday, April 4th.

Very truly,
W. A. Simpkins.
3-23 10td 11w.

A Card.

To the Democratic Voters of Pitt
County.
I am a candidate for Register
of Deeds subject to the primar-
ies. I will be thankful to re-
ceive suggestions from my
friends. H. A. BLOW.
3 27 1 m d & w.

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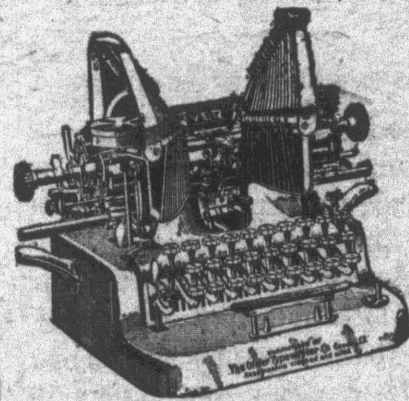
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Dainty Desert, can get them absolute-
ly free. Circular in each package ex-
plaining and illustrating the different
patterns. JELL-O is sold by all good
grocers at 10c. per package. Do not
accept a substitute or you will be dis-
appointed.

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

WESTBOUND

STATIONS	No. 30	No. 2	No. 14
	Ex. Sunday A. M.	Ex. Sunday A. M.	Ex. Sunday A. M.
Lv. Norfolk (Park Ave.)	10 47	11 55	
Cheswain	12 20	6 00	
Greenville	1 10	6 47	
Farmville	1 51	7 08	
Stationsburg	3 00	7 36	8 30
Wilson	3 50	8 00	9 00
Fairfax	4 15	8 22	9 15
Middlesex	4 55	8 42	9 38
Zebulon	5 21	9 14	9 48
Wendell	5 50	9 29	10 06
Knightsdale	6 35	10 00	10 40
Ar. Raleigh			

EASTBOUND

STATIONS	No. 1	No. 15	No. 29
	Ex. Sunday P. M.	Ex. Sunday P. M.	Ex. Sunday P. M.
Ar. Norfolk (Park Ave.)	4 45		5 50
Cheswain	10 35		4 50
Greenville	9 55		3 50
Farmville	9 27		3 00
Stationsburg	8 59		2 15
Wilson	8 35	6 40	12 15
Fairfax	8 07	6 10	11 55
Middlesex	7 53	5 55	11 15
Zebulon	7 31	5 32	10 40
Wendell	7 21	5 21	10 06
Knightsdale	7 06	5 04	9 10
Lv. Raleigh	6 35	4 30	

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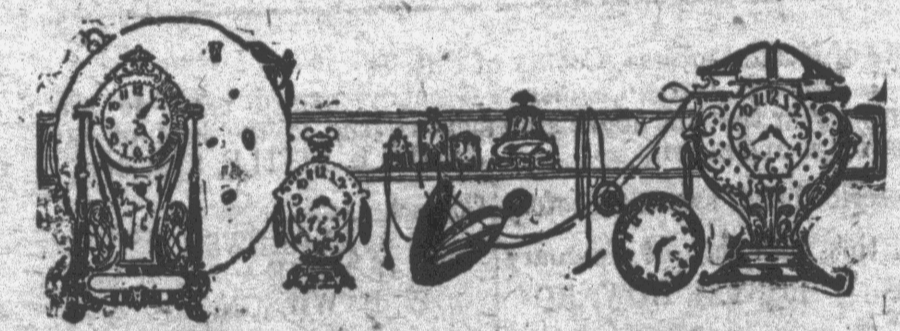
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LORD DUNDREARY.

The Elder Sothern's Story of How the Part Was Written.

The Theater Magazine tells how the part of Lord Dundreary came to be created by Sothern, the elder.

"There is not a single word or act," wrote E. A. Sothern three years before his death, "in Lord Dundreary that has not been suggested to me by persons whom I have known since I was five years of age."

This was written in 1878, when Lord Dundreary had become better known than most members of the English nobility, when his whiskers had set the fashion, his clothes had been copied by the elect, his ulster (suggested by the long freeze coat of an Irish pig driver) had introduced that comfortable garment to society, his remarks were household words, and everywhere this unique creation of Sothern's mercurial genius and nimble wit had become a familiar and, in spite of his apparently empty mind, a beloved friend. If Mr. Sothern's statement is to be accepted literally, he must have met a vast number of oddities in his time.

Yet at the beginning Lord Dundreary was a minor part, with just forty-seven lines to speak, in a very poor play. In 1858, as a stop gap, Laura Keane put in rehearsal "Our American Cousin," by Tom Taylor, a comedy having as its central figure a Yankee as imagined by an Englishman of the time, a grotesque caricature without merit. The role of Dundreary, a conventional English fop, was given to Edward Askey Sothern, an English actor of thirty-two, who had been with Lester Wallack for four seasons, acting heavy parts and low comedy, making his first success in 1837 as Duval to Matilda Heron's Camille.

Dundreary was not at all to his liking, but permission to "go" and libelously made him willing to go on with it. The role was practically rewritten, in accordance with an idea Mr. Sothern had had in mind for years. Everything that was absurd and extravagant was added, and changes and additions were frequent. Soon came the gait that was nothing like human, the hesitating, earnest speech, the "magnificent sneeze," the letter from his "brother," the business of counting his fingers, the twisted proverbs, the thousand and one touches that went to make up this absurd, half foolish, entirely amusing figure, who possessed, nevertheless, a certain measure of intelligent shrewdness and whose wildest conversational shot usually hit some sort of mark, though not perhaps the one he had aimed at.

The career of "Our American Cousin" was long and honorable, and, although Mr. Sothern appeared with success and distinction in other plays, it was Dundreary that his audiences wanted him, and it is in that role that his name will be handed to posterity. From 1853 to 1861 he played it in this country, always to crowded houses. In 1861 he took it to London. For two weeks the company faced failure; then came phenomenal success, a run of over 400 nights. It was the first of the long runs in that city.

Not a Financial Success.
Mrs. Munro was reading items of interest from the weekly paper and making frequent exclamations of surprise or pleasure or dismay.

"Why, Edward, listen to this!" she cried. "Here's a man who makes a business of taking new tables and chairs and treating them in some way so they look as if they were a hundred years old!"
"And he makes a great deal of money by it," she added, reading on.
"Does he indeed?" said Mr. Munro.
"Well, I'd trust our Tommy to make a new table look as if it were a good deal more than a hundred years old, but I hadn't thought of it as a paying business."—Youth's Companion.

Willing to Tell.
Sometimes it is a pleasure to answer questions, even if the questioner may put them in an unpleasant way.

"What do you do for a living?" asked a lawyer, frowning horribly at a hatched faced young man who was undergoing cross examination.
"I, sir," answered the witness, hastily diving into his side pocket, "am the agent for Dr. Korke's celebrated corn and bunion destroyer, greatest remedy of the age, used by all the crowned heads of Europe, never known to fail to remove the most obdurate corns in less than twenty-four hours or money cheerfully refund"—Here the court interfered.

Too Well Done.
"Yes, dear," continued the newly made husband as he gazed despondingly at the steak that was broiled almost to a crisp, "you are very charming, and you do several things uncommonly well, but you don't know how to cook a steak."
"And yet, my love," answered the culprit with a becoming penitent air, "you said yourself that it was very well done."
It is scarcely necessary to add that the cyclone was averted.

Unfit.
"Would you advise me to go into politics?"
"Young man," answered Senator Sorough, "the mere fact that you are so modest as to ask advice about it proves that you are unfit for the profession."—Washington Star.

On the Ten Party Line.
Suddenly the alarm clock went off. The sleeper, half awake, listened.
"It's only one ring," he said. "Ours is four rings."
Whereupon he went to sleep again and missed his train.—Chicago Tribune.

Ready money works great cures.—Danish Proverb.

OBLIGING PEOPLE.

Quaint Methods of the Early Days of New England.

In the early days of the settlement of New England the custom of sending packages by neighbors who journeyed to different parts of the country was an established one. The notebook of Schoolmaster Joseph Hawley of Northampton, Mass., when he started on a trip to Boston was filled with such varied items as: "Captain Partridge, a dial and a dish kettle," "Son Joseph, speckled red ribbon, whistles, buckles and fishhooks," "A shilling worth of plumb and spice," "Two psalters, a basson and a quart pot." In "Old Paths and Legends of the New England Border" Katherine M. Abbott says that it was the same even as late as Judge Lyman's day. His daughter, Mrs. Lesley, writes of it in "Recollections of My Mother."

There were no expresses then, and so when it was known in the village of Northampton that Judge and Mrs. Lyman were going to Boston—and they always took pains to make it known—a throng of neighbors were coming in the whole evening before not only to take an affectionate leave, but to bring parcels of every size and shape and commissions of every variety.

One came with a dress she wanted to send to a daughter at school; one brought patterns of dry goods, with a request that Mrs. Lyman would purchase and bring home dresses for a family of five. And would she go to the orphan asylum and see if a good child of ten could be bound out to another neighbor? Would Mrs. Lyman bring the child back with her?

The neighbors walked into the library, where the packing was going on, and when all the family trunks were filled my father called out heartily, "Here, Hiram, bring down another trunk from the garret—the largest you can find—to hold all these parcels!"

A little boy came timidly in with a bundle nearly as large as himself, and "Would this be too large for Mrs. Lyman to carry to grandmother?"

"No, indeed. Tell your mother I'll carry anything short of a cooking stove."

"Another trunk, Hiram," said my father, "and ask the driver to wait five minutes."

Those were the times when people could wait five minutes for a family so well known and beloved. Our driver had only to whip up his horses a little faster.

WORKED WHILE ASLEEP.

Curious Incident in the Career of Novelist Crockett.

S. R. Crockett, the novelist, told a rather remarkable story of an incident that befell him in his early writing days, before fame and fortune had come to him and while he struggled for a living. At that time he was obliged to write for very small sums indeed, and among the publications to which he contributed columns and half columns was the St. James' Gazette, a London penny evening newspaper. One morning the postman brought to Mr. Crockett a letter from the editor of the St. James' Gazette containing a small check as payment for a contribution. Mr. Crockett knew that nothing was due to him, that he had been paid for all his articles, and—remarkable man—he did the check up in an explanatory note and returned it to the editor.

The next day back came the check from the editor—remarkable man—with a note saying it was due. The St. James' Gazette had published an article from the pen of Mr. Crockett which had not been paid for; hence the check. Again Mr. Crockett—remarkable man—returned the check, and still the remarkable editor reforwarded it, this time with the article cut out of the columns of the St. James' Gazette.

Now comes the curious feature of the incident. When Mr. Crockett clapped eyes on the article, he was astonished to find it one of his dreams materialized. One night, going to bed extra tired, he dreamed that a good idea for a St. James' Gazette column had occurred to him; that he then and there sat down, wrote it and posted it. Next morning he remembered his dream and made up his mind some day to write the article exactly as he dreamed he had written it, when, to his astonishment, came article and check from the newspaper. Few writers earn checks while asleep.

A Good Definition.

A foreign journal says that a small boy who had been playing nearly all day with a newly arrived acquaintance of the family, a gentleman who had nearly reached his fiftieth year, said to his father when the gentleman had gone away:

"When will that young man come again?"

"Young man!" exclaimed the father. "He's older than I am! Will you please tell me what 'a young man' means to you?"

"Why, a young man," answered the boy—"a young man is one that has a good time!"

Poor Papa!

"I am not at all certain," said the father, "that my daughter loves you sufficiently to warrant me in intrusting her to your keeping for life."

"Well," replied the young man, "perhaps you haven't had the same advantages for observing things that I have."

Very Little Jar.

Prospective Buyer—Heaven! It must be a terrible experience to run over a human being! Auto Demonstrator (smilingly)—Not with this make of car, my boy. It's equipped with the best shock absorber on the market.—Brooklyn Life.

Deafness Cannot be cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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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.

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Flues will be sold strictly for cash. Positively none sold on credit to anybody.

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Dr. C. O'H. Laugh-	W. H. White,	D. W. Hardee,
inghouse,	E. B. Higgs,	O. E. Warren,
J. L. Wooten,	C. E. Bradley,	Ollen Warren, Jr.,
H. W. Whedbee,	A. H. Chritchler,	J. G. Bowling,
H. L. Carr,	D. D. Overton,	J. J. Jenkins,
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W. B. Wilson,	W. F. Burch,	W. H. Ricks,
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O. L. Joyner,	C. D. Smith, r. f. d.,	E. M. Cheek,
Chas. Skinner,	Ivy Smith, r. f. d.,	Fred Cox,
Carolina Club,	F. M. Smith, r. f. d.,	N. W. Jackson,
Greenville Graded	Joab Tyson, r. f. d.,	W. J. Manning,
School (2)	F. Ward, r. f. d.,	J. S. Keel,
Greenville Opera	Will McArthur, rfd.	H. C. Hooker,
House,	Noah Tyson, r. f. d.,	W. O. Barnhill,
F. G. James,	J. J. Jones, r. f. d.,	Lum. Fleming,
D. J. Whichard,	J. G. Taylor, r. f. d.	T. R. Moore,
Robert Greene,	G. T. Tyson, r. f. d.	Mrs. Julia Crawford,
Wiley Brown,	Ashley Hyman, r. f. d.	Mrs. Dupree,
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CROSSING THE LINE.

Old Neptune and the Ancient Order of the Deep.

The ceremony of "crossing the line" is a very much more elaborate affair nowadays than it ever has been despite the fact that Neptune day is so old a celebration that its origin is lost to history.

When old Neptune, impersonated by a sailor, makes his appearance on an American battleship nowadays when the vessel reaches latitude 0 degree, 0 minute, 0 second, to initiate the jackies who have never crossed the line before into the mysteries and membership of the Ancient Order of the Deep he is accompanied by his wife, Amphitrite, another sailor. They are both dressed fantastically in clothes which have been designed and worked upon ever since the vessel sailed. How they get on board is unknown, at least to the captain, who meets them and gives them permission to go ahead. An immense tank made of canvas is rigged up, and here the initiation of all the candidates takes place. Devices for getting the candidate into the tank vary on different ships and on different occasions. Often he is simply picked up and thrown in. Frequently he is made to sit down in a "barber's" chair close to the edge of the tank, and when as much soap as possible has been put into his mouth and eyes he is tipped over backward. Generally the soap has been mixed with tar, coal oil and many other ingredients and is impartially applied from the waist up, so that the bath is needed.

In the tank the candidate is attended, sometimes by "bears" with shaggy coats made of unraveled rope and sometimes by "cops" who act as the king's assistants and see that the candidate is held under water long enough to know it.

It is a great frolic, prepared for days in advance, and when it is over the certificate is issued and the candidates are free to get themselves as clean as they can before the next roll call.—Philadelphia Record.

IF SNOW NEVER FELL.

The Effect Upon the World's Crops Would Be Disastrous.

If all the condensed moisture of the atmosphere were to fall as rain and none of it was snow hundreds of thousands of square miles of the earth's surface now yielding bountiful crops would be little better than a desert. The tremendous economic gain for the world at large which results from the difference between snow and rain is seldom realized by the inhabitants of fertile and well watered lowlands.

It is in the extensive regions where irrigation is a prime necessity in agriculture that the special uses of snow come chiefly into view. All through the winter the snow is falling upon the mountains and packing itself firmly in the ravines. Thus in nature's great icehouse a supply of moisture is stored up for the following summer.

All through the warm months the hardened snow banks are melting gradually. In trickling streams they steadily feed the rivers which as they flow through the valleys are utilized for irrigation. If this moisture fell as rain it would almost immediately wash down through the rivers, which would hardly be fed at all in the summer when the crops most needed water.

These facts are so well known as to be commonplace in the Salt Lake valley and in the subarid regions of the west generally. They are not so well understood in New Jersey or Ohio, where snow is sometimes a picturesque, sometimes a disagreeable, feature of winter.

In all parts of the country the notion prevails that the snow is of great value as a fertilizer. Scientists, however, are inclined to attach less importance to its service in soil nutrition—for some regions that have no snow are exceedingly fertile than to its worth as a blanket during the months of high winds. It prevents the blowing off of the finely pulverized richness of the top soil. This, although little perceived, would often be a great loss.—Chicago Tribune.

The Power of Advertising.

The power of advertising is told by a manager of the toilet department of a large New York department store. "We have six different makes of one toilet article," he said, "and they are so near alike in quality that even experts can't tell the difference between them, yet we sell as much of one as we do of all the others together, just because the manufacturer is everlastingly advertising it. The other five sell in proportion to the amount of advertising given to them. If there is any difference in quality it is in favor of the poorest seller."—New York Herald.

No Deadheads.

Mandy was a young colored girl fresh from the cotton fields of the south. One afternoon she came to her northern mistress and handed her a visiting card. "De lady wha' gub me dis is in de parlor," she explained. "De's amoder lady on de do'step." "Gracious, Mandy," exclaimed the mistress, "why didn't you ask both of them to come in?" "Kase, ma'am," grinned the girl, "de one on de do'step done forgit her ticket."—Argonaut.

Not Exclusive.

Welle (aged five)—Our family is awfully exclusive. Is yours? Bessie (aged four)—No, indeed! We haven't anything to be ashamed of.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Those who know the road best sometimes lose their way.

THE MARKETS

Norfolk Cotton and Peanuts, wired by J. W. Perry & Co., Cotton Factors.

COTTON:	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	10 9-16	10 1-2
Middling	10 7-16	10 3-8
Str Low Middling	10 5-16	10 1-4
Low Middling	10 3-16	10 1-

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

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL

FUTURE MARKET

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

NEW YORK FUTURES:		
May	9 53	9 70
July	9 66	9 76
Oct	9 56	9 57

LIVERPOOL FUTURES:		
May and June	5 27	5 35

Chicago Markets:

May Wheat	93 1-4	92 3-4
May Corn	66 1-3	66 1-4
May Ribs	7 22	7 35
July Ribs	7 75	7 65
May Lard	8 40	8 50
July Lard	8 67	8 72

Greenville Cotton Market, reported by J. F. & J. G. Moye

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For twenty-five years Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) has been curing yearly thousands of sufferers from Primary, Secondary or Tertiary Blood Poison and all forms of Blood Diseases. We solicit the most obstinate cases for B. B. B. cures where all else fails. If you have exhausted the old methods of treatment and still have aches and pains in bones, back or joints, Rheumatism, Mucus Patches in mouth, Sore throat, Pimples, Copper-Colored Spots Ulcers on any part of the body, Eating Sore, are run down or nervous, Hair or eyebrows falling out, take B. B. B. It kills the poison, makes the blood pure and rich, healing every sore and completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition. Itching humors, Risings or pimples of Eczema all leave after killing the poison and purifying the blood with B. B. B. In this way a flood of pure rich blood is sent direct to the skin surface, the itching stops forever and every humor of sore is healed and cured.

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State name of trouble

Notice.

My wife Julia Baker, having left my bed and board and absented herself from home, all persons are hereby warned under penalty of law not to provide her with shelter, food or employment, or in any way harbor her. This day of 2nd April, 1908. JOE BAKER.

apr. 2 td 3tw.

Three Stores Burned in New Berne.

New Bern, N. C., Mar. 30.—Three stores belonging to John Hanff, occupied by Lokey's bicycle repair outfit, and two green restaurants were destroyed by fire at 3 o'clock this morning. Circumstances connected with the fire indicate incendiarism. There was no insurance on the building. The loss is about \$3,000

Annual Statement

For the year Ending December 31st 1907, of the Condition and Affairs of

The Home Building and Loan Association

GREENVILLE, N. C.

Made to Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N. C., as required by Law.

MANAGEMENT—President, H. A. White; Secretary-Treasurer, N. G. White; Attorney, H. W. Whedbee; Directors H. W. Whedbee, S. T. White, R. O. Jeffries, D. C. Moore, R. C. Flanagan, D. J. Whichard, Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse, G. S. Prichard, H. A. White, C. T. Munford, B. W. Moseley, R. J. Cobb.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans on Mortgages	\$31,548.60	Due shareholders, instal-	
Cash in office	739.23	ments paid	\$28,495.75
Cash in bank	1,700.70	Borrowed money	9,375.00
Furniture and fixtures	150.00	Surplus	1,267.78
Total	\$34,138.53	Total	\$34,138.53

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Raleigh, March 20th, 1908
I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of The Home Building & Loan Association of Greenville, N. C., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1907.

JAMES R. YOUNG, Insurance Commissioner

The Home Building and Loan Association

Report of the Condition of

THE BANK OF GREENVILLE at Greenville

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business Feb. 14th, 1908.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	136,556.45	Capital stock	25,00 00
Over drafts secured and unsecured	2,061.17	Surplus fund	25,000.00
All other stocks, bonds and Mortgages	2,400.00	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	17,144.80
Banking house	4,200.00	Time certificates Dep. 20,970.27	
Fur. and Fix't.	3,872.32	Deposits sub to check 142,347.45	163,317.75
Due from Banks and Bankers	63,755.20	Cashier's check outstanding	766.11
Cash items	4,906.95	Total	231,228.66
Gold coin	433.50		
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	3,259.07		
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	9,784.00		
Total	231,228.66		

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss
I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25th day of February 1908.
ROBT. I. HOWARD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest
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