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## HAPPENINGS IN NORTH CAROLINA

### SHORT ITEMS OF EVENTS ABOUT THE STATE.

**Man's Toes Cut Almost Off—Wreck Between Weldon and Boling—High Point Lady Drops Dead.**

Fountain, N. C., April 10.—Mr. Jesse Galloway had two of his toes almost cut off a few days ago while chopping with an ax. The physician thinks he can save them, but it will require twelve months before Mr. Galloway will be able to walk around and do much manual labor.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 10.—Fayetteville will have a large shoe factory. Six Northern capitalists represented by J. M. Hoy president and manager, own one hundred and fifty thousand dollars' of stock and Fayetteville citizens, fifteen thousand. Mr. Hoy has gone North to purchase machinery and perfect arrangements.

Weldon, N. C., April 10.—As a result of a misunderstanding of orders a wreck occurred between Weldon and Boling, in which an engine was badly damaged and an engineer and fireman were painfully bruised. The helper from here had helped a freight to Summit and was returning when it ran into the front of a southbound train.

High Point, N. C., April 10th.—Mrs. J. E. Thompson, wife of pastor of Washington street M. E. church, dropped dead this morning at eleven while sitting on the front porch of the parsonage. Mr. Thompson was up the street at the time and only the cook was at the house when the summons came. The sudden summons was a great shock to the people of High Point.

Charlotte, N. C., April 10.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the North Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association here today it was decided to recommend that the mills embraced in the association as well as all other Southern mills shut down for sixty days. The decision was reached after a thorough discussion of existing conditions in the Southern States and the depression in the price of yarns. Resolutions to this end were unanimously adopted.

### Week of Prayer.

The Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. will observe the week of prayer, beginning April 13th, to 19th. The services will be held at the Christian church every day at 3:30 o'clock, conducted by a different member each day. We cordially invite the members of all the churches to attend these services.

Mrs. Henry T. King, Pres.

### Don't Forget Wednesday Night Week.

There is a rare treat in store for the theater goers in the presentation of "Meg's Diversion" at the opera house Wed. night, the 22nd. Everyone knows the talent of the amateurs of Greenville and they will put forth their very best efforts in this delightful play. Be sure and witness it.

### Best Not to Delay.

People along the line of contemplated paving on Evans street and Dickinson avenue who are thinking of making water and sewerage connection, would find it to advantage to make the connection before the paving is done. This will be harder and more expensive to do later.

## "MORE."

The Word Which Sums Up the Causes of the Panic of 1907.

If The Wall Street Journal were asked to put into one word the causes of the panic of 1907, it would answer with the word "more."

The real cause of the recent financial crisis to our present industrial distress is to be found in the fact that nearly all of us were eager to make something more than the legitimate fruits of our labor. The bank was not satisfied with the natural profits in buying and selling credits, but sought to make something more by the profits of promotion and underwriting. The investor was not satisfied with the mere profit of income, but sought the larger profits of the possible enhancement in price. The speculator was not satisfied with the profit of calculated risks, but sought also the profit of the plunging gambler. The merchant was not satisfied with the legitimate profit of buying and selling merchandise, but was anxious also for the profit of the speculator. The professional man was not satisfied with the profits of his learning and skill, but eagerly sought for something more "on the side." The workman was not satisfied with the fair market price of his labor, but sought to obtain something more by means of methods which bordered upon confiscation. The housewife was not content with her husband's income, but constantly goaded him on to make something more in order that she might outshine her neighbor in the social whirl. The cry was "more," "more," continually "more." He who had a million wanted ten, and he who had ten wanted fifty, and wanted it, too rapidly, so as to enjoy, say at thirty years of age, the gratified ambition which might properly be the reward of sixty years. This eagerness for more was something different from the divine discontent which is the vital principle of progress. It was a feverish, unhealthy, mad appetite for sudden wealth to be acquired by methods which in too many instances, did not square with moral law.—Wall Street Journal.

### SPARKS' CIRCUS COMING.

Two Performances in Greenville April 23.

Mr. B. Rutherford, advance agent of John H. Sparks' railroad show, was here today with his advertising car and crew of bill posters having the town and surrounding country billed for the coming of this show to Greenville on Thursday, April 23, for afternoon and night performances. Mr. Rutherford is an exceedingly clever gentleman, and after making his advertising arrangements with The Reflector invited us to visit his car, which is a model of convenience and arrangement. He has an advertising crew of ten men all of whom have living quarters on the car while out on an advertising tour. The men are experienced bill posters and move about their work with the precision of work.

Sparks' circus has been long on the road and wherever it goes is spoken of in highest terms. Its coming will give a day of much interest and pleasure to a host of people.

Scarlet Sage Colves, Verbenas, Alternanthera, Geraniums etc. Get in your order.

4-7-5td. Ollen E. Warren.

## A RIVAL IN LOVE.

It's a Situation That Requires Much Dignity and Tact.

Few problems in a young girl's life are more serious to deal with than what to do when another girl is trying to gain the affections of the man to whom she is engaged. Older people may prod her with philosophical advice and tell her that she will have many equally hard problems to confront her before life is over, but their talk rarely helps her. She confronts a serious situation which will make a great test of her character, says The Delineator for May.

For a fight it is. Some men and women who know what is going on may think it a light affair and not worth a fight, but these people are cynics. Some few there are who are enabled to escape it in their love affairs as in their married life, but these are the rare and the happy exceptions.

If you are quiet about the affair, trust the man all you can, and take it for granted that he loves you until you are thoroughly convinced that he doesn't, the chances are that the other girl will lose him and that he will return to you whole-hearted.

The worst as well as the best men respect and admire such behavior in a girl. They make a kind of fetish of it. They seem to admire it intensely.

This is the straight, narrow, and thorny road to success with a man. But it may not win back the man for two reasons: He may be too much in love with the other girl to care to keep his engagement with you; or he, may act with such disregard of your feelings, and so infringe on your self-respect and what you know is due you from him, that you must settle the situation in another way.

### Ayden Will Have Tobacco Market.

Ayden, N. C., April 11-1908. To The Reflector:

As the time is ripening and the harvest is almost ready, for the purpose of establishing a tobacco market in the town of Ayden the citizens held a special meeting at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Friday, the 10th and were asked to solicit stock in the interest of a tobacco market at \$25 per share, no one to take over twenty shares of the capital stock. Hurrah! for Ayden With the pluck and pride that surrounds our native land, with hearts that as never before shall beat as one together, think, act, and do. As this is all I can give at present, I will not treat the subject any further. Perhaps will relate more in the near future.

Robert Worthington, Secretary.

### The Oliver Typewriter.

Mr. James D. Combes, of Chicago, the official demonstrator for the Oliver Typewriter Co., is in the city for a few days in the interest of the company's representatives here, Mr. D. C. James. The Oliver has always been in the lead in Greenville, there being more than three times as many in use here than of every other make combined. The new model No. 5 is certainly a pretty machine and during Mr. Combes' stay in the city you are cordially invited to call at Dr. James' dental parlors and see the many wonderful things that may be done on an Oliver Typewriter, many of which seem impossible.

## WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

Newsy Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C. April 11, 1908.

We are requested to announce that Renston public school, taught by Miss May Brooks, will close Friday, April 17th. Supt. Z. V. Judd, of Raleigh, will deliver an address at 11 o'clock. Dinner will be spread on the grounds. The public is cordially invited to be present. Mr. Judd is an excellent speaker and a treat is in store for those who hear him. There will be a temperance rally at Tucker's school house Sunday afternoon, April 12th at 3 o'clock. There will be special music for the occasion.

This afternoon the Winterville High school base ball team will try conclusions with the Free Will Seminary boys of Ayden.

Last night the colored public school was addressed by Prof. G. E. Lineberry and A. G. Cox. These addresses were very practical indeed for the needs of the colored race. There was a large crowd present and marked attention was shown. The exercises will be concluded Monday night.

J. D. Rogers, W. A. McLawhorn and Rev. T. H. King made temperance speeches last night at Renston.

"Quinola" seems to be the latest cold drink out among our boys. As to its merits for flavor, the name and expression of the face give ample testimony. They recommend it as an excellent antidote for malaria. For testimonials, see some of our boys.

O. W. Rollins went to Roberstonville today.

Misses Elizabeth Boushall, Ward Moore and Olive Woodard went to Shelmerdine yesterday afternoon where they will spend Sunday.

Doremus McLawhorn, Bruton Bryan and Mrs. Maggie Butt went to Greenville today.

Rev. T. H. King is billed to make a temperance speech at Grifton Sunday night.

Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse made a temperance speech at Renston last night.

Jas. King, of Greenville, was here Friday.

Dr. J. H. Hudson, of Ballard's Cross Roads, was here Thursday. Sheriff Tucker, of Greenville was here yesterday on official business.

P. H. Kittrell and Joe Smith went to Greenville today.

### NOTICE!

Go to M. G. Bryan Winterville, N. C., for fire insurance. He represents the Walla Walla Co., of Greensboro. It is one of the best.

### Spring Opening.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday of this week I will display at my Green house in West Greenville, the finest collection of Easter plants ever seen in Greenville. Be sure and come at once and make your selection as most of the plants not spoken of here will be taken to other towns Monday. "First come, first served."

Ollen E. Warren, Florist.

### Every Single One.

It appears that the postmasters in a number of Southern States are much more numerous than the entire bulk of Republican voters remaining. Curiously enough, too, these States are instructing right along for Taft.—Washington Herald.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

Ben Taylor is sick.

W. L. Brown went to Bethel today.

C. V. York went to Kinston today.

P. T. Carlton went to Rocky Mount today.

P. T. Anthony went to Winterville today.

Miss Carrie Carr Mitchell, of Asheville, is visiting Mrs. Ada Cherry.

W. B. Wilson, H. L. Coward, E. H. Thomas and R. F. Betts went to Ayden today.

Miss Josie Edwards, of Henson, who has been visiting Mrs. D. D. Overton, left this morning.

S. L. Clark from Goldsboro, arrived Friday morning and will open a merchant tailoring establishment here.

### BIBLE AND FLAG PRESENTED.

Interesting Occasion at Swift Creek School.

On the 3rd instant there was a very interesting day at the school in District No. 7 in Swift Creek township, taught by Misses Mary Brown and Martha Baldree. There was a flag raised over the school building and a Bible was presented by Miss Brown and a picture by Miss Baldree.

Rev. D. W. Arnold, of Greenville, was present and delivered a very interesting address on prohibition that was listened to attentively and left an impression for good on the community.

### At the Churches Tomorrow.

Methodist—Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. by Rev. E. McWhorter.

Children's mass meeting Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, to which every child of the various Sunday schools are invited.

Baptist—Sunday school and the Baraca and Philathea classes meet at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.45 p. m.

Christian—Sunday school at 9.45 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.45 p. m.

### The Meeting.

There was another large attendance with increasing interest at the Methodist church last night, and the sermon of Rev. Mr. McWhorter was an able one. There will be three services Sunday. In addition to the usual morning and evening hours there will be a special sermon to young people at 3.30 p. m. All are cordially invited the services.

### With Our Colored People.

There will be quarterly meeting at the first street Methodist church tomorrow. Rev. H. Bell, D. D., P. E., of the Washington District will preach. Everybody is invited to attend these services all day. As this is quarterly meeting it means a quarter all around. Come one and all.

R. Henry Sawyer, Jr., P. C.

The next annual meeting of the stockholders of The Home Building and Loan Association will be held the first Tuesday night in May.

Easter Sunday is one week from tomorrow.

## 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.

### April 11 In History.

1794—Edward Everett, American orator and statesman, born; died 1865.  
1814—Napoleon at Fontenbleau signed the act of abdication.  
1884—Charles Reade, English novelist, died; born 1814.  
1800—Proclamation by President McKinley announcing the restoration of peace with Spain.  
1902—General Wade Hampton, distinguished Confederate cavalry officer, died at Columbia, S. C.; born 1818.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:

Tonight and Tomorrow Morning. Sun sets 6:31, rises 5:22; moon sets 8:51 a. m.; sun's declination, 8.5 degrees north of celestial equator.

### April 12 In History.

65—Seneca, the Roman philosopher and early tutor of Nero, killed himself by that emperor's orders.  
1777—Henry Clay, statesman, called the "great pacifier," born; died 1852.  
1801—The first shot at Sumter; beginning of the civil war.  
1907—The Honduran forces surrendered Amapala to the Nicaraguans.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:

Tonight and Tomorrow Morning. Sun sets 6:32, rises 5:20; moon sets 4:19 a. m.; 10:30 p. m., all of Jupiter's four bright satellites closely grouped on west of planet.

### Weather.

Fair, colder tonight. Sunday fair cooler on the coast.

### NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

Circus coming and the boys are happy.

April court will begin on Monday, 20th.

Today was the dustiest and windiest going.

Cotton seed meal and hulls at F. V. Johnston's, phone 15.

When you want hay see F. V. Johnston. 48 4td 1tw

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

New lot corn and oats at F. V. Johnston's, near A. C. L. depot.

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

The sprinkling done on Evans street this morning was in good time.

The juvenile base ball team went to Winterville today to play a game.

People needed automobile goggles over their eyes today to keep out the dust.

The teachers' association meeting for this month will not be held until the third Saturday.

50,000 Tomato plants now ready to plant, both potted and trans plants. Ollen E. Warren.

For Rent—5 room house in West Greenville, modern conveniences. Apply to Reflector office or to W. M. Smith.

4-10 3td.

Cut flowers for Easter will have 1500 Carnations and Lilly of the Valley. Let me book you. Telephone 40.

Ollen E. Warren.

The Reflector Book Store has received a new lot of single and double entry ledgers, day books, record books, note and receipt books, tablets, &c.

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If people took as much interest in talking progress as they do in talking politics, it would make a vast difference in the development of the State.

If some of the newspaper men don't quit trying to appear in the wealthy class they will place the profession in peril. The office of the Cleveland Star was robbed of \$90 the other day. A newspaper man has no right to be trying to horde money.

Sometimes it looks like the railroads are trying to tote fair, and then again their actions create just the opposite impression. But the Southern Railway almost voluntarily restoring the old schedule on the night train going west from Raleigh, by which it leaves the capital city at 2 o'clock a. m. instead of at midnight, is an instance in which the road is to be commended for doing the right thing.

From the way it has started out the railroad employes are getting decidedly the worst of the new regulation as to mileage books. We heard a ticket agent say that just before the departure of trains he had to issue tickets on eight mileage books and he found it the worst nuisance he had tackled. Much of that kind of business may necessitate employing assistant ticket agents to prevent delays, and additional expense is not what the railroads are looking for.

If the Bakersville editor deserved it, it might have been better to put him on trial and sent him to the roads instead of driving him out of town. We never did fancy the idea of driving undesirable citizens out of one town just to let them transfer their operations to some other community. Every town should deal with its own offenders against public welfare just as the merits of each case deserves, instead of unloading on some other town.

From recent statements of Governor Glenn it seems now well assured that he will not be a candidate for United States senator against Senator Overman. This decision will give pleasure even to the governor's warmest friends, and there are thousands of them throughout the State, not because they do not think he could worthily fill the position of senator, but because they think it unwise to retire Senator Overman at the end of one term, and further because a contest between two such able men would be approached with reluctance by those who are admirers of both. Senator Overman has filled the position with the highest credit, and his influence is such that his continuance in the senate will be of great benefit to his State.

It is a miserable thing to live in suspense. It is the life of a spider. - Swift.

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## HE DIDN'T GO HUNGRY.

Neither Did His Partner After Their Scheme Succeeded.

The man who once was down and out, but is so no longer, was telling the other day of one of his poverty time devices.

He was travelling with another chap just as much down and out as he, and both were hungry. Their capital was insignificant, and they didn't intend to spend any of it. But they had a revolver, which suggested to the first man a scheme. It worked out something like this:

"I went into a pretty good looking restaurant," said the prosperous one, taking a long draw at his cigar, "and as my clothes looked pretty good I wasn't an object of suspicion. I had an overcoat which belonged to my partner.

"As the overcoat and the revolver were chief characters in the ensuing drama, they have to be mentioned prominently. I got a seat right near the door and hung up my coat so that it was only a step away from the door.

"Then I sat down and ordered a square one, a meal that it would be impossible to describe. It was so good. It was flavored with the sauce of abstinence—from food.

"I ate and ate and ate, and by and by my partner came along. Without his overcoat—and it was a cold day—he didn't look good. He hung around the door for a long while, looking like a hobo getting up his nerve to come in and beg.

"Just about the time he made a signal to me that showed he was about to enter I got up to go to the cigar counter to pick out a nice after dinner smoke. In came my partner and slunk up to the desk to ask for a bit of food.

"Nothing doing. He was turned down cold. Then to make the thing work better he came up to me and asked: 'Say, boss, won't you give me a lift? I'm down and out.' I repulsed him sternly, and after looking around he started out.

"I said to the proprietor in a virtuous way, 'I don't believe in helping those bums,' to which he answered with a mug shake of the head, when my partner grabbed the overcoat. I knew what he was doing, but I pretended to be very much interested in the cigar—until the proprietor yelled out, 'Hey, he's stealing your coat!'

"I held on to the cigar, wheeled around and started for my partner. He was half out of the door. I yelled, 'Drop that!' and for answer he drew the revolver and flourished it.

"The proprietor dropped behind the counter, and the waiters fled to the kitchen. From his place the proprietor called out: 'Look out! He'll shoot you!' And, taking my cue, I let him run out.

"Then when the excitement cleared off I raised an awful row about losing the coat, and the proprietor finally came up with the money for a new one, say about \$30. Well, did that meal pay me? What?"—New York Sun.

## Exploding a Mine in Granite.

One of the methods of quarrying granite is to dislodge a huge sheet from the surface of the formation through the medium of a powder mine. A large perpendicular shaft is first blasted to a depth of about thirty feet. At the bottom of this and radiating in all directions horizontally, like the spokes of a huge wheel, long holes are drilled. The extremities of these holes are then shot with light charges of dynamite in order to create chambers large enough to receive large quantities of black powder. This takes weeks of ever increasing charges. Then the final charge is loaded. The now huge chambers at the extremities of the spokes are packed with hundreds of pounds of powder, numerous electric wires attached and the whole mine tamped with fine material. A mighty roar and rumble in the bowels of the earth and the huge sheet is detached from the ledge.—Popular Mechanics.

## A Fraudulent Tax.

A well to do German farmer in a western state came into the town of which he was accounted a resident to pay his taxes. The bill was handed to him, itemized as follows:

State tax.....\$15.00  
County tax..... 8.50  
School tax..... 5.00  
Total.....\$28.50

After the German had carefully scrutinized the bill he set his lips tightly and in a very determined manner said: "I pay de state tax, I pay de county tax and I pay de school tax, but I be doggoned if I pay dat total tax. I never had no total tax! I think he is a fraud!"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

## Missed the Mark.

A north of England clergyman recently preached against ill natured gossiping and spoke pretty plainly to his congregation on the subject. One of the members of the congregation to whom he was especially alluding came up to him after the service. The vicar thought he had touched her and that she was about to express contrition, but she said, "Ah, vicar, I am so glad you spoke out, and what a good thing it was the Misses — were there to hear you."—Church Family Newspaper.

## Greatness Appreciated.

"Katy, who's in the high school," remarked Mr. Dolan, "have been readin' Herbert Spencer to me."

"Who's Herbert Spencer?"

"He's wan iv the smartest min an' earth. He could explain anything at all to yez if yez could only be polite enough to stay awake an' pay attention."—Washington Star.

It is a miserable thing to live in suspense. It is the life of a spider. - Swift.

## In Another Voice.

As the pastor of the Zion's Hill church looked down at his parishioners, to whom he had been giving thirty-five minutes of sound doctrine, his face took on a less benignant expression.

"Bredren an' sisters," he said, "I want to warn you against one thing, an' dat is t'inkin' ebery man dat don't hab jes' de same views you got is a no-count religionist.

"I don't want to hear so much talk about 'wolves in sheep's clothing' as I bene hearin'. You don't want to settle in yo' minds dat a man's a wolf in sheep's clothin' jes' because he don't h'at exactly like you do."—Youth's Companion.

## Gout the Foe of Consumption.

Sir Dyce Duckworth in his address to the faculty of medicine said that many persons were constitutionally predisposed to rheumatism and gout, but an important characteristic in such cases was the antagonism of the tissues to the bacilli of tuberculosis. The more rheumatic or gouty a person was the less pronounced was his tendency to consumption.—London Post.

## Relic of the Past.

"So, woman, you treasure another man's photograph?"

"Don't be foolish, Henry. This is a portrait of yourself when you had hair."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Powerful Explosives.

"What are the most powerful explosives known?" queried the young man.

"Two prima donnas in one opera company," replied the ex-theatrical manager.—Chicago News.

Hope is the bread of the unhappy.—German Proverb.

## 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.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CLENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Said the man who had skipped his board bill: "The inn-keeper is out."

Kodol for Dyspepsia has helped thousands 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 disease 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 occasionally as I find it a fine blood purifier 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.

To those swayed by unbending justice, a beauteous race still flourishes.

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 constipate, 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.

A good cause makes a stout heart and a strong arm.—German.

To have perfect health we must have perfect digestion, and it is very important 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.

The sallow woman should be taught to eschew tan.

The kidneys are delicate and sensitive organs and are very likely at any time to get out of order. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder 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.

The silk straw-hats are excellent for between season wear.

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

Cleave to the good and use a cleaver on the bad.

## Notice.

A special meeting of the board of county commissioners for the county of Pitt is hereby called to meet at the court house in Greenville on Wednesday, April 15th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of making such final orders to perfect and complete the sale of bonds for the Eastern Carolina Teachers' Training School and such other business as may come before the board.

This the 8th day of April, 1908  
R. W. King,  
4 8 d 4 & w tf. Ch'm B'd Com.

## 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. f t d & w.

## Notice.

The bridge across Tar river at Greenville will be discontinued to use on and after Thursday, April 9th, preparatory to the building of a steel bridge in its place. While the work of building the new bridge is in progress a ferry will be operated for the convenience of persons and vehicles in crossing the river.

R. W. King,  
d & w tf. Chm. B'd Co. Coms.

## A Card.

To the Democratic Voters of Pitt County.

I am a candidate for Register of Deeds subject to the primaries. I will be thankful to receive suggestions from my friends.  
H. A. BLOW.  
3 27 1 m d & w.

## 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,  
1 29 d & w tf

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All work done promptly, suits made to order when desired.  
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has many depositors with good balances, who previously never seemed able to get a dollar ahead. The minute they began to deposit their funds, they became more careful about what they spent. That carefulness has resulted in a substantial saving of money they formerly would have wasted. Why don't you start an account

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Wholesale and retail Grocer and Furniture Dealer. Cash paid for Hides, Fur, Cotton Seed Oil Barrels, Turkeys, Eggs, Oak Bedsteads, Mattresses, etc. Suits, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Parlor suits Tables, Lounges, Safes, P. Lorillard and Gail & Ax Snuff, High Life Tobacco, Key West Cheroots, Henry George Cigars, Canned Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Pine Apples, Syrup, Jelly, Meat, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Soap, Lye Magic Food, Matches, Oil, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seed's, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass and Chinaware, Wooden ware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Chesse, Best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines and numerous other goods. Quality and quantity cheap for cash. Come see me.

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is just as much a necessity as the physician who cures your sickness. As in the veins and arteries of the body stoppages occur at times, so the pipes in your house become clogged and an

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# NORFOLK & SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Local Time Table

Effective January 27th, 1908.  
Between Norfolk, Va. and Raleigh, N. C.

## WESTBOUND

STATIONS	No. 30		No. 2		No. 14	
	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Lv. Norfolk (Park Ave.)		11 55		6 00		
Chesapeake	10 40	6 00		6 41		
Greenville	12 20	6 41		7 03		
Farmville	1 10	7 03		7 36		
Statonsburg	1 51	7 36		8 07	8 30	
Wilson	3 00	8 07		8 28	9 00	
Bally	3 50	8 28		8 42	9 15	
Middlesex	4 15	8 42		9 04	9 38	
Zebulon	4 56	9 04		9 14	9 48	
Wendell	5 21	9 14		9 29	10 06	
Knightdale	5 59	9 29		10 00	10 40	
Ar. Raleigh	6 35	10 00				

## EASTBOUND

STATIONS	No. 1		No. 15		No. 29	
	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday	Ex. Sunday
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Ar. Norfolk (Park Ave.)	4 45					5 50
Chesapeake	10 35					4 50
Greenville	9 55					3 50
Farmville	9 27					3 00
Statonsburg	8 59					3 00
Wilson	8 35	6 40				2 15
Bally	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 10
Knightdale	7 06	5 04				10 06
Lv. Raleigh	6 35	4 30				9 14

R. E. L. BUNCH, T. M. H. C. HUDGINS, G. P. A. F. W. TATEM, D. P. A.  
Norfolk, Va. Norfolk, Va. Goldsboro, N. C.

# PARTY FARES

Effective April 3rd, 1908

For parties of ten (10) or more traveling together on one ticket two (2) cents per mile per capita; minimum per capita fare fifteen cents.

These rates are open to the public and apply between any point on the

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager T. C. WHITE, General Pass Agent

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# Sale of Land for Taxes

Notice is hereby given that I have levied on and will on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1908, sell at the court house door in Greenville the following described real estate for taxes due the town of Greenville and the Graded School district for the year 1907:

J. C. TYSON, Town Tax Collector

Name, Lots, Acres and Description.	Cost.	Tax and Cost.
C. O. Brown, 1 lot, Corey.....	1.50	12.13
1 lot.....		
Haywood Barnhill, 1 lot, Hines, Wash. street.....	1.30	7.05
Stanley Boyd, 1 lot, Gum Tree.....	1.30	1.88
Mima Brit, Green street.....		
Evans, Arthur.....	1.30	18.86
Gatsy Bunn, 1 lot, Perkins.....	1.30	18.86
Hetty Bynum, 1 lot Reed street.....	1.30	3.03
Allen Carr, 1 lot, Pitt street, bal.....	1.30	7.30
Isaac Carr, 1 lot, Pitt street, bal.....	1.30	3.50
Jim Cherry, 1 lot, Perkins.....	1.30	4.62
W. J. H. Coburn, 1 lot, Perkins.....	1.30	11.26
Sifax Fleming, Reed street.....	1.30	9.70
Martha Forbes, Reed street.....	1.30	4.47
J. N. Gorman, Prizery, Tenth street.....	1.30	15.10
Julius Jenkins, Evans street.....	1.30	4.05
C. J. Johnson, residence.....	1.30	14.64
J. R. King, Eleventh and Clark streets.....	1.30	5.58
John King, Patrick.....	1.50	9.27
Clark street.....		
D. R. Little, Higgs.....		
residence.....		
Eborn.....		
Kinsaul.....	1.90	24.01
Fred. Moore, Perkins.....	1.30	5.33
Andrew Moore, Pitt street, bal.....	1.30	7.78
Amos Moye, B. Lane.....	1.30	5.05
Miles Moye, Perkins, bal.....	1.30	4.83
John P. Norcott, Evans street.....		
Pitt street.....	1.50	10.76
Phoebe Nobles, Perkins.....	1.30	1.88
J. W. Perkins, 8 Lincolnton.....		
residence.....		
White.....		
Clare.....		
Lucas.....	2.10	54.45
Besar Perkins, Higgs.....	1.30	9.65
Chas. Peyton, Perkins.....	1.30	9.47
C. C. Rouse, Higgs.....	1.30	2.17
Wm. Redmond, part Red Blow.....	1.30	8.20
Mrs. B. P. Sutton, residence, Sutton's Lane.....	1.50	56.70
Robert Spell, Perkins.....	1.30	7.63
Talhitha Taft estate, First street.....	1.30	4.18
Major Washington, Clark street.....	1.30	5.94

### GRADED SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Name, Lots, Acres and Description.	Cost.	Tax and Cost.
Joe Gray, 1-4 acre, Mill.....	\$1.30	\$ 3.64
Whitman Price, 1-4 acre Patrick.....	1.30	4.03

### SPENCER'S TREE.

An Incident of Pioneer Life in Old Tennessee.

One seldom hears nowadays of the man who gave his name to Spencer's tree, says Miss O. Z. Bond, the author of "Old Tales Retold; or, Perils and Adventures of Tennessee Pioneers," but in olden times the name of Thomas Sharpe Spencer was connected with many tales of Tennessee adventure. He was a man of extraordinary size, remarkably kind and gentle hearted. He went to Cumberland county in 1776 in company with John Halliday to explore and hunt in the unknown forests.

Halliday decided not to stay, and Spencer went with him as far as the border of Kentucky to put him safely so far on his way home. Kind and thoughtful to the last, the big man with the big heart broke in two pieces his long hunting knife and gave half of it to Halliday, who had unfortunately lost his own.

With only half a knife and his rifle Spencer turned back into the forest and began to look out for a site for his home. He was fortunate in finding not only a suitable place for a field, but also ready to hand a large dwelling, vacant of a tenant.

The foundations of the structure were fastened deep in the earth, the walls were tinted silver gray, the lofty roof was lichen green, and its fretted pinnacles towered toward the sky.

The dwelling had a tall opening in one side, through which Spencer walked into the hollow of the great sycamore tree which was to be his home and took possession of a spacious chamber which measured nearly eleven feet across and thirty feet and more around.

The new proprietor stood his rifle against the wall, hung powderhorn and drinking cup upon projections of the wood and was ready for housekeeping. At nightfall he spread out a furry bear skin and lay serenely down to sleep.

Spencer lived in his tree through the varying seasons of a full year, caring nothing for wind or rain and minding neither heat nor cold in his snug retreat. The tall sycamore known as Spencer's tree stood for many years after its tenant had passed away and was long pointed out as an example of the magnificent growth found by the pioneers in our primeval forests.

### Better Than Spanking.

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

### THE REAPER.

In Modern Farming Cost in Time Must Be Reckoned.

For tens of centuries men garnered their harvests by hand, stooping—a score or more of them in a small field—to snip, snip with hand sickles at the stalks that should yield them bread. Behind these workers came others, laboriously binding the grain into sheaves. And every bushel required in the gathering three hours of a man's time.

Then came the reaper—and today a leviathan bites a twelve foot roadway through the grain with its sharp teeth and ties the sheaves with its steel fingers. Four strong horses may be needed to move it—this giant machine—but in all the great yellow field is no human being save the man who sits comfortably on the harvester driving. Or it may be a woman or even a child. And the reaper has reduced, the time price of harvesting wheat to ten minutes a bushel—a gain of two hours and fifty minutes for every bushel of wheat and a release to other industries of nine laborers in ten, or even a larger number, for in the far west there are harvesters that do more work in a day than twenty laborers using the sickle's big and swifter brother, the scythe.

Translated, this means primarily vastly more wheat. That is a simple matter of mathematics, a problem too obvious to require statement. It means for America the development of the magnificent grain lands of the west, where three states—Minnesota and the Dakotas—today produce enough wheat to feed all the people of England. It means the new farmer and the wonders of scientific agriculture. It means great cities, with gigantic mills and manufactories that create new wealth at the rate of sixteen billions a year. It means American prosperity.—Everybody's Magazine.

# A LESSON IN ECONOMY

A STENOGRAPHER in a prominent business house, who operated a typewriter where the carriage had to be raised to see what was written, wasted eight minutes in one hour in lifting that carriage.

She was employed eight hours per day. On this basis she lost 64 minutes that day.

She would lose in one year of 300 working days 320 hours.

She was paid \$2.50 per day for eight hours' work, 35.7 cents per hour.

Her employer, therefore, would have paid her \$114.24 in one year, for which he received no equivalent.

There were ten stenographers employed in this office, and if they all lost the same amount of time, he would have paid in one year \$1,142.40 for which he enjoyed no benefit.

In ten years he would have paid \$11,424.00 for nothing.

Every business man using a typewriter that does not write in sight, but on which you have to raise the carriage to see the writing, is losing money in the same proportion.

### WHICH IS BETTER—

to have that saving of money in dividends, or pay it out for wasted time?

The **OLIVER** Typewriter WRITES IN SIGHT

### The School Closing

... Season ...

Is nearly on hand and perhaps you expect to install a Piano in your parlor upon your daughters return from college. Write us about a certain and special Piano we are now offering at

**\$225.00**

This Piano is guaranteed for 10 years and will fully measure up to any \$350.00 Piano offered by the small dealer. Terms \$7 per month, \$21 per quarter, \$42 every 6 months. Write to

Chas. M. Stieff

OR

G. G. Fineman

Greenville, N. C. Box 261

### New Blacksmith Shop

Horse Shoeing a Specialty

J. C. Griffith, a practical horse shoer will give this branch of the work his special attention.

Shop in the rear of Livery Stables in front of the court house.

E. A. Kline.

Phone 3 Brick Stables

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J. B. PEED, Manager

Dealers in

ICE Have Regular Wagon and Will Make Deliveries Promptly

We have received our first shipment and are ready for your orders. 300 lb block at \$1.00, One-half block at 60c, Less than one-half block 12 cent per lb.

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Dentist.

GREENVILLE, N. C.

W. H. KILPATRICK

COMMON BUYER

AND

INSURANCE AGENT

Office in National Bank Building

### BREAD! BREAD!

Mrs. Maggie Whitley at the Norcott building near court house, bakes every day, bread, rolls, cakes and pies. Orders filled anywhere in town. Ice cream sold daily.

# 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

I have on hand for sale one Cool Double Edger, 1 Planer, Mather and Molder, 1 Resaw Machine and lots of other machinery. I will sell on easy terms.

W. B. HIGSON.

# TOBACCO FLUES.

Again we are making Tobacco Flues at

## Parham's WAREHOUSE

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

Place orders Now

## L H PENDER

### 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

### Spring Cleaning, Spring Cleaning

The prevailing rage now, in domestic life, is Spring Cleaning. While you are at that, get out your spring dresses, suits, etc., and have them cleaned up-to-date and ready to wear. Also have your winter clothes cleaned and treated with my special chemical solution to prevent moth eating, and pack them away until winter. RIGHT NOW IS THE TIME.

Yours to please,

FRANK HOPKINS

Ladies and Gents Tailor

409 4th St., opposite marble yard Phone 61.

### Hotel Greenville

J. W. HIGHT, Prop.

I wish to inform the public that my hotel is now ready for regular and table boarders, hotel entirely remodeled, thoroughly renovated, electric lights, hot and cold baths, transient rooms, ideal home for ladies, and traveling men. Building opposite Court house and polite servants. Phone No. 7. Call and see for yourself. Yours to Serve.

### J. W. Hight Pro.

W. M. DAWSON.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Tailor, Greenville, N. C.

Pressing, Altering, Repairing, Dyeing, Scouring, Chemical and Dry cleaning.

Satisfaction or no charges.

In rear of Edmonds and Fleming Barber Shop

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SHOE REPAIRER

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

Greenville's Department Store

OUR BUYER

Has Just Returned

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Dress Goods  
Dry Goods

Novelties in Ladies Neckwear, Hand Bags,

Purses, Belts, Belting and Belt Buckles.

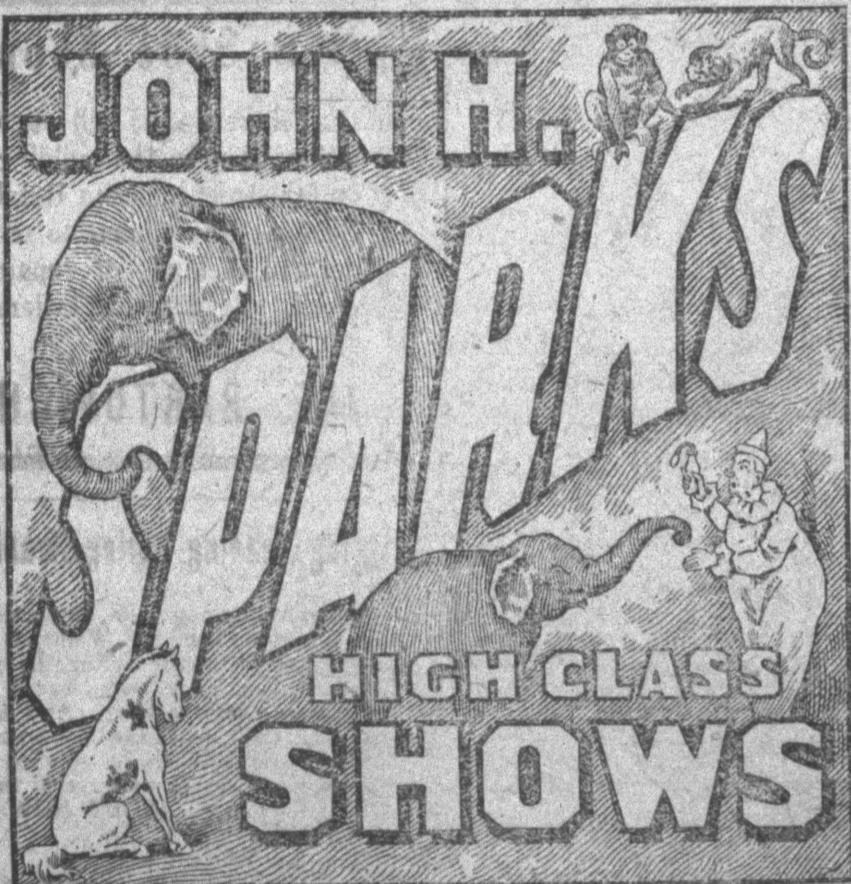
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Gives rest to the stomach. For indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, tired stomach, weak stomach, windy stomach, puffed stomach, nervous stomach and catarrh of the stomach. A prompt relief.

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Digests What You Eat  
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As a Result.

Relieves indigestion,  
sour stomach, belching  
of gas, etc.

For Sale by John L. Wooten.

CHINESE SAILORS.

Shipping a Crew in London For an English Ship.

This is Dockland, and this street you can call London's beach. And here is the mercantile marine office of the board of trade. In one room a crew is signing on. Behind the counter is the smart young official, keen to see that the ship's agreement is legally drawn up, and beside him is the skipper, elderly, with a severe, weather beaten face and gray, wavy hair. He lifts his bushy eyebrows when looking through the glasses perched on his nose. On the other side of the counter is the proposed fo'castle crew—thirty Chinese, gathered from the opium dens of Limehouse this morning, with a few whites among them to give assured substance to a cheap thing. The captain is quiet, but sometimes whispers a half apologetic aside to the young official, who smiles cynically (for he knows the British ship owner better than most) and gathers in the crowd before him with his eye. He squares the documents on the counter, calls for the "first hand" among the Chinese and reads the agreement to a yellow sphinx. The Chinese makes no sign. "Now for show," says the official and details the provision allowance. But it appears the Chinese does understand. He will not agree to fresh bread only twice a week. "Evlee day," he says. The captain has to submit. If he did not these Chinese would leave the office in a body, and there is no time to find more men. "Sailormen now," says the official. He is going to take the men in detail. "What your name?" "Hongkong." "No—your name—what you called? Wang Fook?" "Yer?" "You plenty savee steer?" A pen is placed on the counter. That is the ship. The Chinese indicates the nib as the stem, the end of the handle as the stern and which side port and starboard. "Me plenty savee steer." "Where you come from, eh?" The man looks around anxiously on his countrymen for light. Some one signals to him. "Alle same Lusian ship," he says, with a bright smile.

So that ship gets her crew. She flies the union jack, and there are British sailors—who want too much money, as much as £4 per month—on the pavement outside waiting for berths. The Chinese file out. "Supposing you all could get through right enough," says some one in the hall to the skipper genially, "then I hope she piles up tonight in the channel." The helpless skipper smiles grimly and locks his portfolio.—London Leader.

A Rain Proverb.

Rain before seven,  
Fine before eleven.

I have always heard this proverb with the two additional lines:  
If it rains at eleven  
'Twill last till seven.  
And I have witnessed the truth of the last two lines very many times, notably on three separate occasions, on which, being up the river for a day's punting, when a fine day would have been a godsend to me, it has rained persistently during the whole afternoon, the rain beginning between 10 and 11 o'clock and ceasing within a very few minutes of 7. Thus I have had the proverb indelibly stamped on my mind.—London Notes and Queries.

Well Said.

An excellent as well as witty reproof, which might be applicable to some politicians even in these enlightened days, is accredited to the celebrated Richard Brinsley Sheridan. When his son, Thomas Sheridan, was candidate for the representation of a Cornish borough he told his father that if he secured the office he had a mind to place a label on his forehead with the words "To Let" printed on it and side with the party which made the best offer. "Very well, Tom," replied his father dryly, "but if you do that don't forget to add the word 'Unfurnished.'"—

Ruskin as a Boy.

Every precocious boy does not become a brilliant man, but some brilliant men have been precocious in childhood. John Ruskin, the great English essayist and critic on art, was such a child. At the age of seven he wrote verses in rhyme and kept a journal, or diary. This journal was really a record of trips through England that he took with his father. His interest in the old cathedrals and in the bits of scenery that he saw during these journeys betrayed the tastes that in later years decided his career.

Charity Dances.

Awkward Spouse—I see our set is to have a grand charity ball. Did you ever dance for charity?  
Pretty Wife—Of course. Don't you remember how I used to always dance with you when we first met?  
—Illustrated Bits.

Silver Aluminum Jelly Moulds Free

Individually Molded deserts are now considered the proper thing. The moulds are hard to get outside the large cities, but users of JELL-O, The Dainty Desert, can get them absolutely free. Circular in each package explaining 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 disappointed.

THE MARKETS

Norfolk Cotton and Peanuts, wired by J. W. Perry & Co., Cotton Factors.  
COTTON: Today Yesterday  
Strict Middling 10 1-2 10 1-2  
Middling 10 3-8 10 3-8  
Str Low Middling 10 1-4 10 1-4  
Low Middling 10 1-8 10 1-8  
PEANUTS:—Dull,  
Fancy 3 1-4 to 3 3-8 3 1-4 to 3 1-4  
Strictly Prime 3 1-8 3 1-8  
Prime 3 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:  
May 9 27 9 36  
July 9 30 9 40  
Oct 9 29 9 38  
LIVERPOOL FUTURES:  
May and June 5 17 5 21

Chicago Markets:

May Wheat 92 1-8 91 1-8  
May Corn 67 7-8 67 3-4  
May Ribs 7 22 7 17  
July Ribs 7 45 7 40  
May Lard 8 37 8 35  
July Lard 8 60 8 57  
Greenville (to the Market, reported by J. R. & J. G. Moye  
Midling 10

Notice To Creditors.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Jesse L. Smith, deceased, having this day been issued to me by the clerk of Superior court of Pitt county, and having duly qualified as such administrator, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 10th day of April 1909, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me.  
This the 10th day of April, 1908.  
Ivy Smith,  
Adm of Jesse L. Smith, dec'd.

POISONING AS A FINE ART.

Scale of Prices Submitted to the Venetian Council of Ten.

Venetian poisoners first came into notoriety in the fifteenth century. At that period the mania for poisoning had risen to such a height that the governments of the states were formally recognizing secret assassination by poison and considering the removal of emperors, princes and powerful nobles by this method.  
The notorious council of ten met to consider such plans, and an account and record of their proceedings still exists, giving the number of those who voted for and who voted against the proposed removal, the reasons for the assassination and the sum to be paid for its execution.  
Thus these conspirators quietly arranged to take the lives of many prominent individuals, and when the deed was executed it was registered on the margin of their official record by the significant word "factum."  
On Dec. 15, 1543, John of Raguba offered the council a selection of poisons and declared himself ready to remove any person whom they deemed objectionable out of the way. He calmly stated his terms, which for the first successful case were to be a pension of 1,500 ducats a year, to be increased on the execution of further services.  
The presidents Guolando Duoda and Pietro Guarni placed this matter before the council on Jan. 4, 1544, and on a division it was resolved to accept this patriotic offer and to experiment first on the Emperor Maximilian, John, who had evidently reduced poisoning to a fine art, submitted afterward a regular graduated tariff to the council. The highest fee was for poisoning the sultan, 500 ducats; for the king of Spain, 150 ducats, including the expenses of the journey; for the Duke of Milan, 60 ducats; for the Marquis of Mantua, 50 ducats; for the pope, 180 ducats.—Health.

New Light on the Zones.

A class of boys averaging about twelve years of age had been examined in geography, which had been preceded the day before by grammar. Among the questions in the geography paper was the following:  
"Name the zones."  
One promising youth of eleven years wrote this answer:  
"There are two zones, masculine and feminine. The masculine is either temperate or intemperate; the feminine is either torrid or frigid."—New York Sun.

Then He Subsided.

"I never saw such a woman in all my life," said Bass. "You are never satisfied with anything."  
"People who know the man I took for a husband," replied Mrs. B., "think on the contrary, that I am easily satisfied."—Liverpool Mercury.

Trouble Ahead.

Book Agent—Madam, I was requested to call on you to show you this great work, "How to Cook Properly." Madam—Who sent you here? Book Agent—Your husband.—New York Press.

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. Whitchard, Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse, G. S. Frichard, 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	789.23	ments paid	\$23,495.75
Cash in bank	1,700.70	Borrowed money	9,875.00
Furniture and fixtures	150.00	Surplus	1,267.78
Total	\$34,188.53	Total	\$34,188.53

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	186,556.45	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	163,317.75
Fur. and Fix't.	3,872.32	Deposits sub to check 152,347.48	
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  
J. A. ANDREWS,  
J. G. MOYE,  
W.-B. WILSON,  
Directors

To Whom It May Concern.

THE maintenance of any business is dependent upon the masses and not the minority. Therefore, Merchant, in order for you to be abreast with those who do the buying you must constantly keep before them the articles you have for sale and the bargains you wish to offer them. The Correct way for you to do this is to begin advertising your business at once. In this way your business is almost hourly before some one who is thinking of purchasing some of the products you have to offer for their consideration. Let us do your advertising then you receive the benefits.

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