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## PITT SUPERIOR COURT.

### August Term for the Trial of Criminal Cases Now in Session.

The August term of Pitt Superior court opened at 10 o'clock this morning with Judge O. H. Guion, of New Bern presiding and Solicitor C. L. Abernethy representing the State.

The following were drawn as the grand jury for the term: L. R. Whichard, foreman, J. F. Evans, D. W. Hardee, W. A. Teel, W. T. Gray, James Fornes, H. D. Fornes, L. A. Arnold, J. B. Pierce, G. W. Stokes, W. H. Gray, W. H. Arnold, D. A. James, Harvey Dail, A. M. Allen, M. D. Smith, Frank Moye (col), William House.

Judge Guion's charge to the grand jury was delivered in a conversational way and occupied about an hour. He said he might be able to write a better charge for publication or to be read than he would perhaps deliver in this way, but his purpose was to have only a plain talk with the jurors, whose faces indicated they were men of intelligence, and get them to help him carry out the duties of the court, rather than to appeal to the gallery, the bar or the press. He had no ambition that his should be praised as a fine charge, but only wanted to perform his duty plainly and practically. Notwithstanding these remarks by the judge, and the charge being delivered just as he said. The Reflector does not hesitate to speak of it as an excellent one, for it contained many good utterances that were listened to with interest and had beneficial effect on the large assembly in the court room.

Two laws that Judge Guion referred to especially were the one against carrying concealed weapons and prohibition, because, he said, people were inclined to regard these as encroaching upon their rights. It is not for men or juries to say whether a law is good or bad, but the laws as passed by our representatives should be enforced. Where men ignore the laws, that is classed as a lawless community. The grand jurors are officers of the law, and fail to discharge their duty unless they help to carry out the laws as they are. No man can say he has the right to violate the law because the legislature should not have passed such law. Nor should grand jurors wink at a violation nor ignore a bill because they may think a law is not a good one.

It is a mark of cowardliness to carry concealed weapons. Men are endowed with natural force, and when they go beyond this and slip weapons in their pockets they do so with a full knowledge that they are violating the law. Those who are not willing to live in a State under the laws that exist, should go elsewhere.

As to prohibition, Judge Guion said it made no difference what individual opinion might be, the people of the State said they wanted it passed, it was passed, and is a law, and our duty is to enforce it regardless of what we may think. The man who violates the prohibition law is the meanest kind of a criminal, as he does it for the purpose of getting gain from the sale of liquor. If a negro steals a pair of shoes it may be because he has none and needs them, but he is sent to the roads. There is no necessity for a man selling liquor, and he does so wilfully and for gain.

Another good thing Judge Guion referred to was in connection with a case he noticed on

## MISS LUCILLE COBB ENTERTAINS.

Reported for Reflector:

Miss Lucille Elizabeth Cobb, in her usual attractive manner, entertained at progressive euchre in honor of the visiting young ladies, at the magnificent home of her parents on Fifth street Friday evening from 9 to 12. The guests arriving at 9:30 were received by Miss Lucille Cobb, from thence they were ushered into the rear of the broad hall where Miss Mary Lee Smith and Mr. Cecil Cobb served punch. For half an hour or more the porch and hall were crowded with guests going to and fro busily greeting their friends. In a short while a bell was rung announcing time to play, and the game was on. The twenty or more couples presented a rare scene of joviality seated around the tables each struggling to get a punch at top of bell. At 11:30 twelve progressions having been made, it was found that Mr. Hampton had more punches than any other young man and he was presented with a lovely neck tie. Misses Schultz and Baker tied for the lady's prize, but the latter was lucky in cutting and received a beautiful set of pins.

After delightful refreshments had been served, a large number of guests gathered in the parlor, where they were highly entertained with instrumental selections by Misses Cobb, Small and King. Some of the young men added to the pleasure of the evening by singing several of the popular old songs of the Sunny South. Some of the guests, taking advantage of the sleepy mood were seated about in the dark corners of the lawn; others took part in dancing, while a few were seen still clinging to the card tables.

But time in his mighty fleetness seemed to be taking vengeance on the happy party and scored the ladder of hours in rapid progression. Already the moon, growing weary had retired to peaceful slumber; the heavens had clothed verdant earth in a sparkling raiment when the guests at last concluding that it was time to leave expressed to Miss Cobb their great pleasure of the evening.

The spacious hall brilliantly illuminated by beautiful electrical effects and delicately decorated in a variety of pot plants was a nursery in beauty. In the parlor the color scheme which was red was beautifully added to by many vases of cut flowers.

Among those who feasted on the hospitality of Miss Cobb were Misses Maybelle and Katherine Small, of Washington; Clara Hampton, of Plymouth; Margaret Dixon, of Rocky Mount; Elizabeth Baker, of Tarboro; Lucille Johns, of Raleigh and Roy Hampton, of Plymouth.

the docket for failure to work roads. He said he did not know what the road law of Pitt county was, but he thought it a sorry spectacle to see men out working the roads for two or three days in the year when laborers could be hired to do this work for them. No county will ever be abreast of the times whose citizens are not willing to pay a little tax to work and make good roads.

Judge Guion also expressed his pleasure at a facing Pitt county jury, though for the first time, as it was a county in his home district, and it filled him with pride that the juries of his eastern counties were equal in intelligence to any he had seen in any section.

## STATE NEWS.

### Happenings of Interest in North Carolina.

Saturday night while being shaved in a barber shop, Dr. I. G. Riddick, of Raleigh, struck at a fly that was crawling on his ear. His hand came in contact with the razor and nearly cut off two fingers.

Capt. John F. Divine, aged 80 years, who for more than half a century had been an officer of the Atlantic Coast Line, died in Wilmington Saturday.

Saturday morning at Raleigh young Herbert Wyatt had a party out in his father's automobile. One of the front wheel tires exploded causing the car to sway and turn a somersault down an embankment 14 feet high. Miss Musa Ellison, one of the party was caught under the car and badly injured, four ribs and her collar bone being broken. The young lady has only a bare chance of recovering.

### SAIL AND PICNIC.

#### Given by Wm. Patrick in Honor of the Visiting Young Ladies.

On Friday William Patrick gave a most delightful sail complimentary to the visiting young ladies. The crowd of merry makers left the wharf about ten thirty and had a delightful sail to Yankee Hall. After enjoying rows, conversation and kodaking, a sumptuous lunch was served by the young ladies and gentlemen. They left Yankee Hall and reached Greenville about five thirty.

Those present were: Misses Lizzie Baker, of Tarboro; Edwina Lovelace, Sudie Hackney and Martha Stevens, of Wilson; Florence Blow, Rubelle Forbes and Pattie Wooten and Tom Hutchings, Percy Forbes, William Patrick and John Hutchings. Mrs. J. L. Wooten, chaperone.

### EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Wilson	45	35	.563
Wilmington	46	38	.548
Goldsboro	42	39	.519
Fayetteville	41	39	.513
Raleigh	42	42	.500
Rocky Mount	29	52	.358

#### SATURDAY'S GAMES.

At Raleigh—First Game, Raleigh 5, Wilson 2; second game Wilson 5, Raleigh 0.

At Goldsboro—Goldsboro 4, Fayetteville 1.

At Wilmington—Wilmington 4, Rocky Mount 3.

#### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Rocky Mount at Raleigh. Wilmington at Goldsboro. Fayetteville at Wilson.

#### Horse Does a Stunt.

This morning the driver took the dray horse of the Greenville Mercantile Co. out in South Greenville to deliver goods. While the driver was making a delivery the horse became frightened and ran off. Turning in Evans street the horse started down town. Some one tried to stop the horse in front of Mr. E. G. Flanagan's residence when the horse shied around and jumped over the iron fence, falling inside the yard. The wagon was broken but the horse was not hurt at all, and as soon as liberated went to eating grass in the yard.

Good milk cow for sale, 2 to 3 gallons. Phone 269 B. 8 23

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## A PREACHER WHO DOES THINGS.

### Overcomes Difficulties And Secures a Church Building.

The Baptist congregation here greatly enjoyed a visit Sunday from Rev. Jesse McCarter, of Farmville, who preached interesting sermons both morning and night. Mr. McCarter is not only a good preacher, but he is a man who is an earnest worker and does things. In the face of obstacles that would have discouraged a man of average determination, he set to work to build a Baptist church in Farmville, there being no house of worship of that denomination there. He secured a lot and now has a building going up that will be an ornament and credit to the town. It is expected to have the building completed before the latter part of October, and it will be dedicated on the fifth Sunday in that month during the union meeting which will be held there. In the meantime Mr. McCarter holds preaching services in his home, being unable to secure any other temporary place for this purpose.

### Leg Broken on Train.

Mr. James McGowan, a young man whose home is a few miles from Greenville, met with a serious accident Saturday evening while returning on the Norfolk & Southern excursion train. Soon after leaving Norfolk, Mr. McGowan started from his seat to the water cooler. Stepping on a banana peel that had been thrown in the aisle of the car he slipped and fell across the end of a seat, badly breaking one leg between the knee and thigh. Mr. McGowan suffered intensely from his injury and all aid possible was rendered him on the train. At Elizabeth City he was taken off the train to a hospital for treatment.

### Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds W. M. Moore has issued the following licenses since last report:

No whites.

#### COLORED.

Theophilus Mosely and Enda Vann.

Allen Kirkman and Anna Daniel.

In the list published last week the name Claude Adams appeared when it should have been Claude Haddock and Dillie Elks.

### Bit His Finger.

A Goldsboro player last evening while playing with a little negro who he caught in fun, had the little finger of his hand severely bitten. The little darkey was evidently frightened, happening to get the player's finger in his mouth, bit down on it, almost severing the member. —Wilson Times.

### Big Sale Begins Wednesday.

C. T. Munford will open another big bargain sale Wednesday morning to continue some days. The knife is being put to prices and everything marked way down. In times of tight money especially it is well to take advantage of such opportunity for bargains.

### Special Rates to Norfolk.

On account of Labor Day celebration the Norfolk & Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets to Norfolk at special low rates, the fare from Farmville, Greenville or Grimesland being only \$3. Tickets will be on sale Saturday, Sept. 4th, good for return until Tuesday, 7th.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

### The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

Richard White went to Norfolk today.

D. M. Jones went to Tunis today.

P. T. Anthony went to Hassell today.

E. H. Evans went to Tarboro this morning.

Dr. L. C. Skinner went to Henderson today.

L. W. Cherry returned Sunday evening from Norfolk.

Alex Lassiter, of Aulander, is here attending court.

S. T. White returned Saturday evening from New York.

Mrs. Bettie Taft came in this morning to visit relative here.

C. S. Forbes has gone to Baltimore and New York to buy fall goods.

Miss Lillie Stewart, of Washington, is visiting Mrs. A. J. Griffin.

Mrs. D. H. Mangum, of Henderson, is visiting Mrs. C. W. Wilson.

Miss Maud Evans, of Goldsboro, is visiting her brother, W. F. Evans.

Alvin Dupree has taken a position in the insurance office of H. A. White.

Misses Eliza and Mary Moore, of Greensboro, are visiting Miss Ward Moore.

Frank Wilson left this morning for northern markets to purchase fall goods.

Paul Jones, of Bethel, came over Saturday evening and returned home this morning.

Miss Annie Lewis returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit to Grifton and other points.

Miss Nina Harris returned home Saturday evening from a visit to Charlotte and Sanford.

A. D. Gardner, of Oxford, who has been visiting his father, D. D. Gardner, left this morning.

Prof. H. B. Smith has returned from Greensboro, where he has been spending his summer vacation.

C. Scott Harris of Raleigh, came down Saturday evening to visit friends and left this morning.

Miss Clara Lincoln, of Greensboro, who has been visiting Misses Nannie and Mary Johnson, left this morning.

Miss Edwina Lovelace, of Wilson, who has been visiting Miss Pattie Wooten, returned home Saturday morning.

Misses Josephine Whitney, of Washington, and Agnes Barrett, of Farmville, are visiting Miss Mary J. Smith, on Washington street.

Miss Bettie Lancaster and brother, Tom, of Raleigh, who have been visiting the family of J. S. Congleton, returned home this morning.

H. Bentley Harris and C. L. Wilkinson went to Raleigh today to attend a meeting of the district managers of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

### Notice.

The board of governors of the Carolina club request all residents of the town who are not members of the club to read notice at the door, which reads: "For members Only."

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## MOVEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

### Time of Arrival and Departure at Greenville.

#### ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Northbound	Southbound
8:33 A. M.	1:12 P. M.
4:43 P. M.	6:00 P. M.

#### NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN

Eastbound	Westbound
9:35 A. M.	8:10A. M.
7:45 P. M.	6:20 P. M.

### Aug. 23 In American History.

1723—Increase Mather, Puritan educator and preacher, etc., died in Boston; born 1639.

1785—Oliver Hazard Perry, American naval hero, was born in South Kingston, R. I.; died on the same date in 1819.

1780—Silas Deane, diplomat and agent in France of the Revolutionary colonies in 1776-7, died; born 1737.

1863—Effective bombardment of Fort Sumter, S. C., by the Federal batteries under General Q. A. Gillmore; 419 shots struck the fort.

1890—The United States cruiser Baltimore, bearing the remains of John Ericsson, builder of the famous Monitor, sailed for Sweden at the close of funeral ceremonies in New York harbor.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:43, rises 5:15; moon sets 10:38 p. m.; 10:47 p. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter in constellation Libra.

### Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

### NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

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Baseball news will soon come down, but football will quickly take its place.

Automobile accidents are numerous with a corresponding number of victims.

Physicians are saying that pellagra is not caused by eating corn bread. Some comfort in that.

Poor Wellman, he has met with another failure in his efforts to find the North pole. This time he was trying to make it in a balloon when the thing exploded, and no further effort can be made this year. Maybe he and Thaw can both have another trial next year.

A justice's court in Chatham county, Ga., was broken up by a colony of bees. The bees had swarmed in the ceiling, and being dislodged dropped down in the crowd, attacking and stinging nearly every one present. The magistrate took refuge through a window. Possibly some of the crowd got their deserts for once.

### A Good Opportunity.

The Raleigh Evening Times has a scheme on foot that if carried out will redound to the good of the coming generation of ambitious writers in the State. The paper is going to offer a gold medal each year to stimulate the newspaper work among the college boys of the State. The Times says: "Some of the best newspaper men of the country have come from this State, and there are some of the best on our own State papers. We believe that among the college boys in the State schools that there are some mighty good material to develop into newspaper men." One of the requirements is, that the student must attend some school in the State. The medal is to be presented to the college boy who writes the best article that is accepted and printed by a daily newspaper in the State of North Carolina during the year. The article written must be on some live topic or a plain news item such as will be accepted by a daily paper. At the close of the school year the Times will select three judges who will take all the copy submitted by the writers and after careful consideration of same will render their decision. The medal is to be known as "The Evening Times Medal for Practical Journalism."

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 No 41—3:50 pm for Hamlet, Wilmington, Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and all points West.  
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### SUN PRANKS.

Irregularities For Which Science Cannot Altogether Account.

The sun is generally looked upon as a model of regularity which never fails in its duty, but the ancient historians mention several instances when it failed to give forth its usual amount of heat and light for periods varying from three hours to several months. Data on the subject have been compiled by the St. Louis Republic.

According to Plutarch, the year 44 B. C. was one in which the sun was "weak and pale" for a period approximating eleven months.

The Portuguese historians record several months of diminished sunlight in the year 934 A. D., and, according to Humboldt, this uncanny period ended with "strange and startling sky phenomena, such as loud atmospheric explosions, rifts in the vaulted canopy of blue above and in divers other rare and unaccountable freaks."

In the year 1001, on Sept. 29 (see Humboldt's "Cosmos"), the sun turned suddenly black and remained so for three hours and did not regain its normal condition for several days.

According to the noted Helmholtz "Solar Energy," the days of seeming inactivity on the part of the sun (the days following the sudden blackening of the great orb) were noted for a peculiar greenish tinge and are marked in old Spanish, French and Italian records as "the days of the green sun."

February, 1106 A. D., is noted in the annals of marvelous phenomena as a month in which there were several days that "the sun appeared dead and black, like a great circular cinder floating in the sky."

"On the last day of February, 1206," says an old Spanish writer on astronomy, astrology and kindred subjects, "the sun appeared suddenly to go out, causing a darkness over the country for about six hours." In 1241 the European countries experienced another stage of supernatural darkness, which the superstitious writers of that time attributed to God's displeasure over the result of the great battle of Legniz.

Even today there are certain irregularities of the sun that science cannot altogether account for. These are the so called sun spots—enormous dark blotches which appear from time to time on the solar disk and which are supposed to have great influence on the atmospheric conditions of the earth. Scientists have long studied these phenomena, but neither their extent nor periodicity has ever been determined.

### MEXICAN HOTELS.

They Close Early, and Guests Out Late Must Tip the Porter.

"I'm glad to be back in the land of the litchkey," said a mining engineer who had been in Mexico for the past year. "In France, Spain, Italy and throughout Latin America there is a servant in every house and hotel whose business it is to open the door. In Mexico you would think, being so near this country, that the American litchkey would be common. But even in the finest hotels in the capital the big doors are closed at 11 o'clock, and to gain admittance after that hour you have to pound on them with the great knockers that hang outside. After five minutes you hear a sleepy grunt within, then some mutterings and the Spanish word which means 'I'm coming.' Finally the small door in the center of the big one will be unbarted, and you step inside. Then if you don't want to sleep in the park the next night you are kept out late you give the 'portero,' as the keeper of the gate is called, a piece of silver. Between 11 and midnight the fee is 10 cents. From 1 on until morning the gratuity, regulated by custom, steadily increases. Between 1 and 3 it is from 25 to 40 cents, and after 3 it is half a dollar.

"Many a night I have been awakened by the pounding of the knockers in the neighborhood of my hotel. I timed one man for ten minutes before I fell asleep. Probably he had neglected to fee the 'portero' or else the keeper of the gate was drunk, as he frequently is. These 'porteros' usually sleep curled up in blankets just inside the door on the stones with which every interior courtyard and entrance is paved, and all of them have colds. Yet it is a position much sought after, and the gatekeeper ranks highest among the servants."—New York Press.

### The Honeymoon.

The honeymoon has no definite duration, but is longer or shorter according as the temper of the high contracting parties determines, or their relatives, or the weather, or the mode of the comparative cost of traveling and

staying at home. Briefly, it is that interval during which the man, going out in the morning, remembers his kiss and forgets his overshoes as distinguished from the interval during which he remembers his overshoes and forgets his kiss.—New York Life.

### GAMBLER'S LUCK.

The Lackey Who Changed Places With His Former Master.

Some years ago a remarkable occurrence transpired at Nice, which is very near to Monte Carlo. A notorious habitue of the casino, who had made his money principally there, had set up an English vehicle, a pair of horses, "tiger" and all, and cut quite a swell driving in the neighborhood, says Illustrazione. One day he was riding in the environs of the town when his servant, sitting upon the raised box behind, who had been feeling somewhat uneasy at not receiving his wages for some time, seeing his master quite alone, ventured to ask him through the back window if he would not make it convenient to pay him. The master was in a good humor and asked:

"How much is it, La Fleur?" "One hundred and twenty-five livres, may it please you, monsieur."

"Very well; here it is," said the master, spreading the sum in paper currency upon the seat of the vehicle. "Now, La Fleur, have you a pack of cards with you?"

"Certainly," answered the obsequious lackey. "I always carry them, monsieur," producing the cards at once.

"That is well. Now, I will be banker, and you shall play against me. I will take the front seat, the back one shall serve for our table, and you can look through this back window."

The lackey assented to this, amused at his master's condescension. Luck was rather on the master's side, but both men became quite eager in the game, thinking of that, and that only. Little by little the footman's money went until all that was left of his wages was 5 livres. He began to feel anxious, when suddenly his luck turned, and he won the whole sum back, with every sou his master had about him.

Pluqued at his loss, the master wagered a horse, which the lackey won; then its mate, next the harness and lastly the carriage itself. Luck ran all one way, and the servant, La Fleur, won everything. The master took out his watch and put it down against a given sum. The cards were shuffled, and the lackey won.

"I have nothing more, La Fleur. You have cleaned me out," said the half desperate gambler.

The servant was in high spirits at his strange run of luck.

"Here are a hundred livres, monsieur. I will stake them against your position. If you win they are yours. If you lose we change seats."

"Agreed!"

The cards were shuffled, La Fleur won, and the vehicle returned to Nice with its former master occupying the servant's box behind and La Fleur sitting inside!

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### TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.

## Important Changes in Schedules

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, AUG. 1st, 1909.

Between Washington, Greenville, Farmville, Wilson and Raleigh, N. C.

No. 4 Sunday Only	No. 2 Daily Except Sunday	No. 14 Daily Except Sunday	Effective June 27, '09 EASTERN TIME	No. 1 Daily Except Sunday	No. 15 Daily Except Sunday	No. 3 Sunday Only
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	Lv. Washington Ar. Farmville	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
8.03	5.15	7.15	" Chocowinity " 10.40	10.40	8.41	
8.14	5.37	7.27	" Grimesland " 10.15	10.15	8.25	9.57
8.43	5.50	7.40	" Greenville " 9.35	10.01	8.11	9.46
9.11	6.20	8.10	" Farmville " 9.06	9.35	7.45	9.17
10.03	6.48	8.38	" Wilson " 8.12	9.06	7.16	8.49
11.59	7.42	9.32	" Raleigh " 6.15	8.12	6.22	7.57
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.	A. M.

Through Schedule Between Raleigh, Wilson, Farmville, Greenville, Washington and New Bern, N. C.

No. 3 Sunday Only	No. 1 Daily Except Sunday	Effective June 27, 190 EASTERN TIME	No. 2 Daily Except Sunday	No. 4 Sunday Only
A. M.	A. M.	Lv. Raleigh Ar. New Bern	P. M.	P. M.
6.00	6.15	" Wilson " 7.42	9.37	11.59
7.57	8.12	" Farmville " 6.48	7.42	10.03
8.49	9.06	" Greenville " 6.20	6.48	9.11
9.17	9.35	" Chocowinity " 5.37	6.20	8.43
9.37	10.15	" Washington " 5.25	5.37	8.11
9.45	1.45	" Chocowinity " 5.01	5.25	
9.57	10.59	" Washington " 4.47	5.01	8.20
10.32	11.30	" Chocowinity " 4.16	4.47	7.30
11.10	12.10	" Vanceboro " 3.40	4.16	6.50
A. M.	P. M.		P. M.	P. M.

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### SCHEDULES

Between Norfolk, Washington, Plymouth, Greenville, and Kinston, Effective April 1st, 1909.

8:25 a. m.	Lv.	Norfolk	Ar.	1:33 p. m.
11:52 a. m.	Ar.	Hobgood	Lv.	10:02 a. m.
11:55 a. m.	Lv.	"	Ar.	10:00 a. m.
1:45 p. m.	Ar.	Washington	Lv.	7:55 a. m.
1:16 p. m.	"	Williamston	"	8:28 a. m.
2:10 p. m.	"	Plymouth	"	6:35 a. m.
1:12 p. m.	"	Greenville	"	8:33 a. m.
2:25 p. m.	"	Kinston	"	8:28 a. m.

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Weldon	5 15	Sanford	2 80
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Henderson	4 15	So. Pines	2 35
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Louisburg	4 50	Wilmington	4 00
Franklinton	4 30	Maxton	2 25
Wake Forest	4 10	Lumberton	2 65
Norlina	4 35	Monroe	75
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COTTON:	Today	Yesterday
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Middling	12 1-4	12 1-4
Str Low Middling	12 1-8	12 1-8
Low Middling	11 1-2	11 1-2

PEANUTS:—Dull,		
Fancy	\$ 1-4	3 1-4
Strictly Prime	3	3
Prime	2 3-4	2 3-4
Low Grades	2	2

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NEW YORK FUTURES:		
Oct.	12 21	12 17
Dec.	12 23	12 17
Jan.	12 21	12 16

Chicago Markets:

Dec Wheat	94 3-8	95 5-8
Dec Corn	55 7-8	57 1-8
Octo Ribs	11 37	11 35
Jan Ribs	9 15	9 17
Oct. Lard	11 90	11 80
Jan	9 22	9 25

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