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## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

### Full Attendance of Delegates and Alternates Present.

The Republican county convention was held here Saturday, August 6th. R. C. Flanagan called the meeting to order and H. T. King was appointed temporary secretary. The temporary organization was made permanent.

Roll call showed full attendance of delegates and alternates from precincts in the county.

The following delegates and alternates were elected to the State convention:

Delegates—R. C. Flanagan, W. M. Bullock, D. W. Nobles, W. J. Manning, Harry Skinner, G. M. Prescott, Gray Moore, H. T. King, Jos. Fleming, and Benj. Craft.

Alternates—S. I. Fleming, F. C. Morton, S. C. Page, A. J. Moye, W. H. Harrington, C. E. Smith, D. T. Harris, W. C. Ranser, and Oscar Speight.

Pitt county did not instruct its delegates. Conventions to nominate county officers will be held at a later date.

## CURIOUS TO SEE CRIPPEN.

### Men, Women and Children Throng Streets of Quebec.

Quebec, Aug. 8.—Men, women and children thronged the streets today in hope of seeing Dr. P. H. Crippen, accused of murder of Belle Elmore. In spite of assertion that Crippen would not be taken to court, the public lined the streets about the parliament house and prison, and lined the streets through which he would have to be taken. The crush was controlled with difficulty. The case was first set for hearing today, but it was later said by authorities it would not take place. People evidently regarded this as subterfuge and were on hand.

## AVIATOR BURNED.

### Machine Afire in Mid Air, Severely Burning Navigator.

Blackpool, Eng., Aug. 8.—A. V. Roes, a novice aviator, is suffering from burns sustained last night, when, while making trial flights, his machine caught fire in mid air. Flames spread rapidly and Roes was under great danger from petroleum explosion, but he coolly guided his machine toward earth. When he was but a few feet from the ground the machine planes gave out and the machine fell with a thud. Roes escaped, however, with slight injuries.

## 300,000 STRANGERS IN CHICAGO

### Thirty-First Triennial Conclave—K. P. in Session There.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Two hundred thousand strangers are in Chicago today for the 31st triennial conclave of the Knights Templars. The conclave was officially opened last night at divine services. There will be a meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon, but no formal program for today is given out. Real business of the meeting begins tomorrow. It is expected that 300,000 delegates will be here by tomorrow.

## BRIBERY INVESTIGATION.

### Congressional Committee at Work—Will Require Several Weeks

McAllister, Oklahoma, Aug. 8.—Pursuing the trail of the alleged bribery revealed by investigation at Muskogee by Senator Gore the Congressional committee began its hearing here today. It is believed that several weeks will be required to complete the inquiry in heart of Chasaw and Choctaw country. The committee while here has opportunity to study the question at first hand.

## Died Suddenly.

Fayetteville, Aug. 6.—Colonel Wharton J. Greene distinguished ex-Congressman, soldier and author, died at 4 o'clock this morning at his home, four miles from this city, after a brief illness, which was not considered serious until shortly before his death. His taking off therefore came as a decided shock to his friends and family. Of his immediate family, only his wife was at his bedside.

## VIRGINIA BEACH—CAPE HENRY.

### Big Crowds and Good Time at These Summer Resorts.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 8.—These are genuine delightful days at both Virginia Beach and Cape Henry, the only seashore resorts in Virginia.

Every day sees vast crowds going down to the popular seashore resorts where the diversions are many and the enjoyment of the real kind. They are the greatest outing places for the masses and the thousands upon thousands who have been down to the ocean side this season will attest the fact that Virginia Beach and Cape Henry offer the finest amusements, the most delightful surroundings and a genuine good time for all. They are the resorts of quality for people of refinement and the term was never more aptly put.

The Norfolk Southern railroad is maintaining a schedule from the City Hall avenue, opposite the Monticello Hotel, Norfolk, V., that calls for thirty-six daily trains to and from Virginia Beach and Cape Henry, including express and regular trains.

The pavillion ball-room at Virginia Beach is crowded nightly by the elite of the city, and Maxim's band furnishes the music, also playing in the afternoon on the pavillion.

At Cape Henry there are numerous amusements, and this resort, too, has earned its measure of success this season.

## Why He Advertises.

A prominent business man of Michigan explains why he advertises and why he uses newspapers for that purpose as follows:

"I advertise in the newspapers because I am not ashamed of my goods or my work and to let people know about myself, my store and my stock; because I cater to the intelligent class, and they read the papers, and I believe in increasing my business; because I can talk to more people through the newspapers at a greater distance in less time and at a more reasonable price than in any other way; because my newspaper advertising has brought me greater returns for the least expenditure of any advertising I have done; because when I write an ad. I am not too stingy to pay for placing it in the best possible medium or to have it inserted so it is attractive; because I know my ad. is seen and read by every one in the house where the paper goes."

## ROMAN POLICE SUICIDES.

### To Have Been Witnesses Against Camerists.

Rome, Aug. 8.—Caesar Ballanti, chief of police of Rome, committed suicide today on the eve of being called to testify against forty camerists, who are accused of killing a couple named Concolo, four years ago. Ballanti was regarded as one of the strongest witnesses. Some of the police believe that Ballanti was killed.

## BASE BALL.

### Standing of the East Carolina League—The Results Yesterday

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Raleigh	8	4	.667
Wilson	8	4	.667
Fayetteville	6	6	.500
Rocky Mount	5	6	.455
Goldboro	4	7	.364
Wilmington	4	8	.333

The results of Saturday's games were as follows:

Wilmington 3; Goldsboro 2.  
Raleigh 9; Goldsboro 2.  
First game—Rocky Mount 0; Fayetteville 1. Second game—Rocky Mount 1; Fayetteville 0.

## That Disability Policy Again

Greenville, N. C., Aug. 8, 1910.  
Mr. H. A. White,  
Greenville, N. C.

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of Maryland Casualty Company's check to cover recent disability on account of injury to my knee received in the base ball game on July 4th.

Please accept thanks.  
Yours very truly,  
ROY C. FLANAGAN.

With the dishonest store-keeper where there's a will there is a short weigh.

## AYDEN CORRESPONDENCE.

### Newsy Items About the Town and Its People—Progressive Community.

Ayden, N. C., Aug. 8, 1910.  
Dr. C. R. Reddick has returned from Gates and is looking much refreshed from his summer vacation.

We had a very pleasant call Tuesday from Messrs. Jesse Moya, J. L. Wooten, and H. A. White, of Greenville.

Misses Jennie L. Davis and Lena Dawson, have returned from Knoxville, Tenn., where they have been attending a summer school.

Dr. C. L. Cannon, wife and daughter, of Spring Hope, are visiting at Mr. Jesses Cannons.

The district meeting of I. O. O. F., was in session here Thursday afternoon and night, and we listened to some fine speeches. The district was well represented, though we regretted the absence of the brothers who saw the lightning flash at Clifton Forge, and also him who would reach down and lift all men upon a high plain of right living, and many others who help to make these meetings pleasant, entertaining and logical.

The next convention goes to Aurora, fourth Thursday in November, which is Thanksgiving day. If the proceedings of this meeting were in a book it would be worth preserving. Scott Frizzle, master of arts, was elected president, and E. E. Griffin, the secretary of all secretaries, was re-elected to succeed himself, and Mr. Shelby, chaplain.

It was Mrs. Celia Garris who won the watch in the Seminary contest, instead of Cecil Harris.

The clock was opened at J. R. Smith Co.'s Thursday amid much enthusiasm and a tub of lemonade. Mrs. J. R. Tingle won the 42-piece set of china, her time was in three seconds of the clock. Mr. Heber Rodgers won the second prize, a handsome pitcher, Mr. J. H. Harris won the third prize, a hand-made bureau scarf. This clock opening creates such large crowds that Messrs. C. T. Munford and S. I. Dudley were both present for some cause.

Improvements is sure catching. Mr. Henry Stokes has made a cement walk in front of his store, and Mr. W. H. Harris has built him a new picket fence.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. J. B. Patrick and Miss Carrie Johnson, on August 10th, in the Methodist church.

Miss Merriam Hodges, of Kinston, is visiting at Mr. R. C. Cannon's.

Mr. Charlton Simmons, of Grangers, is visiting his brother, Mr. J. A. Forrest.

Miss Ruth Cashwell, of Dunn, is visiting Mrs. T. E. Pender, on West avenue.

Mr. W. C. Manning, register of deeds of Martin county, was here Thursday and made a fine response to the address of welcome. He is brother to Prof. A. J. Manning, who taught school here during the days of C. C. College and is yet remembered by his many friends in Ayden.

Hon. Harry Skinner was in town Friday attending court.

Mr. W. F. Hart tells us the heaviest rain of the season fell here Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Walter Barfield, a farmer, who has given his talent to agricultural study, tells us he has discovered the real cause of the tobacco disease known as French and frog eye, that it is what is commonly known as big root in gardens.

Mr. Lewis H. Allen, formerly of Greenville, has opened a cafe or lunch counter in the rear of J. H. Bynum's store on the alley.

Robert C. Coward has purchased an interest in the Ayden Furniture Co.

Miss Lucy Turnage is home again after several weeks' visit to friends at Albemarle. Miss Cora Litchfield accompanied her.

Miss Annie Luper left Sunday to visit friends in Tarboro.

Dr. James Parrot was here Thursday on professional business.

## 30 FAMILIES PANIC STRICKEN

### Two Men Terribly Scalded as Result of Tank Blowing Into Building.

New York, Aug. 8.—A 400 gallon tank of hot water in an eight inch wall blew in a six story building here today and two men were badly scalded, one fatally, and 30 families panic stricken.

Rich people die from heart trouble, but it is not enlargement of the heart.

## A LETTER FROM MR. HASKETT.

### He Writes Interestingly of the Farmers' Institutes.

Edenton, N. C., Aug. 8, 1910.  
Editor Reflector:

This is the sixth county that the Farmers' Institute people have been in and the attendance is something great.

Last January I was with the State party in fifteen counties, the attendance was small then, not being more than 200 at any one meeting, but now we find the court houses filled and some of them to an overflow. What does all this mean? Farmers are awakening to their own interest and realizing that they are getting great benefit from these meetings, and why shouldn't they? The doctors, the lawyers, the merchants, and the mill men seek every opportunity to keep up with the times by reading the latest books, procuring the latest machinery and spare no expense in preparing themselves for their vocations of life.

The Hon. John H. Small has charge of this party and every farmer should hear his remarks on soil improvements, better drainage, good roads and agricultural schools. He is sowing seed that will germinate, grow and mature and will leave impressions upon the minds of the people in this generation that will continue to grow on and on into the future.

And last, but not least, the Progressive Farmer is doing its part of this work and while these men can only come to the people once each year the Progressive Farmer comes 52 times.

We came from Columbia by the Scuppernon and Albemarle sound and reached here at 8.30 p. m. It makes a fellow feel a little peculiar to pass over water from 8 to .78 feet deep in a small launch and a little stormy, too.

D. D. HASKETT.

## ABOUT THE OPEN SUNDAY.

### Law of God Should be Sufficient for Sabbath Observance.

I wish to take off my hat to the members of the board of aldermen who had the moral courage to oppose the opening of the drug stores on Sunday for the purpose of selling cold drinks. Greenville does not need or want an open Sunday. We want the things that are for the uplift of our young men and not those that degrade.

And there, think of the effect it would have on visitors to our town! They would think at once that Greenville was an open town, and our reputation as a moral community would be destroyed. "Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work, the seventh is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God, in it thou shalt not do any work, thou or thy servants," (clerks). I would think that this plain law of God would be sufficient reason for any man not to open his place of business on the Lord's day.

## OPPOSITION.

### The County Records Unsafe.

Greenville, N. C., Aug. 8, 1910.  
Editor Reflector:

I was glad to see your editorial in The Daily Reflector, "Records not Safe at Present." It is undoubtedly a critical condition for the county records to be as at present, and our commissioners should proceed at once to protect them. Your suggestion as to a temporary vault is good, for should these records be destroyed, there is no telling the amount of litigation that would ensue and the effects would be felt forever. We believe our commissioners, now that their attention has been called to this matter, will take the necessary action to preserve them.

## TAX PAYER.

### Arnold-King.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beese Arnold request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Helen Gertrude

to

Mr. Clifton Clevert King

Thursday evening, August eleventh nineteen hundred and ten at six o'clock

Methodist Episcopal church Glyndon, Maryland

Reception from six-thirty until seven-thirty, at the home of the bride.

At home after September the fifteenth, Teller Alaska.

## PERSONAL BRIEFS.

### The People Who Come and go on Our Trains.

Miss Rosa Dail, of Snow Hill, is visiting Mrs. Josiah Dixon.

Mr. Julius T. Sugg left Sunday to take a position in the office of Superintendent of motive power at Rocky Mount.

Judge H. W. Whedbee left Sunday night for Plymouth.

Chief of Police J. T. Smith, went to Beaufort Saturday afternoon to join Mrs. Smith and daughter, Miss Mary, who have been spending some time there. They all returned Sunday night.

Messrs. H. L. Carr, T. A. Duke, S. T. Hooker and Bruce Hooker, who have been members of a camping party near Cape Lookout, came home Sunday night.

Ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis returned to Morehead Saturday evening.

Miss Roland Jenkins spent Sunday at House.

Mr. R. R. Cotten went to Morehead Saturday evening to spend a few days.

Mrs. E. B. Higgs and daughter, Miss Marguerite, have gone to Beaufort to spend some days.

Mr. E. G. Couch went to Beaufort Saturday evening to spend a few days with his wife and child, who are there for a month.

Mr. H. A. White went to Morehead Saturday evening and returned Sunday night.

Mr. O. L. Joyner returned Sunday night from Morehead where he has been spending a few days.

Mr. J. W. Hardee went to Beaufort Saturday evening and came back with his family Sunday night.

Miss Fannie Moore returned home Saturday from an extended visit to Petersburg.

Miss Alice Moore returned Saturday from a visit to Portsmouth and Virginia Beach.

Mr. W. H. Johnson went to Suffolk today.

Mr. Howard Moore, of Kinston, spent Sunday here with his people.

Mrs. L. Hooker and little son, of Richmond are here on a visit.

Miss Nellie Barnhill left Sunday for Petersburg for several days' visit.

Mr. D. C. Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday at Bethel.

Mr. J. B. Little spent Sunday at Whichards.

Mr. D. M. Clark spent Sunday in Weldon.

Mr. W. H. Johnson left this morning for Suffolk.

Mr. C. M. Jones went to Rocky Mount today.

## STRANGELY AFFECTED.

### Rev. J. W. Little Charged With Lightning Since Being Struck.

Two years ago Rev. J. W. Little, one of the best known Baptist ministers of this section of the State, was struck by lightning in Lee county. After being stricken he was unconscious for quite awhile and for several weeks hovered between life and death. After a long time, however, he recovered sufficiently to again enter actively upon the work of the ministry, though the electricity never seemed to entirely leave his system. He still suffers severely during electrical storms, the extent of the pain he feels being commensurate with the intensity of the electrical disturbance.

Tuesday night this section was visited by a very severe electrical, rain and wind storm. Mr. Little, when the storm came up, was assisting Rev. J. A. Summey in a meeting at Mt. Beulah church, three miles south of town. He had just finished his sermon and was preparing to close the service when he was completely overcome by the electricity in the atmosphere. He suffered excruciating pain and finally his heart seemed to fail him and he lapsed into unconsciousness, remaining in this condition several hours. Finally Mr. Little recovered his senses and ability to walk, and now is none the worse for the experience.—Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer.

As inconsistent and as uncomfortable as it may appear, autoists don't mind scorching in the summer time.

When a woman cans fruit it is a put-up-job.

## PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE.

### Time of Arrival and Departure of all Greenville Trains.

Atlantic Coast Line.  
Northbound Southbound  
8.32 a. m. 1.12 p. m.  
5.17 p. m. 6.32 p. m.

Norfolk & Southern.  
Eastbound Westbound  
9.20 a. m. 4.14 p. m.  
12.41 a. m. 3.58 a. m.

## The Weather:

Partly cloudy with local showers tonight or Tuesday; light to moderate variable winds.

## Aug. 8 In American History.

1810—Charles Anderson Dana, scholar and editor, born; died 1897.

1855—General Gouverneur K. Warren, a distinguished leader of the Army of the Potomac, died; born 1833.

1902—John H. Twachtman, noted landscape artist, died; born 1833.

1904—United States squadron sailed for Smyrna to enforce demands upon the sultan of Turkey.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 7:03. rises 5: moon sets 9:16 P. m.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

### Little Items too Short for a Head, but Interesting.

It looked almost like Greenville at Beaufort and Morehead City Sunday, so many of our people were down there.

Hope Fire company meets tonight. Fraternal Mystic Circle meets tonight.

## George W. Baker.

Little George W. Baker, the infant son of Mrs. George W. Baker, after a few days' illness died at Beaufort, N. C., August 1. He was brought home to Greenville and interred in Cherry Hill cemetery August 2. He was just one year and two months old, but in this short time had become the idol of his mother's heart. It was in him that all her hopes of the future were centered as his father had recently died and left him as the only living child of the family. O! what a ray of sunshine, hope and promise he was to the dear mother, who in the years passed has seen so many of her loved ones summoned to the other shore. With our finite minds we can't understand why this sunbeam should be taken from this household; but when we remember that our heavenly Father doeth all things well and in love, we must know it is right, though we may not see it.

Yes, removed from earth he left a vacant place in her home, but oh! to think of the years all through an endless eternity where he will be happy in heaven. This idol will be no more visible here, but with the eye of faith and trust his mother can look beyond time and the horizon of the natural eye and see him fondly enfolded in the arms of his Saviour, in the presence of his father, sisters, grandmother and other dear ones, who have preceded him to that better land and who wait the coming of the dear ones who are still lingering on the shores of time. "Sometime we'll understand." Until then let us all trust in our Father's wisdom and with faith in Him and unbounded love towards Him, say even amid our deepest sorrows, "Father, thy will be done." A FRIEND.

## The Motor Was Working Well

A Canadian lawyer tells this story: A bailiff went out to levy on the contents of a house. The inventory began in the attic and ended in the cellar. When the dining-room was reached the tally of furniture ran thus:

"One dining-room table, oak.  
"One set chairs (6), oak.  
"One sideboard, oak.

"Two bottles whiskey, full."  
Then the word "full" was stricken out and replaced by "empty," and the inventory went on in a hand that struggled and lured diagonally across the page until it closed with:

"One revolving door-mat."—Everybody's.

When you try to sit on some people they act like bent pins.

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## TEMPORARY HEADQUARTERS AT MOREHEAD.

A newspaper man sometimes stumbles on things unawares. It so happened with The Reflector man when he landed at the Atlantic Hotel in Morehead City Saturday evening. He found that he had dropped down on the for-the-time-being Republican headquarters, Congressman Morehead, of the fifth district, the man who is trying to wrest the State executive committee chairmanship from Adams, and his personal trainer, Marion Butler, having been there for some days making it a base of operations throughout Eastern North Carolina to get in touch with Republican county conventions and secure Morehead delegates to the State convention as far as possible. Their success in this undertaking is portrayed in the air of satisfaction that surrounds the temporary headquarters. Invading the very home county of E. C. Duncan, the main backer of Adams, and taking from right under his nose much strength for Morehead, has given the latter side of the contest much satisfaction.

But that is hardly more than might have been expected where Marion Butler takes a hand. Though being out of the State for many years (and it would be good if he could be lost to North Carolina forever) he has lost none of his art in wire-pulling and trickery, and is using both of these much to Morehead's advantage. Just what Butler's reward is to be if he lands Morehead is not fully known, but it can be said that he has some scheme up his sleeve, and it means no good to North Carolina.

Speaking of Marion Butler, he still struts around with that old time pompous air. His face has lost none of its mean characteristics, and he is as ready to attack his native State as he was when through connivance with the late Governor Russell he tried to involve a scheme to bankrupt North Carolina by making her pay those millions of fraudulent bonds. If he gets the chance there is no telling what he would do now, and North Carolina could well beware of letting him get power.

The chairman of the Democratic executive committee of the State has appointed a sub-committee consisting of ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis, chairman; ex-Gov. C. B. Aycock, ex-Lieut. Gov. R. A. Daughton, ex-Supreme Court judge, A. C. Avery and ex-Congressman J. F. Kluttz, to whom is referred the controversy between Messrs. Clark and Godwin for the congressional nomination in the sixth district. What this sub-committee does not know about Democratic principles and precedents is not worth knowing, and their decision in the controversy mentioned should be final.

Today, August 8th, is the editor's natal day, with him, of course, the biggest day on the calendar. And about the time this is being printed he is off celebrating the day with a rest spell and taking a plunge in the mighty Atlantic.

The best news of the campaign so far is the way the Democrats of Tennessee have set down on Governor Patterson.

### Pitt Hears Sound Doctrine.

We have heretofore called attention to the good roads propaganda which is being carried on in Pitt county this summer. Some months ago the Greenville chamber of commerce made plans for a mass-meeting to be held in Greenville at which the movement should be discussed, not in the abstract but with practical reference to the needs and possibilities of Pitt county. Behind the project lined up practically the entire population of the county, The Greenville Reflector doing yeoman's service, and the meeting on Monday which was the result shows what may be expected to follow such well-directed efforts. More than six hundred people gathered in the auditorium of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School and the seed sown fell into the best and most fruitful soil.

The gathering listened with eager interest to four addresses, which covered in outline the entire subject of good roads. Representative John H. Small, whose district includes Pitt county, emphasized the necessity for united action if good roads are to be obtained. Mr. Lester E. Boykin, road engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture pointed out the immense economic value of road improvement and showed why the sand-clay road is the type best adapted to that section. Dr. J. H. Pratt, president of the North Carolina Good Roads Association, discussed from a practical standpoint the various ways available for making serviceable roads, emphasizing the advantages presented by the issue of bonds. Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes presented education, agriculture and good roads as the three great issues before the people today, and showed how any advance in the two first named must depend upon a corresponding advance in the last.

These four addresses as a whole gave a bird's-eye view of the entire situation. The reasons why good roads are necessary and the best methods to obtain them were discussed in a very comprehensive and yet readily comprehensible way, and the logical result of such a meeting can be nothing else than a great advance in road making, the benefits of which will by no means be confined to Pitt. The county has given unmistakable evidence of its sensibility to progressive influences. Land values have doubled in the last ten years and within the last fifteen the county's school property has actually increased more than 600 per cent. When these figures are considered in the light of the natural advantages of soil and climate shared in common with the whole of eastern North Carolina, it would take the most doubting of doubting Thomases not to see that Pitt county is going to push the leaders in the honorable roll of North Carolina counties which have harkened to the good roads call.—Charlotte Observer.

The Winston-Salem Sentinel endorses The Chronicle's contention for better pay for Superior Court judges and the abolishment of the rotation system. "It seems to us," says The Sentinel, "that it would be better to have each judge hold all the courts in his own district, where he knows the conditions and the people, rather than to force him to go from one end of the State to the other, being away from his family most of the time and being handicapped much of the time by a lack of knowledge of local conditions in the country where he is holding court." These are, indeed, the main objections to the plan of rotation and we believe they will be sustained by every judge in the State. The judicial situation in North Carolina is an admittedly unsatisfactory one and it will doubtless receive the attention of the next legislature.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The editor of this paper attended a Good Roads meeting in Pitt county a few days ago. The meeting was held in the auditorium of the East Carolina Training School. There were more than 800 people present and even standing room was taken up. Everyone wore a button "Good Roads for Pitt county." Speeches were made by Congressman Small, Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, Government experts, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, and other prominent men. Representative men were present from all over the county and Pitt county is determined to have good roads. Good roads and good streets leads to greater things and we hope this county will soon take some action towards improving its thoroughfares.—New Bern Sun.

The fellow who is always on the fence is apt to have the top rail break at any old time, when he will get a bad fall.

## NEW POST CARDS

Local Scenes, Training School, Etc.

TALCUM POWDER--A Variety of Brands

TOILET SOAPS--A Big Stock and Big Assortment at

**COWARD & WOOTEN'S DRUG STORE**

### Summer Brides... We've a message for you!

**It Concerns the Furnishing of Your Home:**  
 It's the first little home you've furnished and it's going to be a great pleasure.  
 You've ideas how you want it, and where best to carry out your home ideas is your puzzling question, isn't it?  
 The question needn't be puzzling, the carrying out of your ideas needn't bother you one single bit, if you'll but come to the

## Taft & VanDyke Store

We're here to carry out your home ideas—we're here to serve you well and faithfully—you can come here with absolute confidence in us, our goods and our prices.

### THE KING'S WATCH.

A Napoleonic Gift That Embarrassed Jerome Bonaparte.

Previous to his elevation to the sovereignty Jerome Bonaparte had formed a friendship with some young authors at that time in vogue for their wit and reckless gaiety. On the evening after his nomination to the crown of Westphalia he met two of his jovial companions just as he was leaving the theater. "My dear fellows," said he, "I am delighted to see you. I suppose you know that I have been created king of Westphalia?" "Yes, sire, and permit us to be among the first"—"Eh, what? You are ceremonious, methinks. That might pass were I surrounded by my court, but at present away with form and let us be off to supper."

Upon this Jerome took his friends to one of the best restaurants in the Palais Royal. The three chatted and laughed and said and did a thousand of those foolish things which when unpremeditated are so delightful. It may be supposed that the conversation was not kept up without drinking. When the wine they had drunk began to take effect, "My good friends," said Jerome, "why should we quit each other? If you approve of my proposal you shall accompany me. You, C., shall be my secretary. As for you, P., who are fond of books, I appoint you my librarian." The arrangement was accepted and ratified over a fresh bottle of champagne.

At length the party began to think of leaving and accordingly called for the bill. Jerome produced his purse, but the king of Westphalia could only find 2 louis, which formed but a small portion of 200 francs, the amount of the bill. The new dignitaries by clubbing their wealth could only muster about 3 francs.

What was to be done? At 1 o'clock in the morning where could resources be found? They determined to send for the master of the house and acquaint him how matters stood. He seemed to take the frolic in good part and merely requested to know their names. Having told him, the restaurateur set his customers down as sharpers and threatened to send for the commissary of police. This alarmed Jerome, who, seeing that the restaurateur doubted them, handed over his watch in payment. This watch had been a present from Napoleon, and on the back was the emperor's cipher in brilliants.

On examining the watch the restaurateur concluded that it had been stolen and took it to the commissary of police. The latter, recognizing the imperial cipher, ran with it to the prefect. The prefect flew to the minister of the interior, and he in turn went to the emperor at St. Cloud. Next morning the Minister contained an ordinance in which Jerome was ordered to Westphalia at once and prohibited from conferring any appointments till his arrival at his capital.—T. P.'s London Weekly.

Often the Case.  
 "You can pretty safely bet," began the man who thought he knew. "that any woman who doesn't gush over a pretty baby is a confirmed old maid."  
 "Not always," replied the real wiseacre. "She may be a mother who has a baby she thinks is prettier."—Catholic Standard and Times.

## Announcements

### FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. J. MARSHAL COX. 66 trdw

### FOR SHERIFF.

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### FOR SURVEYOR.

I beg to submit myself to the discretion of the Democratic voters of Pitt county at the coming primaries for County Surveyor.  
 W. C. DREBACH.

### FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the Democratic primary. JOSEPH McLAWHORN. 71

### FOR TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county treasurer of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. W. B. WILSON

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.  
 J. T. d w. C. T. MUNFORD.

### FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Constable of Greenville township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of the township.  
 727 ALBERT M. ALLEN.

### FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Constable of Greenville township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. G. A. JACKSON

### FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Constable of Contentnea township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. AMOS F. LANG 83

### FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for constable of Greenville township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.  
 JESSE L. WHICHARD.

### FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for constable of Chicod township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of said township.  
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11:55 a. m.	Lv. "	Ar. 9:50 a. m.
1:40 p. m.	Ar. Washington	Lv. 7:55 a. m.
1:10 p. m.	" Williamston	" 8:28 a. m.
2:10 p. m.	" Plymouth	" 7:35 a. m.
1:12 p. m.	" Greenville	" 8:32 a. m.
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A little comedy between acts enlivened things at a Broadway theater one night last week. A middle aged man accompanied by his wife sat directly behind a pretty young girl and her escort. At the end of the first act the middle aged man went out for "fresh air." He came back bringing the smell of the fresh air and gayer spirits with him. His wife gave him a startled glance, and like a flash her hand went up to his vest. There dangling from the top button was a bunch of brown, curly puffs. There was a dynamical second as the wife held the puffs in her white gloved hand and looked at them. Now she was not a jealous wife—just a common sense little woman, ready to meet an emergency. She looked at the heads about her. The pretty girl's back hair looked as if a piece had fallen out. The wife leaned over to the side away from the girl's escort and whispered. The girl slipped a hand down and back, and the wife stealthily laid the bunch of puffs which her husband had carried away on his vest button in the owner's hand. The latter kept them concealed, gently and artfully reached up, plucked them into place, and escort, watching the rising curtain, was none the wiser. —New York Times.

## HIS STUPID MISTAKE.

Much to His Surprise It Was Promptly Rectified.

A well known Londoner was planning an entertainment on an elaborate scale to be given to various friends in the neighborhood of his country seat. Unfortunately his nearest neighbor, a close relative, is highly ungenial to himself and his intimates, and he racked his brains to devise a scheme by which he might avoid the necessity of inviting the undesirable cousin to be among his guests.

"I have it!" he announced to his wife at breakfast on the morning of the event. "I'll send him some tickets for the play tonight in town. Of course he'll be delighted, as he seldom has an opportunity of going to the theater."

The tickets were accordingly sent, and the host with an easy conscience proceeded to enjoy the company of his friends. But his satisfaction was of short duration. At the height of the festivities, much to his surprise, he walked the objectionable neighbor.

"Such a stupid mistake you made!" he announced as he approached his cousin. "As soon as I heard about your party I knew that you must have sent me the tickets for the wrong night, so I got them changed for tomorrow evening and came right over here as soon as I could."—London Tatler.

## What Napoleon Couldn't Do.

An incident connected with Napoleon when he was in exile in Elba is commemorated on the island to this day by an inscription affixed to the wall of a peasant's house. A man named Giacomi was plowing when the famous exile came along one day and expressed an interest in his work. Napoleon even took the plow handles and attempted to guide it himself, but the oxen refused to obey him, overturned the plow and spoiled the furrow. The inscription runs thus: "Napoleon the Great, passing by this place in MDCCCIV, took in the neighboring field a plow from the hands of a peasant and himself tried to plow, but the oxen, rebellious to those hands which yet had guided Europe, headlong fled from the furrow."—St. Louis Republic.

## The Guarantee.

Gobsa Golde, the American millionaire, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Lotta, picked out a Rembrandt at a foreign dealer's and then, before planking down the cash, said very sternly:

"Now, see here, sir, do you guarantee this Rembrandt?"

"Yes, Mr. Golde," the dealer replied. "A seven years' guarantee goes with the canvas."

"Oh, very well," said Gobsa, mollified, and he took out his check book and fountain pen.—Washington Star.

## A Bigger Bid.

A Lincolnshire parish once possessed a clergyman who was not much appreciated. One day he remarked to his church warden: "You people don't seem to appreciate me. Do you know that on leaving my last sphere of work the people showed their appreciation so much that they gave me a real silver slaver?"

"That is nothing," was the church-warden's reply. "If that would only go away from this parish we'd give thee a gold un!"—London Chronicle.

## Her Jewels.

Mrs. Subbubs (to neighbor)—Willie and Bobbie aren't home from school yet, and here it is 5 o'clock. Did you see anything of my precious jewels as you came along, Mr. Neddore? Neddore—Your precious jewels are in soak, madam. I just saw them swimming in the river.—Boston Transcript.

## Ticklish.

"How many ribs have you?" asked the tender.

"I don't know, ma'am," giggled Sallie. "I'm so awfully ticklish, I could never count 'em."—Lippincott's.

## No Temptation.

"James, can I trust you with the key to the wine cellar?"

"The New Butler (stiffly)—Certainly, sir! I have seen all the labels.—Life.

Set not thyself to attain much rest, but much patience.—Thomas a Kempis.

## QUEER NATURAL HISTORY.

Some Curious Eighteenth Century Descriptions of Animals.

Some curious specimens of folklore and natural history are contained in a rare book called "The Sportsman's Dictionary," which was published toward the end of the eighteenth century. The author was evidently a Philistine among Philistines in his attitude toward nature.

Of the master musician, the black-bird, he says:

"This bird is known by all persons and is better to be eaten than kept, being much sweeter to the palate when dead and well roasted than to the ear while living; sings about three months in the year, or four at most, though his song is worth nothing, but if he be taught to whistle he is of some value, being very loud, though coarse."

And here is a story of the squirrel with the ring in it of the seventeenth century. It reminds one of the hares of Isaac Walton, that changed their sexes once a year:

"If what is reported of them be true the admirable cunning of the squirrel appears in her (where we commonly use 'his' when the sex need not be specified our ancestors often used 'her') swimming or passing over a river, for when she is constrained by hunger so to do she seeks out some kind or small bark of a tree, which she sets upon the water and then goes into it, and holding up her tail like a sail, lets the wind drive her to the other side and carries meat in her mouth to prevent being famished by the length of the voyage."

Of the wild bear we have this: "And what place soever he bites, whether man or dog, the heat of his teeth causes inflammation in the wound. If therefore he does but touch the hair of a dog he burns off—nay, huntsmen have tried the heat of his teeth by laying hairs on them as soon as he was dead, and they have shriveled up as if touched with a hot iron."

## WIND AND NERVES.

Effects of Breezes from the East, West and Northwest.

The east winds hug the earth closely and gather moisture, dust and bacteria. They are cold and humid, altogether forming an enervating influence on human and animal life and rendering it susceptible to the disease germs which the winds carry and disseminate.

The cool, pure northwest winds come from a region of dry, highly electrified air where ozone exists in comparatively large quantities. They are invigorating. The framework of nerves in the human being is like a delicate electrical apparatus, the nerves being the wires and the brain and ganglia receiving and distributing centers.

Every one knows that a telephone works better on a clear, dry day than on a wet, muggy one. The moist atmosphere lessens vitality. The nerve wires grow flaccid and heavy. The messages become confused. Hence low spirits, melancholia, distorted mental outlook, faulty assimilation, and disease.

The opposite effects flow from the northwest winds. The west and northwest winds keep the mucous membranes of the body in good working order. The coating of moisture which is always present with the east wind disappears. Absence of any wind if long continued has a bad effect on the human body and mind.

A prolonged calm means lack of ventilation on a great scale. The winds serve to mix in normal proportions the gases which compose the atmosphere, and in this way they are conducive to health up to a certain point. Beyond about twenty miles an hour their influence begins to be unfavorable.—Chicago Tribune.

## Remnants of a College Course.

Prosecuting Attorney (examining a prospective juror)—Do you know anything about chemistry?

"I studied it at school."

"Do you think you remember enough of it to make you a competent juror in a poison case?"

"I'm not sure."

"Do you remember any of the formulas?"

"Let me see—two."

"Only two?"

"Yes, sir."

"Are they in a poem?"

(Blushing) "Yes, sir."

"Is this the poem?"

"Our Willie boy is dead and gone. We ne'er shall see him more. What Willie thought was H2O Was H2SO4."

(Blushing furiously) "Yes, sir."

"I thought so. You are excused."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## Went Back on His Authority.

Leslie Stephen's single meeting with Freeman, the historian, was in the nature of a collision. "I came in contact with him only once," he said. "He wrote a life of Alfred for the Dictionary of National Biography under my editorship, but declined to do more because we had a difference of opinion as to whether Athelstane should be spelled with an 'A.' That was, I confess, a question to which I was culpably indifferent, but I had taken competent advice, and my system (I forget what it was) had been elsewhere sanctioned by the great historian Stubbs. Now, as Freeman was never tired of asserting the infallibility of Stubbs, I innocently thought that I might take refuge behind so eminent an authority. The result was that for once Freeman blasphemed Stubbs and refused to cooperate any longer in an unscholarlike enterprise."

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On one of his visits to Paris Nicholas II. was left alone for a moment in his carriage. The czar was delighted at the feeling of freedom and ease. Looking out of the window with all the rest of a schoolboy playing truant, he saw before him one of those picturesque street arabs who seem to sprout between the paving stones of Paris. This particular specimen, seated against the railings, with his nose in the air, was whistling the refrain of the Russian national hymn. Suddenly their eyes met. The street boy sprang to his feet. He had never seen the emperor, but he had seen his photograph, and the likeness was striking.

"Suppose it is Nicholas?" he said to himself, greatly puzzled.

He resolved to make sure without delay. Walking up to within a yard of the carriage and bobbing his head, he shouted in a hoarse voice to the unknown foreigner:

"How's the empress?"

Picture his satisfaction—for, in fact, he thought that it was only a good joke—when the stranger replied, with a smile:

"Thank you, the empress is very well and is delighted with her journey."

The boy lost his tongue. He stared at the speaker in dismay and then, raising his cap, stalked away slowly, very slowly, to mark his dignity.

Nicholas II. afterward often amused himself by scandalizing the formal set around him with the story of this private interview with a true Parisian.—McClure's Magazine.

### A Bird in the Hand.

A woman is a person who would rather have her husband at home o' nights than in the Hall of Fame.—Galveston News.

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"I tell you, my friends, all the dead game sports are asleep with their fathers. Nobody is willing to take a chance nowadays. If a man buys a cigar he wants a bill of sale with it. The other day a cheap skate pestered me a whole afternoon talking about buying a horse. He tried out all the nags in the barn and finally decided that the glass eyed bay would suit him. And he actually wanted a written guarantee that the horse was sound! A written guarantee! No, gentlemen, I am not joking. That bald-headed travesty on a man actually asked for such a document. I regarded it as an insult, and after I had rebuked him they had to pour four buckets of water over him before he recovered."

"In the good old days horse trading was a game, not a commercial transaction. If a man wasn't willing to take the chances when he went trading he was advised to try some other line of business. Many and many a time I had the barpoon administered to me. One day Major Charlie Slaughter drove to my barn."

"I have quite a neat package of horseflesh here," said the major, "and I have a sort of presentiment that he can travel a few lines when the wind is blowing in the right direction."

"His horse was a handsome roan, a regular peacock for style, with his head away up in the air so you'd need a stepladder to see if he had a star on his forehead. And the way he hit the road was a sin. Talk about gaited horses! That roan handled his legs as though he had taken sparring lessons. Now, my weak point in the horse business is that when I want a certain nag the worst way I can't conceal the fact. I just can't sleep or eat my victuals until that horse is in my barn with a new halter on him. The major was wise to my weakness."

"It's no use, Jake," says the major. "This boss isn't on my swapping list. Every roan hair on him just suits me, and I'd be a chump to let him go."

"Well, of course I got the roan all right. The major was just bluffing. And I gave him the biggest trade you ever heard of—gave him a matched team and several bills for that gangling roan. And when I took the roan to the water trough for a drink I found that he couldn't lower his head. He had to carry it about ten feet in the air all the time, owing to some injury in his neck. He had to eat his flaked rice off a shelf and drink from a garden hose, and a man needed an aeroplane to put a bridle on him."

"Did I raise a fuss with the major? What sort of skate do you take me for? Next time I met him I told him I liked the roan better than any horse I ever saw. He isn't always rooting in the ground like a pig," said I, "and if you had told me about his patent dirigible neck I'd have given you \$10 more." We were sports in those days.

"One time the veterinary surgeon told me about a fine trotting horse in a town some distance away which had been deprived of its tail by a surgical operation. I went and looked at the horse. He was a perfect beauty and could trot like an avalanche. But he had just a stump of a tail, and the owner was ashamed to drive him, so I bought the critter for a song. I went to a lot of trouble having a tall made for him. It was a beautiful, flowing tail, a credit to the hairdresser's art. It was fixed to slip over the horse's stub tail and was then fastened to the crupper of the harness, and a man needed good eyes to see that it wasn't the real thing."

"The major had poor eyes, and when I took him for a drive behind that black trotter he simply had to be tied down to the seat he was so excited. He said he'd always wanted a horse with a tail like that. He had my own weakness. He couldn't pretend indifference when he wanted a thing the worst way, and he wanted that horse so bad that his hair was falling out. After a great deal of deliberation I issued my ultimatum."

"I'll give you the horse, harness and buggy just as they stand," said I, "for your sorrel three-year-olds and \$50." Either of the sorrels was worth a herd of horses like the black.

"It's a trade," cried the major.

"Next morning the major came around to my barn all smiles. "Ever since I was a child and quit playing with a rattle," says he, "I have wanted a horse with a detachable tail—a tail that a man could take off and use as chin whiskers at a masked ball. I just called to pay you another 50 cents, so that when I meet you after this you can't say I took advantage of you in our trade yesterday."

"Oh, there were real sports in those days."—Walt Mason in Chicago News.

When the sea is smooth we have many good sailors.

# "Here Comes The Bride"



You're coming, too, aren't you, to see us about ordering those CIRCULARS and BUSINESS CARDS?

Step in and talk it over.

## CRUSHING A GENIUS.

The Man Had a Bright Idea, and the Woman Had a Wet Blanket.

Baxter was nothing if not inventive, and, like the true inventive genius, he was not discouraged or kept from creating new inventions when those he had already created came to naught. He said to Mrs. Baxter:

"It's born in me to invent things, and I'll keep at it until I turn out something that will revolutionize something or other and make me a multimillionaire in six months."

One evening at the dinner table Baxter came home, declaring that he was "walking on velvet."

"By George, I've had an invention come to me today like a bolt out of a clear sky!" he said. "It all of a sudden popped into my head how I heard you and three or four other women talking about how hard it was to get a servant girl who could or would wait on a table decently or pass dishes without getting her fingers into them or spilling them over folks. Heard you talking about it after our dinner with the Harters, and it came to me all of a sudden—why not a revolving dining table?"

"A what?" "A revolving dining table, by Joe! Round dining tables are all the rage now, and, do you know, I have worked out one that could be made to revolve by electricity and do entirely away with a girl to pass things. All you would have to do would be to press a button by the side of your plate under the cloth and what you wanted on any part of the table would whirl around to you."

"Well, in the first place, will you tell me where your own plate would be by the time the table had whirled around and brought you the dish you wanted?" "Why, I—I—I—perhaps—" "Yes, perhaps. Perhaps you mean that when you or any one else touched the electric button that set the table to whirling around a warning bell would ring in time for the rest of us to grab up our plates and hang on to them while the table was whirling the beans or the bread to you. And wouldn't there be some sort of collision if two of us touched a button at the same time, or wouldn't?"

"Wouldn't you and couldn't you do something else besides sit there and throw cold water on a man who is wearing himself out trying to invent something that would put his wife and children above want? You give me time and I'll work out something that will make your objections look like 30 cents."

"Take all the time you want, my husband," she said, "and while you are doing it I will hang on to our present dining room table, and we will continue to stretch for ourselves when the maid cannot be coerced into doing it for us."—Detroit Free Press.

## Lavishness.

"In days of old luxurious people had cloth of gold placed beneath their feet."

"Yes," replied Mr. Cluggins. "But those times were comparatively economical. Now we want nothing less expensive than rubber tires between us and the earth."—Washington Star

## There Was No Music.

"What is the greatest sin that ever impressed itself on your experience, Snapper?"

"Well, by all odds, the worst one I ever heard was that your quartet perpetrated last night when they came round to the house and sang 'There's Music in the Air.'"

## OUR MARKET REPORTS.

Norfolk cotton and peanuts wired by J. W. Perry & Co., Cotton Factors.		
Cotton	Today	Yesterday
Middling	16	16
Str Low Middling	15 7-8	15 7-8
Low Middling	15 5-8	15 5-8
Peanuts		
Fancy	4 1/2	4 1/2
Strictly Prime	4	4
Prime	4	4
Low Grades	3	3

## New York Future Market

Wired by Cobb Bros. & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Norfolk.		
October	13 87	13 53
December	13 75	13 45
January	13 70	13 40

## Chicago Markets

September Wheat	104 1-2	105 1-8
September Corn	60	59 7/8
Ribs:		
September	11 27	11 32
October Ribs	10 92	10 90
Lard:		
September	11 45	11 37
October Lard	11 35	11 47

## By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Aug. 8.—Starting with irregularity the stock market quickly gained in tone. Reading and Union Pacific leading rise of about a point. Fractional losses in other issues were quickly regained. Moderate sales from outside sources caused slight concessions.

New York, Aug. 8.—Cotton was strong at the opening, 17 and 23 points higher. Primary factor in rise was dry, hot weather in southwest. New crops following call continued firm. Opening: August, 15.90; September, 13.45; October, 13.75; January, 13.64.

## By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Corn, wheat and oats are lower. Provisions higher with hogs.

## A PLACID MERCHANT.

He Had Some Regard For the Social Side of Trade.

The summer visitor in a small seaport town was amazed and amused at the assortment of merchandise displayed in the little store at the head of the wharf. The showcase was devoted to an assortment of candy at one end and a lot of cigars and tobacco at the other end and no barrier between. Next to the showcase stood a motor engine valued at several hundred dollars.

Thinking to please the proprietor, the visitor remarked that even the large department stores in Boston could not boast of such a collection.

"Well," he said, "I ain't aping them stores, I can tell you. I aim to keep what my folks want. When a man wants an engine for his boat he wants it, and if the fish are running he can't wait to send way to Portland or Boston for it. He wants it when he does, then and there."

After a little pause he continued: "I don't like the way they do business in them big stores, anyway. Why, when you go into a store up to Boston the first thing you know somebody asks you what you want."

"Now, I never do anything like that. If a man comes into my place I pass the time o' day and ask him to set, and after he's set and talked a while if he wants anything he'll tell me."

"I never pester a man to buy. Maybe he ain't come to buy; maybe he's come to talk."—Youth's Companion.

## The First Universities.

To fix precisely the date of the rise of the first universities is impossible for the reason that they were not founded, but grew. They were started by a few able men who had something they wished to teach and youths wished to learn. Gradually the free, voluntary center of learning became the organized affair we know as the university. Among the earliest of these centers of learning were Salerno, Naples and Bologna, Italy being the first land to experience the literary revival. We may say that Salerno university was fairly established by the year 1060, the University of Bologna by 1160 and the University of Naples by the year 1200. The University of Paris, which owes its existence to the genius of Abelard, was founded about the same time.—New York American.

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## FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

### Business Locals—The Reflector Bargain Column.

All advertisements coming under this head will be charged for at the rate of 5 cents per line, average six words to the line. All advertisers who haven't an account with us should send money with ad.

### "WILLINGHAM WILL TREAT YOU right."

FRUIT JAR RUBBERS AND JAR tops at S. M. Schultz.

NOTICE—PEOPLE WANTING ME will call 304. W. J. Turnage.

I HAVE A NICE LOT OF DRY WOOD on hand, people wanting will call me up. Phone 304. W. J. Turnage.

IN WEST GREENVILLE BEAUTIFUL residence lots for sale on easy terms. See Higgs Bros. 2744t

FOR RENT—TWO-STORY BRICK Building, situated on Dickinson avenue. Higgs Bros. dtf.

FOR RENT—A PORTION OF HOTEL Macon building, suitable for boarding house. Terms reasonable. Apply to L. C. Skinner. dtf

JUST RECEIVED—A FULL LINE OF fall styles in John B. Stetson soft and stiff brim hats. Frank Wilson. 86

ALL THE NEWEST SHADES AND shapes in fall neckwear just received. Frank Wilson. 86

COME AND SEE THE NEW TOES in Edwin Clapp shoes; all leathers. Full line just received. Frank Wilson. 86

ONE YORK SAFE 44 1/2 X 51 1/2 FOR sale. Greenville delivery; good order; selling because we have installed vault. Write for particulars. Beaufort County Lumber Co. Sheldermine, N. C. 88

COLLARD PLANTS—PLANT THEM now. Ollen E. Warren, Florist. 811

PEARS FOR EATING AND PRESERVING. For sale by Mrs. R. M. Hearne. 810

## THE SPEED MANIA.

Sensations That Come With a Ride in a Racing Motor.

Imagine yourself in a big racing machine plunging over a course at eighty miles an hour. For the average man the sensation is awful, but the speed kings revel in it. Down the road streaks the car. Lashed into a typhoon by the appalling speed, the still air roars in your ears. You think you will never regain your hearing. The resistance of the atmosphere is fearful. The slightest forward movement is an effort. Distant objects loom up suddenly before you and jump by. The landscape is a streaky line of green, blotched here and there as a house is passed. The gale seems to cut your face, and you feel yourself being gradually flattened out against the back of the seat. It seems that the glass in your auto goggles is on the point of breaking. Particles of dust are driven back in your eyes. You may become blinded. The vibration of the engine is terrific. Mysterious indicators fluctuate alarmingly. It may mean that the engine is on the point of exploding. What makes the floor tremble so? Surely something will happen now!

And then you hear explosions booming from the exhausts as the drivers "shut off." A sharp turn is ahead. The noise is deafening. The terrific speed does not seem to have been checked. The outline of the turn grows more distinct. It is sheer folly—maybe death—to rush at it at such a pace. You dare not breathe as the car tears into the bend. It skids and a wall of dirt is thrown up alongside you as the driver, with a sharp twist of the wheel, sends the car once more back in the middle of the road. You are safe—until another turn is encountered.—Hampton's Magazine.

## NOTICE.

North Carolina—Pitt County. In the Superior Court, September term, 1910.

Martin M. B. Butler,

vs

Lillian B. Butler.

To Lillian B. Butler—Notice!

Lillian B. Butler, the defendant in the above entitled action will take notice that a civil action has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county, entitled Martin M. B. Butler vs. Lillian B. Butler, for the purpose of obtaining a decree of the court dissolving the bonds of matrimony, heretofore existing between the plaintiff and the defendant, on the ground of adultery, and the defendant is required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, which will be deposited in the office of the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, during the first three days of the September term of said court, which convenes on the 2nd Monday after the first Monday in September, 1910, or demur thereto, or the plaintiff will be granted the relief demanded in his complaint.

This the 4th day of August, 1910.

D. C. MOORE, Clerk Superior Court, Pitt county, 76 Stw