

THE DAILY REFLECTOR.

D. J. WHICHARD, Editor
Advertising Rates Furnished on Application

Truth in Preference to Fiction

SUBSCRIPTION RATE
25 cents Per Month—\$3 00 Per Year

VOLUME 32.

Greenville, N. C., Tuesday, August 9th, 1910.

NUMBER 5900

MAYOR WM. J. GAY-NOR SHOT IN BACK

Was Entering Boat For Month's Vacation Abroad when Fired Upon.

WOULDBE ASSASSIN WONT SAY WHY

Mayor Taken to Hospital—Wound Serious, but May Live—Assailant Named Gallagher, in Custody of Police, was Former City Employee—Much Confusion on Pier.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Hoboken, Aug. 9.—Mayor Wm. J. Gaynor, of New York, was shot by a crank here today, just as he boarded the liner Kaiser Wilhelm Dergrosse to go abroad for a month's vacation. The crank fired from the rear. A hasty examination led to the declaration that the mayor's wound is serious. He was surrounded by a crowd of friends and a large force of police was on hand to protect him when the shooting took place.

The assailant was overpowered after a hard struggle. He gave his name as J. J. Gallagher, and said he is 58 years old.

When the police had quieted confusion on the pier, Gallagher was hurried to the nearest police station. While held on pier he refused to explain his motive for the act.

When first grappled with Gallagher said: "He took my bread and butter from me, and I came over here to get him. I got him."

It is reported that Gallagher was a former city employee and lost his place when the Gaynor administration came in.

The mayor was rushed to the hospital. Several members of his family were at the pier when he was shot.

Will Probably Live.

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 9.—At 11 o'clock it was stated at St. Marvins' Hospital that Mayor Gaynor was conscious and would live unless complication set in.

AT MOREHEAD.

Ex-Senator and Mrs. Butler Entertain—Other Social Events.

Morehead City, N. C., Aug. 9.—Ex-Senator and Mrs. Marion Butler gave a most delightful oyster roast Saturday night. The guests of ex-Senator and Mrs. Butler are always most charmingly entertained.

Miss May Harvey, of Kinston, was also hostess at a clam bake on Shackelford Banks Thursday. The guests enjoyed a delightful sail before going over to the banks.

Mrs. W. L. Kennedy gave a sailing party Friday afternoon from four to six o'clock. A number of the married people were guests of Mrs. Kennedy.

A number of fishing parties are enjoying this delightful sport at Morehead. Several remarkable catches have been made recently.

Messrs. O. L. Greebles, E. L. Sherrill, and E. W. Stewart, of Greensboro, have engaged a house boat and are enjoy a week's fishing. This unusual way of living is proving very attractive to the fishermen.

BIG RAILROAD WRECK.

Fourteen Persons Killed and Score Injured in Collision.

By Wire to The Reflector.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Fourteen persons are known to be dead and several are missing as a result of a collision on the Northwestern Pacific Railway last night. More than a score of passengers and trainmen were injured. A local passenger train crushed into a construction train.

350,000 Visitors in Chicago.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—More than a million people thronged the line of march of the Knights Templars today. There were 35,000 men in the parade and it was fifteen miles long. There are 350,000 visitors in the city.

When a man takes his wife to a pathetic play and she cries at the touching parts, he always tries to look fearless and unconcerned.

HOME OF PLEASANT MEMORIES

Pen-Picture of a Charming Home Such as all May Have.

To all of us who knew it, it seemed almost the ideal home—the one to which we always accepted invitations with gladness, and the home to which, if we had to leave our own, we would most willingly have gone.

It wasn't a fine place, at all: just a little white cottage with a neat and ample lawn in front of it; a big tree or two to shadow and guard it; on one side an old-fashioned hedge of flowering shrubbery, and clambering roses, and stately hollyhocks and lilies, and back of these bright and fragrant beds of pansies and violets and snapdragons and sweet williams and old time pulks and all the hardy flowers that delight to blossom in an informal garden.

Inside, too, it was all very simple and unpretentious with no fussiness or show, but it was always neat and fresh and home-like. There was ever a blazing fire on cold winter evenings, and even an air of shadowy coolness on hot summer days. On the walls were one or two tasteful pictures that had stories to tell—pictures that didn't grow old; one side of the little sitting-room was lined with books, not gaudy volumes left by wandering agents, but well-selected editions of Dickens and Scott and Shakespeare and the other masters, a piano, such as no home is quite complete without, filled another corner. And something in the spirit of the place made one just snuggle down, as it were, into his little nook, and enjoy the book or game or song.

Perhaps it was the keeper of the home who gave it this atmosphere; for she seemed a part of, so like herself had she made it. With all her household duties she found time to enjoy life and to make others enjoy it. One marvelled how she did so much—possibly it was because she had learned how to save labor, and because, humble as it was, it was convenient and equipped with the definite idea of making her work easy. "I would rather spend money for comfort and leisure than for display," she said. So she found enough leisure to fill her home with comfort, and to make it a place to which one tired or discouraged could always turn and find rest or inspiration.

And the best part of this story is that nearly all of us, if we try, may have such homes as this for our own. Is not the result worth the effort?—Raleigh (N. C.) Progressive Farmer and Gazette.

Capt. Everett on the Crops.

The following statement of crop conditions by Capt. W. I. Everett, will be read with interest by the Post readers: Cold and wet in early spring damaged crops. Later, excessive rains followed by drought. Much cotton planted after first planting was up and stand lost, resulting in poor oats and corn crops. Cotton from one week to ten days later than usual at this date. This crop cannot exceed % of the crop of 1909. Should we have seasons during the month of August. The output of cotton this year depends more largely on the August crop than it has for many a year. The crops ordinarily are from June and July. If we fail to get our August crop 2-3 of an average will be fully as much as will be realized.—Rockingham Post.

POLITICS IN TEXAS.

Prohibition an Issue of Democratic State Convention.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 9.—Texas Democrats met in convention here today. Although candidates were named in the primary there is a good deal of feeling and a strong fight. O. B. Colquitt, "wet," was named for governor by primaries, but prohibitionists are in control of the convention and will probably put prohibition plank in platform, and there is some talk of dropping Colquitt and naming another man. Prohibitionists are also fighting Senator Bailey, at least Bailey is arrayed with the Colquett faction.

Another Aviator Hurt.

By Cable to The Reflector.

Nancy, France, Aug. 9.—M. Lindpainter, one of the competitors in a 480 mile cross country flight, was injured today, when his aeroplane fell to earth. The daring aviator immediately began to make repairs and said he would continue the flight.

HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT NORTH CAROLINA.

CREAM OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE EXCHANGES.

Condemned to Electric Chair—Dies From Rusty Nail Stab—Aged Man Drops Dead—Powell Will Likely Die

Monroe, August 8.—Today marked the close of the trial of Charles Plyler, George Mayhew and John McManus when the jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree against Plyler and Mayhew, and not guilty as to McManus. The evidence against these defendants was entirely circumstantial. Judge Allen sentenced Plyler to death. The sentence was that he is to be electrocuted September 15th. Sentence has not been passed on Mayhew.

New Bern, Aug. 8.—Several days ago Crawford Roper, a colored employee of the Roper Lumber Company, in this city, was stabbed over the heart with a rusty nail, which was wielded by Francis Boyd, a colored woman of ill repute. Roper was taken to the hospital and everything possible done to save his life, but yesterday afternoon he succumbed to his injuries.

Durham, Aug. 8.—Needham Gaston Godwin, aged 74, dropped dead yesterday six miles from Durham, while returning from his garden, where he had gone to gather tomatoes.

Durham, Aug. 8.—Aquila Powel, the young son of the Halifax murderer, now serving a 30 years' sentence in the State prison, is losing ground rapidly and the hope that he would recover from the body wound, the day after he inflicted it with suicidal purpose, has been entirely given up. He may have a chance in a thousand.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 8.—Ed Baker, a young white man, was bound over to the grand jury Saturday by Recorder Hastings on the charge of forging the name of the Carolina Engineering company to a check for \$22.95, which was cashed by Sharp-Molin company, of this city.

Lexington, August 8.—Bud Harrell, a South bound railroad negro, fatally shot his companion, Clarence Craven, at Fairmont yesterday afternoon, and was captured near Linwood and placed in jail here this morning. Shortly afterwards a wagon came in with his victim, who died on the way to town. He was shot in the abdomen with a 32 calibre gun. The row was over a woman, and both were drinking. Craven drew a razor on Harrell.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, God in His wisdom, has seen fit to call little George Baker to that home where only such as little children are found; and, whereas, He in His great love for children, has taken the child from the loving arms of its heart-stricken mother, that its spirit may dwell safely in His warm tender arms; and, whereas, He in taking the little one to be with Him has removed it from the Cradle Roll of our Sunday school, therefore be it resolved:

1st.—That we of the Cradle Roll and the members of Memorial Baptist Sunday school express our deepest sympathy to the mother, in this hour of bereavement.

2nd.—That we of the Cradle Roll, though sad, willingly give up little George to be with Jesus, who was once a child and, loves all children.

3rd.—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the child's mother, a copy placed upon our Sunday school record, and a copy sent to The Daily Reflector for publication.

E. N. JOHNSON,
ANNIE PERKINS,
HELEN PUGH,
Committee.

Pleased With Indemnity Policy.

Greenville, N. C., Aug. 9, 1910.
Mr. H. A. White,
Greenville, N. C.

Dear Sir: I like the manner in which the Maryland Casualty Company handles their claims through your office, and take pleasure in writing you this note of thanks for their promptness in settling my claim for injury to foot, received in the base ball game between the "fats" and "leaves" on July 4th. Yours very truly,
ERNEST L. DAUGHTRIDGE.

AYDEN CORRESPONDENCE.

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

Ayden, N. C., Aug. 9, 1910.

For services rendered in Spanish-American war, Will J. Hemby has been put on the pension list roll for \$12 per month. Hurrah! for Congressman Small, what is it he can't do?

Mrs. J. E. Hart, of Kinston, is visiting in town.

Mr. H. A. Hart, of Maple Cypress, came up to spend Sunday, and while here received a phone message that while returning home Saturday night David Tripp was ambushed and beaten into insensibility, and literally carved with a knife, the blade penetrating the forehead, and he was also broken up. The murderous assault, was made by Buck and Sod. Tripp, his brothers, and a man named Anderson. No hope is entertained for the wounded man. Mr. Tripp is a quiet citizen and bears a good record. No arrest had been made Sunday.

Mr. E. L. Brown, our railroad agent, went to Scotland Neck Sunday.

His Honor Mayor Barwick informs us he has at his disposal two scholarships to Horner Military School at Oxford. Those who wish to compete for these can apply to Mr. Barwick for terms.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Quinerly spent Sunday at Panacea Springs.

Mr. David Gibb was unexpectedly called to New York last Thursday to attend the burial of his brother.

Geo. Phillips who has attained some reputation as a brick mason, attempted to administer a rebuke to his son, Council, Sunday with a gun, and the result was both had to tell why to the mayor.

Messrs. C. V. and A. R. Cannon, of R. C. Cannon & Sons, left for the northern markets Monday.

The faculty of the Seminary here issued a very attractive prospectus Greenville, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. E. Tingle returned last week from Belhaven, New Bern and Chocowinity.

Dr. J. H. Mewborne, the eye specialist, will be at J. R. Smith Co.'s store Sept. 5th and 6th. He will examine and fit your eyes with Dr. Hawk's celebrated glasses.

Another large shipment for the 5 and 10 cents counter just arrived. 40 yards of calico for \$1. J. R. Smith Co.

Judge Harris, clerk of the Superior court of Hyde county, was here last week attending the district meeting of the I. O. F. He tells us the corn crops are fine this year, especially around Mattamuskeet Laks and Swan Quarter. One man has 75 acres of new land that will make 750 barrels, cultivated without a horse or plow. A stick was used to beat down the butter weeds the first year. This is farming.

Mr. Charlton Simmons, of Kinston, was here Monday and tells us he wants to sell his farm in Lenoir and move his tent toward the fertile plains of Ayden, his native land, for the fall term. We bespeak for them a full school under the new management of Prof. J. E. Sawyer and his able corps of teachers.

Every day seemed like Saturday last week, it reminded us of the fall of the year.

Mrs. Gray, of Hertford, arrived Friday to spend a few weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. D. G. Berry, at Buckingham, in Ghent.

Misses Lorena and Lizzie Dixon returned Monday from Macesfield.

Miss Bertha Jones left Saturday to spend a few days at Chocowinity.

Mr. A. M. Moseley, of Greenville, was here Monday.

Messrs. Heber and Jim Cannon, of Rountree, left Monday for Charlottesville, Va., where they expect to buy a stock farm.

Mr. Richard Wingate has opened livery stables in the rear of E. E. Dall & Co.'s store.

Ex-Sheriff W. H. Harrington, of The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church have had some repairs made and additional down spouts put up to the building.

Our tobacco market will open August 18th.

We have just received a car of cook stoves, furniture, carpenter tools, building material, lime hardware, etc.—J. R. Smith Co.

Miss May Smith returned home Sunday from a visit in the country.

Miss Ethel Burnette, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. O. C. Nobles, returned to her home at Rocky Mount Saturday.

Mr. H. C. Ormond and family, spent Sunday with relatives in Green county.

COL. C. L. LIPSCOMB HIGHLY COMPLIMENTED

DISCIPLINE ALMOST PERFECT SAYS ARMY OFFICER.

Regiment One of The Best That Visited Chickamauga—Col. Lipscomb Well Known in Greenville.

Following is an extract from an article published in the Columbia, (S. C.) State, which will be of interest to our readers in Greenville, as Col. Lipscomb is well known here. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb. Mr. Lipscomb was captain of a military company in Greenville during his residence here some years ago:

The Second regiment of infantry, National Guards of South Carolina, returned home yesterday afternoon, after a 10-day encampment at Chickamauga park, Ga., where it engaged in joint manoeuvres with the regular army.

The regiment went into camp on July 21, and from the very first evinced its desire to benefit in every way by the instruction of the regular army officers assigned to the manoeuvres. Before breaking camp last Saturday, Gen. A. L. Mills, commander of the department of the Gulf, informed Col. Lipscomb that his regiment was one of the best that had visited the camp during the manoeuvre period. All the army officers brought into contact with the South Carolina troops spoke in the highest terms of the regiment, several expressing themselves to the effect that the Second infantry in discipline and progress in instruction was the best in camp.

Maj. Gosman, chief sanitary inspector, characterized the condition of the camp site after the regiment had broken as "perfect" and added that it was in better condition than any camp used by National Guardsmen during the summer.

The manoeuvres concluded Sunday morning with a battle between the Reds and Browns, the former being composed of regular army troops and the latter of three regiments of Alabama infantry, one of Tennessee infantry, and one of South Carolina infantry, supplemented by two troops of regular cavalry and detachments of the signal and hospital corps.

Second Regiment Praised.

Praise from the regular army officers acting as umpires, for the perfect advance of the South Carolinians, was unstinted. Col. Lipscomb being warmly congratulated for the admirable behavior of his men. The militia men fought like regulars. The men were under perfect control and it was largely due to the work of the South Carolinians that the battle resulted in favor of the Browns.

Col. C. T. Lipscomb, commanding the regiment, was designated as commander of the Brown forces during the battle. This was quite a compliment, as he was one of the youngest regimental commanders in the camp.

Shelmerdine Items.

Shelmerdine, N. C., Aug. 9, 1910.

Miss Rosa Stokes, of Washington, is visiting Miss Lillian Baker.

Miss Blanche Ferbee, from Bell Cross, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. O. Bobbitt. We are always glad to have Miss Ferbee with us.

Misses Winton, Dickens and Avent, spent Sunday in the country.

Mr. C. D. Baker is at home again. He has been to Fairmont for the past few weeks. We are glad to have him with us again.

Miss Annie Ross, of Zebulon, is the guest of Miss Velina Venters this week.

Rev. J. N. Tingle gave us a good sermon Sunday afternoon.

Rev. J. B. Bridgers filled his regular appointment Sunday night.

People as a rule have only words of praise for the dead. Their words of censure are exhausted on the living.

Wood's turnip and rutabaga seed at J. R. Smith Co.'s.

Mrs. P. T. Anthony, of Greenville, came in Monday to visit Miss Lucy Turnage.

Miss Cora Litchfield, after spending a few days in Ayden, returned to Kinston Monday.

While at work on the Stancil Hodges house, last Thursday, C. S. Summerell fell several feet, striking on the sleepers, hurting himself seriously, but fortunately no bones were broken and he is now able to be out but is bruised.

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 weather tonight and Wednesday; light north winds, becoming variable.

Aug. 9 in American History.

1780—Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner," born; died 1843.

1788—Adoniram Judson, missionary to India, born; died 1850.

1905—First session of the Russo-Japanese peace conference held at Portsmouth, N. H.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:02, rises 5:01; day's length, 14 hours; moon sets 9:37 p. m.; 1:19 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet 2½ degrees north thereof; planet Venus in east in morning, south of Castor and Pollux in constellation Gemini, the Twins.

PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The People Who Come and go on Our Trains.

Dr. S. Hassell and son, Cecil, returned Monday from Virginia Beach.

Mrs. A. W. Outterbridge and children of Whitakers, who have been visiting the family of Mr. A. J. Outterbridge, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Norma Burroughs, of Williamston, who has been visiting Miss Lucy Outterbridge, left Tuesday afternoon.

BASE BALL.

Standing of the East Carolina League—The Results Yesterday

Clubs.	Won	Lost	P. C.
Wilson	9	4	.692
Rocky Mount	6	5	.545
Raleigh	7	6	.528
Fayetteville	6	6	.500
Goldsboro	5	7	.417
Wilmington	4	8	.333

The results of yesterday's games were as follows:
Goldsboro 4; Wilson 2.
Raleigh 1; Rocky Mount 2.
Fayetteville 2; Wilmington 2; (Ten innings, darkness.)

Home for Aged and Infirm.

L. M. Clymer, in company with Grand Master E. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, of the Masonic order, returned last night from Raleigh, where a meeting of the committee appointed to select a site for the location of the Masonic and Eastern Star home for the aged and infirm, was held yesterday. No action was taken in regard to the selection of a site, but an organization of the institution was perfected, the name to be the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, incorporated.

The members of the committee, which is composed of Messrs. L. M. Clymer, of Greensboro; Grand Master R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro; Dr. Winchester, of Charlotte, and J. L. McLaurin, of Laurinburg, will make a tour of all the cities offering sites for the location of the home, and it is more than likely that this trip will result in the immediate awarding of the institution to the city making the most favorable proposition.

Greensboro has already put in her bid, but it is known that the offer made is not as large as that of several smaller cities in the state. The location of such an institution in this city would be of vast importance and mean a great deal toward the material progress of the city.—Greensboro News.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank the good people of Greenville, who were so kind to my wife during her long term of ill health, and to us of the family who are left to mourn our great loss of wife and mother.

JOHN S. CONGLETON.

The suffragette will never be satisfied until she is given the privilege of asking a man to marry her.

Published by
THE REFLECTOR COMPANY, Inc.
D. J. WHICHARD, Editor.
GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA.



Subscription, one year, \$3.00
Six months, 1.50
One month, .25
One week, .10
Above prices apply to both mail and city delivery.

Advertising rates may be had upon application at the business office in The Reflector Building, corner Evans and Third streets.

All cards of thanks and resolutions of respect will be charged for at 1 cent per word.

Communications advertising candidates will be charged for at three cents per line, up to fifty lines.

Entered at the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class mail matter.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1910.

Reflector readers will find it to their interest to patronize Reflector advertisers. Those who advertise not only help themselves, but help their home paper, and the paper in turn helps every enterprise and every person. It is mutual working together, everybody helping everybody, that makes communities prosperous, and those who work for your home section are the ones who should have your patronage. A dollar spent here benefits home, while one spent away is lost so far as the good it does at home.

The attention that the recent good roads convention attracted throughout that State shows how Pitt county is in the public eye. Numerous papers have commented upon it and express gratification that this county is going forward in matters of progress. When we get good roads along with our good schools, you cannot keep people away from Pitt county. It is known that we have the best farm lands in the State, and with good roads and good schools it will be the best county in which to live.

One only needs to go over Greenville to see how steadily the town is progressing. There is hardly a street upon which you can go without seeing some improvements. The town is very much in need of the factory spirit, and that will come sooner or later. When we can give employment to the people they will come fast enough.

Judge Cook and the School Teachers.

A negro boy having been brought for trial before Judge Charles M. Cook, on the charge of attacking a school teacher with a knife, the court delivered a unique charge to the jury in which the following statement occurred: "You had as well undertake to break a herd of bull yearlings with small twine in the place of rope, as to try to control many hard-headed boys in the public schools, white as well as negro, without allowing the teacher to use the lash." This clear and strong pronouncement by one having authority will check a tendency of serious evil to our school work and of more serious injury to the boys who take delight in tormenting the teacher. It is folly to attempt to control a boy without authority to make and enforce proper rules of conduct. This sugar stick theory that a boy can be led by love is bosh! Love is all right in its place, but in a public school the big stick must be behind it. All the men of our acquaintance were once boys, and they know to a man that the way to manage a boy is to compel his obedience to constitute authority. The sickly sentimentality that has gained currency of late that no teacher should ever administer corporal punishment has wrecked the discipline in many a school. We rejoice that so sane and wise a judge as Hon. Chas. M. Cooke has come out flatfooted for the protection of the teacher in his arduous work of breaking a rude boy. The work of the teacher is hard enough when the parent, public sentiment and the law are all on his side; but to have none of these supports, and to be stripped of all authority to control the school leaves the poor teacher in a pitiable plight.—Charity and Children.

Reports from Kansas tell of the successful operation of a simple machine that cuts and threshes small grain at a single operation. A machine no heavier and not much more complicated than a binder cuts and threshes wheat or oats at the same rate as the binder now cuts the grain. The reports may be exaggerated, but things have been done in the past with farm machinery that at the time seemed more remarkable than this seems now. The thing has been done, but only by machines so heavy and complicated that they can be used profitably only on bonanza farms.

This reminds us that the farmers may yet be emancipated from the special strain of harvest time. The greatest difficulty of the farmer lies in the way of his work increases at certain periods. As water can flow through a pipe only as fast as its narrowest part permits, so a farmer must adjust his operation for the year with more or less reference to the special demands of harvest time. The annual cry for harvest hands is the result of the farmer's risking a crop as large as he can handle at planting time, trusting to special providence to furnish help for the harvest. A harvesting machine that will turn out threshed grain instead of sheaves that must be shocked, stacked and later threshed would solve the difficulty.—Nebraska State Journal.

Must Look Out for Self.

The farmer generally and the cotton grower especially is always an object of interest, and many are the schemes devised to "help the farmer." In addition to the Sully plan of establishing warehouses for the benefit of the cotton grower, the "International Cotton Mills Corporation" was organized in New York last week with a capital of \$20,000,000. The corporation is formed, it is stated, "by spinners and sales agents to eliminate if possible, the element of speculation in cotton;" and the new corporation proposes "to send its buyers among the cotton producers so that the product may be shipped direct from the soil to the mill." This is probably a cotton mill combine formed for the purpose of buying cotton at the lowest price possible. While the idea of removing the speculators is commendable, their removal does not mean that the farmer will always get a fair price for cotton. The new concern will pay the price it is compelled to pay, and no more. The truth is, the farmer, as he knows by this time, if he hasn't always known it, must look out for himself. Few of the organizations formed for the alleged purpose of helping him are engaged in philanthropic work.—Statesville Landmark.

Much-Enduring Cities.

Among all the horrors of Georgia politics The Augusta Chronicle finds time to turn to Alabama, where, in this ordinance recently passed by the town of Lafayette, it would gladly convince itself that trouble is not a Georgia monopoly: Section 1. That the keeping of any jackass within three-fourths of a mile of the county court house in said town of Lafayette and within the hearing distance of the populace within the above designated territory, is hereby declared unlawful. It would seem that different towns have different noise problems. In North Carolina Greenville has been vexed and intimidated by the uproarious trumpeting of a jackass at least as able-vexed as Lafayette's specimen. Roosters afflict Charleston and whistlers Richmond. Elsewhere the factory whistles annoy many who do not care to rise so early as four or five o'clock. For these long-suffering towns the millennium, with its soothing calm, cannot arrive one moment too soon.—Charlotte Observer.

Encourage Them.

We want to say a good word for the man who meets his small obligations promptly. They are not as plentiful as they should be and the man needs encouragement. Most men will pay but fewer will pay promptly. Almost any firm will testify that counting the time, postage, booking, and the like, it costs all some accounts are worth to collect them, and still the men owing it to them is perfectly responsible in a financial way. It very often happens that the worst sinner in this particular is the man best able to pay.—Laurinburg Times.

The Durham Sun submits the clear truth that if a man can't make a living in the South he would starve anywhere else. One trouble with the South for a long time was that easy living rendered people inert, whereas with the Yankee it was root hog or die and he industriously rooted.—Charlotte Observer.

A man is apt to have a dear wife either to his heart or pocket book.

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 house ideas is you 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

SPRING
SPRING—Gentle Spring
Sounds pretty nice when you sing it, but when the bad blood in your system begins to show itself in BOILS, CABSUNCLES, ABSCESSSES, BLOTCHES, ERUPTIONS, Etc., on your face and body it isn't so nice.—TAKE
SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR
HOW to wake up your LIVER, purify your blood and rid the system of all impurities accumulated during the Winter.
SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR is the
Best Blood Purifier
ASK GRAND MA SHE KNOWS

To Make Progress.

If you want a prosperous town where people can come who are disposed to make homes, then do away with and bury from sight all jealousy and spite work, move for common prosperity and mutual benefit. Wake up, rub your eyes, roll up your sleeves and go to work. Do not work with fear and trembling, but take for granted that blood will tell Leave results to themselves, borrow no troubles, but all unite to make it the biggest kind of a town. "Go to work."—Laurinburg Times.

A man comes forward and says he can save the Government \$40,000 a year on its post office twine bill. I would be better to save the people money on the Government's string bill—by cutting the strings the trusts have tied to.—Wilmington Dispatch

Nothing pleases the average woman more than an opportunity to displease some other woman.

It must be awfully hard on a splinter not to have a man around the house to blame things on.

CATARRH GOES.

So Does Sore Throat, Bronchitis Croup and Asthma.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below, whether you have catarrh or not:

Offensive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from the nose, stoppage of the nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, dropping in throat, a cough, pain in chest, loss of strength, variable appetite, spasms of coughing, low spirited at times, raising of mucus, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force.

Coward & Wooten has a sensible remedy (money back if it fails) for catarrh, called Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) which is a vaporized air, so antiseptic, that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-infested membrane, it kills all germ life, gives relief in two minutes, and cures catarrh.

The price, including hard rubber inhaler, is only \$1.00. The hard rubber pocket inhaler will last a lifetime, so that should you need a second bottle of Hyomei, you can get it for 50 cents.

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 ttdw

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. S. I. DUDLEY. 713

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. DRESBACH.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the Democratic primary. JOSEPH McLAWHORN. 11

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. 320 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. MASON EDWARDS.

Perhaps the reason a woman can be fooled so easily is because she is so successful at playing the game herself.

DISCHARGED!

HAVE YOUR MONEY IN THE BANK for THAT RAINY DAY. Out of a job is worse when you are out of money

START IT NOW

Don't you want to start YOUR BOY into A BUSINESS OF HIS OWN, so he can be his own boss? Bank \$1,000 now. In 20 years, at 3 per cent. this will amount to \$1,810; in 20 years, at 4 per cent. this will amount to \$2,190. Make OUR Bank YOUR Bank.

We pay interest at 4 per cent. on time Certificates.

THE BANK OF GREENVILLE

GREENVILLE, N. C. NOR. CAR.

Norfolk Southern R. R.

NIGHT EXPRESS

Pullman Sleeping Car Service (electric lights) (electric fans) between RALEIGH, N. C., and Norfolk, Va., beginning June 5th.

The only local sleeping car line between Raleigh and Norfolk, via Wilson, Farmville, Greenville and Washington, without change.

Read Down SCHEDULE Read Up

Daily Except Sunday No. 12	Daily No. 16	Daily No. 15	Daily Except Sunday No. 11
3 20 p.m.	Lv Greensboro, Southern Railway Ar	12 10 p.m.	Lv Durham, " " Ar
6 25 " "	Lv Henderson, S. A. L. Railway Ar	9 50 " "	Lv Fayetteville, R. S. and P. Ry. Ar
8 35 " "	Lv Fayetteville, R. S. and P. Ry. Ar	1 28 " "	
5 10 " "	Lv Raleigh, Union Station Ar	7 30 " "	
6 10 a.m.	Lv Wilson " " Ar	5 25 " "	7 20 p.m.
8 00 " "	Lv Wilmington, via Wilson Ar	9 45 " "	5 31 " "
	Lv New Bern, via Goldsboro Ar	9 15 " "	
	Lv Kinston, via Goldsboro Ar	8 07 " "	
	Lv Goldsboro, via Wilson Ar	6 40 " "	
9 20 " "	Lv GREENVILLE Ar	3 58 " "	4 14 " "
10 45 " "	Lv Washington Ar	8 00 " "	8 20 " "
3 55 p.m.	Ar NORFOLK, Park Avenue Lv	1 30 p.m.	9 45 a.m.

Close connection made at Norfolk with all lines diverging. NOTE—These trains operated only between Norfolk and New Bern via Washington; and daily, except Sunday, between Raleigh and New Bern via Washington.

Nos. 15 and 16 "NIGHT EXPRESS" carry Pullman sleeping cars between Raleigh and Norfolk. Makes close connection at Wilson with A. C. L. to and from Wilmington, Rocky Mount, New Bern, Kinston via Goldsboro. Also makes direct connection at Raleigh with R. & S. P. Ry., to and from Fayetteville; with Sou. Ry. to and from Henderson.

For complete information, or for reservation of sleeping car space, apply to either of the following agents: G. T. Can on, agent, H. L. Lipe, U. T. A., Raleigh, N. C.; W. J. Williams, Wilson, N. C.; F. W. Tatem, Goldsboro, N. C.; J. L. Hissell, Greenville, N. C.; H. L. Myers, Washington, N. C.; T. H. Bennett, New Bern, N. C.

H. C. HUDGINS, G.P.A., W. W. CROXTON, A.G.P.A. Norfolk, Virginia.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

SCHEDULES

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

8:15 a. m.	Lv. Norfolk	Ar. 1:35 p. m.
11:53 a. m.	Ar. Holgood	Lv. 9:52 a. m.
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.
2:15 p. m.	" Kinston	" 7:30 a. m.

For further information, address nearest ticket agent, or

W. J. CRAIG, P. T. M. T. C. WHITE, G. P. A. WILMINGTON, N. O.

Roofing and Sheet Metal Work. For Slate or Tin

Roofing, Tin Shop Repair Work, and Tobacco Flues in Season, see **J. J. JENKINS,** Phone, Number 76. GREENVILLE, N. C.

PULLEY & BOWEN

Home of Women's Fashions, Greenville, N. C.

ATLANTIC HOTEL

MOREHEAD CITY, N. C.

Completely Renovated and Many New Features.

Opens June 1st.

Delightful Surf Bathing, Finest Fishing in America, Dancing, Tennis, Motoring, Riding, Extremely low Excursion Rates. Unsurpassed Services—Cuisine Perfect.

RATES: \$12.50 to \$17.50 WEEKLY

Through Sleeping Car Service, Winston-Salem, via Goldsboro and Morehead, N. C.

Write Frank P. Morton, Mgr., Morehead City, N. C. for rates and handsome illustrated booklet.

EAST CAROLINA TEACHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL

A school organized and maintained for one definite purpose—Training young men and women for teachers. The regular session opens Tuesday, September 13, 1910.

For catalogue and information, address
ROBT. H. WRIGHT, President,

Greenville, - - - North Carolina.

C. T. MUNFORD, At the Big Store

is where mothers teach their children to go for Big Bargains in Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Notions and Millinery. That is where everybody goes.

He "Sells it Cheaper". Try Him

S. A. L. SCHEDULE

Trains leave Raleigh effective May 15th 1910

YEAR ROUND LIMITED—No. 81.

3.45 a. m.—For Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points West, Jacksonville and Florida points, connections Hamlet for Charlotte and Wilmington.

THE SEABOARD MAIL—No. 33.

11.35 a. m.—For Portsmouth-Norfolk, with coaches and parlor car. Connects with steamer for Washington, Baltimore, New York, Boston and Providence.

THE FLORIDA FAST MAIL—No. 66.

12.05 a. m.—For Richmond, Washington and New York Pullman sleepers, day coaches and dining car. Connects at Richmond with C. & O. for Cincinnati and points West, at Washington with Pennsylvania railroad and B. & O. for Pittsburg and points west.

THE SEABOARD MAIL—No. 41.

4.05 p. m.—For Atlanta, Charlotte, Wilmington, Birmingham, Memphis and points West. Parlor cars to Hamlet.

6.00 p. m., No. 30.—"Shoo Fly", for Louisville, Henderson Oxford, and Norfolk.

6.00 p. m.—For Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points West, Jacksonville, and all Florida points. Pullman sleepers. Arrive Atlanta 7 a. m.

YEAR ROUND LIMITED—No. 84.—

12.45 p. m.—Arrives Richmond 4.20 a. m., Washington 7.40 a. m., New York 2 p. m. Pullman sleepers to Washington and dining car to New York.

C. B. RYAN, G. P. A. Portsmouth, Va.

H. LEARD, D. P. A. Raleigh, N. C.

J. C. LANIER

DEALER IN
Monuments
Tomb Stones
Iron Fencing
Greenville, N. C.

CENTRAL Barber Shop

Herbert Edmond, Prop.
Located in main business section of the town. Five chairs in operation and each one presided over by a skilled barber. Our place is inviting, razors sharp. Our towels clean. Modern electrical machine for dry shampoo and massage. Ladies waited on at their homes.

Professional Cards

W. F. EVANS
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Office opposite R. L. Smith & Co.'s stables, and next door to John Flanagan Buggy Co.'s new building.
Greenville, N. Carolina

N. W. OUTLAW
ATTORNEY AT LAW
office formerly occupied by J. L. Fleming.
Greenville, N. Carolina

W. C. Dresbach. D. M. Clark.
DRESBACH & CLARK
Civil Engineers and Surveyors
Greenville, N. Carolina

S. J. EVERETT
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Dr. Laughinghouse's Office
Greenville, N. Carolina

L. I. Moore. W. H. Long.
MOORE & LONG
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Greenville, N. Carolina

CHARLES C. PIERCE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
practice in all the courts. Office upstairs in Phoenix building, next to Dr. D. L. James
Greenville, N. Carolina

DR. R. L. CARR
DENTIST
Greenville, N. Carolina

Harry Skinner. H. W. Whedbee.
SKINNER & WHEDBEE
LAWYERS
Greenville, N. Carolina

JULIUS BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Greenville, N. Carolina

ALBION DUNN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Office in Shelburn building, on Third street
Practices where services desired.
Greenville, N. Carolina

OWEN H. GUION W. E. RODMAN GUION
GUION & GUION
Attorneys at Law
Practices where services required, especially in the counties of Craven, Carteret, Jones Pamlico, and State and Federal Courts.
Office 40 Broad Street
Phone 193. NEW BERN, N. C.

"BACK TO THE FARM"

THE high cost of living, or the "cost of high living," as James J. Hill puts it, is a subject which just now is engrossing the attention of the entire nation. The cost of the necessities of life has been steadily increasing since 1896. The symptoms have been viewed with increasing alarm by nearly all classes. Within the last year the matter has reached an acute stage. The average increase in the cost of necessities from Jan. 1, 1900, to Jan. 1, 1910, was 11.7 per cent. The increase over July 1, 1896, was 61 per cent.

The wage and salary earners in the cities have seen the "bread line" gradually drawing closer. The margin between income and expenses, narrow at best, has shrunk to the vanishing point. All this while newspapers have been shouting prosperity, forgetful of the old maxim that "the real prosperity of a nation is the citizen's margin of saving."

Whatever the cause of this increase in the cost of necessities, and comforts, there are but two ways in which the citizen as an individual can meet it. The first is to increase his income,

L—The Growth of the Cities and the Increased Cost of Living.

By C. V. GREGORY,
Author of "Home Course in Live Stock Farming," "Making Money on the Farm," "Home Course in Modern Agriculture," Etc.
Copyright, 1910, by American Press Association.

Living is but the product of civilization, however, and is something to be encouraged rather than discouraged. Furthermore, it is responsible in but a small degree for the increase in the cost of living. The increase in the standard of living has manifested itself most strongly in better houses, better clothing and more conveniences. Yet the great increase in cost has been not in these materials, but in food. Between July 1, 1896, and Jan. 1, 1910, breadstuffs and live stock increased in price 108 per cent. During the same period the increase in the textiles was 73 per cent, in metals 65 per cent and in building materials only 15 per cent. That luxurious living has had much to do with the increased prices cannot be denied. That it is wholly responsible is far from the truth.

If we are to seek the real cause of this crisis that confronts our country we must go back to the old cause of supply and demand, coupled with other factors that have grown out of this. The period from 1870 to 1895 was the period of development of the middle west, the bread basket of the world. Here were lands of unparalleled fertility that had merely to be scratched to give forth their bountiful supplies. The result was that the markets of the world were flooded with foodstuffs.

By 1896 the middle west was pretty well settled. The bloom of its virgin fertility had been removed. Soon the days of using corn for fuel and wheat to feed the hogs were past. Prices of farm products began to rise. If there had been no other factor entering in they would soon have reached a normal level, and the readjustment would have come with little trouble. Unfortunately the tide of population toward the cities had become too strong to be turned in a day.

From 1880 to 1900 the percentage of farmers decreased from 44.3 to 35.6 a decrease of 8.7 per cent. During the same period the percentage of persons engaged in manufacturing increased from 21.8 to 24.3. This increase of 2.5 per cent is no more than normal and may be accounted for by the increase in the standard of living and the consequent demand for manufactured articles. The increase in professional lines during this time was eight-tenths of 1 per cent, while the number of persons engaged in domestic and personal service decreased one-tenth of 1 per cent.

The great increase came in the number of persons engaged in trade and transportation, an increase of 5.5 per cent. Of the 16.3 per cent of the working people engaged in trade and transportation in 1900 only nine-tenths were engaged in transportation proper. The others, 15.4 per cent of all the people of the United States who work, were simply middlemen. Complete figures since 1900 are not available, but the cityward trend has increased rather than diminished.

Here is the true explanation of the high cost of living. There are more than one-third as many men engaged in distributing food as there are in producing it. The consumer's dollar is worn thin before it gets to the producer. The 10,000,000 men who farm must supply food to the 7,000,000 people who are working in the factories.



OVERCROWDED TENEMENT DISTRICT IN A GREAT CITY.

to the 12,000,000 people who are doing nonproductive work and to the 40,000,000 people who do not work at all. And because the changed ratio of supply and demand are enabling the farmer to make a profit where before he worked at a loss there is a great outcry over the high cost of living. This outcry will not change things in the least. Neither will boycotts, nor anti-meat societies.

There is only one remedy, a reversal of the tide of population. The abnormal growth of cities must be checked. Farming must be restored to its proper place in the industrial world. In the succeeding articles we shall note some of the forces that are bringing this about.

DO YOU DRIVE TO TOWN?



This farmer telephoned and stayed at home.
This farmer went to market.

And find the market unfavorable for your produce? The farmer who has a telephone in his home can telephone first. The useless trips thus saved are worth the cost of service.

Under our plan the service costs but a trifle; the farmer owns the instrument and the equipment. For information write to our nearest Manager for pamphlet, or address:
Farmers' Line Department
HOME TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.
Henderson, N. C.

J. S. MOORING

Now in Sam White Store on Five Points. More room and larger stock. Come to see me.
GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Just a Little Too Smart.

A scrubwoman in a Paris theater found a magnificent diamond stonemacher in a box in sweeping up. The honest old soul determined to restore the stonemacher to its owner, and the owner, of course, wasn't long in turning up, a young woman splendidly dressed and on the verge of hysteria. "Oh, have you found my stonemacher?" she cried. "It is a chef d'oeuvre of Lalique of the Place Vendome." "Calm yourself, madame," said the scrubwoman. "Here is your stonemacher." And she produced it from her pocket. "The other took out a fifty dollar bill, pressed it on the honest scrubwoman and departed with her stonemacher hurriedly. But an hour later another lady called. "Have you found my stonemacher?" she asked, smiling. "I think I left it in my box." "Why, yes, madame, but if it was your stonemacher," said the scrubwoman, "a thief has got it. She got it this morning. She gave me \$50 reward." "Why, the stonemacher was imitation," the lady said. "It only cost \$5. Your thief is \$45 out."

Mr. Gladstone's Catch.

"How many members of this house," asked Mr. Gladstone once in the course of a debate on electoral qualifications, "can divide £1,330 17s. 6d. by £2 13s. 6d.?"

"Six hundred and fifty-eight," shouted one member.

"The thing cannot be done," exclaimed another.

A roar of laughter greeted this last remark. But it was true nevertheless. You cannot multiply or divide money by money. You may repeat a smaller sum of money as many times as it is contained in a larger sum of money, but that is a very different thing. If you repeat 5 shillings as often as there are hairs in a horse's tail you do not multiply 5 shillings by a horse's tail. Perhaps you did not know this before. Never mind; you need not be ashamed of your ignorance, for it was shared, as has been demonstrated, by the entire house of commons (bar one member), including the then-chancellor of the exchequer.

A MISSISSIPPI ENTHUSIAST

Mrs. Lena Gresham, of Clinton, Miss., has a Few Facts to Tell Our Readers About Cardui.

Clinton, Miss.—"Thanks to Cardui," writes Mrs. Lena Gresham, of this place, "I have been greatly relieved."

"I suffered for three years from female inflammation, and had taken medicine from four different physicians without much benefit.

"I have received more benefit from seven bottles of Cardui, than from all the physicians."

Just try Cardui. That's all we ask. It speaks for itself. It has helped so many thousands, it must be able to help you.

Trying Cardui won't hurt you. It is safe, harmless, gentle in action, and purely vegetable.

If you are weak, tired, down and out, try Cardui.
If you are sick, miserable, and suffer from womanly pains, like headache, backache, dragging feelings; pains in side, arms, legs, etc.—try Cardui.
It is the medicine for all women.
It is the tonic for you.

ESTABLISHED 1875 S. M. SCHULTZ

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, Syrup, Jelly, Meat, Flour, Sugar Coffee, Soap, Lye, Magic Food, Matches, Oil Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, Garden Seeds, Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies, Dried Apples, Peaches, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Glass, and Chinaware, Woodenware, Cakes and Crackers, Macaroni, Cheese, best Butter, New Royal Sewing Machines, and numerous other goods. Quality and quantity cheap, for cash. Come to see me.

S. M. SCHULTZ

S. J. Nobles

MODERN BARBER SHOP
Nicely furnished, everything clean and attractive, working the very best barbers. Second to none in the state.
Cosmetics a specialty.
Opposite J. R. J. G. Moye

CHOICE CUT FLOWERS

Write, phone or wire,
J. L. O'QUINN & CO., RALEIGH, N. C.
Your Wants as they are headquarters for everything in the Florist's Line.
Phone No. 149.

Funerals in England.
At the time of Queen Victoria's funeral a writer in the Undertaker's Journal complained that, while royal funerals were still conducted in an impressive manner, a sad lack of ceremonial distinguished the funerals of the nobility. "Item after item has been abandoned, idea after idea has been dropped, each meaning a distinct loss to our business. An undertaker in the west end, referring to the recent death of a noble lord, confided to me: 'Forty years ago I buried a member of that family, and the funeral bill came to £1,250 (\$6,250). Ten years later I buried another, when it came to just over £700 (\$3,500). Fifteen years ago I buried a third, at a cost of £320 (\$1,600), but the bill for this one did not reach £75 (\$375).'"

"SAITO"

How seldom it is that one can purchase for a small figure a fabric that will give entire satisfaction, both in looks and wear. Brilliant in colorings and will not fade, though in contact with either sunshine or shower, in fact a beautiful SILK that will wash like white linen, retaining its beauty of color and quality.

"SAITO"

is the only Silk that will do this. Have you seen this

New Fabric?

Many will try to imitate this new creation of the manufacturer's art. Few will succeed.

J. R. & J. G. MOYE

ALONE SELLS IT IN GREENVILLE. THEY ALSO RECOMMEND IT TO WEAR, and GUARANTEE IT TO WASH.

"SAITO SILK"

J. R. & J. G. Moye

Style Leaders :: Greenville, N. C.

IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH US

How About Your Home?

Is it comfortably furnished? If not you would find it interesting to visit our store and look over our stock of FURNITURE and HOUSE-FURNISHINGS. Everything needed from Parlor to Kitchen at prices that will make you sit up and take notice.

J. H. BOYD, JR.

THE BEST IN

Furniture

and House Furnishings

is not too good for you. When you want the best, and prices that are in reach of your pocket book we can supply your wants.

Taft & Boyd Furniture Co.

If you trade with us we both make money

You Are Probably Planning a Vacation Trip

Cheaspeake Line Steamers

Leave NORFOLK daily (except Sunday) 6:15 P. M. for BALTIMORE with direct rail connections for Eastern Cities and resort points.

Elegantly Appointed Steamers. Unsurpassed Service.

Summer Excursion Rates.

For further information and stateroom reservations, write C. L. CHANDLER, G. A. F. R. McMILLIN, T. P. A. NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN.
A Certain Relief for Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Colic, Diarrhea, and Destructive Worms. They Break up Colic in 24 hours. At All Drug Stores. Don't accept a substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address: A. S. OLSTED, Le Roy, N. Y.

TESTING FIRE CLAY.

The Most Practical Method is to Literally Eat It.

Fire clay has been in use for centuries, and yet I believe the industry is one which lacks definite laws more than any other, including those which are either modern or ancient and of less prominence. You can go to a manufacturer of steel and specify what you want by actual figures or statements and you can check the product by chemical analysis or mechanical tests and thus make sure you get what you need. The producer knows how to combine certain elements and what quantities of various kinds to combine in order to get a result at least very closely approaching what you call for, but not so in the fire clay business. In the past the most skilled and highest salaried chemists have been employed through investigations on the natural product and to study the workings of certain manufactured and elaborated articles derived therefrom. The result has been, generally speaking, confusion worse confounded. Two professors, working at similar times on brick or clay obtained from the same source and manufactured under exactly equal conditions, have recorded diametrically opposed conclusions! The same scientists at different periods have reached vastly varying conclusions when testing identical quantities and shapes of bricks, so can you wonder if a prominent fire clay manufacturer should exclaim, as I heard one on an occasion after having the above experience, "All tests of fire clay are empirical, and I would sooner trust our superintendent to pick and select his clays in the old fashioned way than pay a high fee for a highbrow's recommendations?" The chief method of testing fire clay by a practical man is literally to eat it. He can detect grit and sand best by that method, and a good fire clay (free from silica, quartzite or flint clay) is free from grit. His only other personal test is by experiment.—Engineering Magazine.

A CHINESE BANQUET.

Culinary Mysteries That Bewildered an Englishwoman.

One moment we were eating ducks' eggs whose blackened, lime flavored whites indicated that their age was unimpeachable; the next we were grappling with sea weeds, macaroni and the slippery sharks' fins that eluded our clumsily manipulated sticks. Now we tackled—not without fear—unknown meats and vegetables cooked in sugar, fresh shrimps, mushrooms from Mongolia, young bamboo sprouts, pigeons' eggs and a hundred different foreign tasting messes. Then clean plates were given to us, and bowls of sickly pink sirup, sweet potato and Indian corn cakes of dusky hue were set before each one. These were only crevice fillers and concluded the first and lighter portion of the repast. Now came the real substantial meal, where in every dish had an accompaniment of smaller ones, containing gravies, etc., in which to dip the morsel taken from the central bowl.

There was stewed duck cooked without salt, roast sucking pig, forcemeat balls and chicken; there were soups of birds' nest, of room, of vegetables and of sea slug. There was grilled fresh water fish, which, according to custom, was helped from the top side only, for the Chinese remembers his servant. And, finally, at the conclusion the inevitable small bowl of rice and rice water was set before each person.

After some three hours, with a feeling of thankfulness that all was over, pipes, cigarettes and tea were served, and it seemed to me that the delicious aroma which rose from the latter soothed our senses and almost dispelled the antipathy that had been growing on us for all things Chinese.—Mary Moore in London Express.

The Kind Needed.

"Dear me," said the first young woman, taking her initial lesson in golf, "what shall I do now? This ball is in a hole!"

"Well, let me see," said her companion, rapidly turning the leaves of a book of instructions. "I presume you will have to take a stick of the right shape to get it out."

"Oh, yes; of course," was the somewhat cynical reply. "Well, see if you can find one shaped like a dustpan and brush."—New York Tribune.

Kissing in Iceland.

Among old time laws against kissing those of Iceland appear to have been the most severe. Banishment was the penalty laid down for kissing another man's wife, either with or without her consent. The same punishment was enforced for kissing an unmarried woman against her will; if it could be proved that she had consented to be kissed the offender was still liable to a fine of a great quantity of cloth for each offense.

Best Intentions.

Mamma—Johnny, what is the baby yelling about? Johnny—Nothing. I just took his milk and showed him how to drink it.—Cleveland Leader.

Learn to say "No," and it will be of more use to you than to be able to read Latin.—Spurgeon.

NOTHING IN IT



That is, in using a RUBBER STAMP when well printed letter heads give such a Business Air to your Business

LET US PRINT YOUR STATIONERY.

A QUEER UNIVERSITY.

Cairo Has the World's Oldest Educational Institution.

"When we think of Harvard or Yale, the former dating from 1638 and the latter from 1701, we think of them as old universities," says a writer in the American Educational Review; "but when we pass to the other side of the world we discover that even the oldest American universities are in reality very young institutions."

"The oldest educational institution in the world is the University of El Ashar, Cairo, founded in the year 688 by the great Saladin. It is the central seat of learning for the whole Mohammedan world, as well as a fountain of spiritual life. It occupies an ancient mosque in the Arab quarter of Cairo, surrounded by a confusing maze of narrow streets where the population is made up of representatives of every race that follows the prophet."

"The old mosque covers several acres and consists of a series of courts surrounded by long cloisters with low roofs supported by forests of columns. The floors of red tiles are covered daily by a multitude of men and boys, squatting in semicircles around their teachers, who sit with their backs to the columns lecturing in monotonous tones."

"The chancellor of the university is always a descendant of the prophet and is usually a man of ability and learning. He occupies apartments in El Ashar and is not only the supreme educational but the ecclesiastical head of the church of Egypt."

"There is no organization similar to that in modern universities. Any reputable man who desires to teach can obtain the privilege by application and is assigned a column where he may sit and impart the truth as he thinks proper. His fame or ability will attract more or less students and disciples, who pay him fees according to their means."

THE SCOLD'S BRIDLE.

Brutal Punishment to Which Women Were Once Subjected.

The brank, or scold's bridle, or gossip's bridle, was neither more nor less than a muzzle. It was in general use in Great Britain from the sixteenth to the eighteenth century, and in Scotland as well women were muzzled for certain offenses, some at least of them more imaginary than real. The instrument of torture, even a dog's leather muzzle, is uncomfortable. How much more the scold's muzzle! It consisted, according to a high authority, Mr. W. Jewitt, of a kind of crown or framework of iron, which was locked upon the head, and it was armed in front with a gag, a plate or a sharp cutting knife or point, which was placed in the poor woman's mouth so as to prevent her moving her tongue, or it was so placed that if she did move it or attempt to speak it was cut in a most frightful manner. With this cage upon her head and with the gag firmly pressed and locked against her tongue the miserable creature, whose sole offending perhaps was that she raised her voice in defense of her social rights against a brutal and besotted husband or had spoken honest truth of some one high in office in her town, was paraded through the streets, led by a chain by the hand of a bellman, the beadle or the constable or chained to the pillory, the whipping post or market cross, to be subjected to every conceivable insult and degradation, without even the power left her of asking for mercy or of promising amendment for the future, and when the punishment was over she was turned out from the town hall or the place where the brutal punishment had been inflicted, maimed, disfigured, bleeding, faint and degraded, to be the subject of comment and jeering among her neighbors.—London Family Herald.

Colors of the Stars.

Although there is no relation apparent between the two phenomena, yet it is interesting to recall the fact that among the stars certain colors appear to characterize different stages of change, or evolution. Red stars, according to the testimony of the spectroscope, differ widely in their constitution from white or yellow ones, and it has been thought that varying colors may give a clew to progressive changes in the heavenly bodies. Sirius, for instance, is said to have changed from red to white, and some have suspected that Arcturus is fading from red toward yellow.

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 6-8
Peanuts		
Fancy	4 1/2	4 1/2
Strictly Prime	4 1/4	4 1/4
Prime	4	4
Low Grades	3	3

New York Future Market

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

	13 77	13 87
October	13 64	13 75
December	13 59	13 70

Chicago Markets

	104 1-2	104 1-2
September Wheat	63 1-9	60
September Corn		
October Ribs	11 30	11 27
October Ribs	10 85	10 92
Lard:		
September	11 45	11 45
October Lard	11 37	11 35

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Aug. 9.—There was another big break in cotton today on reports of rain in Texas. Liverpool had a break of about 12 points, after firm and higher start, due entirely to rain news. Prices rallied sharply after call. Opening: August, 16.04; September, 14.75; October, 13.75; January, 13.58.

New York, Aug. 9.—Stock market showed good deal of irregularity at opening and in early trading, with changes about evenly divided between gains and losses. Canadian Pacific rose about 2 points and other leading railroads followed. Amalgamated metal was weak, falling about one point. Steel Common receded 1/4 point under Pittsburg selling.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Wheat was under pressure and lower. Corn firmer. Oats also held up well and showed a firm tendency. Provisions higher with hogs.

A Proud Moment.

"The proudest day of her life, this is," said the woman who watched the third floor bride go out dressed in her prettiest frock.

"How do you make that out?" said another woman enviously. "I thought last Thursday was her proudest day. She got married then."

"Ah, yes, but today she goes calling for the first time and leaves one of her husband's cards with her own. Any married woman who can remember back that far will tell you that the first time she distributed the calling cards of some man who belonged to her was the day she truly felt her importance."—New York Sun.

When the Barber Was a Wit.

In original literature the barber is a great figure, and Arabian tales are full of him. In Italy and Spain he was often the brightest man in town, and his shop was headquarters for wit and intrigue. Jasamin became famous as a poet in southern France and recited his verses with razor, scissors, brush and comical gesture as he dressed the hair of fine ladies and gentlemen in his shop. He had a great run, made money, lived fame, and Smiles made a book about him.

Hadn't Heard It.

"Money talks," asserted Gilder-sleeve.

"I am not so sure of that," retorted Throckmorton. "It is not on speaking terms with me."—Detroit Free Press.

Of Course Not.

If a man really loves a woman of course he wouldn't marry her for the world if he were not quite sure he was the best person she could by any possibility marry.—Holmes.

Too Rusty.

Lady (after singing a few rusty notes)—Don't you think my voice should be brought out? Manager—No; pushed back.

Cobb Bros. & Co.

NORFOLK, VA.

Cotton Buyers, Brokers in Stock, Cotton, Grain and Provisions

PRIVATE WIRE to New York, Chicago and New Orleans.

J. W. Perry & Co.

NORFOLK, VA.

Cotton Factors and handlers of Baggings, Ties and Bags.

Correspondence and shipment solicited.

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. 27dtf

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

COLLARD PLANTS—PLANT THEM now. Ollen E. Warren, Florist. 8 11

PEARS FOR EATING AND PRESERVING. For sale by Mrs. R. M. Hearne. 8 10

HENS NOT STUPID.

Merely Follow Natural Instincts Left Them by Their Ancestors.

Every automobilist knows that when his car approaches a hen instead of calmly stepping to the side of the road and safety in nine cases out of ten she runs along ahead in hysterical excitement, doing what she should have done in the first place only when completely exhausted and then only by accident apparently. Other domestic animals have the same annoying habit, and as it often causes their wholly needless death, the usual explanation of it is their stupidity. That is an unfair criticism, for neither birds nor animals are ever stupid—never are, that is, about meeting exigencies which their ancestors were in the habit of meeting.

It is the lesson of immemorial experience for all these creatures that from the pursuit of an enemy that cannot be fought there is safety if anywhere in straightaway flight at topmost speed. Motion in any other direction would give the pursuer a fatal advantage by enabling him to "cut corners" and cover a shorter distance than his selected prey. The hen's mistake is not in running along the road, but in assuming that the automobile wants to catch her and will do so if it can. That assumption is a perfectly natural one, and every living hen is the descendant of innumerable generations of hens that acted upon it exactly as she does.—New York Times.

GOLD LEAF.

Made Now Practically as It Was Made Nine Centuries Ago.

In an article on gold leaf in the Magazine of Commerce John Mastin says that just as the date of the discovery of gold is too remote even to be guessed at so is the origin of gold leaf lost in antiquity.

On some of the most ancient mummies discovered gold leaf has been used on the skin, tongue, teeth, etc., and in some instances on the coffins also. It also appears on tombs, monuments and the like, and, strange to say, though gliding with "thin sheets of hammered gold" and "skins of gold"—otherwise gold leaf—was known to be practiced at least in the eighth century B. C., the process of bringing the gold into these fine sheets or "skins" was, at any rate in the eleventh century A. D., substantially the same as that used today, no advance whatever having been made in the intervening nine centuries.

Further, on some of the Grecian pottery of the fifth century the gold leaf used is as thin as that used today, so that in results obtained also we have not advanced in the least, but still keep practically to the same average thickness as that used on the Egyptian coffins of the third century A. D. and most of the Greek vases of the fifth.

Brougham and Milled Port.

Lord Brougham who as a member of the house of commons was a most abstemious man, upon his promotion to the peerage acquired less commendable habits. During his long and impassioned appeal to the lords to refrain from rejecting the reform bill of 1832 "five tumblers of milled port, with a dash of brandy, were brought to him at intervals." When he came to his last sentence ("I warn you, I implore you—yes, on my bended knee I supplicate you—reject not this bill") he knelt on the woollack, whence he slipped to the floor. It is recorded in the "Lives of the Lord Chancellors" that "he remained some time as if in prayer, but his friends, alarmed lest he should be suffering from the effects of milled port, picked him up and placed him safely on the woollack."