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GRAND JURY REPORT.

Recommendations Made Touching Public Matters.

The grand jury of the August term of Superior court, submitted the following report:

That we visited the home of the aged and infirm, and found everything clean and apparently in good order.

We further find that the superintendent of the county home and the superintendent of health are "at outs." That the superintendent of the home has failed to visit the Campbells for at least a month.

We recommend that the superintendent of the home raise a sufficient amount of vegetables to feed his family and patients.

We further recommend most emphatically that the superintendent of health be removed at once. This seems to us the most advisable way of settling this dispute or difficulty, and we recommend that the county commissioners attend to this matter at once.

Your grand jury recommend that the township board of supervisors apply to the county commissioners for the excess of funds in the treasury to apply to the worst places on their roads, and to pay a man not to exceed \$2 a day to superintend this work. Provided nothing in this recommendation is to be construed into any reflection upon the present method of disposing of said funds, or is intended to hamper the chain force.

The committee who examined the jail found it in as good condition as circumstances will permit. We examined the register of deeds office and the clerk's and found them in excellent condition with the exception of some of the records which were badly damaged by water during the late fire, and we would especially recommend that those records be rebound and some of them be re-written; and we would further recommend that a suitable place be provided for the safe keeping of the records as soon as possible, as they are in great danger of being destroyed where they are.

A. J. MOYE, Foreman.

TEDDY WITH THE COWBOYS.

Is Given Real Western Welcome in Wyoming.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chyenno, Wyo., Aug. 27.—Theodore Roosevelt is in the hands of his friends and the town has gone wild over him. The ex-president got here this morning after a long whirl across the continent. He found the cowboys and cowgirls of the plains, Indians in paint and feathers and visitors in city attire, all ready to whoop it up for him. The colonel was greeted with great cheering as his train pulled into the station. "Teddy, Teddy!" roared the crowd, "We've got you at last." They overwhelmed him with handshaking and he said: "You make me very glad I came here." The enthusiasm of the city is unbounded and it is doubtful if the colonel ever received such another welcome anywhere.

Aviator Falls in River.

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Aug. 27.—J. C. Moss, a New York aviator, while flying over the Narrows off Fort Wadsworth, fell into the water this morning. He was picked up by a boat and was not hurt. The machine was wrecked. His engine stopped in mid air, causing the fall.

Fight Pictures at Virginia Beach

The Norfolk Southern Railroad calls attention to the placing of the scenes of the recent Jeffries-Johnson prize fight in a moving picture show at Virginia Beach. The pictures are on continuous exhibition throughout the day, and persons who go on the week end trip to the beach can see them.

Crippen and LeNeve to London.

By Cable to The Reflector.

Liverpool, Aug. 27.—Dr. H. S. Crippen and Miss Ethel LeNeve arrived here today. They were taken aboard a special train and started at once for London. In spite of the effort of Inspector Dew to conceal their movements, a large crowd had gathered.

If your mouth is full or your head empty, don't attempt to talk.

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Gathered From Our Exchanges Today of Events Just Happened.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 26.—Mr. Kyser, local manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company at this place, committed suicide here today by shooting himself with a .38-caliber pistol. He had been in the employ of the company since he was thirteen years of age. He was unmarried and highly respected by the company and a large circle of friends.

A rather serious complication has arisen at Goldsboro from the crossing of the Norfolk Southern railroad tracks by the Goldsboro Electric Company which operates a street car line in Goldsboro Sunday night, the street car company, in extending its lines to a park in the suburbs of the city, crossed the railroad company's tracks, without so much as "by your leave."

The railroad company early this morning had a force of hands to remove the street car company's tracks from across the railroad company's tracks and right of way and carried "it" off. This aroused the indignation of the merchants of Goldsboro, who in reprisal pronounced a boycott against the Norfolk Southern railroad company, and notified the company to cancel all their orders for shipment over its lines.—Kinston Free Press.

Wilmington, Aug. 26.—At Carolina Beach there came near being a double tragedy this afternoon, when two young ladies, Misses Pauline Osborne and Sallie Oldham, went beyond their depth and were caught by an undertow. They were being rapidly swept out to sea, when their plight was noticed by Mr. W. P. Oldham, jr., who was in the surf with them, and he went to their assistance. They were some distance beyond the shore line and it was with great difficulty that the young man brought the ladies safely to the shore.

Wilson, August 26.—Last evening, near Saratoga, Albert Galloway, struck his father, James Galloway, over the head with a barbecue stick. This morning at sunrise the father applied to a justice of the peace in Saratoga for a warrant. Just as the paper had been issued the old gentleman fell and up to six o'clock this afternoon he had not regained consciousness. In default of a five hundred dollar bond the young man was placed in the Wilson jail.

Pittsboro, Aug. 26.—The Pittsboro train, which makes connection with 38 and 41 at Moncure, was wrecked this morning after a long whirl across the continent. He found the cowboys and cowgirls of the plains, Indians in paint and feathers and visitors in city attire, all ready to whoop it up for him. The colonel was greeted with great cheering as his train pulled into the station. "Teddy, Teddy!" roared the crowd, "We've got you at last." They overwhelmed him with handshaking and he said: "You make me very glad I came here." The enthusiasm of the city is unbounded and it is doubtful if the colonel ever received such another welcome anywhere.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The Cases That Have Been Disposed of Since Last Report.

George Alston, rape; not guilty. Bryant Telfair and Arch Wiggins, larceny; both guilty; sentenced to twelve months each on roads.

Sifax Fleming, embezzlement, enters plea of nolo contendere, judgment suspended upon payment of costs and paying Caesar Blount \$150. Willis Harrington, attempt to poison; not guilty.

R. N. Nichols, assault with deadly weapon; not guilty.

Sherman on Speaking Tour.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Vice President Sherman arrived in Chicago this morning prepared to open his speaking itinerary in Illinois. He speaks this afternoon at Clinton, at Chataqua meeting. At Decatur tonight he is supposed to sound the key note of the coming campaign, but he would give no inkling of what he intends to say. "I have nothing to say about anything," he told the reporters, and that was all.

Officers of Eagles.

By Wire to The Reflector.

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—State Senator Thomas F. Grady, of New York, was elected president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and John H. Parris, of San Francisco, vice president, at the meeting of Grand Aerie here this morning.

But every man is not a hero even from his own point of view.

WINTERVILLE CORRESPONDENCE.

Items of Interest From our Hustling Neighbor, About its People.

Winterville, N. C., Aug. 7, 1910. Messrs. J. L. Rollins and Ernest Cox went to Ayden Wednesday night. Miss Pattie Dwell, after spending a few days with Misses Mimie and Dora Cox, returned to her home in Williamston Wednesday.

Some of our young people have been attending services at Bethany this week.

The A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company are selling a good number of buggies. Tobacco curing is over and ridding is in order.

Mrs. Octavia Norwood returned today to her home in Raleigh. She has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cox.

Mr. J. R. Carroll went to Greenville today.

Those "Tar Heel" wagons manufactured by the A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company must be what the farmers want, judging from the way they are being rolled out.

Mr. R. H. Hunsucker went to Greenville Thursday.

Messrs. J. B. Kittrell, P. T. Anthony and Will Cannon, of Greenville, were in town yesterday.

Some of our young men gave the girls a surprise hay-ride last night, and all got a surprise wetting. However, they report a jolly good time.

It must be near the time for the schools around to open up for work. We note that the A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company are shipping school desks in any quantities.

Messrs. J. D. and A. G. Cox went to Greenville yesterday.

Rev. M. A. Adams went to Ahoskie this morning.

There has been a revival going on at the Free Will Baptist church this week. Rev. Denton and Smith have been doing the preaching.

Delightful "At Home."

Misses Mimie and Dora Cox of Winterville, were at home Monday evening, August 22, to a host of friends in and about the village. Miss Pattie Dwell, of Williamston, was the guest of honor.

The largest social gathering of the season expressed the hearty appreciation of more than fifty young people for the invitations received.

The cordial greeting accorded the guests at the door made them feel at once the at home air. Soon they scattered in groups of twos and threes and more to porch and swings and cozy corners that awaited their coming. Japanese lanterns everywhere made the moon timid about rising, but at her appearance she was still queen. All the while from the parlor came vocal and instrumental strains, rendered so gracefully, by Misses Janie Kittrell, Olive Butt, Venetia Cox and the honored guests. Cards tied with bows and bells were distributed, and it was not long before beaux and bells were mated.

Then came a floral contest in which Mr. Jim Braxton with Miss Bertha Carroll, and Mr. Joe Kittrell with Miss Essie Hardee tied for the prize—a beautiful copy of "Lala Rookh." Fate decided for Mr. Kittrell and his partner. Mr. F. F. Cox with Miss Olive Butt, won the booby prize and both were presented in a fitting speech by Mr. J. R. Carroll.

The hostess led the way to the dining room, tastefully decorated in vines and cut flowers, the color scheme being pink and white. Cake and ices in the adopted colors were served.

There was more music and laughter and fun, until all knew that it was time to say good night. So with expressions of genuine pleasure for an evening made glad by such gracious hostesses, the guests departed. Then the lanterns grew dark and only the moon was left.

On Thursday night, about thirty of our fathers and mothers and a few others met in the grove at Dr. B. T. Cox's home. After some planning, they marched over to Mrs. Maggie Butts'.

Mrs. Butt was busily engaged in her home affairs and did not dream of what was happening. There were roars of laughter as Mrs. Butt came forward to meet her caller. But instead of finding the expected caller, she found about thirty of the unexpected ones.

It soon became evident from the pleasant smiles and greetings that the situation was understood, and all were seated on the porch to enjoy a pleasant season in the breeze. After about an hour of pleasant conversation, some splendid lemonade was served and music was rendered. Then quite a number engaged in sing-

POINTS ON PIGEONS.

Good Homers Are a Profitable Investment if They Have Wise Care.

If you want to make pocket-money by selling squabs be sure to buy good stock, pure homers in pairs, ready mated. Pigeons are very faithful, remaining paired for years. If accident separates them, it is often impossible to get either to accept strange mates that season. Avoid having odd birds; it causes fights and destroys the nesting.

If you should have to pair birds yourself, put them into a two-compartment cage. If you haven't one, make a division with wire netting through the middle of a case three feet long, with a netting door to cover the whole front. Put a bird in each compartment, and when they kiss and coo through the netting they can be put together for two or three days, after which it will be safe to put them in the breeding house. They will soon commence to build their nest by carrying a few bits of hay, or whatever the nesting material may be, into one of the earthenware or wooden nests.

The hen bird lays two eggs, with one day between. Sixteen to eighteen days are required to hatch. Both the old birds have the power to create a digested food, almost a liquid, called by fanciers "pigeons' milk," with which they feed the young for four or five days. Then they are gradually accustomed to eat grain and grit.

About the fifteenth day the nest in the second compartment is built, and again the mother bird lays two eggs and proceeds to incubate them, leaving the first pair of babies principally to the care of the father bird, until at the end of thirty days, you relieve him by taking them for market. This double family continues all through the year with good homers, well cared for, except when they are molting.

Red wheat and cracked corn, mixed is the best food to keep permanently before pigeons. Two or three times a week give them a treat of Canada peas, hemp seed, stale bread, and Kaffir corn.—The Delineator.

APPEALING FOR AID.

President Asked to Help Check the Forest Fires.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 27.—An appeal to President Taft for help to check the forest fires was sent today by the Washington Forest Fire Association, Washington Conservative Association, and other organized bodies. The appeal is for the president to have all guns in forts of the northeast discharged at 8 a. m., daily in the hope of bringing rain. The request was made yesterday and granted by the navy but refused by the army chiefs. Hence, the appeal direct to the president. The situation in Montana and Idaho continues to improve, but in Oregon and Washington there is still considerable damage.

A Good Workman.

There is nothing like being a good workman and knowing how to do a thing. When the wreck of the burned jail was being torn down to make room for the new county buildings, and everything had been removed but the iron cells, a problem was confronted as to how to get them apart so they could be removed. Nobody about the work seemed to know just how to proceed with the job and the task went begging for the time being. Finally Chairman Quinley, of the board of commissioners, called Mr. R. Greene to look at the job, and the latter said he could get the old cells out of the way. That is just what he did, and was not long about it, either.

Mr. Sam Flake has opened a harness repair shop in the Perkins building, on Fourth street, near the express office.

Singing hymns that were most familiar to the mothers, and they were sung with such sweetness that our souls feasted.

After the singing and music, prayer was offered, and then good-night was said. We were made to feel sad while bidding Mrs. Butt this farewell as she is going to leave us to take a position in a school near Winston-Salem.

Our best wishes go with Mrs. Butt and family to their new home.

PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The People Who Come and go on Our Trains.

Prof. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson and Mrs. Mangum have returned from Beaufort.

Mrs. Nannie Bagwell and two children have returned from Roanoke, Va., where they had been visiting.

Miss Lucy Outterbridge returned Friday from a visit to Grifton.

Mrs. M. D. Higgs left Friday for New Bern.

Senator and Mrs. Jarvis and Mrs. Howell Cobb, of Raleigh, are amongst the most prominent arrivals at Lincoln Litchia. They spent yesterday at the Selwyn, going to Lincoln in the afternoon. The many Charlotte friends of the Senator and Mrs. Jarvis hope they will tarry here on the return trip. It is ever a pleasure to be in their distinguished presence.—Charlotte News.

Miss Nancy Coward, of Greenville, is the guest of Miss Myrtle Whitaker on Queen street.—Kinston Free Press.

Prof. and Mrs. R. H. Wright and children, have returned from Snow Hill.

Mr. S. J. Everett went to Oak City today.

Miss Marguerite Higgs went to Scotland Neck today.

Messrs. C. R. Townsend and W. B. Wilson went to Ayden today.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Where You can Worship Tomorrow in Greenville.

Episcopal—Sunday school at 9.45 a. m. Lay service at 11 a. m.

Christian—Sunday school and Baraca class meet at 9.45 a. m.

Baptist—Sunday school, Baraca and Philathea classes meet at 9.30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8.15 p. m.

Methodist—Rev. Jno. H. Shore, pastor. Sunday school at 9.30. The Baraca and Philathea classes will meet at the same hour. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8.15 p. m., by the pastor. Subject of morning sermon: "The Heavenly City and the Tabernacle of God With Men." Evening: "The Greatest Word in the Vocabulary of Christian Character."

To the Voters of Pitt County

I take this method of saying to the voters of Pitt county, that if I am elected to the office of Clerk of the Superior court for two successive terms, that I will retire without any reservation or equivocation, at the end of two terms. I do this, because I believe that rotation in office is just and that the young manhood should be stimulated to look forward to something for themselves or their friends and that it is for the best interest of the party for which I have given my best service to promote and maintain. It is probably, not generally known in Pitt county, that no man has been elected, since the civil war to the office of clerk of the Superior court for more than three terms in succession. It is now a matter with the people, as to whether they will reverse this time honored custom, or still preserve it and thereby be in unison with, and follow the example of the immortal George Washington, who, after having served faithfully, his country in office for two terms, voluntarily retired, loved and honored by all his countrymen.

J. D. COX.

Winterville, N. C., Aug. 27.

Conscience-Stricken People.

The Statesville Landmark, quoting from an Atlanta paper an incident of a conscience-stricken man returning 95 cents for a watermelon he had stolen 30 years ago, says: "If all the folks who have stolen watermelons were to feel called on to pay for them, business would be suspended in melon-growing sections until the rush was over." Yes; and what do you suppose would be the effect on the umbrella trade if people should suddenly begin to return stolen umbrellas?—Charlotte Chronicle.

Munsey Auto Tour.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 27.—Munsey tourists left here this morning for Washington, on the last part of their tour. Only 13 cars out of 25 starting now have perfect scores.

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
9.40 a. m.	4.14 p. m.
12.41 a. m.	3.53 a. m.
6.30 p. m.	7.51 a. m.

The Weather:

Unsettled weather, showers in east portion tonight or Sunday; cooler in northeast portion tonight; moderate to brisk northeast and east winds.

Aug. 27 in American History.

1809—Hannibal Hamlin, statesman, vice president 1861-5, born; died 1891.

1847—Silas Wright, statesman and governor of New York, died; born 1795.

1905—President Roosevelt made final appeal to the mikado to modify Japan's peace terms.

1908—William F. Vilas, former United States senator from Wisconsin and cabinet officer under President Cleveland, died; born 1840.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:37, rises 5:19; moon rises 10:40 p. m. Planet Mercury visible.

Aug. 28 in American History.

1806—General Ormsby McKnight Mitchel, soldier and astronomer, born in Union county, Ky.; died at Beaufort, S. C., 1862.

1858—Rev. Eleazer Williams, long supposed to be the "lost dauphin" (Louis XVII. of France), died at Hoganstown, N. Y.

1908—Lieutenant General Alexander P. Stewart, noted Confederate leader, died at Beloxi, Miss.; born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:35, rises 5:20; moon rises 11:27 p. m. Mercury visible.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Little Items too Short for a Head, but Interesting.

Friday Mr. Joseph Tripp had in town the first open boll of cotton we have seen this season.

That rain which came up all of a sudden Friday night, was one of them.

Business men who have been promising themselves to begin advertising the first of September, should be getting their copy ready.

This is the last August Saturday. There will be a lay reading in the Episcopal church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Bert Moye, Monday afternoon, at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Wiley Brown, Sec.

Considerable change for cooler in the temperature.

This feels like the weather is going to jump right over to fall all at once. But there will be more of the summer kind before frost comes.

Somebody's ugly poodle dog has taken up around the Reflector sanctum, that we would like for the owner to call for.

Fineman & White have procured a large van in which to handle pianos in making deliveries. It is an attractive vehicle.

Recommends the "Maryland."

Mr. H. A. White, Agent, Maryland Casualty Company, Greenville, N. C.

Dear Sir: Please accept thanks for your company's check for \$25.00, to cover my claim for one week's disability on account of recent illness.

I can recommend the "Maryland" to any one seeking Accident and Health Insurance.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) DR. ZENO BROWN.

Stung!

A man on a rural route who took a city paper in preference to a county paper because he got more paper for the money, attracted by the advertisement of a fire escape which would be forwarded on receipt of \$2. He sent the cash and in a few days received a copy of the New Testament.—Ex.

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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.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1910.

The forest fires out West gave Pinchot the chance to take a whack at some of them.

There are very few but who believe the committee did the correct thing in the sixth district controversy.

The lawyers have certainly earned their fees during the present term of court. It was a hot place to work.

Two North Carolina attaches of the revenue service unearthed an illicit distillery in Washington City, almost in the shadow of the capitol. And a revenue officer was one of the partners in the moonshine distillery.

The tobacco farmer can look a long time without finding a market even as good as Greenville, much less one that is better. With five warehouses here, and plenty of buyers who want tobacco, this market cannot be surpassed.

Though Pitt county has numerous courts during the year, the fact was brought out by Solicitor Abernethy, Friday afternoon, that not enough of them are for the trial of criminal cases. It seems impossible to keep up with the docket under the present arrangement, and he expressed the hope that the next representatives from Pitt county in the legislature would see that this trouble is remedied.

Says the Greenville Reflector "The nomination of Major Stedman by the Democrats and of Mr. Blair by the Republicans means that the sixth district will have a Democratic congressman next time." Do you mean that the nomination of Mr. Blair will cause Major Stedman to leave the fifth district and run for Congress in the sixth—Greensboro enWns.

Not at all, and you knew when you asked the question that sixth was asked instead of fifth in error. But if it is any consolation to you to know it, Major Stedman is going to be the next congressman from the FIFTH district. See?

The Farmville Enterprise is of the opinion that the good roads convention in Greenville on the first of August did no good and created no enthusiasm. But The Enterprise is mistaken in that opinion. The convention awakened interest and enthusiasm for good roads, and more people in Pitt county are talking the matter today than ever before. Great reforms do not come all at once, and good roads cannot be built in a day, but seeds were sown in that convention that are germinating and will bear fruit. Good roads are going to come all over Pitt county, and that before any far distant time. Lay your shoulder to the wheel, Brother Enterprise, and help bring them.

"Publicity's The Thing." Honest, persistent and well-directed publicity is the great, ever present, silent assistant to the salesman. So argue W. R. Emery, of Everybody's, writing in the August number of Judicious Advertising. Of this pub-

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Allen's Foot Ease, the antiseptic powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, swollen, tired, aching feet. Always use it to break in new shoes. Try it to-day. Sold everywhere. By mail for 25 cents in stamps. Don't accept any substitute. For FREE trial package, address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

city, Mr. Emery says: "It penetrates where a salesman can never go. It wins over the woman of his house.

"It educates him to realize his needs, and it spends years silently, persuasively leading-up to the final order.

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"It is standardizing his business equally with the standard set and maintained of the product advertised.

"It reinforces his personal guarantee of quality and of merit with the guarantee of the maker emphasized by the reputation of the years of the firm's existence.

"It is constantly, through its persistency, influencing a desire to possess, which would be impossible for the dealer to reach.

"And thereby it cheapens his selling expenses and increases his business.

"The dealer handling advertised goods is realizing upon the asset which has been established and to the extent of the strength of the reputation gained.

"By the same token it means easier sales, more sales, larger sales, more territory covered by the traveling salesman. It is history that men representing advertised lines are selling more goods and drawing more money than competitive non-advertised lines."

Better Agricultural Methods.

A nation which can count a harvest by billions, it might be supposed, would be prone to imagine that it is already practicing good enough agricultural methods.

But we imagine that when the banks are all repaid their loans to farmers to move their crops and profit and loss accounts are closed, the per capita net earnings of our great agricultural population will not be wholly satisfied. When, too, the average yield per acre for each of our products over the entire country is compared with the yield in other countries, we are quite sure that convincing proof will be supplied that we as a nation are prodigal and wasteful in the extreme in farming.

To illustrate: The United States produces an average of 88 bushels of potatoes per acre, and the farmer who grows 300 bushels is justified in boasting of his skill in agriculture. Crowded England often raises 1,000 bushels to the acre, and still more crowded in Belgium, with over 500 persons to the square mile, can often show 1,600 bushels to the acre. What is here said of potatoes is equally and strikingly true of all other land products. So that our Agricultural Department has sent a commission to Europe to find out how they do it.

The principal upon which European farmers work is that of paying due regard to the cost of production. That is all that intensive farm methods mean—getting the most possible out of an acre of land the least possible expenditure of money. It is necessary to emphasize the word "money," for there is a system of farming which obtains in all countries that consists in getting the most possible out of an acre with the least possible expenditure of labor, time, investment, or care. If that is farming at all, it is not intensive farming, but the most expensive kind of farming.

Now and then we are told that the American farmer will soon have exhausted all the natural fertility of the land, and that he must come to intensive farming. That warning is uttered as though it were some impending calamity or fearful alternative.

It is not necessary to wait until the fertility of the land is exhausted before adopting intensive methods. All commerce tomorrow morning. And absolutely nothing else can be conceived which will contribute so much and so quickly to the national and individual wealth as will a radical reform in the direction of more scientific and business like methods of agriculture and horticulture. Washington Post

Good roads pay and whatever pays is worth having. It is always a good idea to spend money for something that will return the money with interest. Good roads constitute that kind of an investment. No money spent in the actual work of building modern highways can possibly be wasted. Wilmington Star.

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"Get Away From The Crowd."

Dr. Robert Burdette, in a talk to young men, said: "Get away from the crowd for a while and think. Stand on one side and let the crowd run by, while you get acquainted with yourself, and see what kind of a fellow you are. Ask yourself hard questions about yourself. Ascertain from original sources, if you are really the manner of man you say you are; if you are always honest; if you always tell the square perfect truth in business details; if your life is as good and upright at eleven o'clock at night as it is at noon. If you are as good a temperance man on a fishing excursion as you are on a Sunday school picnic; if you are a good when you go to the city as you are at home; if, in short, you are really the sort of man your father hopes you are, your sweetheart believes you are. Get on intimate terms with yourself, my boy, and believe me every time you come out of one of those private interviews you will be a stronger purer man. Don't forget this, and it will do you good."

S. A. L. SCHEDULE

Trains leave Raleigh effective May 15th 1910

THE SEABOARD LIMITED—No. 81.
4.45 a. m.—For Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points West, Jacksonville and Florida points, connections at Hamlet for Charlotte and Wilmington.

THE SEABOARD MAIL—No. 38.
1.35 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.
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1:40 p. m.	Ar.	Washington	Lv.	7:55 a. m.
1:10 p. m.	"	Williams on	"	8:28 a. m.
2:10 p. m.	"	Plymouth	"	7:35 a. m.
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No. 12, daily except Sunday. Leave Greenville 9.40 a. m., arrive Washington 10.40 a. m., New Bern 11.35 a. m., Norfolk 4.05 p. m.

No. 18, daily except Sunday. Leave Greenville 6.30 p. m., arrive Washington 7.25 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 5, daily, "Night Express, pullman sleeping cars. Leave Greenville 3.53 a. m., arrive Wilson 5.20 a. m., Raleigh 7.30 a. m., connect at Wilson with A. C. L. R. R., north and south, at Raleigh with Southern Railway for Durham and Greensboro.

No. 19, daily except Sunday. Leave Greenville 7.51 a. m., arrive Wilson 9.15 a. m., Raleigh 11.20 a. m.

No. 11, daily except Sunday. Leave Greenville 4.14 p. m., arrive Wilson 5.31 p. m., Raleigh 7.20 p. m., connects with Southern Railway for Durham and Greensboro.

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Feeling Her Husband.

That there are more ways than one of "killing a cat" is a well known fact, but the newest of ways has been evolved from the fertile brain of a Germantown woman who is blessed with a stitzy husband. This husband is generous enough in one sense of the word. His wife may have the best attire the stores afford charged to his account, but she may handle no money. Women, in this man's opinion, know nothing of the value of a dollar. On leaving for his office in the morning he kisses her goodby and thrusts a quarter's worth of trolley tickets into her hand.

Now milady goes shopping, buys a few necessities and a fifty dollar wrap for which she has no use whatever. Next day she returns the latter, receives a credit slip for \$50 and betakes herself to the handkerchief counter, where she spends 50 cents, receiving \$49.50 change. Placing some small change in her purse and stowing the roll of greenbacks in what she considers a safer receptacle, she leaves the shop feeling that she has made the best of a bad bargain.—Philadelphia Record.

A Bald Fact.

It is common to deplore the lack of humor in a person. Yet the very want of wit may save a certain amount of embarrassment, as was the case on a certain occasion with President Johnson. "He was one day," says a writer in Harper's Magazine, "visiting my mother, and a friend, Mrs. Knox, a widow, came in. She had known Mr. Johnson some years before, when he was a member of the legislature, but they had not met since then.

"After mutual recognition Mr. Johnson said: 'How is Mr. Knox? I have not seen him lately.'

"'He has been dead six years,' said Mrs. Knox.

"'I thought I hadn't seen him on the street,' said Mr. Johnson.

"When Mrs. Knox left my mother said, laughing, 'That was a funny mistake of yours about Mr. Knox.'

"'What mistake did I make?' said Johnson. 'I said I hadn't seen him on the street, and I hadn't.'

Owning Your Home.

"I have always felt that upon properly appointed and becoming dwellings depends more than anything else the improvement of mankind," said Benjamin Disraeli (Earl of Beaconsfield). To sit in the evening in your comfortable armchair; to look around you and know that everything you see there is your very own and that you have obtained it all so that you practically do not feel the cost; to know also that if you, the breadwinner, were suddenly called away your home would still be your wife's or your family's—that is one of the pleasures of life, indeed. It is a pleasure which gives you new heart in your work in the world. It sends you out every morning determined to get on and to earn more money, and because of that very determination you do become worth more money.—New York Press.

A Handy Snuffbox.

A curious story is told as to how the Rothschilds supported Carafa, the composer. The latter was far from rich. His principal income was derived from a snuffbox. And this was the way of it: The snuffbox was given to the author of "La Prison d'Edimbourg" by Baron James de Rothschild as a token of esteem. Carafa sold it twenty-four hours later for 75 napoleons to the same jeweler from whom it had been bought. This became known to Rothschild, who gave it again to the musician on the following year. The next day it returned to the jeweler's. The traffic continued till the death of the banker and longer still, for his sons kept up the tradition, to the great satisfaction of Carafa.

Little Else.

A London attorney named Else, rather diminutive in his stature and not particularly respectable in his character, once met Jekyll. "Sir," said he, "I hear you have called me a pettifogging scoundrel. Have you done so, sir?"

"Sir," said Jekyll, with a look of contempt, "I never said you were a pettifogger or a scoundrel, but I said you were 'little Else.'"—Westminster Gazette.

They Felt Hungry.

She—Well, Clarence, dear, the situation is not quite as rosy as it was pictured to us before marriage, is it? He—Well, not all together so, love. She—I wish—er—I wish— He—What do you wish, dearest? She—I wish we had the rice and the old shoes they threw at us when we were married.

He Lumped It.

"My coffee is not quite sweet enough," remarked he. "Well, if you don't like it, I suppose you'll have to lump it," said she, with a smile, passing the loaf sugar his way.

Fixed For the Future.

Friend—Haven't you named the baby yet? Proud Mother—No; we must be very careful to give him a nice one, because there will be so many named after him when he is president.

What Did He Mean?

Mrs. H.—I see there's a man in France who has murdered three of his wives in succession. I'd like to see the man who would murder me. Mr. H.—So would I, my dear.

Base envy withers at another's joy and hates the excellence it cannot reach.—Thomson.

The Witch Finders.

Three hundred years ago the business of finding out witches was well established and accepted by courts of law as highly proper. In 1640 it is recorded that the magistrates of Newcastle, England, sent to Scotland for an expert witch finder. This gifted person proceeded to show his skill by discovering fifteen witches and securing their conviction. One Matthew Hopkins was a celebrated witch finder of that period. It was easy to discover witches when you knew how. The suspected person could be forced to weep and then detected by the well known fact that a witch could shed only three tears and those from the left eye, or she could be pricked with pins to discover the spot insensible to pain, which was a sure sign of dealings with the devil. That women were far more likely to dabble in witchcraft than men was conceded. The reason was satisfactorily explained by a famous German text book on witches published in the fifteenth century. It was simply that women were inherently wicked, whereas men naturally inclined to goodness.

The Coyote.

The coyote is the little brother of the Indian. When the buffalo vanished from the plains the Indian shot his rifle into the air, wrapped his blanket closer about him and came into the reservation to grow fat and unpicturesque under federal auspices. When the jack rabbit and molly cottontail vanish from the plains and foothills the howl of the last coyote will sink into silence beyond the great divide. Until that far day arrives, however, hang the bacon high, for while the rabbit remains the most skillful four legged forager the world ever knew will bay at the moon by night and just keep out of rifle range by day. The coyote knows more about traps than a Canadian "voyageur," is an expert on strychnine and never falls for the deadfall. He is rather fond of lambs and calves, but rabbits are the oatmeal of this phantom highlander, and as "Diamond Field" Jack Davis would say, "where two or three of these are gathered together there you will find the coyote, seeking to stow one of them into his midst."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

When a Burglar Calls at Night.

"If a burglar breaks into your house at night don't try to corner him," said an old headquarters policeman. "If the visitor awakens you make noise enough to scare him away, but don't go after him with a gun. Ten to one he'll get you before you can hit him. It's better to lose a few dollars' worth of goods than your life. I'm giving it to you straight. The average man, waked up in the middle of the night, always badly frightened, hasn't a chance against the man with nerve enough to break into an occupied house. Every burglar is a potential murderer and will shoot to kill if you try to catch him. And why not? He's got a big, long term in prison staring him in the face if he's nabbed, and he'll take a chance on murder every time to get away. Leave the capture of such gentry to the 'cops.' They're paid to be shot at; you ain't."—Kansas City Star.

The Normans.

The Normans were Northmen or, to be more precise, the descendants of Northmen, who had been expelled from their native Norway in consequence of an effort on their part to subvert its institutions and to make its lands hereditary instead of being divisible among all the sons of the former owner. A band of expatriated outlaws and robbers, they won and held the fair province of northern France, which they named Normandy, after their native land. When they invaded England they were Frenchmen only in the sense that they had lived for some generations on French soil. In blood they belonged to the great Germanic breed, along with the Anglo-Saxons, Danes and other Scandinavian and German peoples.—New York American.

Why She Was Silent.

A very silent old woman was once asked why it was she had so little to say. She replied that when she was a young girl she was very ill and could not talk for a long time, whereupon she made a vow that if speech were given her once more she would never again say anything unkind of anybody. And thus she was as they found her.—Exchange.

The Soft Question.

Mrs. Nuwed, Sr. (to son after family jar)—Don't forget, son, that "a soft answer turneth away wrath." Mr. Nuwed, Jr.—Well, I know a soft question of mine brought a lot of it on me.—Smart Set.

Generous.

Tattered Terry—There goes a kind man. The last time I went to him I didn't have a cent and he gave me all he could. Weary Walter—What was that? Tattered Terry—Thirty days.—Puck.

Vain Mathematics.

Absentminded Professor—My tailor has put one button too many on my vest. I must cut it off. That's funny. Now there's a buttonhole too many. What's the use of arithmetic?—Sourire.

Mostly Before.

Prosperous Publisher—Do you write before or after eating? Poet (faintly)—Always before unless I have something to eat.—Judge.

What men want is not talent, it is purpose; not the powers to achieve, but the will to labor.—Bulwer-Lytton.

The Dear Old Frauds.

Those old, pleasant, innocent frauds of the circus are not practiced now—the imposing five barred gates that as the horse approached them were sloped into insignificant wattles and the rings through which the signorina purported to leap, but which in reality were insinuated over her by compliant attendants. And then there was that venerable jockey performance, the culmination of which was a leap from the ring to a standing position, albeit at an angle of thirty degrees, on the horse's back. In the old circuses it was the custom of the horseman to miss the crowning jump two or three times in order that a fiercer flame of interest might be kindled in the audience. After two failures the band would stop (always the presage of a moment of strain supreme), the horse's head would be loosed, he would be urged to a greater pace, and the feat would gloriously succeed. Then what a crash of brass and outburst of delight in the building, involving even the staff and ringmaster in the expression of ecstasy! Those old, simple days!—Cornhill Magazine.

Remarkable Instinct.

"Every time I go shopping I thank heaven that I have a good business head," said the woman who boasts that her quick wit always saves her from financial loss. "A saleswoman came very near getting into trouble today over a belt I bought. The only thing that saved her was my business instinct. First I bought a belt for \$1.25 and paid with a two dollar bill. In handling my change the girl dropped a quarter into the paper and boxes that strewed the floor back of the counter and could not find it. Of course I could have held her accountable, but she looked so tired and worried that I hadn't the heart to do that, so how do you think we settled it?"

Her husband gave it up. "Why," said she triumphantly, "I just exchanged my \$1.25 belt for a dollar one, and neither of us lost anything."

"Remarkable instinct, my dear," said the husband, and she smiled over his approval.—New York Sun.

Bernard Shaw's Excuse.

Bernard Shaw was invited to a banquet in honor of the sculptor Rodin. He sent the following letter as his excuse for not attending:

"For me a banquet to Rodin is quite superfluous. I have already taken measures to assume immortality for myself by attaching my name to that of Rodin. Henceforth in every encyclopaedia you will read, 'Bernard Shaw; subject of a bust by Rodin; otherwise unknown.'

"If the bust is lost, broken or spoiled, so much the better for me," he continues. "They will speak of the 'lost Bernard Shaw of Rodin,' as today they speak of the lost Athens of Phidias. Nothing can be more beautiful than the statues which no one ever saw. Therefore I have done all that is necessary. I can get along without banquets. You will only be Rodin's hosts. I have the honor to be his model."—Dramatic Mirror.

The Unreality of Opera.

There are people who still complain of the unreality of opera, who cannot subject themselves to its illusion. And indeed the illusion of opera breaks down if everything in it is not kept at the same distance from reality. In that world of musical expression we must never be suddenly lowered by any incongruous detail into the ordinary world of prose. Realism, the attempt to work upon the emotions by complete illusion of reality, is disastrous in opera. If the scene is a railway station we remember at once that people do not sing when they are catching trains.—London Times.

The Music Was Fatal.

A New York politician once found it necessary to attend an entertainment at an orphan's home, and he was having a bad time of it. The selection by the boys' band was particularly distressing. Turning to a friend, the politician said with a shudder, "No wonder they are orphans."—Success Magazine.

A Money Saver.

"But you are taking considerable risk in letting your young men owe two or three weeks' board." "Yes, there is some risk," answered the boarding house keeper. "But then, you see, they worry over it so that they lose their appetites, so I save money in the long run."

Diplomatic.

"I believe our boy is a born diplomat." "Has he shown extraordinary ability as a prevaricator?" "Well, no, not that exactly, but he can cheat other boys in trades and make them think they are getting all the best of it."

Napoleon and Woman.

Napoleon I. who was a great admirer of female talent when his own did not, like Mme. de Stael, direct it against himself, used to say, "There are women who have only one fault—viz, that they are not men."

Man and Woman.

When a man gets into trouble the first thing he thinks of is, "How shall I get out of this fix?" When a woman gets into trouble her first thought is, "How shall I best bear this misery?"—Winifred Black.

Cheeky.

"Does Winks take any magazines?" "All he can get. I don't dare to leave one lying around."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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 ftdw

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. 7f

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.

6 20 dw 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.

27 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 8 3

FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for constable of Beaver Dam township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

W. B. VANDIFORD.

FOR CONSTABLE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Constable of Beaver Dam township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of the township.

LLOYD SMITH.

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.

For House of Representatives.

To the Democratic voters of Pitt county:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from the county of Pitt, subject to the Democratic primary, to be held on the 10th day of September, 1910. JNO. T. THORNE, ftd.

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Elizabethan Slang.

According to the latest edition of Webster's Dictionary, one meaning of "lobster" is "a glibble, awkward, bungling or undesirable fellow." This meaning is supposed by most persons to be a modern development of slang. However, "lobster" was a favorite term of abuse among Englishmen of Queen Elizabeth's day, and Shakespeare may have denounced his callboy as a "lobster" when the boy failed to attend to his duties. Some students of the word think it probably was applied first to men with red faces. As signifying a soldier the term "lobster" is as old as Cromwell's day. Lord Clarendon, historian of the civil war in England, explains that it was applied to the Roundhead cuirassiers "because of the bright iron shells with which they were covered. Afterward British soldiers in their red uniforms were called "lobsters." Then came another development. The soldier in the red coat became a "boiled lobster," while the policeman in blue was, of course, an "unboiled" or "raw lobster." Again, "to boll a lobster" was for a man to enlist in the army and put on a red coat.—Chicago News.

An Eye on the Future.

A man with a swollen finger that had a deep abrasion under the ring called at a jewelry store to get the ring cut off. Before the operation was begun he said: "Can this ring be mended so a pawnbroker will give me the usual amount on it?" "It can be mended," said the jeweler, "but I doubt if you can ever persuade a pawnbroker to accept it afterward." "Then I guess I'll take chances on my finger getting well with the ring on," said the young man and left the store. "Incidents like that," said the jeweler, "show what a surprisingly large number of Philadelphians live with the pawnshop looming up just ahead of them as an unavoidable evil. Of all the people who need their rings cut off two-thirds of them ask that very question, and a large percentage of them take chances on blood poisoning rather than destroy the ring's value as a pawnable asset."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Little Word "Yes."

"Yes" is a simple word spelled with three letters: It has caused more happiness and more unhappiness than any other word in the language. It has lost more money for easy lenders than all the holes in all the pockets in the world. It has started more dipsomaniacs on their careers than all the strong liquor on earth. It has caused more fights than all the "you're liars" that ever were spoken. It has procured kisses and provoked blows. It has defeated candidates and elected scoundrels. It has been used in more lies than any other expression. It is not meant half the time it is said. Will it continue to make such a record? Yes.—Life.

Wouldn't Deliver.

He was born in Dublin and lived in Ireland until about two months ago, when he came to Cleveland. Then he began to look around for a job. The manager of a furniture house promised to give him a trial. "Come around in the morning and go to work," he said, "and if you can deliver the goods we'll probably keep you permanently." The Dublin native went over to tell his cousin about it. He confided to him that he didn't believe he'd go back to take the job, after all. "They want me to deliver the goods," he said. "Think of going around delivering big, heavy furniture. That's what horses and wagons are for in my country."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Harvard University.

Harvard university derives its name from Rev. John Harvard, its earliest benefactor, who in 1638 bequeathed one-half of his estate, amounting to \$800, for the endowment of the college. Harvard hall was built in 1765, Holworthy hall of brick in 1812 and Hollis hall, also of brick, in 1764. Stoughton hall, being of the same dimensions and material as Hollis, was built in 1804, and a writer of 1817 states that "its appearance is somewhat in the modern style."

What He Admired.

"What did father say when you asked him for my hand?" "Oh," replied Augustus, "he—he did his best to be pleasant. He said there was something about me that he really admired." "Did he say what?" "Yes; my impudence."

A Pointer to Others.

He—Going to marry the rich Jack Hammond? Why, I thought he had thrown all his money to the dogs. She—So he did, but they turned out to be retrievers.—London M. A. P.

His Sun.

Mrs. Buggins—Before we were married you used to say I was the sunshine of your life. Mr. Buggins—Well, I admit that you still do your best to make things hot for me.

The Convenient Excuse.

Hard luck is generally the name people give to the thing that happens when they have been acting foolishly.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Laughing cheerfulness throws sunlight on all the paths of life.—Richter.

Rochdale Items.

Rochdale, Aug. 26, 1910. Miss Susie Smith spent last week in Rocky Mount. Miss Ellen Smith spent a few days in Morehead last week. Miss Maud and Guy Lasiter, of Snow Hill, Miss Nellie Dawson, of Institute, Miss Gaior, of Wilmington, Miss Ruth Ruffan, of Farmville, Miss Ruberta Flanagan, Mrs. Ed. Beaman, Aaron Turnage, and J. H. Flanagan, of Farmville, and Miss Lillie and Royce Tucker, of Standard, attended a house party at Ivey Smith's last week, and had a delightful time. Misses Lella Higgs and Pearl Norman, of Greenville, came up Saturday to spend a week visiting at C. D. Smith's.

Mr. T. E. Little went to Scotland Neck Thursday to visit relative and returned Saturday. Miss Mattie Little, of Wilson, who has been spending a few days visiting relatives at Scotland Neck, came Saturday evening to visit relatives and friends here for a few weeks. Miss Dessie Kittrell and Mr. Carlos Harris, of Greenville, came up Sunday and spent the day at C. E. McLawhorn's.

Mr. C. E. McLawhorn went to Greenville Monday evening to meet and take out home Mr. C. F. Outlaw, who preached at Smith's school here Monday night. He will preach here all the week and we hope all who can, will come out to hear him. He is a very good preacher.

Rev. S. W. Summerill and W. I. Allen, of Grifton, came up Monday evening to assist in the meeting at Smith's school house this week.

TRACING COUNTERFEITS.

Exciting Employment For Skilled Secret Service Men.

The tracing of counterfeit bills back to the persons responsible for their issue is a curious and exciting employment. The expert assigned by the government to this work are among the most skillful members of the secret service. The protection of the currency depends in large measure upon their efficiency, and the pains they take are almost infinite. The following case is one illustrating the difficulties which the secret service people meet and overcome:

A bank clerk in Cleveland had detected a counterfeit twenty dollar bill in the deposit of a small retail grocer. An expert was sent for and undertook the case.

He found that the grocer had received the bill from a shoe dealer, who had it from a dentist, who had it from somebody else, and so on, until the secret service man finally traced the bad note to an invalid woman who had used it to pay her physician. When questioned this woman said that the money had been sent her by her brother, who lived in New Orleans. The sleuth looked up the brother's antecedents and soon became convinced that he was the man wanted. The brother, however, soon proved to the satisfaction of the secret service man that his suspicions were unfounded. Indeed, it appeared that the money had been received by the New Orleans man in part payment for rent of a house he owned in Pittsburg. While the sleuth was a bit discouraged, he couldn't give over the case when he had gone so far, so he took the next train for Pittsburg.

The tenant of the house in Pittsburg proved to be a traveling oculist who spent most of his time in the middle west. The secret service man had the good luck, however, to catch him just as he had returned from a trip, and the man at once recognized the bad bill as one that had been given him by a patient in Cleveland, the very point whence the sleuth started.

The patient was a boss carpenter. The secret service man got his address from the oculist and went right after the new clew. At this point he had a premonition that something was going to happen, and he wasn't disappointed.

The carpenter, an honest old fellow, said that he had received the bill from a certain Parker. The said Parker was the small grocer in whose bank deposit the counterfeit had turned up. The expert flew to the grocer's as quickly as a cab could take him and found it closed. He had left town.

Afterward it was shown beyond question that the grocer was the agent of an organized band of counterfeiters. His shop was a mere blind. That the bill which he gave the carpenter should get back into his own funds after traveling all over the continent and one of those miracles of chance for which there is no explanation.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Dean Ramsay Story.

Dean Ramsay's memoirs contain an anecdote of an old woman of Starbuck. Just before her death she solemnly instructed her grandnephew, "Willy, I'm deadin', and as ye'll have the charge of a' I have, mind, now, that as much whisky is to be used at my funeral as there was at my baptism."

Willy, having no record of the quantity consumed at the baptism, decided to give every mourner as much as he wished, with the result that the funeral procession, having to traverse ten miles to the churchyard on a short November day, arrived only at nightfall. Then it was discovered that the mourners, halting at a wayside inn, had rested the coffin on a dike and left it there when they resumed their journey. The corpse was a day late in arriving at the grave.

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

OUR MARKET REPORTS.

New York Future Market

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

October	13 53	13 55
December	13 46	13 45
January	13 44	13 43

Chicago Markets

September Wheat	104 3-8	103 1-4
September Corn	58 3-4	58 1-8
September	12 30	12 25
October Ribs	11 77	11 67
Lard:		
September	12 07	11 97
October Lard	12 07	11 9

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Aug. 27.—There was dull, and almost featureless stock market at the opening today. Trading was irregular, but price changes were within limits of small fractions. Steel opened at a light advance which it soon lost. Union Pacific was off 1/8 point and Reading was up the same fraction. Rock Island was off 1/4 point. Copper stocks were stagnant.

New York, Aug. 27.—Cotton opened with a jump of 36 points for August under short bidding, and a new high record for that contract was established. Leading bulls were said to be behind the movement. September was in demand. Hayne bid 14.35 for 25,000 bales. Five to ten points gain was made in new crop markets. Opening: August 16.75; September 14.35; October 13.61; November 13.57; January 13.52.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—There was profit taking by shorts in wheat this morning, and this buying boosted the price at the outset. Corn was higher with wheat. Oats also followed. Provisions slow with hogs. Opening: September wheat 99 1/2; corn 60 1/2; oats 34 1/2; pork \$21.00.

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Sunday Traveling.

Old time acts of parliament in Great Britain aimed to stop Sunday traveling. In 1669, for example, two men were found guilty of the crime of walking from Bristol to Bath on a Sunday and were at once fined 20 shillings (\$4.80) each. All business was at a standstill on a Sunday. Nothing was allowed to be sold except milk. For all the traders of England the milkman alone, was allowed to pursue his calling for the whole seven days of the week.

Easy.

"Is that car on this train?" "No; he was switched off at the junction." "He was? Why not 'she'?" "This was a mail car."—Toledo Blade.

LOST—TWO NOTES, ONE FOR \$925 with credit of \$500, the other for \$51, both given by W. E. Hooker to A. J. and M. L. Moye. All persons are warned against trading for these notes. 8271tw

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.

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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 the 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 Mecon building, suitable for boarding house. Terms reasonable. Apply to L. C. Skinner. dtf

FOR RENT—TWO HOUSES ON Washington street, water and lights. Apply to J. A. Andrews. dtf

SEED RYE, CRIMSON CLOVER, vetch and rape seed at F. V. Johnston's. 829 Stw

CAR OF CEMENT AND KING WINDSOR plaster just received. Carr & Atkins Hardware Company. 828

JUST RECEIVED A FRESH LOT OF Grith's Celebrated chocolates Moye's Pharmacy. dtf

CANDIDATES FOR OFFICES.

To be Voted for in the Primaries on September 10th.

I, F. C. Harding, Chairman of the Democratic Executive committee for Pitt county, do hereby certify that the following have registered as candidates for the offices herein indicated to be voted for at the Democratic primary for Pitt county, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, 1910, to wit:

Candidates for Senate—

R. R. Cotten.

Alex. L. Blow.

For House of Representatives—

G. M. Mooring.

S. T. Carson.

J. T. Thorne

Candidates for Clerk of Court—

D. C. Moore.

J. D. Cox.

Candidates for Sheriff—

S. I. Dudley.

J. Marshall Cox.

Joseph McLawhorn.

For Register of Deeds—

W. M. Moore.

For Treasurer—

W. B. Wilson.

C. T. Munford.

For Constable Greenville township—

G. A. Jackson.

A. M. Allen.

Jesse L. Whichard.

For Constable Chicod township—

Mason Edwards.

G. W. Cox.

For Constable Beaver Dam township

W. B. Vandtord.

Candidates for Constable Contentnea township.

J. T. Keel.

Constable Contentnea Township—

A. L. McLawhorn.

Constable Swift Creek Township—

Paul Kilpatrick.

Candidates for Constable for Swift Creek Township—

S. A. Smith.

W. H. Bland.

E. P. Stokes.

Candidates for Justices of the Peace—

C. A. Hyman, of Belvoir township;

N. L. Garris, Swift Creek township.

J. C. Gaskins, Swift Creek township.

J. F. Smith, Swift Creek township.

John S. Dixon, of Chicod township

W. S. Cox, Chicod township.

G. W. Venters, Chicod township.

Alston Grimes, Chicod township.

J. J. Elks, Chicod township.

J. E. Cannon, Contentnea township.

J. S. Pittman, Swift Creek township.

F. C. HARDING, Chm. Democratic Executive Com., Pitt Co.