

## MORE NAMES ENTERED IN CONTEST

### CONTESTANTS GETTING READY FOR SOME HARD WORK

### REAL START IS NOW BEING MADE

Every Day Will Bring Some New Nominations—Various Contestants Are Planning Their Holiday Campaign—The Reflector Does Not Expect a Great Number of Nominations at the First Part of Contest.

A large number of people in Eastern North Carolina know by this time of the Reflector's big popularity and voting contest, and a large number of people have become actively interested in it.

Nominations continue to be received, and a good many are asking questions about the contest and requesting subscription books be sent them at once.

A large number of the subscription books have been sent out in compliance with requests of this kind. These have not been used to any considerable extent yet, but the mere fact that applications have been made for them shows that the interest of the contest is general and intense, and they will be used before the contest is over. The Reflector does not expect any great number of subscriptions during the first part of the contest, and it will be satisfied to wait for a large number of them that it confidentially expects later on when there are many more candidates in the race and the contest is under way in real earnest.

#### Time for Real Start.

In a big affair like The Reflector contest, time is required for a real start. Weeks are often wasted by persons who become winning candidates in the end, but who require time to arrive at a decision to enter. And after a candidate does really enter, more time is demanded to study the rules and map out of the campaign.

Nominations will continue to come in for some time yet. The list of nominations will grow each day, and it may be safely stated that it will be very much larger before another week passes. But it is well to state here that all nominees are not working candidates. Many have been nominated by friends and have not the inclination to enter the race actively, and some drop out after a feeble effort. The list, taking it all ways, is by no means too long. It requires a large number of nominees to make a very few live and wide-awake candidates.

The best day of all to enter the contest, or to get busy, if you have already entered, is today.

#### Prizes on Display.

First grand prize, \$300 Stultz piano, on display at Fineman & White's.

Second grand prize, full years course in East Carolina Teachers' Training School of Greenville. This school has a curriculum second to no other in the Union.

#### The District Prizes.

One at the store of C. T. Mumford.  
One at the store of Taft & Van Dyke.

One at the store of C. S. Forbes.  
One at the store of J. H. Boyd.

#### The Special Prizes.

One at the factory of the John Flanagan Buggy Company.  
One at the store of Pulley & Bowen and one at the jewelry store of W. L. Best.

#### Horse in Ditch.

Wednesday night a colored man drove his horse into an excavation made on Fifth street, near the city hall, for water pipes. After being pulled out of the ditch the horse did not look much worse for the tumble. There were danger lights on each side of the excavation to warn people against driving that way.

#### Library Notice.

The public library will be closed on Monday after Christmas, but will be open on Wednesday and Friday at the usual hours—three to five.

MRS. W. A. BOWEN, Librarian.

## AYDEN CORRESPONDENCE.

### Community Social News Items and Business Notes.

Ayden, N. C., Dec. 22.—Mrs. Esta Hart, wife of Mr. M. E. Hart, presented him with a pair of fine boys Monday as a Christmas present.

There was a double marriage at the residence of Mrs. Bettie McGlohorn, near Reedy Branch, when Mr. Alfred Forbes and Miss Norma McGlohorn, and Mr. Less McGlohorn and Miss Sumrell were happily married with the same ceremony by Rev. G. C. Vause. It was a quiet home affair, no cards issued.

There was a joint debate between Winterville High School and the Seminary, Messrs. Pittman, Jones and Waters of the Seminary were on the affirmative, and Messrs. Cox, Causey, and Strothers, of Winterville, the negative. All the young men did fine. The weather was ideal, the crowd large and enthusiastic. The judges rendered a verdict in favor of the negative.

Mr. Henry Frizzell, who moved from here last year to Murry, died last Saturday and was buried Sunday with Masonic honors at Frizzle's Mill, near Ayden. He was about 80 years old and one of Greene county's leading business men in his younger days.

Messrs. W. F. Hart and LaFayette Cox, left Tuesday for New Bern.

Miss Velma Harrington, of Kinston, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Joe Sumrell and Miss Addie Dail, of Ridge Springs were happily married Wednesday evening.

Mr. Ernest Everett, of Kinston, and Miss Stella Joyner, of Johnson Mills, were married Wednesday evening.

Both of our schools have closed for Christmas and most of our boarding pupils are leaving for their homes.

We will gin your cotton any day and buy your seed, or exchange for meal. See us.—J. R. Smith Company.

Notice—I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, at the residence of the late Benjamin Smith, deceased, in Ayden, a lot of household and kitchen furniture, one good, upright piano, on December 29, 1910.—Martha Smith.

Mr. W. C. Edwards, of Ridge Springs, won the handsome piano in the ticket contest at the Ayden Furniture Company's store.

## NORTH CAROLINA ITEMS

### Of News Happenings Far and Near Within Its Borders.

It is estimated that cholera carried off at least 25 per cent. of the hogs in Columbus county this year, and many farmers lost every porker they owned. Many who have never before bought meat will have to do so next year.

Greensboro, Dec. 21.—Upbraided for attempting to gain admission to his own home, James Cooper, a farmer of Randolph county, went to the home of a neighbor, secured a shotgun and returning, emptied the contents into the body of the intruder, who proved to be James Campbell, a neighbor, who had entered Cooper's home and gone to bed. Campbell was brought here and tonight physicians state that he has an even chance for recovery.

Raleigh, Dec. 20.—A ruling of special interest to Odd Fellows and other secret orders of the State, having sick benefits, is just made by the Supreme court in Kelly vs. Tremont Lodge of Odd Fellows, Macon county, the court holding that while the law of the order prescribes that all disputes about sick benefits shall be settled in the tribunals of the order, where a party stands on legal rights claiming that the lodge is indebted to him, the courts are clearly not ousted of jurisdiction. Also that while the law of the order prescribes that the sick benefit is for the brother, or his immediate family, an executor can as in this case, maintain a suit for recovery.

### A Good Christmas Gift.

If in doubt what to give your friend who is fond of reading for a Christmas present, why not give a year's subscription to The Public Library. We are getting all the best of the new fiction each month, beside some of the best of the world's literature, in the standard works, etc. You could not give anything that would prove more pleasure or benefit to your friend. A year's subscription is only one dollar.

## WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

### Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor—What Its People are Doing.

Winterville, N. C., Dec. 22.—Miss Venetia Cox, who has been at Winston-Salem to school, came home Saturday night to spend the holidays.

If it is Christmas gifts that worry you, don't fret, you can get them at A. W. Ange & Company's and at the right price, too.

A lot of our school boys and girls left yesterday to spend the holidays at home.

You can get supplied with salt for your meat at Harrington, Barber & Company's.

Harrington, Barber & Company are unloading a car of lime.

A lot of our people went over to Ayden Tuesday night to attend the debate between our boys and the boys there.

Don't forget the cheap dress goods at A. W. Ange & Company's.

Get your rubber roofing at Harrington, Barber & Company's.

Mr. Eugene Cannon, bookkeeper for the A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company, made a trip in the country Sunday evening in spite of the rain.

The fall term of Winterville High School closed Wednesday for the holidays. During this term 197 students were enrolled, representing between fifteen and twenty counties.

The department of the student body has been excellent, and the work has been highly satisfactory to the faculty and trustees. The spring term will begin Monday, January 2.

Quite a number of new students are expected then. All the teachers have left for their respective homes as follows: Miss Neta Liles to Jonesboro; Miss Elizabeth Boushall to Belcross; Miss Vivian Roberson to Gold Point; Prof. H. F. Brinson to Currie; Miss Dora Cox will spend Christmas at her home in Winterville, and Prof. Nye will also be in Winterville during the holidays.

### W. H. S. Defeats the Seminary.

The joint debate between Winterville High School and the Seminary at Ayden was held in the Free Will Baptist church at Ayden Tuesday evening at 7.30, in the presence of a large and enthusiastic audience composed of the friends of the two institutions. The contest was spirited throughout, both schools sustaining sides of the question in a masterly manner, yet the best harmony and good feeling prevailed.

The query was "Resolved, That the signs of the times indicate the down fall of the United States government." The affirmative was ably represented by Messrs. R. R. Jones, W. H. Walters, and R. L. Pittman, of the Seminary. The negative was strongly maintained by Messrs. H. G. Cox, Roy Causey, and Paul N. Strother, of the Winterville High School. Each speaker was given ten minutes on the first speech and five minutes on the rejoinder, only two speakers from each side being allowed to offer rejoinders. The judges were Prof. H. B. Smith, of Greenville; Prof. L. R. Meadows, of the Training School, and Rev. Mr. Caraway, pastor of the Methodist church at Ayden. The judges rendered this decision in favor of Winterville High School. You may imagine what happened then, our boys and girls in their intense joy end enthusiasm took possession of the town for a little while. We are exceedingly proud of the fine record our boys made in the debate, and they have our heartiest congratulations.

### Rational Diversification.

No new crop should be planted on a large scale, until a few acres have been grown for a year or two, and the culture of the crop learned.

It is safe to stick pretty closely to the well known crops; corn, oats, hay, sweet potatoes, and such other crops as there is a ready market for and those we know how to grow and for the production of which experience has proved the country is adapted.

New crops should be sought and thoroughly tried, but only small areas should be planted until their culture has been learned and it has been demonstrated that they can be profitably produced. This can be done before the arrival of the boll weevil so that when it becomes necessary to largely discontinue the growing of cotton, which should always be done for two or three years after the appearance of the weevils other tried crops, with the culture of which we are familiar, may be substituted.—Raleigh Progressive Farmer and Gazette.

Farmville Firm Chartered.  
The W. M. Lang Company, at Farmville, has been chartered to do a general merchandise business. The authorized capital is \$50,000 and the incorporators are W. M. Lang, B. M. Lewis and G. M. Shirley.

## FORTY ONE KILLED IN TWO FIRES

### PHILADELPHIA AND CHICAGO HAVE FATAL DISASTERS

### THE PROPERTY LOSS IS IMMENSE

Four Policemen and Eleven Firemen Perish Under Falling Wall in Philadelphia—Twenty-Six Killed in Chicago Fire—Many Also Injured And The Death List May Be Increased.

### By Wire to The Reflector.

Philadelphia, Dec. 22.—Four policemen and eleven firemen are known to be dead and eight others are buried in the ruins, and twenty-five are suffering from injuries as a result of the collapse of the wall of a five-story building after the interior had been destroyed by fire. The firemen were first caught under the wall and the policemen were digging at the ruins trying to rescue them when there was another crash, burying the policemen. The death list will probably reach twenty-five. The disaster is the worst here in years, and is believed to have been caused by incendiary. The destroyed building was the leather warehouse of D. Freidlander. The fire started early last night and had about died out when the wall fell this morning.

### This One in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Fire Chief Marshal Haran, two assistant officers and twenty-three firemen are believed to have been killed in a fire here this morning. They were fighting fire and were buried under a falling wall by an explosion. The fire started in Nelson, Morris & Company's plant at the stock yards and was caused by an explosion of ammonia in the hide cellar. All the fire apparatus in the city is fighting the fire and the damage at nine o'clock is estimated at a million dollars. Besides those believed to be dead many others have been injured.

### Chicago, Dec. 22.—Acting chief Seyferlick at 11 o'clock called all his firemen away from the burning plant of Nelson, Morris & Company, and abandoned the entire block to the flames. He fears ammonia in the refrigerating plant will explode. Fully forty are now believed to be dead. Police with drawn revolvers drove the crowds back to prevent more deaths from explosions.

### Time to Be Careful.

At every Christmas time deep sorrow is hurled into happiness by some accident. The highest hearts are suddenly clouded with gloom because of a fatal mishap to some youngster. And in nearly all cases this sadness, this gloom could have been prevented. In Wilmington last week a child had his eye sight impaired, perhaps destroyed, by playing with powder, and the Charleston News Courier, at hand, contains an account of a lad in Charleston who was killed by the explosion of a toy cannon. The tale of these tragedies has only just begun, according to the record, but will it be as long, as lurid, as tragic as before? Every one hopes not, but this hope alone will not curtail the sadness, will not save the lives of the children. Action is what must be taken. Parents should see to it that their children are not allowed to play with cap pistols, with toy cannons, in which powder is used, or with real guns. It is a life and death matter, and after the little form is bleeding—maybe still in death—it is too late. Caution now is what counts; what will prevent the Yuletide being turned into a season of deep mourning. Parents should listen. Casting aside all love they have for their children they have a responsibility they cannot or should not shirk, and tears, coming from a heart pierced with grief, need not take the place of smiles if only a little thought and a little care are exercised. Lets have a sane Christmas; a bright and happy one.—Wilmington Dispatch.

### Externals.

Never despise externals. All the world loves frosting on its cake, even though the frosting does not promise that there are plenty of raisins inside.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

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

Miss Maggie Thomas, of South Boston, Va., came in Wednesday evening to spend the holidays with her brother, Mr. E. H. Thomas.

Misses Gray, Knight, and Sheridan, teachers in the graded school, left Wednesday for their respective homes to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nobles, who have been spending a few days here with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Kittrell, left this morning for Zebulon.

Mr. L. E. Pender came in from New York Wednesday night to spend the holidays at home.

Mr. P. S. Cotten, of Norfolk, was here today enroute to Cottendale to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. L. Ames Brown is home from the University to spend the holidays.

### Matinee.

There will be a grand matinee at the Amuzu Theatre Saturday afternoon from 3.30 to 5.00 p. m.

### Lost and Found.

While out shopping, Wednesday afternoon, Miss Ellen Proctor lost her purse containing some over \$13. Her distress over the loss was removed when the purse was later found and returned to her.

Another lady lost a silver mesh bag containing a small sum of money on the street a few days ago, which has not yet been recovered by the owner, and she would like very much to get the bag back if the finder will let it be known.

### The Story of One Orchard.

Keffer pears were planted in a field that has been run every year in a regular crop. One year cotton, one corn, then followed a crop of oats, and vetch, preceded by cow peas. Every year now it is oats, vetch, cow peas and soys. I am now getting a good tonnage of forage semi-annually from in amongst the trees. The little trees made a nice growth. They were cultivated and pruned; the long shoots being cut back over half way and superfluous branches trimmed out. They were headed low and pruning is all done from the ground with a pruning hook, which cost 60 or 75 cents.

The third year there was a little sprinkle of fruit, and each succeeding year has shown a little increase. This year, however, the entire orchard was loaded to the breaking point. In July it became necessary to take off from some of the trees at least one-third of the crop to protect the limbs; by the first of August they were again bending and breaking under their load of fruit.

I didn't know how it would work, but fifty bushels were gathered from the most heavily laden trees the second week in August. These were good-sized but very hard, woody and green. They were stored in a dark room and were not expected to ripen before cool weather. In 15 days they had assumed a rich golden color. In 30 days they were deliciously ripe, sweet and mellow. In the meantime the little Irish woman had been making inroads upon the pear pile. Some were canned for desert; some were pickled whole, with the stem left on; others were preserved, and others prepared in the devious ways and manners of womenfolk which are beyond the ken of men.

A few days ago the entire crop was gathered. We are now assorting them. The large, perfect specimens we are wrapping in paper separately and packing in ventilated crates for winter use. The seconds are readily sold at a dollar. Culls sell easily at 50 cents. All such as are bruised and specked are distributed among the neighboring sisters who are glad to get them for canning purposes.

I judge that we have marketed and used 150 bushels. The price would average \$1 per bushel. Now, these trees have grown and thriven on land which has produced good field crops every year. They have taken practically no room as the crops of grain are sown in closely to the rows of trees on either side.

—W. D. Troutman, in Raleigh Progressive Farmer and Gazette.

## MOVEMENT OF TRAINS.

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

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

Norfolk & Southern.	
Eastbound	Westbound
9.40 a. m.	4.56 p. m.
1.09 a. m.	3.25 a. m.
6.30 p. m.	7.51 a. m.

## THE WEATHER.

### Unsettled weather followed by rain or snow in the interior late tonight or Friday; rising temperature, moderate east and southeast winds.

### Dec. 22 in American History.

1807—The embargo on trade with England, etc., took effect. The act remained in full force until March, 1809.

1822—John Strong Newberry, eminent geologist and mining expert, born; died 1892.

1890—Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, died; born 1837.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 4:32, rises 7:18; moon rises 11:37 p. m.; planet Mercury visible; 12:04 noon today, winter solstice; sun lowest and farthest south; moon shadows longest; winter begins.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

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

One day nearer and two days left. Knights of Pythias meet tonight. The shopping crowd is large. If you have not shopped, it is time to hurry.

Christmas coming on Sunday this year, the Monday following is recognized as a legal holiday.

The Training School closes today for the holidays.

The trustees of East Carolina Teachers' Training School were in session here yesterday.

Trains are running on their late holiday schedules.

Since the boys are out of school they are having a picnic.

All along the street the merchants look busy.

Let us drop the word that everybody be careful with the use of fireworks.

The outlook is that the young people in Greenville will have much amusement during the holidays.

### The Cotton Picker.

The Literary Digest this week exploits the cotton picking machine copying from the article in The World's Work, which The Chronicle recently referred to. It says: "An invention that will put Southern children in school, knocks spurs out of the tenant system, save money and temper, increase the price of land, eliminate all sorts of bad labor conditions and introduce a new and enlightened era into the reign of old King Cotton—this is what Mr. Arthur W. Page calls Mr. Angus Campbell's cotton harvester. It will do all this and more, Mr. Page assures us, and yet its inventor is merely doing for cotton what McCormick and others long ago did for grain. Cotton, however, is a different proposition, and wise-acre have always prophesied that nothing but the human hand could ever harvest it. Mr. Campbell has been working on the problem for twenty years. His first machine, tried in 1889 near Dallas, Texas, was simply a horizontal cylinder studded with wooden fingers covered with bristles. It threw much cotton to the ground and injured bolls, blooms and stalks. Yearly improvements were made—sometimes two a year—but although Mr. Campbell accumulated experience, he was unable for years to get to the bottom of his problem." The illustration of the cotton picker show that it is quite a different machine from that which was exploited in Charlotte a few years ago, though it operates on much the same principle. Mr. Campbell is sure that he has perfected the long-desired mechanical cotton picker, and it is to be hoped that he is correct. It is evident that if he has not actually invented the machine the farmers are looking for, he has come so close to it that a little more experimentation will do the work. If the cotton picker is not actually here, it is fast on the way.—Charlotte Chronicle.

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

All notices of entertainments for profit, whether for schools, churches, lodges or any other institution, will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent a word.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1910.

Darn the stockings.

Saturday night the country will be full of hanging stockings.

We hope no little tot will be convinced that Santa Claus is a myth.

If you cannot do anything else, say a happy word to somebody this Christmas.

If your stocking comes out empty you might fill it by putting your foot in it.

Scatter sunshine as you go and it will help you forget your own troubles.

We know a lot of folks Carnegie could make it peace-ful for by distributing gifts.

If anybody sends us an automobile for Christmas, also send along enough gasoline to run it.

Bear in mind that a subscription to The Daily Reflector would be a gift that is remembered all the year.

The Greensboro News laments "an empty stocking is a useless thing." Not at all, Bob. Put your hoof in it.

John D. Rockefeller matches Andrew Carnegie's peace donation by giving \$10,000,000 to Chicago University.

The papers generally are calling for a sane Christmas, but it is hard to reconcile sanity with promiscuous fireworks.

Luck comes even to an occasional North Carolina newspaper man, Editor Moore, of the Durham Sun, has recently inherited a snug fortune.

The story that the Missouri man who recently died at the age of 89, never told a lie and never quarrelled with his wife is—well, it comes from Missouri.

There is an old saying "as the days get longer the cold gets stronger" or something like that. The days will soon begin to get a little longer, and if the cold is to get much stronger than it has been of late, there will be some shivering.

Near Greensboro in Guilford county, what was called an "ice cream party" ended in a row with one negro dead. That looked more like a "storm party." But they did freeze one out, and maybe the name was all right.

**MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN,**  
A Certain Relief for Feverishness, Coughs, Croup, Hoarseness, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, Worms, Bowel Break up Cures in 24 hours. All Druggists, Sells in 25¢ packets. Trade Mark. Don't accept any substitute. A. S. OLSTED, L. S. ROY, N. Y.

This is a happy time with pupils of the schools getting to their homes to spend Christmas. The Reflector wishes that every one of them, both the goers and the comers, and everybody else, may have a happy Christmas.

Two young men in Birmingham dropping dead immediately after taking a drink out of a bottle of shipped-in whiskey, ought to be a warning to Christmas boozers. But it is not, as they take all kinds of chances on the stuff.

Col. Roosevelt has been given another job under the ribs. A number of bankers and business men of Detroit threatened to withdraw membership from the board of commerce in the city, if the president of the organization carries out his plan to have the colonel address that body. The "big stick" seems to be shrinking rapidly.

**A Marked Growth.**  
North Carolina has been "growing some" within the 120 years since the first census was taken. Her growth in population has been as follows:

Year	Population
1790	393,757
1800	478,103
1810	555,500
1820	638,829
1830	739,987
1840	753,419
1850	869,039
1860	992,622
1870	1,671,361
1880	1,359,750
1890	1,617,947
1900	1,893,510
1910	2,206,237

To be sure this does not represent a phenomenal growth, such as is shown by some Western States. Before the civil war we did not grow very fast, but since that date our growth has been remarkable until today we have passed the two million mark.

But fast as our growth has been there are possible far greater strides in this respect. Our natural resources are just "skimmed" and our methods of production in some lines are still rather in their elementary stages. In manufacturing North Carolina is destined to take a commanding place. Indeed she has already done so and is preceded by South Carolina alone in certain lines of cotton manufacturing. Our water falls offer to the capitalists opportunities for the development of almost unlimited power while on the bosoms of our rivers, lakes and grounds the commerce of an empire can be born with ease. The state contains 31,193,600 acres and of these only 8,317,106 acres are improved, and some of this average only partial.

Yes, there is abundance of opportunity for vast development within the bounds of the Old North State; and the next decade will no doubt show greater change than has any yet since our history began.—Kinston Free Press.

**INDIGESTION GOES.**

**Coward & Wooten Sells Best Prescription on Money Back Plan.**

Almost everybody knows that sick headache, nervousness and dizziness, are caused by a disorderly stomach. Upset stomach and indigestion happen just because the food you eat does not digest—but lies in the stomach and ferments or turns sour.

You can stop fermentation and stomach distress in five minutes by using MI-O-NA stomach tablets, a prescription that has done more to cure indigestion and put the stomach in fine condition than all the specialists on earth.

A large 50 cent box of MI-O-NA stomach tablets is all you need to get quick and lasting relief. Coward & Wooten guarantees them.

Mrs. Altie Elson, of 93 Dun Road, Battle Creek, Mich., used MI-O-NA and within two months was in as good health as ever, and has a good, strong stomach and eats anything she likes she attributes her good health to MI-O-NA.

If you have heartburn, belching of gas heaviness or any stomach trouble no matter how chronic, try MI-O-NA stomach tablets on money back plan. Sold by Coward & Wooten and leading druggists everywhere.

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**HEARD FROM**

**A Lady Who Lives in Goldsboro Joins in the Chorus of Praise for Cardui, The Woman's Tonic.**

Goldsboro, N. C.—"A physician treated me for many distressing symptoms," writes Mrs. Etta A. Smith, "but gave me no relief.

"I suffered with neuralgia around the heart and was troubled at times with my head. I had pain in my left side, bowels, left thigh, shoulders and arms.

"After taking Cardui, I am now well and can recommend it to other suffering women."

Just such doubtful symptoms, as those from which Mrs. Smith suffered, are the ones for which it will pay you to take Cardui, the woman's tonic.

It is at such times, when there is nothing to show, for certain, the real cause of the trouble, that you need a tonic, to give the body strength to throw off the illness that evidently threatens.

Take Cardui, when you are ill, with the ailments of your sex. Take Cardui as a tonic, to prevent illness, when you feel it coming.

Your druggist keeps it.

N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women" sent in plain wrapper on request.

**NOTICE OF SALE.**

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt county made in a special proceeding entitled Nashville Hardee, Jr., Administrator vs G. W. and J. H. Hardee, made on 13th of December, 1910, the undersigned will, on the 23rd day of January 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, before the court house door of said county offer for public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, a certain house and lot in the town of Winterville, N. C. on the west side of the A. C. L. Railroad near Lewis Kittrell's mill, being a lot purchased of J. T. Smith, by Nashville Hardee, Sr., the deed for which is recorded in book 58, page 436, in Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, to which reference is directed. This December 21, 1910.

NASHVILLE HARDEE, JR., Administrator of Nashville Hardee, Sr.

**Drain and Clean off the Lands.**

Of things which may be done this fall and winter in preparation for next year's crop, there is none quite so important as drainage. It is true that all the land may not be drained this winter, but if one hundred acres can not be drained this winter, is that any reason why the ten acres which need it most should not be drained? Or, of not ten, then five, or as much as can be drained.

Tile drainage is the best, but if that is not possible, is that any good reason for neglecting the drainage question entirely.

Over a large part of the South there are ditches, gullies galled spots, stumps, bushes, trees which interfere with the use of machinery, break the cultivated lands up into patches and prevent economical cultivation. Can not something be done this winter to remove these obstructions to good farming?—Raleigh Progressive Farmer and Gazette.

**Dr. Hyatt Coming.**

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be in Greenville at Hotel Bertha, January 2nd and 3rd, Monday and Tuesday, for the purpose of treating diseases of the eye and fitting glasses. Tawdew 18

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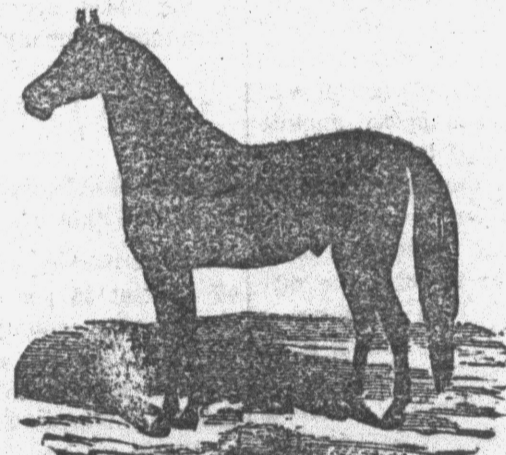
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1:40 p. m.	Ar.	Washington	Lv.	8:00 a. m.
1:17 p. m.	"	Williamston	"	8:17 a. m.
2:15 p. m.	"	Plymouth	"	7:35 a. m.
1:12 p. m.	"	Greenville	"	8:23 a. m.
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## S. A. L. SCHEDULE

Hence the Rhino Blindly Attacks Anything New to Him.  
Sir Frederick Treves, the distinguished British surgeon, in his book "Uganda For a Holiday" has a word or two to say about the rhinoceros.  
"The rhinoceros is the embodiment of blind conservatism," he writes. "Its hide is impenetrable, its vision is weak, while its intellect is weaker. It has, however, two marked qualities—combativeness and a sense of smell. It is aroused to its maximum energy by the presence of anything that is new. This object need not be a thing that is aggressive or inconvenient. Its offensiveness depends upon the fact that it is unfamiliar, and the more unfamiliar the object is the worse the rhinoceros acts."  
"When a rhinoceros smells a man he will charge him with maniacal violence, although the man may be merely sitting on a stool reading Milton. The massive beast will dash at him like a torpedo or a runaway locomotive simply because the smell of him is novel. Actuated by this insane hate of whatever savors of an innovation, the rhinoceros has charged an iron water tank on the outskirts of a camp and has crumpled it up as a blacksmith would an empty meat tin."  
"A conservative rhinoceros with a senile dislike of anything new once charged a train on the Uganda railway, but with no more serious results than the tearing away of the footboard of a carriage. As regards the rhinoceros in this case, it appeared surprised that a flesh and blood could be so hard. It went off with an additional grievance and an increased swelling of the head."

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 at Hamlet for Charlotte and Wilmington.  
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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 Louisa, Henderson Oxford, and Norlina.  
6.00 p. m.—For Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points West, Jacksonville, and all Florida points. Pullman sleepers. Arrive Atlanta 7 a. m.  
12.45 p. m.—Arrives Richmond 4.20 a. m., Washington 7.40 a. m., New York 2 p. m. Pullman sleepers. Arrive Washington and New York.

## N. S. Schedule ROUTE OF THE NIGHT EXPRESS

Schedule in effect December 18th.  
N. B.—The following schedule figures published as information ONLY and are not guaranteed.

**TRAINS LEAVE GREENVILLE Eastbound.**

1.09 a. m., daily, Night Express Pullman Sleeping Car for Norfolk.  
9.40 a. m., daily, for Norfolk and New Bern. Parlor car service between New Bern and Norfolk, connects for all points north and west.  
6.50 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Washington.  
**Westbound.**  
8.25 a. m., daily for Wilson and Raleigh, connects north, south and west.  
7.51 a. m., daily except Sunday for Wilson and Raleigh, connects for all points.  
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## MOSCOW CATHEDRAL.

Fantastic Looking Edifice Erected by Ivan the Terrible.  
One of the most extraordinary and fantastic Christian places of worship in the world is the Cathedral of Moscow, known as Vasilij Blajennj, strange not only in outline and conception, but even stranger in its history. No one knows the architect's name, but the story goes that the czar ordered his eyes to be put out directly the church was completed, so that he should never be able to surpass his work. The idea of the building was inspired by the wickedest and maddest monarch who ever sat on a throne—Ivan the Terrible, czar of Muscovy.  
The architecture is in every respect extravagant and barbaric, and the coloring is garish in the extreme. It has nine chapels, roofed by nine cupolas, each different and each stranger than the other. One resembles a pineapple, another a melon, a third is said to ape a hedgehog in its appearance, and the rest are more or less grotesque. Some are gilt; others are painted in brilliant hues. Indeed, the only description is that it is a nightmare of a church, the fitting legacy of a ruler who grilled his counselors in frying pans and clothed his subjects in bearskins in order that trained dogs might worry and tear them to pieces.—Strand Magazine.

**A King's Hobby.**  
The late king of Siam had an extraordinary hobby—that of collecting empty matchboxes of all nations. In this connection an interesting story is related. During one of his visits to England the king while passing down Bond street one afternoon, accompanied by two members of his suit, espied an empty matchbox which had been discarded by its owner and thrown away into the middle of the thoroughfare. Without a moment's thought the monarch dashed into the middle of the crowded traffic, grasped the much coveted treasure and was nearly run over by a passing cab. The fact, however, that he was able to add a new specimen to his collection gathered under such circumstances more than compensated him for the risk which he had run.—London News.

**Gothic Architecture.**  
Gothic architecture began about the ninth century after Christ and soon began to spread all over Europe. Its great feature is the pointed arch, and it was at first called the "pointed style." Most of the glorious old world cathedrals are in the Gothic, and it is generally conceded that for religious purposes no other style of architecture is so perfectly suited. It has been said that the first idea of the Gothic was suggested by the interlacing boughs and trunks of the great woods in which German Christianity was formed; hence the name Gothic.—New York American.

**Still More Painful.**  
The Young Politician—I can assure you there is nothing more painful than having to make—or—er—one's first speech in public. Young Politician's Wife—Oh, yes, there is, dear! Young Politician (displeased)—Then what is it, pray? Young Politician's Wife (sweetly)—Having to listen to it, my dear.

**He Was Considerate.**  
She—I should like that lovely pearl necklace. Look what beauties they are. He—It's better not to have such large pearls, my dear. People always think they are false.—Journal Amusant.

**Marriage.**  
"Marriage," said the serious man, "is an education in itself."  
"Yes," commented old Grouch, "it teaches you what not to do after you have done it."—Boston Transcript.  
Love of our neighbor is the only drop out of the dungeon of self.—MacDonald.

## THE ELECTROSCOPE.

Instrument by Which the Presence of Electricity is Detected.  
The electroscope is an instrument for the detection of electricity. It depends for its action on the principle that bodies charged with like electricity repel, while those charged with unlike electricity attract each other. The ordinary pith ball suspended on a silk thread is the simplest form of the instrument.  
The most common type of electroscope is that devised by Bennett in 1787 and known as the gold leaf electroscope. It consists of two strips of gold leaf or thin aluminium foil suspended from the lower extremity of a conductor within a glass bottle or jar. The upper end of the conductor terminates in a ball or a plate in case the instrument is to be used as a condensing electroscope. If a body charged with positive electricity is brought near the knob of the electroscope the negative electricity will be attracted to the knob and the positive repelled to the leaves, which diverge. If now the finger is touched to the knob the positive electricity is drawn off and the leaves collapse, while the negative electricity is held bound. Removing the charged body, the leaves will diverge again, charged with negative electricity. In this case the instrument can be used to determine the nature of a charge of a body brought near it, as with a positive charge the leaves will collapse and with a negative charge spread farther apart.—Exchange.

## A STUDY IN FIGURES.

Calculations Necessary to Produce the Nautical Almanac.  
It may safely be said that no one outside the publishing office has read the entire Nautical Almanac from beginning to end, but each figure of the printed almanac is in the office examined twice and read three times.  
The total number of figures exceeds a million; but, great as that number is, it is trifling compared with the number of figures employed in the calculations, as the almanac figures represent "bare" results only. The moon, for instance, requires for its calculation more than a million and a half of figures, and similarly with other branches of the work, such as the sun, the planets, etc. Contrary to the general opinion, practically every figure in the book is fresh from year to year.  
The tables from which nearly all the work is calculated have been originally constructed from the labors of the astronomical observer and to a large extent from the observations of the sun, moon and planets made at the Royal observatory, Greenwich. Telescopes and other astronomical appliances are conspicuously absent, as the work of the staff is purely mathematical and not observational.—London Telegraph.

**A Legend of Mount Omi.**  
Mount Omi, on the border between western China and Tibet, has the longest staircase in the world. On top of the mountain there stands a Buddhist temple, around which gather some of the holiest traditions of that religion and which is made a Mecca to the Chinese. To facilitate the ascent of its slippery sides some 20,000 steps have been cut in the mountain, forming a single flight, up which the pilgrim toils. Because of its inaccessibility few Europeans have ever visited the spot, but a number of travelers have ascended the stairway and are positive that it is no legendary myth. There is a legend that in earlier times the pilgrim was forced to ascend the mountain without artificial aids until the monks conceived the plan of requiring every pilgrim who would gain especial benefit of his journey to cut a single step.

**Some Consolation.**  
He was a frugal Scot and when the collection plate came round dropped in a florin in mistake for the humble copper. Speedily discovering his mistake, however, he stepped softly down the aisle and requested the oof gatherer to give him back the coin, which request was politely but firmly refused. A shade of disappointment flitted over the northerner's face as he walked slowly back to his pew.  
"Aweel," he said, "it's a loss, but there's some sma' consolation in reflectin' it's a bad one. It might have got me into trouble anywhere else."—London Telegraph.

**Dickens and His Wife.**  
Commenting on the unhappy relations between Dickens and his wife, Goldwin Smith wrote in one of his last papers: "It was a common case. Dickens had married at a low level, and his wife had not risen with him; otherwise there was no fault on her side. The matrimonial history of writers of works of imagination has often been unhappy. Their imagination turns the woman into an angel, and then they find that she is a woman."

**Two Is Company.**  
"Have you ever loved before?" asked the coy maid.  
"Yes," yawned the worldly young man, "but—never before a chaperon, two small brothers and a pet bulldog."  
And then she suggested a trip down the old road to see the stars.—Chicago News.

**A Sugar Coated Pill.**  
"How did you persuade your daughter to learn kitchen work?"  
"By calling it domestic science."—Pittsburg Post.  
The way of the world is to make laws, but follow customs.—Montaigne.

## Condensed Statement of The National Bank of Greenville GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA at the close of business November 10th, 1910.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 205,973.46	Capital.....	\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....	3,244.15	Surplus.....	10,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....	21,000.00	Undivided profits.....	1,084.34
Fur. and Fix.....	5,507.75	Circulation.....	21,000.00
Stocks and bonds.....	3,000.00	Bonds borrowed.....	21,000.00
Cash and due from bks....	80,107.63	Rediscouunts.....	25,600.00
		Dividends unpaid.....	244.81
		Deposits.....	190,003.84
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 318,932.99</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 318,932.99</b>

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**A MERCENARY MARRIAGE.**  
Romance of Lady March and the Second Duke of Richmond.  
One of the mercenary marriages which turned out happily was that of the second Duke of Richmond. He was married to Lady Sarah Cadogan as part of an agreement that her father's gambling debts should be canceled, Lord March (as he then was) being eighteen and the bride thirteen. Immediately after the wedding Lord March's tutor took him off to the continent for the grand tour, and Lady Sarah went back to her nursery. This is the sequel as told by Lady Russell in "The Rose Goddess."  
"Three years elapsed. Lord March returned from his travels, but, having such an uninteresting recollection of his bride, was in no hurry to claim her and went the first evening of his return to London to the opera. There he noticed that all eyes—and lognettes—were directed to one box, where, surrounded by several persons, sat a most beautiful young creature. Turning to a man beside him, he asked who she was. 'You must be a stranger in London,' was the answer, 'not to know the reigning toast of the town, the beautiful Lady March!' Lord March lost no time in going to the box and introducing himself to his bride, with whom he ever after lived so affectionately that their devotion to one another became proverbial."

**The Poster.**  
The poster may be said to date from 1836, when a design by Lelance was used in France to advertise a book, "Comment Meurent les Femmes." His example was very quickly followed, most of the early designs being printed in black on white or tinted paper. The color poster began about 1890 and attained to the dignity of a high art with Jules Cheret, "the father of the pictured placard." The first English theatrical placard to attract widespread attention was one of Fred Walker's advertising a dramatic company, "The Woman in White."—London Chronicle.

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New York Future Market  
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December	14.94	14.88
March	15.18	15.21
May	15.36	15.40

Chicago Markets		
December wheat	91 5-8	91 3-4
December corn	47.3-4	45
January ribs	10.62	10.75
May ribs	9.90	10.02
January lard	10.30	10.17
Mal lard	10.32	10.17
Greenville cotton	14 5-8.	

By Wire to The Reflector.

Fatal Train Wreck.

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New Brunswick, Dec. 22.—Two men  
were killed, another is dying in the  
hospital and another seriously injur-  
ed in a triple wreck caused by two  
collisions on the Pennsylvania rail-  
way today. The first accident was  
caused by a rear end collision of  
freight trains, then a passenger train  
ran into the wreckage.

Cotton.

New York, Dec. 22.—Although there  
was little trading, a steady tone was  
apparent on the cotton market to-  
day, with prices four points higher,  
to one point lower. Spot houses  
absorbed most of May and July offer-  
ings. Opening: December, 14.86;  
January, 14.89; March 15.20; May  
15.36.

Stocks.

New York, Dec. 22.—Lack of de-  
mand on the part of buyers caused  
sharp decline during early trading in  
Wall street today, with the result  
that practically the entire list was

quoting losses ranging from 1-2 to  
7-8. All prominent railroad stocks  
were off about 1-2. Lehigh Valley  
was very weak, dropping nearly a  
point below yesterday's close.

Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—The grain mar-  
ket reacted from the closing and ruled  
fractionally higher. Corn was also  
higher but settled; oats were firmer  
and provisions lower. Opening: De-  
cember wheat, 91 1-4; corn, 4. 1-8;  
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