

## NEWSY HAPPENINGS

### AROUND WINTERVILLE

Things That Are Going on in Our Neighbor Town.

Winterville, N. C., Feb. 25.—Mrs. J. D. Cox went to Greenville Friday evening.

The Philo-Altean Literary Society entertained the Vance Literary Society Friday night from seven to half-past nine o'clock, with the following program:

1. Welcome..... President
2. Song—"Scuse Me Teacher."
3. An appreciation of our society poet..... Nancy Dail
4. The Plot in Mid-summer Nights. Dream..... Clyde Chapman
5. Piano Solo..... Lillian Baker
6. An Original Story, Clara Braxton
7. Chorus..... Belle Napoli
8. Reading..... Oliver Cox
9. Instrumental Duet—Misses Jones and Harrell.
10. He Builds too Low Who Builds Beneath the Stars..... Helen Adams
11. Song..... Sweet and Low
12. Jingles..... Esther Johnson

All present had a very nice time, but the time was so short to the boys. Harrington, Barber & Company, have opened up a new lot of hats.

Misses Dora Cox and Elizabeth Boushalls' rooms entertained the mothers of their students Friday evening with a very interesting program.

See Harrington, Barber & Company for your flour, meal and lime.

Mr. P. T. Anthony, of Greenville, was in town Friday evening.

Mr. Joe Stallings left for his home near Hill Friday evening to spend Saturday and Sunday.

If you want a new stump puller that will pull stumps of any kind, see A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company.

Miss Martha Cherry left for her home near Greenville Friday night, to spend Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. B. F. Huske, of New Bern, the former pastor, preached in the Episcopal church Wednesday night to a large congregation, and celebrated the Holy Communion Thursday morning.

Fifty nice pigs of large babecue size for sale by the A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company.

Misses Ethel Bowling and Juanita Savage, of Greenville, are visiting Miss Pearl Hester.

The A. G. Cox Manufacturing Company will have your horse shod by a specialist. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Rev. M. A. Adams is in Beaufort holding a meeting this week.

Miss Vivian Roberson left for her home in Robersonville this morning to spend Saturday and Sunday.

### NOT SELF-SUPPORTING

State not Producing What the People Consume.

The statement issued in a special bulletin by the North Carolina Agricultural department that the state is not self-supporting, is a reproach. And worse—it must be admitted that the statement is true. Mr. J. L. Burgess, state Agronomist and his assistant, Mr. Garren, were instructed some time since to investigate to determine what part of our food supplies came from outside the state and what part of them were home made.

Six hundred letters, accompanied by blanks for information, were sent out to all parts of the state making inquiry as to the quantities of various goods shipped in, and while there were less than two hundred replies, the results of the investigation were really startling. The bulletin shows that the state, once able to support itself, has lost that ability through the growth of the manufacturing interests. Since 1816 when the first cotton mill was built on the Tar River, the drift of the rural population from the country to the towns has been marked. The manufacturing towns have grown larger every year and it is only of very recent years that there has been any marked "back to the farm movement."

The fact that the state does not produce enough food-stuff to supply the people should open the eyes of the farmers, who in turn should bend every endeavor to change the condition.—Salisbury Post.

### Notice.

We regret to announce that Dr. W. L. Poteat is sick and cannot deliver the address at the Training school as announced in yesterday's paper.

R. H. WRIGHT, Pres.

## MRS. H. A. WHITE ENTERTAINS.

In Honor of Her Niece, Miss Charlotte Fennell, of Wilmington.

On Friday night at her home on Greene street, Mrs. H. A. White entertained a large number of young people at a pink reception in honor of her niece, Miss Charlotte Fennell, of Wilmington.

The color scheme of the home was pink, with here and there a touch of green in a fern, spray of smilax or wreath of ivy. The dresses of the ladies receiving, with the exception of the hostess, were also pink in keeping with the color scheme.

At the front door the guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Jr., and Master Julian White received the guests' cards. Mrs. Lipscomb wore pink marquisette trimmed in crystals.

In the hall Mr. Alvin Dupree and Miss Lillian Carr served punch from a table draped in pink with a fringe of smilax through which sparkled tiny electric bulbs with pink shades.

Mr. J. B. James and Mrs. C. C. Skinner received at the parlor door. Mrs. Skinner's dress being pink embroidered chiffon.

Mrs. White and Miss Fennell received in the parlor, the dress of the hostess being white chiffon trimmed with pink, and the guest of honor's pink satin with crystal and pearl trimmings.

The game of the evening was heart dice, with nine tables of players in the parlor library and living room. The score cards, distributed by little Misses Nell White and Ada James, were ornamented with Christy pictures and tied with pink cord. Bonbons were served on each table.

The ladies' prize, a gold crescent pin, was tied for by Misses May Hampton, Ward Moore and Mattie Moye King, and in the cut Miss Hampton was the winner. The gentlemen's prize, a gold scarf pin, was won by Mr. S. T. White. The guest of honor's prize was a gold hat pin.

At the conclusion of the game the guests were invited to the dining room where ices, cakes and mints were served, all in pink color. Between the parlor and dining room was an arch of pink electric lights peeping through pink draperies and wreaths of ivy. The centre piece of the dining room table was a clunry lace cover over pink edged with a wreath of smilax, a cut glass jardener of white hyacinths arising from the midst, the whole being surrounded with pink candles in silver stands.

The guests were numerous and it was an evening of rare pleasure to all, for Mrs. White always entertains delightfully.

### RAILROAD BRIDGE BURNED.

All Norfolk Southern Trains Badly Delayed.

Friday night a considerable section of the Norfolk Southern railroad bridge across Neuse river, this side of Raleigh was burned and rendered impassible to trains. This greatly delayed traffic on the road, trains in both directions having to stop at the river and transfer. The train from Raleigh due here at 9:40 this morning did not arrive until some past noon.

### The Last Sermon.

The last of a series of four sermons to young men will be preached at the Christian church, by Chas. C. Ware, minister, tomorrow night.

The subject is "The Young Man and Temperance." Come and hear what a young man has to say to young men. Miss Mary Johnston will sing.

Most pleasures have their drawbacks and most promises have strings tied to them.

### CHARGE OF PERJURY AGAINST FOELKER

Gardner Says the Charge of Bribery Was a Lie.

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Feb. 25.—Max. D. Stener who was attorney for former senator Frank J. Gardner in his bribery trial, announced today that he had filed charges of perjury against Congressman Otto G. Foelker, Gardner's accuser, with district attorney Whitman. Stener said he had evidence that Foelker lied when he said he took Regents examination admission to bar. He declared Foelker had paid Max Somusky \$500 to take the examination for him.

## SUGGESTIONS TO THE CORN CLUB BOYS

Things They Should do to Increase The Yield.

To those boys who for the first time enter the corn contest, I wish to remind them that it is the universal experience that to make a large yield of corn the land must be broken deep. The deeper the better, other things being equal. The subsoil should be dry, as well as the top soil, when the land is broken. Water is very essential, but enough water will fall upon the ground to make a fine crop, provided all soaks in the land and is not allowed to escape.

Then it is necessary to get the land in fine order, in fact, it should be in as good condition as most peoples' tobacco beds are when ready to be sown.

Don't plant before the middle of April, for if corn is highly manured, as yours should be, and planted early it is almost sure to be dry when it is bunching for tassel and at that time more water is needed than any other time.

Plant Biggs prolific as that seems to yield better in this county than Coke's or any other of which I have heard.

After it is planted, and before it comes up, a smoothing harrow or weeder should be run diagonally across the rows. Stir the land every week after the first of June, but do not plow deep, not more than three inches. When planting use a planter and be sure to put enough good seed. Should there be any missing places it may be replanted by taking a shovel and making a small hole and lifting some of the corn from where it is too thick, placing this corn in the hole previously dug. Do this work when the corn is about three inches tall, and preferably upon a cloudy day.

If you do as I have advised, although you may not get a trip to Washington, (though I hope you will) you will get at least fifty bushels of corn to the acre and may get one hundred. You will outstrip most of the old farmers and be well paid for your work.

Joseph Henry, of Louisiana, received in premiums and in the sale of his premium corn for seed, nearly one thousand dollars from one acre last year.

I tell you, he is a proud boy, and in all probability will make one of the most successful farmers in the United States, and therefore in the world.

My boy is trying for one hundred bushels and I will tell you occasionally what he is doing for his.

A. J. MOYE.

### AT THE CHURCHES.

Where You can Worship Tomorrow in Greenville.

**Christian**—Cor. Dickinson avenue and S. Pitt St., Chas. C. Ware, minister. Training class meets at 9:05; Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subjects: "The Bread of Life," and "The Young Man and Temperance." Ladies Aid meets at Mrs. J. S. Tunstall's, Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. Every one cordially welcomed.

**Baptist**—Sunday school, Baraca and Philathea classes meet at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Mr. Gray, of Wake Forest College.

**Presbyterian**—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Important congregational meeting at 10:30 a. m.

**Universalist**—Service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Miss Francis Kimball, of Vermont.

**Methodist**—Rev. Jno. H. Shore, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. The Baraca and Philathea classes meet at the same hour. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor. Subject, morning sermon: "The Greatest Thought in a Human Life." Evening: "The Brother of the Prodigal Son." At the morning service the Baraca class will attend in a body.

**Men's Prayer League**—Meets at 3:30 p. m. in Christian church. Subject, "God's Care of Us." Text, Luke 12:22-31. Leaders, Messrs. H. B. Harriss, B. B. Sugg and R. M. Hearne.

**Service for Colored People.** Rev. J. I. Johnson, of Behaven, will preach at Norcoot's hall, at 11 a. m., Sunday 26th. All are cordially invited to attend. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

## WASHINGTON-LONGFELLOW PROGRAM

Greenville Graded School Contributes \$15 to Nye Memorial Building

Friday afternoon the graded school celebrated the birthdays of Washington and of Henry W. Longfellow. As the birthday of the former is Feb. 22, and the latter the 27th, Friday afternoon was selected as the most suitable date for the exercises.

The programme consisted of patriotic songs, memorized selections of Washington repeated in concert by the grades and of two essays. One was on the life of General Washington, which was read by Jack Bryan, a pupil in the eighth grade; the other essay was read by Miss Grace Smith, a pupil in the ninth grade.

Several visitors were present to hear the children. The children's hearts are always brightened when their parents and friends attend the exercises they render. It is not to be doubted that many of the children would do better work if their parents would take the time to visit the school occasionally, and more especially when some special programme is announced.

At the conclusion of the exercises, Superintendent Smith announced the amounts given by the different grades for the Bill Nye building at the Stone-wall Jackson Manual Training school. They were as follows:

- First division of first grade..... \$1.00
- Second division of first grade.... .56c
- Second grade..... .50c
- First division of third..... .50c
- Second division of third..... .65c
- Fourth grade..... \$1.05
- Fifth grade..... .55c
- Sixth grade..... 1.21
- Seventh grade..... .53c
- Eighth grade..... 1.25
- Ninth and tenth grades..... 1.00

The Star Circle of the King's Daughters gave \$5.00. Some other amounts are yet to be contributed, so that the graded schools of Greenville will send the neat little sum of \$15.00 to the chairman, J. P. Cook, to be used in the construction of the Nye memorial building at the Stone-wall Jackson Manual Training school.

### FOUR TEAMS FOR ONE

How They Look at Good Roads in Georgia.

A Thomas county farmer declares that in the future he will be able to haul four bales of cotton to town with the same team that a year ago could carry only one.

The mules and wagons and the cotton are unchanged but the good roads. The highways themselves have been transformed and that is why one team can now do the work of four.

This testimony might be gathered from score of Georgia counties where the good roads movement is being pressed. In every portion of the state popular sentiment is growing stronger each month for the development of highways. A number of counties have issued bonds, in order that the work may be expedited. Every class and calling of the people are alert to the need and the importance of this enterprise.

No one, however, is more interested in its advancement than is the farmer. For to him the value of a good road is in practical and continuous evidence. To him, it means the saving of money and time, the enhancement of his property's value and the enrichment of his children's opportunities. It brings him nearer the market, the school, the church and the homes of his neighbors.

The fact is Georgia can never reach the full measure of agricultural possibilities until every county of the state is netted with smooth and durable roads. Whatever enables one wagon to do the work of four and makes one trip to town accomplish the results of four will leave the farmer more money in his pocket at the end of the year.

The good roads movement that is now so earnest and widespread in Georgia must never be suffered to lag. It should be the constant concern of merchants and chambers of commerce in the towns and the individual interest of every man in the county. For upon the extension of this movement depend the whole state's growth and prosperity.—Atlanta Journal.

### Ladies' Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. A. B. Ellington, Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

The People Who Come and Go on Our Trains.

Miss Ethel Moore went to Farmville Friday evening.

Mr. J. E. Ellison, of Washington spent Friday night here.

Mr. H. A. White returned Friday night from Raleigh.

Mr. J. W. Brooks, Jr., left this morning for Greenville, S. C.

Mrs. Florence Eason went to Farmville this morning.

Mrs. H. S. Sheppard, who has been visiting Mrs. Lina Baker, left this morning for Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hooker left this morning on their bridal tour to New Orleans.

Miss Margaret Langley, of Richmond, who has been spending some days with friends here, returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mundy, of Newark, N. J., arrived today to visit Mrs. Pattie Forbes.

Miss Martha Lee Cowell, who has been attending a business college in Baltimore for the past few months, returned home today.

### MRS. J. L. HASSELL AT HOME.

Entertains Lady Friends at George Washington Party.

On Thursday night, 23rd, the doors of Mrs. John Linwood Hassell's lovely home, on Pitt street, were thrown open to about fifty of her lady friends the occasion being a George Washington party.

The guests were received at the front door by Masters Charles O'Hagan and Dail Laughinghouse, in costumes representing George Washington in evening dress. They were then served cherry smash by Mrs. R. J. Cobb and Mrs. N. W. Outlaw from the punch bowl placed in the receiving hall on a table covered with a centre piece which was hand embroidered in cherries.

Mrs. Hassell then received the guests in the parlor, where tables were arranged and appropriate place cards on them. Each guest found her place and began an interesting game by throwing small wooden dice in red, white and blue, spelling the name of George Washington. Mrs. H. A. White and Mrs. Haywood Dail cut for the prize, and Mrs. Dail being the winner was awarded a brass candle stick tied with cherries and patriotic ribbon.

The folding doors were thrown open between the library and dining room in which was a miniature cherry tree, and each guest was given two minutes to guess how many cherries were on the tree. Mrs. Moseley guessing nearest was given a glass candle stick tied with cherries and ribbon.

Miniature bags trimmed with cherries and hatchets and filled with salted almonds were placed on each table.

The entire house was beautifully decorated with potted plants, cut flowers, flags and other decorations appropriate to the occasion.

A delightful salad course, coffee and delicious red, white and blue ices and cake, were served about 12 o'clock, and the guests departed reluctantly, voting Mrs. Hassell a most charming hostess.

### Briand Ministry Will Resign.

By Cable to The Reflector.

Paris, Feb. 25.—The Briand ministry will resign Monday as a consequence of the attack made upon it last night in the chamber of deputies and the small majority of vote of confidence returned. The present cabinet was formed by Premier Briand on November 3rd, last.

Do you catch cold or cold catch you?

### BANK WRECKER ROBIN EXAMINED BY ALIENISTS

Testing His Sanity Before the Trial Begins.

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Feb. 25.—Joseph G. Robin, bankwrecker, underwent final examination at the hands of four alienists today in an attempt to determine his sanity. Robin goes to trial Monday and Attorney Jerome made the move for a sanity probe to gain what strength he could to support his condition that Robin is crazy.

People seem to want to invest in everything but happiness.

## INTER STATE COMMISSION POSTPONES FREIGHT ADVANCES

Hundreds of Railroads and Steamship Lines Effected.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The inter state commerce commission today suspended until September 15th, next, proposed advances in the coal and coke rate over the Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio and Norfolk & Western railroads. It also suspended until June 28th the advance in rates on milk and cream products over the Baltimore & Ohio and Southwestern, and advances in rates on vehicles on 624 railroad and steamship lines in the southwest and central freight association territory. Advances on grain products over the Northern Pacific and 16 other railroads in the middle west were suspended until July first. The hearing on suspensions of schedules cancelling through rates over St. Louis, Southern and two hundred other roads in the middle west and south were postponed until June first.

### 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
1:09 a. m.	3:25 a. m.
9:40 a. m.	7:51 a. m.
6:30 p. m.	4:56 p. m.

### The Weather:

Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain late tonight or Sunday; warmer tonight; light variable winds, becoming moderate southerly.

### Feb. 25 In American History.

1746—Charles Cotesworth Plackney, statesman, born; died 1825.

1863—Conscription bill for men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years passed by the United States congress.

1907—Archibald Claverling Gunter, novelist and playwright, died; born 1848.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:44, rises 6:33; moon rises 5:44 a. m.; 12:46 p. m., moon in conjunction with planet Uranus.

### Feb. 26 In American History.

1868—General George Archibald McCull, a Federal hero of the battle of Mechanicsville, Va., in 1862, died; born 1802.

1807—David L. Proudfit, well known poet and author, died; born 1842.

1900—Rev. Theodore Cuyler, noted minister and author, died in Brooklyn; born 1822.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:45, rises 6:32; moon rises 6:20 a. m.; 8:50 a. m., moon in conjunction with planet Mercury.

### DR. POTEAT CANNOT COME.

To Fill His Engagement Here Tonight and Tomorrow.

Dr. W. L. Poteat, president of Wake Forest College, who was announced to lecture in the Training School tonight, and preach in Memorial Baptist church tomorrow, wired this morning that owing to sickness he is prevented from visiting Greenville at this time. This is a disappointment to the people of the town as they were anxious to hear him. Mr. Gray, a student of Wake Forest, will come to preach in the Baptist church tomorrow morning and night.

### Negro Man Found Dead.

Coroner D. E. Wood went to Grotton today to investigate the death of Noah Vause, colored whose dead body was found in the swamp on the farm of Mr. Matthew Carr, in Neck township, this morning. Vause, who has conducted a market in Grifton for many years, left home Wednesday morning and had not since been seen until his body was found this morning. Friends carried the body to his home in Grifton, as there were no evidence of foul play, and notified the coroner, who went over to investigate.—Kinston Free Press.

### Too Much of a Good Thing.

A bag of peppermints sat beside Uncle Ethan. "I always try," he said, "to be as broadminded as I possibly can be. But I can't help inclining to believe," he went on, "that no one ought to chew gum and eat candy at the same time."

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The man who arrays himself against good roads must really not want to see his section prosper.

The farmer who is opposed to good roads, ought to stop and figure a little on what bad roads cost him.

Some people say they are in favor of good roads provided somebody else will build them. Then they ought to favor a bond issue to build the roads with. Then they would have only to pay a rental in the shape of a small tax, to enjoy the benefits of the roads during their life time and the generation that follows would do the same thing.

It has been shown by investigation that North Carolina is not self-supporting, that there is not as much food crops produced in the state as the people consume. If all the other counties will take up the determination of Pitt, to raise more corn, it will not be long before this reproach to the state is removed. North Carolina could easily produce enough corn to supply half a dozen states.

## THE FARMER AS A GUIDE

### He Now Farms as a Profession.

Twenty years or so ago, when William Allen White leaped into national fame on the strength of a single editorial, "What's the matter with Kansas?" the farmers of that state were poverty-stricken, over-burdened with mortgages, and without a great deal of hope for better conditions. Nowadays the Kansas farmer oppressed with a mortgage is the exception; they have money in the banks, they ride around in automobiles, and not a few have electric lights in house and barns. Full crops do not entirely explain the difference. The Kansas farmer has waked up to the possibilities of farming as a profession as compared with its possibilities as an occupation, and having awakened has been exceedingly busy applying his knowledge.

What has already happened in Kansas is in process of happening in this section. Before the war the south was pretty exclusively agricultural, but the single crop and the peculiar labor system were antagonistic to new ideas. After the war for a number of years the south remained exclusively agricultural, but the havoc wrought by the struggle entailed such poverty that little effort could be spared from the arduous necessity of keeping soul and body together. Less than a quarter of a century ago the south began to experience an industrial awakening such as it had never known, and this has prospered so marvelously that the section has begun to be spoken of as largely industrial.

The terminology overlooks many stubborn facts. Scarcely to be over-estimated is the value of her industries to the south, and there is room for many more, but agricultural she

## CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and feel the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for children, for use throughout the season. They break up colds, cure feverishness, constipation, teething disorders headache and stomach troubles. These powders never fail. Sold by all drug stores, 25 cents. Don't accept any substitute. A trial package free to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

is, and agricultural must she in the main continue. If we do not improve our opportunities along agricultural lines our progress in the way of new industries will profit us little. This is the reason why everybody is interested in the farmer. Prosperity as a general proposition must be measured by his advance; unless he is enlightened and aggressive the entire community will feel the clog on the wheels. Diversification of crops, improved methods, intensive farming, good rural schools, good rural roads are topics of vital interest to the city dweller, although he may sometimes forget that fact. Upon the energy of our farmers rests, in the ultimate analysis, the future of the south.—Durham Sun.

## CHAMP CLARK.

The summer of 1872 several boys from Virginia and myself were spending the summer at Bethany College, West Virginia, to get the benefit of the college library. About six weeks before the next session was to begin, a man apparently about twenty three years old, came to town and finding that some students were in town he hunted us up and made arrangements to mess with us until school opened. He gave his name as James Beacamp Clark, from Kentucky. He was an awkward youth much given to study. As I recollect now he cared very little what he ate, so that it was nourishing food.

We soon found that we had a very smart man with us and that the trend of his mind was political word. I recollect his saying that a young man not in the "set" stood a very poor chance for advancement in Kentucky; that Jno. C. Breckenridge owed most of his prominence to his good looks and his ability to drink more liquor than any of the boys, and not get drunk—as he could drink only a little without getting drun.

I recollect that we thought him a very strong man who would surely attain to prominence in politics unless old John Barley Corn got the best of him.

He finished the course there in one year and carried off the honors of his class.

His mother's name was Beacamp, (pronounced Beechum). There was so many J. B. Clarks in Missouri that he changed his name to Champ Clark.

I heard him say that his father was an itinerant dentist who made people miserable by pulling their teeth until he got religion, then he spent the remainder of his days making pedo-Baptists miserable over baptism. That his father on one of his itinerances procured a copy of Wirt's Patrick Henry and brought it home with him and that the reading of that book made a lawyer and politician of him.

It is related of him that once after some of his numerous backslidings that the congregation to which he belonged turned him out, and the very next Sunday he came to church but took a back seat. When the minister after the sermon gave the usual invitation for any one who wished to join the church to come forward, that Clark came strolling down the aisle and offered the preacher his hand. The preacher did not quite understand this procedure, so he said, "Mr. Clark, did we not turn you out yesterday?" "Yes," says Clark, "but I want to get in again."

I once heard him say that he was born in the Democratic party and the "Campbellite" church, and by the grace of God he hoped to die in full fellowship in both bodies.

I understand that he has given up drink entirely now and has still an ambition to be president.

He is higher up now than it looked quite possible two years ago, and his ambition may yet be gratified.  
A. J. MOYE.

## An Expert Opinion?

Eminent scientists and physicians seem to be unable to agree on the use of tobacco. It is contended by some that its use is injurious, while some extremists say it is beneficial. Depends on how it is used. Even too much of a good thing kills. Poison is of great value properly used, but we can see what would happen by anything like an indiscriminate use of it. One thing can be said of the tobacco habit; a man who chews tobacco is a hog. A good old Methodist preacher used to say this was true and that the reason he knew it was so was because he was a chewer himself, which was mighty good evidence.—Greensboro Record.

## Escape The Contestants.

Many surprises have been sprung, as well as many an act of evasion and injustice performed through modern methods of breaking wills and annulling marriages on the ground of mental derangements. These methods received a setback recently through the action of a physician whose proposed marriage was opposed by his brothers and sisters. He secured the appointment of a lunacy commission and then went quietly ahead with his arrangements for the wedding. At the psychological moment—that is when the wedding party was waiting for the verdict—a message flashed over the wires to the effect that the doctor was not crazy. Then the wedding march rang out and "the happy couple were made man and wife," to use the classic language of the society reporter. To make assurance doubly sure and to avoid further trouble and annoyance, it is to be presumed that the doctor-husband has his certificate of sanity properly stowed away in a safe deposit vault. Similar foresight might greatly reduce the number of suits to set aside wills on the ground of mental incompetence of the makers. The certificate, properly attested, could be attached to the will. That would be a pretty hard nut for the contestants' lawyers to crack, and would prevent, often, a gross miscarriage of justice.—Greensboro News.

## Smith's Hold Their Own.

The tribe of Smith still maintains its supremacy in London—as witness Kelly's Directory. In whatever district of the metropolis you may reside, you are more or less certain to be surrounded by Smith. Indeed, it is no small matter to be a Smith—as Mr. Chesterton has discovered. "The brute repose of Nature," he writes, "the passionate cunning of man, the strongest of earthly metals, the weirdest of earthly elements, the unconquerable iron subdued by its only conquerer, the wheel and the plowshare, the sword and the steam hammer, the arraying of armies and the whole legend of arms, all these things are written, briefly indeed, but quite legibly, on the visiting card of Mr. Smith." The pride of the Smiths should be immense. Yet the present writer cannot recall a single novelist who has had the courage to call his hero by the name of England's greatest family.—London Chronicle.

## Embarrassing.

The Squire's Pretty Daughter (examining the village school)—Now, children, can you tell me what a miracle is?

The children looked at one another, but remained silent.

"Can no one answer this question?" the new curate asked, who was standing behind the squire's daughter.

A little girl was suddenly struck with a brilliant idea. She held up her hand excitedly.

"Well, Nellie?" the squire's daughter asked, smiling approvingly.

"Please, miss," the small child replied breathlessly, "mother says 'twill be a miracle if you don't marry the new curate.'"—London Globe.

## Brazilian Coffee.

Brazilians are great coffee drinkers. Numerous cups are drunk each day by the average man and woman. The beverage is made very strong and very sweet. It produces an exhilaration of a more intense and lasting kind than beer. Those addicted to this habit become very restless and scarcely able to sit still or stand still even for a moment.

## MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Both Glad to Recommend Parisian Sage.

Mrs. J. R. Burgess writes from 514 Plum St., Danville, Va., June 4, 1910, as follows:

"I have used Parisian Sage and find it to be all you claim for it, and cheerfully recommend it to any one who is suffering from any hair dandruff, or scalp trouble."

On the same date Ruth Odille Burgess, the charming little daughter of Mrs. Burgess wrote:

"I am only a little girl, but I want to tell what Parisian Sage has done for me. I had a scalp disease that looked like dandruff and when it was combed up there would be a bloody water under the dandruff. Mamma tried everything in the way of a hair tonic, without results, until she saw the advertisement of Parisian Sage; she got a bottle and it cured me, but kept on using it. Now I have as beautiful a head of hair as any girl."

Men, women and children, in every section of America who are using ordinary commercial hair tonics should give Parisian Sage a trial. It is so far ahead of all others that one application will prove its great superiority.

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## NEW LONG STAPLE COTTON.

Value of Careful Selection of The Seed.

The importance of seed selection has been practically demonstrated by Mr. S. A. Burns, an intelligent and progressive farmer of Anderson, S. C. He is president of the Anderson County Farmers Union, and incidentally it might be observed that his organization throughout North Carolina, South Carolina and other Southern States is one of the powerful factors in developing the wonderful agricultural resources of the South. The union stands for progressive agriculture and through it the farmers get the advantage of the best methods for promoting their interests.

Through his experiments in seed selection, Mr. Burns has produced a long staple cotton for which he received 18 cents from a manufacturer at Greenville S. C. During the cotton season he sold seven bales at that price to Mr. Lewis W. Parker, a well known cotton mill man, in a nearby city. The bales average over 500 pounds each, and were produced on Mr. Burns' plantation in Rock Mill township, Anderson county.

It is quite easy to recognize great value in Mr. Burns' new long staple cotton from the fact that he found a ready and near market for it at 18 cents per pound. Three years ago he noticed in his field a stalk of cotton larger than the rest and with a finer grade of lint. He preserved the seed and from them he has developed the long staple cotton with which he intends to plant his whole crop this year.

Doubtless, Mr. Burns, by his intelligence and observation has discovered a finer variety of cotton. He says the long staple cotton with which he experimented grows quite as well as any, making the same yield per acre with no more fertilizer and cultivation than is required for short staple cotton. This cotton has been grown with success for two seasons on the experimental farm conducted under the auspices of Clemson College, an agricultural and technological institution conducted by the State.

For many years the Star has endeavored to emphasize the importance of seed selection (seeds of all kinds), and Mr. Burns has furnished us an example which does it in a manner that should cause our farmers to waks up.—Wilmington Star.

## Notice

In compliance with Section 80, of the Rev. Laws of 1909, I will attend at the following named times and places, for the purpose of receiving the taxes due from those who are yet delinquent. All persons owing taxes for year of 1910 are urgently requested to meet me and pay the same. I will be at:

- Arthur, Beaver Dam township, Wednesday, March 1st, 1911.
  - Bells X Roads, Belvoir township, Thursday, March 2nd, 1911.
  - Bethel, Bethel township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911.
  - Stokes, Carolina township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911.
  - Grimesland, Chicod township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911.
  - Ayden, Contentnea township, Saturday, March 4th, 1911.
  - Farmville, Farmville township, Tuesday, March 7th, 1911.
  - Falkland, Falkland township, Saturday, March 11th, 1911.
  - Pactolus, Pactolus township, Monday, March 13th, 1911.
  - Gardners X Roads, Swift Creek township, Tuesday, March 14th, 1911. This February 10th, 1911.
- L. W. TUCKER,  
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### NEWSPAPER PRESS FOR SALE.

Having placed an order for a new fast newspaper and book press, to be installed the middle of April, we have a newspaper press that will be sold at a bargain for delivery May 1st.

It is a Monona Leverless Press, large enough to print four 6-column pages, or two 9-column pages and has steam fixtures so that it can be run either by hand or power. Been in use six years.

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## AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS.

At The Southern Commercial Congress in Atlanta.

Farmers and agriculturists throughout the entire South are preparing to attend the opening meeting of the Southern Commercial Congress in Atlanta, March 8, when Secretary James Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture will speak on "the Agricultural Obligations of the South." Secretary Wilson is known throughout the entire country as the benefactor of the farmer, but in particular is he known in the South, where through the work of his organized scientists he has revolutionized the agricultural industry of that section of the country. More than any other person in official life has he come into close touch with the tillers of the soil, and few farmers in the South will be willing to miss what promises to be one of the most practical and valuable addresses of the convention.

During the meeting, which continues for three days, March 8, 9, and 10, five other important addresses which deal directly with the interest and welfare of the farmer of the South will be given, by experts in these subjects. One which is today attracting interest throughout the United States, demonstrative work on the farms, will be given by Mr. J. A. Evans, of Shreveport, Louisiana, under the title of "Diversification in Southern Agriculture." The aim of the farmers' co-operative demonstration work in the department of agriculture is to place a practical object lesson before the farm masses, illustrating the best and most profitable methods of producing the standard farm crops, and by securing such active participation in the demonstrations as to prove that the farmers can make a much larger average annual crop and secure greater returns from the soil, particularly through crop rotation and farm diversification.

Dr. W. A. Withers, of the department of chemistry, of the North Carolina College of Agriculture, will speak on the afternoon of the last day of the session, March 10, explaining the effect of the South's rainfall and temperature on Southern agricultural monopolies. Prof. R. L. Bennett, of Paris, Texas, will speak on "The National Significance of Cotton Fibre," and Hon. E. J. Watson, of Columbia, S. C., on "The Cereals of the South." The chief hydrographer of the United States geological survey, Mr. Marshall O. Leighton, will address one of the section meetings on the closing day of the meeting also. His subject will explain the significance of Southern water resources.

Many automobile parties are being formed bringing solid parties from different sections, and several Pullman parties have also organized with the same end in view, so it is thought that few wide awake farmers in the South will lose this wonderful opportunity of hearing these experts in their various lines.

Dr. Clarence J. Owens, commissioner of agriculture and immigration of the Southern Commercial Congress, has arrived in Atlanta, where he will take charge of the agricultural interests of the meeting.

## ARE MICROBES IN YOUR SCALP?

It Has Been Proved That Microbes Cause Baldness.

Professor Unna of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr. Sabourand, the leading French dermatologist, discovered that a microbe causes baldness. Their theory has time and again been amply verified through research experiments carried on under the observation of eminent scientists. This microbe lodges in the Sebum, which is the natural hair oil, and when permitted to flourish it destroys the hair follicles and in time the pores entirely close, and the scalp gradually takes on a shiny appearance. When this happens there is no hope of the growth of hair being revived.

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## THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE

Another Abuse That Should be Corrected.

We have not seen a more surprising statement recently than is contained in the following editorial utterance from the Lenoir News:

We realize that the United States congress is "a law unto itself," but we did not know until recently that a congressman-elect had the right to use a frank for his correspondence until he was duly qualified and inducted into office. However, we suppose such is the case, as we have recently seen a letter from Hon. R. L. Doughton, the congressman-elect from this district, which was sent through the mails under a frank, just as if he were now occupying his seat in the legislative house of the nation. If this is "law and justice," how long after a congressman's term has expired is he permitted to use the United States mails free? It seems to us if any man in the country is able to pay his postage, it is the member of congress who draws the handsome sum of \$7,500 per year salary and a long list of perquisites. The franking system of this country is a disgrace and its abuse is something fearful to contemplate, yet these same lawmakers have said it is unlawful for a newspaper to accept transportation from a railroad company in exchange for service rendered to the company in the way of advertising. It depends, as the old "Blue Back" says, entirely upon whose ox is being gored.

Under the law, as it is generally understood, the newly elected congressman will begin to draw their salaries the 4th of March, though the regular session for the term for which they are elected does not begin until next December. We do not know by what method or process of right a congressman-elect comes into the possession and enjoyment of the postal frank or other perquisites before he takes the oath of office as a congressman and before his term of office actually begins. If he has that right that is wrongfully granted. Editor Martin, of the Lenoir News, from whose pen the foregoing information comes, is a careful man and an honorable man, and we must accept what he tells us he has seen without question.

It is not our purpose to inveigh against the perquisites and courtesies that are legally and legitimately granted to men who are called to public positions, but we do object to the illegitimate and unwarranted use of those perquisites. As a matter of equity we should unhesitatingly say that a congressman-elect has no right to use the postal franking privilege before he actually becomes a congressman and has begun the discharge of his duties as such. If practice and custom is wrong. It is an open question if members of congress should be granted the franking privilege at all. There is ample proof that it has been frequently abused and is as often used for the purpose of securing a reelection, as for any legitimate purpose, and is hence made a means to a personal end.

It would be interesting to know if it is customary for newly elected congressmen to have and use the mailing frank before they are qualified and enter upon their duties. It would be still more interesting to hear "Honest Bob," as Mr. Doughton was heralded throughout the district during the campaign, explain and justify his haste to get his feet in the trough.—Greensboro News.

## Starting The Children.

A postal savings bank having been established at Middlesboro, Ky., a citizen of that place has opened an account, making a small deposit for each of the 1,500 school children there. No distinction is made between the white and colored children. The Philadelphia Press says the good purpose of this is, of course, to encourage the habit of thrift, and probably, in a large number of cases the results will be satisfying. It is the start that tells. It is much easier to add to a deposit already begun than it is to begin one and those at all disposed to thrift have a pride in seeing the accumulation grow by their own efforts. It will be interesting to watch the development of this experiment with so many school children in a small community. That it will be wasted on some may be expected, but that it will be helpful to more can hardly be doubted.—Charlotte Chronicle.

## Filling Dishes More Important.

One of our exchanges is offering dinner dishes as an inducement to secure new subscribers. Since the cost of everything to eat is soaring so high, we doubt not that there are a great many newspaper men who now have dishes for which they have no use, and can afford to offer them as premiums to subscribers. However, it strikes us that the paper that can afford to offer something to fill those dishes already owned by the people, is the one that will rapidly swell its subscription list. But, alas, few can do it.—North Wilkesboro Advance.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

R. Williams, J. L. Wooten, R. O. Jeffries, G. J. Woodard and others

vs.

The Central Mercantile Co.

The creditors of the Central Mercantile Company are hereby required to take notice that under and by virtue of an order, made in the above entitled cause, now pending in the Superior court of Pitt county, North Carolina, the time within which said creditors are to present and prove their claims against the said Central Mercantile Company to the receiver is limited to March the 10th, 1911; and all creditors and claimants failing to so prove their claims within the said time are barred from participating in the assets of said Central Mercantile Company.

This 27th day of January, 1911.

C. M. JONES, Receiver.

Moore & Long, S. J. Everett, Attorneys.

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## 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.

6.30 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Washington.

8.25 a. m., daily for Wilson and Raleigh, connects north, south and west.

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8:15 a.m.	Lv.	Norfolk	Ar.	1:35 p.m.
11:53 a.m.	Lv.	Hobgood	Lv.	9:45 a.m.
11:55 a.m.	Lv.	Hobgood	Ar.	9:42 a.m.
1:40 p.m.	Ar.	Washington	Lv.	8:00 a.m.
1:17 p.m.	Ar.	Williamston	Lv.	8:17 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	Ar.	Plymouth	Lv.	7:35 a.m.
1:12 p.m.	Ar.	Greenville	Lv.	8:23 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	Ar.	Kinston	Lv.	7:20 a.m.

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"Girl," said the man.

Then the grocer dumped the miscellaneous assortment into the scales and said, "Nine and three-quarter pounds."

"Happens every little while down here, where not many people have scales of their own," he explained.

"They want to weigh the baby the minute it arrives. So they balance it with odds and ends that exactly tip the beam. Then the next day they weigh the things and find out baby's left."—New York Sun.

### The Present Time.

Now is the only point of time of great moment to you. If you devote yourself to now the past will be a dream, the future a present realization.

Nothing is stronger than aversion.—Wycherly.

### Coral Reefs Inland.

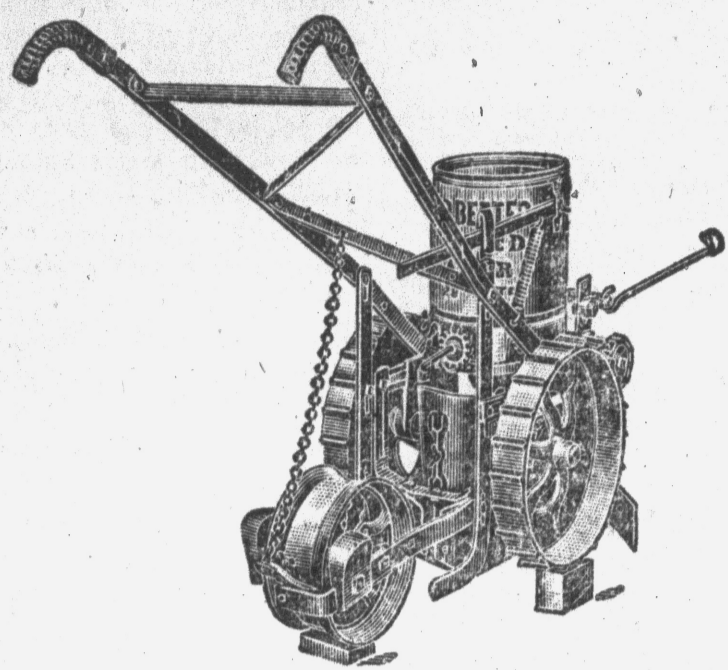
Mention of coral reefs brings to one's mind a picture of palm dotted islets girt with white sands in a tropical sea, but geologists find coral reefs in the midst of great continents. These, of course, belong to a past age of the earth's history, but on that account they are the more interesting. Within late years several remarkable reefs of fossil coral have been explored near Bainbridge, on the Flint river, in Georgia. In one case a very large portion of the reef exposed consisted of coral heads, some of which were more than a foot in diameter. Between twenty-five and thirty species of coral have been recognized in these reefs. They are ascribed to the tertiary age.—Harper's Weekly.

### Vague Information.

"What did the fellow do who stole the drum from the band when he saw the leader coming with a policeman?" "He beat it."—Baltimore American.

Cheerfulness is an offshoot of goodness and wisdom.—Bovee.

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## NEW YORK AND CHICAGO MARKETS

**Cotton.**  
New York, Feb. 25.—Despite easy cables, the cotton market ruled steady at the opening, with prices unchanged to seven points lower. There was good demand from commission houses for options on late months. After the call old positions rallied to several points above yesterday's close. There was considerable covering by room traders.

Opening—	
March.....	13.74
April.....	13.83
May.....	14.00
June.....	13.99
July.....	14.00

**Stocks.**  
New York, Feb. 25.—The stock market did not entirely recover today from its attack of hysteria and attack of bears, and aided by the effect of the rate decision at Washington caused an irregular market. Conditions were more favorable, however, today and losses recorded at the opening were all fractional. Among the stocks showing losses were Washash preferred 3-8; Southern Pacific 1-8; Great Northern preferred Chesapeake & Ohio 1-4; Union Pacific 3-8; Amalgamated copper 1-4; and St. Paul unchanged while Missouri Pacific advanced 1-2.

**Grain.**  
Chicago, Feb. 25.—May wheat touched its lower price shortly after the opening today. The market was 1-4 to 3-8 lower all around. Corn opened steady to 1-8 cent lower. Oats opened easier. There was much selling all around. Provisions opened easier with trade light.

Opening—	
May wheat.....	89 3-4
Corn.....	48 1-2
Oats.....	31 3-8
Pork.....	17.70

**NORTH CAROLINA LAND.**  
Assessed for Taxation at an Average of \$6.30 Per Acre.

The big discussion over "surplus" and "deficit" counties is causing much attention to be paid to assessments and to taxation, and there is a feeling that some strong legislation must be enacted to secure more equitable valuation in the State. The report of the State tax commission gives the assessment of property in North Carolina for taxation. Here is a statement showing the average value per acre at which land is listed for taxation in North Carolina:

Counties.	Value of Land Per Acre.
Alamance.....	\$10.30
Alexander.....	5.22
Alleghany.....	3.56
Anson.....	4.63
Ashe.....	4.87
Beaufort.....	6.74
Bertie.....	5.98
Bladen.....	3.29
Brunswick.....	2.72
Buncombe.....	17.00
Burke.....	4.64
Cabarrus.....	9.72
Caldwell.....	6.19
Camden.....	3.41
Carteret.....	4.48
Caswell.....	4.09
Catawba.....	7.76
Chatham.....	5.34
Cherokee.....	4.61
Chowan.....	7.41
Clay.....	3.04
Cleveland.....	11.39
Columbus.....	5.00
Craven.....	4.96
Cumberland.....	5.40
Currituck.....	7.97
Dare.....	1.45
Davidson.....	6.30
Davie.....	8.61
Duplin.....	4.80
Durham.....	18.12
Edgecombe.....	7.42
Forsythe.....	8.51
Franklin.....	7.63
Gaston.....	26.11
Gates.....	5.05
Graham.....	4.08
Granville.....	5.92
Greene.....	6.67
Guilford.....	10.07
Halifax.....	9.04
Harnett.....	4.84
Haywood.....	5.00
Henderson.....	7.73
Hertford.....	7.63
Hyde.....	2.47
Iredell.....	7.12
Jackson.....	3.93
Johnston.....	6.80
Jones.....	3.87
Lee.....	5.85
Lenoir.....	6.04
Lincoln.....	11.06
Macon.....	3.26
Martin.....	5.25
McDowell.....	3.27
Mecklenburg.....	9.33
Mitchell.....	4.56
Montgomery.....	4.33
Moore.....	3.04
Nash.....	7.32
New Hanover.....	15.58

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