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FIND DEAD YOUTH NEAR BETHEL

Circumstances of Case Not Quite

INVESTIGATION SHOULD FOLLOW

Ill Treatment By Drunken Father
Drives Youth Of 15 To Leave Home
—Later Found Dead In Neighbor-
hood.

A grim tragedy was enacted at the farm of Jesse Alford, four miles from Bethel, last Friday. At least the climax to the tragedy was discovered then, when the 15-year-old son of Alford was found dead—body decomposed—with a ball wound through his head and a rifle lying near by.

Ever since the corn was gathered last summer Jesse Alford has been practically under the influence of liquor and neighbors assert that young Alford had been constantly ill-treated. Some four weeks ago the boy disappeared, and was not found again until last Friday, under the circumstances already described.

What brings its share of mystery into this case is the fact that although the boy had been missing for four weeks when the body was found it was lying near a hog-pen in the immediate neighborhood of the farmhouse. And, furthermore, that the decomposition of the body indicated that the death had taken place many days before. How the body of the missing boy had not been found before, when his absence must have caused apprehension on the farm, and not until four weeks later was the body found, and then only in the immediate neighborhood of the farm, is something that throws a mysterious light into the tragedy. However, the boy has been buried after an inquest held by Coroner Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse, in which it set forth that the body died of a wound inflicted by the hand of some person or persons unknown. A number of depositions were made by members of the Alford household and people living in the near vicinity.

It seems, however, that this was the end of E. C. Alford, although we can't just see why this should be so. A person or persons unknown, caused the death of young Alford, who might or might not have been under the influence of liquor at the time. But the fact remains that a life was taken and justice demands and provides funds and appoints officers to investigate such cases as these. This is one of these cases where the authorities of a county should exhaust all resources before it allows that word FINIS to be appended.

FARMER AND WIFE KILLED.

John Dixon, Wealthy Planter of Cleveland County, Found Dead In Barn.
CHARLOTTE, Dec. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon, a wealthy planter and his wife, were brutally murdered in Cleveland county at an early hour this morning and Hack and John Ross, negro brothers, are now in jail at Shelby under suspicion, pending the result of the coroner's investigation.

Excitement attendant upon the revolting crime runs high and talk of a lynching is freely indulged in.

Neighbors found Mr. Dixon, face downward, in the barn and Mrs. Dixon with her twelve-months-old baby by her side, she dead in a bloody bed in their sleeping room.

The little one was unhurt, but its night dress, hands and face were covered with the blood of her mother.

The husband's death was caused by a blow from an axe on the temple, the bone being crushed in. Mrs. Dixon was struck a blow with the blunt end of the axe in the middle of the forehead and a deep gash was also inflicted in the same place by the blade of the axe.

The temporal bone at her right eye was likewise crushed. A bloody axe with several human hairs corresponding with the hair of Mr. Dixon on it was found nearby.

The motive of the double murder remains a mystery. It was at first thought that robbery was the object of the murder, but an investigation of the premises disclosed that \$401 for which Mr. Dixon sold cotton Tuesday, was left untouched and nothing else was missing.

175 LIVES LOST IN BRICEVILLE DISASTER

All Bodies Have Not Been Reached
Yet

A GRUESOME COFFIN SHIPMENT

Horrible Details Brought To Surface
Along With The Miner's Bodies—
The Grave Yard Is Too Small—175
Coffins.

BRICEVILLE, Dec. 13.—Somewhere in the depths of the Cross Mountain Coal mine, probably one hundred men lie dead tonight while their sorrow-stricken families keep vigil at the mouth of their tomb, hoping against hope that their loved ones may be alive when rescuers reach them.

Eight torn and mangled bodies had been brought forth at nightfall when search was abandoned for the day. Outside of the immediate families of the entombed men no one in this little mountain village believes that any living thing in the mine yesterday morning survived by the terrific explosion of coal dust that wrecked the workings.

For more than thirty-six hours every surviving miner in this region had toiled with no thought of food, sleep or pay, to remove the debris and force fresh air into the innermost recesses of the mine. They practically have penetrated to the main entry head, nearly three miles in. Tomorrow they expect to be ready to work the cross entries in which the other bodies have undoubtedly been cast by the force of the blast.

Black damp developed late today and retarded progress, but the silent force pushed dauntlessly on, some of them, till they were carried out, overcome by the noxious gases.

Thousands of the morbidly curious flocked into the village today and crowded about the main entry of the mine. They saw nothing because there was nothing to see but the pitiable grief of the stricken families.

All of the bodies recovered have been identified. Among them was that of Will Farmer, assistant foreman of the mine. The top of his head had been blown off. He is survived by a widow and two children.

Grave Problem.

There is hardly a family in the entire Coal Creek valley that has not felt the icy touch of death. The problem of caring for the widows and orphans will be a grave one, requiring immediate solution. Certainly Briceville will be unable to care for her living with most of her wage earners numbered among the dead. Only eighteen dead bodies had been found and eight removed up to 5:30 o'clock this evening. Prospects were that it would be far into the night before much progress was made in reaching the victims. Many days may elapse until the mine is cleared of its debris, which is seriously impeding the progress of the seekers of the dead.

The following were removed today: Lee E. Polston.
Eugene Ault.
Taylor Ault.
W. A. Farmer, bank boss in the mine.
Harmon Sharp.
James Foust.
Alonzo Wood, a youth of 19 years.

Graveyard Too Small.
Demands upon the little Briceville graveyard, occasioned by the terrible holocaust have necessitated the creation of a new cemetery. Land was staked out today and preparations made for excavating graves.

The first of the interments occurred this afternoon in the graveyard located upon a commanding elevation in rear of the little church opposite the Briceville depot. The remains laid to rest were those of Lee Polston, Taylor and Eugene Ault.

Rev. R. H. Wiggs, pastor of the Baptist church at Briceville, offered a brief but fervent prayer in behalf of the victims, their surviving loved ones and friends. The prayer was the extent of formal religious ceremonies held over the remains.

175 Coffins.
The advent this morning of 175 coffins was the signal for a renewal of the grief suffered by the loved ones in the many fatherless and husbandless homes. This was intensified as the gruesome pine boxes containing the coffins were piled high

UNCLE SAM AFTER ANOTHER TRUST

Shoe Machinery Trust in Danger of
Dissolution

AN INJUNCTION IS REQUESTED

Another Monopoly To Be Tried And
Receivers May Be Appointed For
Concerns—Court Asked To Order
Dissolution.

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—A suit asking for the dissolution of the United Shoe Machinery company, a corporation of world-wide scope, was instituted this afternoon by the Federal government which filed a bill in equity in the United States circuit court.

The bill is brought against the United Shoe Machinery Corporation, United Shoe Machinery company of New Jersey, eighteen subsidiary corporations and twenty-three individuals, to restrain the defendants from maintaining and engaging in unlawful combinations, contracts and conspiracies in restraint of interstate and foreign trade and commerce in violation of the Sherman act in the manufacture, sale and lease of machines, mechanism, tools and devices used in the manufacture of boots and shoes.

To Order Dissolution.
The court is asked to order the dissolution of the defendant corporations into such parts that no one of them will constitute a monopoly or can become a monopoly of the shoe machinery business.

"If the court should be of the opinion," the bill continues, "that the public interest will be better served thereby the petitioner asks that receivers be appointed to take possession of all the property, assets, business and affairs of said defendants and wind up the same."

An injunction against the defendants is also requested.

The Charges.
The petition charges, among other things, that the defendants have, by unlawful combinations, contracts and conspiracies among them; by exclusive use and trying provisions which they have made a part of the lease and license agreements between them and the boot and shoe manufacturers for the use of their machines; by the acquisition and control of former competing shoe machinery manufacturing concerns; and by other acts, set forth in the petition, acquired and now control more than 98 per cent of the trade and commerce in the United States in shoe machinery.

The bill is brought by United States District Attorney French acting under the direction of Attorney General Wickersham.

The defendants include President Winslow and others prominent in the shoe machinery and shoe trade.

President Winslow and other officials of the United Shoe Machinery Company were indicted by the Federal grand jury last summer for alleged violation of the Sherman law. These cases have not yet come to trial.

HATCH DIVORCE CASE.

Still In Progress In The Superior
Court.

The evidence in the Hatch divorce case was all in Wednesday afternoon and the opening speech of counsel was made before adjournment for the night. Today has been taken in speeches by counsel, with the expectation that the jury would get the case late this afternoon. The trial has attracted many spectators to the court house.

Lodge Has Oyster Supper.

Sharon Masonic Lodge had an interesting meeting, Wednesday night, conferring the third degree on two members. After the meeting an oyster supper was enjoyed at Hotel Bertha.

in front of the improvised morgue.

The relief work has been systematically and effectively organized under the direction of George P. Chandler, president of the Tennessee Coal Company. Volunteers from practically every mine in the Coal Creek and Briceville region arrived last night and today. Others also came from mines at Jellico Oliver Springs, Middleboro and even from up in the southwest Virginia coal belt.

BRITISH RULERS CROWNED IN DELHI

Oriental Poventates Pay Tribute to
British Monarchs

BRILLIANT INDIAN DUBAR

Brilliant Ceremony of Crowning The
British Rulers As Emperors Of
India—Faded Veterans Arrive That
Made Durbar Possible.

DELHI, India, Dec. 13.—In a setting of unparalleled splendor that was richly toned with Oriental themes, the climatic act in the Durbar scene was staged today. The king and queen of England took title as emperor and empress to their rich India possessions.

Contrast was the keynote of the enthroning act. Sober civilian garb and white toilettes of European ladies formed a rich foil for sparkling jewels worn by the Indian princesses and the smart, bright-hued uniforms of the soldiery. Near a pavilion in the center of the great Durbar amphitheater sat feudal rulers of India with British officials. Close by these were Indian ladies of rich rank, screened from public gaze by a classic lattice work.

Faded Veterans Arrive.

Before the arrival of the monarchs a line of faded veterans, survivors of the mighty armies that made the Durbar possible, marched into the great stage. In weather-beaten uniforms, the aged fighters strove to display a shadow of their former prowess, but before the march to their seats ended most of the veterans were limping.

Almost immediately the vice regal procession came into view. Escorted by a brilliantly uniformed native body guard, the vice roy and Lady Hardinge sat in their state carriage, drawn by blooded horses with out-riders uniformed in scarlet and gold.

Emperor In Purple.

Then the booming of an imperial salute announced the approach of the emperor and empress. The emperor wore a robe of imperial purple, a surcoat of purple, with white breeches and silk stockings. The imperial crown consisted of a band of diamond studded large large emeralds and sapphires, with rubies in the center, a cap of purple velvet turned up with ermine.

Her Majesty's Toilet.

The queen-emperors' dress was of white satin embroidered with a design of roses, thistles and shamrocks, with a border of lotus flowers. The Star of India embroidered the front of her dress. Her Majesty's imperial robe was of purple and ermine and with a border of gold braid. Her ornaments were a diamond and emerald necklace and brooches.

Carriage after carriage with members of the suite followed the imperial pair. The guard presented arms and the bands thrust into the royal anthem.

Homage Of India.

The combined procession proceeded slowly to the great central tent where their majesties stood to receive the homage and congratulations of the governors, ruling princesses and other representatives of British-India.

NEARLY BLEED TO DEATH.

Boy Went To Cut Switch And Cut
Himself.

We learn of a peculiar accident which occurred a few miles in the country, Wednesday night, and came near costing a boy his life. This boy, a son of Mr. "Sing" Anderson, was sent out by his mother to cut a switch with which she wanted to whip one of the smaller children. While the boy was in the act of cutting the switch his knife slipped, struck him on the arm and severed one of the main arteries, from which he came near bleeding to death before medical aid arrived.

Triangular College Debate.

WILLIAMSTON, Mass., Dec. 14.—Arrangements have been concluding for the annual debate tomorrow night of teams representing Amherst, Wesleyan, and Williams Colleges. The election of United States senators by direct vote of the people will form the subject of debate.

All a man knows he wouldn't if it was worth anything to him.

WOOL GROWERS DEMAND PROTECTION

Wool Growers, 1500 Strong Gather For
Convention

GREAT GATHERING IN OMAHA, NEB.

Experts Meet In Western City To
Discuss Wool Growing Methods—
Industry Declared To Have Reached
Critical Stage.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 14.—Fifteen hundred men who are as familiar with the names of Cotswolds, Hampshires, Angoras, Ramboulllets and other varieties of sheep and goats as they are with their A. B. C's, gathered in Omaha today for the opening of the forty-eighth annual convention of the National Wool Growers' association. In the size and representative character of the attendance the convention has never been eclipsed in the history of the association, which is one of the oldest live stock organizations in America. While the majority of the delegates come from the West many are in attendance from Ohio, Kentucky and other wool growing states east of the Mississippi river.

The flockmasters believe that the wool growing industry in the United States has reached a critical stage of its existence and they have come to the convention prepared for exhaustive discussion and vigorous action. Schedule "N" and the report of the tariff board will be the leading subjects of consideration. A vast array of statistics will be offered to show that the sheepmen are not responsible for the present high prices of clothing and other wool products. On the contrary, it is declared that they have not been making any money for several years. For the past year, it is stated, the wool men have actually lost money, because the manufacturers, as a result of the tariff agitation, would not buy except on a free trade basis.

The convention will demand that the American wool growers be given that degree of protection which is represented in the difference in the cost of producing a pound of wool in the United States and in foreign countries. The association believes that the importance of the industry justifies its protection at the hands of congress. Attention is called to the fact that nineteen per cent of the people of Wyoming are dependent on the wool growing industry. In Missouri there are 54,000 wool growers, 42,000 in Iowa and large numbers in numerous other states.

The three days of the convention will be notable for the prominence of many of the speakers as well as the importance of the subjects discussed. Senator Borah, of Idaho, is scheduled for an address on conservation. F. J. Hagenbarth, of Spencer, Iowa, will speak on "Schedule K and its Relation to the Wool Growers." Other speakers and their topics will include the following: "Wool Growing and the Tariff," Senator Joseph E. Dixon, of Montana; "Breeding of American Plants and Men," W. M. Hayes, assistant secretary of agriculture; "Wool Growing in South America," Joseph E. King, of the national tariff board; "Importance of Sheep to the Farmer," A. J. Knollin, of Chicago; "Tariff on Meats," Judge S. H. Cowan, of Fort North; "Wool Growers and their Neighbors," Dr. J. M. Wilson, Douglas, Wyoming.

The officers in charge of the convention are: President, F. B. Goodwin, former governor of Idaho; Western vice president, George Austin, Salt Lake City; Eastern vice president, A. J. Knollin, Chicago; treasurer, Frank Miracle, Helena, Mont.; and secretary, S. W. McClure, Idaho.

MOVEMENT OF TRAINS

Atlantic Coast Line.	
North-bound.	South-bound.
5:22 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
8:18 a. m.	1:18 p. m.

Norfolk Southern.	
East-bound.	West-bound.
1:09 a. m.	3:25 a. m.
9:40 a. m.	7:51 a. m.
6:10 p. m.	4:58 p. m.

The Weather.
Rain tonight and probably Friday; moderate northeast winds.

GREAT UPREAVAL IN LABOR WORLD

The Men "Higher Up" Are Soon to
be Tried

IRON WORKERS OFFICERS TO TESTIFY

Of Great Importance To The Or-
ganized Labor Throughout The
United States—Evidence of Startling
Nature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 14.—No Federal grand jury that ever met in this city attracted the amount of public attention that is displayed in the body that began its session today. The McNamara conspiracy is to be probed to the bottom by the grand jury. Specifically the Federal inquiry is as to whether or not the statute governing interstate transportation of dynamite has been violated, but it is the general belief that United States District Attorney Miller will introduce evidence tending to show the connection of many persons in the dynamiting operations of the McNamaras.

Rumors are freely circulated today that this evidence, gathered under the direction of Detective William J. Burns, is of a most startling character. No attempt is being made by the authorities to conceal their purpose to bring the men "higher up" than the McNamara brothers by revealing the existence of a syndicate of dynamiters nation-wide in scope.

The principal officials, former officials and agents of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, whose names are likely to figure in the Federal inquiry are President Frank M. Ryan, of Indianapolis; former vice president E. A. Clancy, of San Francisco; M. J. Young, of Boston; E. A. Cobly, of New Orleans; N. S. Mocklin, of Detroit; E. J. Hendricks, of Los Angeles; James E. Ray, of Peoria; J. T. Butler, of Niagara Falls; J. B. Munsey, of Salt Lake City; W. Reddin, of Milwaukee; James Coughlin, of Chicago; Richard W. Smith, of San Francisco; William Shupe, of Chicago; P. J. Smith, of Cleveland; F. B. Thomas, of Chicago; H. W. Pollman, of Seattle; D. F. Wwyer, of Oakland; and Fred Sherman, of Indianapolis.

GREENVILLE HAS HARMLESS RUNAWAY

DR. JAMES' HORSE JOYRIDING

Nobody Was Hurt But The Horse—
Disabled For About A Week.

A lucky runaway (if there can be such) took place in Greenville Wednesday evening. As Dr. D. L. James' horse was being harnessed to a buggy and the operation not quite over the horse began to walk away from the stables and before he could be stopped had gathered enough speed to become frightened and from then on his uncertain career through Greenville's thoroughfares was a sad one from the buggy point of view. Although the line of travel of horse and buggy was long and through the populous streets of the town, nobody was hurt and after the horse had shed the buggy on the installment plan, found himself with a torn harness and two shafts about him in Tar river. The animal suffered several wounds that will place him on the disabled list for about a week.

At The Gaiety.

Patrons of this house are reminded that the management has, as announced in yesterday's issue, prepared a first class program for tonight's entertainment. Part of the proceeds are for the Junior Guild of the Episcopal church and it is to be expected that large crowd will gather. Some of the best local talent have volunteered to make a success of the evening.

Miss Smith will sing a solo, Miss Ward Moore will recite and the Greenville quartette will sing several songs.

Last night's singing by Miss Edith Temple and Mr. Armstrong was very fine. Their duet, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," goes far to prove that a good old song well sung is hard to beat.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1911.

If hens keep up the rest spel they have been showing lately, Christmas eggs will be few and far between.

Pitt county court house is filled with strange sounds these busy days. Something must be being Hatched there.

Rocky Mount is having almost as much delay in getting a slogan as Durham is in getting a new court house.

Peace is not always peace. For instance what started out in New York on a call for a big peace mass meeting, broke up in a row.

In olden times Santa Claus was reputed to come around in a sled drawn by reindeers. Now he has his choice of traveling in an automobile or airship.

Forbearance and patience are virtues that all could well afford to cultivate. We are all so prone to expect more of others than we are willing for them to expect of us.

If advertising did not pay, you would not find so many business men engaging in it. Therefore it stands to reason that what one can do profitably another can do.

All honor to Col. Ashley Horne, of Clayton. His gift of \$10,000 to erect in the capitol square in Raleigh a monument to the women of the Confederacy, was indeed a princely and patriotic one.

From today's weather face it would appear that after all good old Santa Claus will not have to come to us in summer suit and leave his characteristic furs in a heavenly cloakroom. We are glad of it, too. Christmas without a "wee bit" cold weather would hardly be Christmas.

The time to do your Christmas shopping is here. Are you going to wait till the 22nd or 23rd to do it? We sincerely trust that you will not. Remember that Christmas gladness comes to all. That the clerk at any store, the rural delivery man, the express man and everyone connected with Christmas sales is just as human as you are and will enjoy his Christmas at home with his family if you only have a little forethought and don't rush him to exhaustion Christmas eve. Every year the movement is to do Christmas shopping early in going and we right in Greenville should acknowledge by early buying this very humane idea. "Don't wish for others what you would not yourself wish."

NOTES FROM THE LABOR WORLD.

Street car conductors in Sequi, Japan, make 35 cents a day.

Chicago Electrical Workers' union has a building fund of \$25,000.

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Sixty per cent. of the laborers in Kansas mines are Europeans. Forty-two states set maximum hours for a working week for children.

A branch of the National Consumers league has been formed in Washington, D. C.

The Chinese cooks in New York city threaten to strike if better wages and shorter hours are not granted them.

Railway systems, with a mileage aggregating 47,500, have increased the wages of employes during the last year 4.87 per cent. over 1910.

The present rate of mortality of the brass foundrymen is 2 1-2 times that of the farmer. Respiratory diseases, particularly consumption, accounts for the difference.

Records of the Wisconsin state industrial commission show that 233 claims for accident or death benefits have been filed since the workmen's compensation act went into effect Sept. 1.

Almost a quarter of the membership of labor unions in New York were idle during the first six months of the present year, according to the last quarterly bulletin of the state department of labor.

The new scale of the San Francisco Bricklayers' union, which is to remain in force until August 1, 1915, fixes the pay at 87 1-2 cents an hour and eight hours a day for five days, with four hours on Saturdays.

The average number of wage earners employed in the boot industry during the year was 198,297 in 1909 and 160,294 in 1904, an increase of 38,003 or 24 per cent. Their wages increased from \$73,072,000 to \$98,463,000 or 35 per cent.

The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks has appointed a committee to select a suitable site near Cleveland for a large brotherhood farm, where the unemployed and the aged members of the brotherhood may have a home at the same time earn their living by farm work.

In one year 526 men were killed by accidents of employment in Alleghany county, Pa. alone; 195 steel workers; 125 railroaders; 71 miners and 135 miscellaneous workers. Of these nearly half were American born, 70 per cent. were workmen of skill and training and 80 per cent. were under forty years of age.

The fifth annual meeting of the American Association for Labor legislation will be held in Washington, D. C., December 28, 29 and 30. Leading experts, including prominent public officials, will discuss "The Relation of State to Federal Workmen's Compensation and Insurance," and many other questions of considerable importance.

Window glass workers have agreed

LIVED ON RAW EGGS
Mr. Richard's Experience With Different Diets. Peaches and Buttermilk for Three Years.

Cecilton, Md.—Mr. George Richards, of this place, during the past 12 years, has probably tried more different diets than the average person would ever use in a lifetime. What he has to say about his experiments, must therefore be highly interesting to anyone suffering from indigestion or stomach troubles of any kind. He says: "For more than 12 years, I suffered with stomach troubles, and paid hundreds of dollars for doctor bills and medicines. I was also operated on for piles. I lived on dried peaches and buttermilk for nearly three years. The only thing that would not give me pain was raw eggs. I was a physical wreck. I could not sleep, and was as near crazy as a man could well be. I must say that after taking two 25-cent packages of Theford's Black-Draught, it did me more good than all I ever spent for other medicines. I have been working daily on the farm ever since, and I am as hard as iron." This purely vegetable remedy has been in successful use for more than 70 years. Try it. But be sure that it's "Theford's."

to accept an 18 per cent. reduction in wages. In all five thousand men in Ohio, Kansas, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Texas are affected. The new contract holds until May 1, 1912, Employers asked that the workers accept a 37 per cent reduction in all salaries. The workers' committee held out for a 10 per cent. reduction and an 18 per cent. reduction was finally agreed upon as a compromise.

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This month we will have a special on Shoes and Underwear, which have been reduced 25 per cent. Come, low and see for yourself.

B. Shehdan
GREENVILLE, N. C.

Central Barber Shop
HERBERT EDMONDS, Proprietor
Located in main business of town. Four chairs in operation and each one presided over by a skilled barber Ladies waited on at their home

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
BANK OF GREENVILLE
AT GREENVILLE,
In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, December 5, 1911.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts\$183,623.62	Capital stock paid in\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts 1,630.32	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 4,265.68
Banking house\$4,200.00	Time certificate of deposit\$ 42,611.68
Furniture and fix. 4,327.32	Deposits subject to check 153,210.01
Demand loans 2,192.65	Cashier's checks outstanding 1,290.59
Due from banks and bankers 33,270.60	
Cash items 5,587.80	
Gold coin\$ 50.00	
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency 815.65	
National bank notes and other U. S. notes 15,680.00	
Total\$251,377.96	Total\$251,377.96

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:
I, James L. Little, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of December, 1911.
H. D. BATEMAN, Notary Public.
Directors. My commission expires Oct. 3, 1912.

Christmas Gifts
Christmas is nearly here with all of it's joy-giving and you can not give that newly-married couple, that wife or that sweetheart a more appropriate thing and one that will give more real comfort and joy than a nice Chair, Couch, Buffet, Dresser, Rug, Dining Table or Picture.
Our store is over-stocked with such good and useful articles named and we invite you to come to see us whether you buy or not. Look over the stock and we will leave the rest to your good judgment.
Yours truly,

Taft & Vandyke
Money Talks With Us.

United States Phonograph Records
Everlasting as the Pyramids
As your love of the best music is a reason for owning a Phonograph, there are 50 reasons why it should be a U. S. Combination Phonograph in preference to all others; and in which the past faults in Phonograph construction have been avoided and the new features added with absolute technical pitch; with correct musical intonation and value.
You will find the U. S. Phonographs and the unbreakable Records at W. E. Haywood's store, 314 Evans St. Free Music upon request. Place your orders now so I can have what you want by Christmas.
W. E. Haywood, 314 Evans Street

Do Not Wait—Come Now
Our Holiday Goods are ready for your selection. Avoid the rush by buying early. If you wait possibly the article you wish will be sold.
A. B. Ellington & Co.
Agents for Victor Talking Machines

J. S. MORING
General Merchandise
Buyer of Cotton and Country Produce
FIVE POINTS, GREENVILLE, N. C.

Roofing and Sheet Metal Work
For Slate or Tin, Tin Shop Repair Work, and Flues in Season, See
J. J. JENKINS Phone 76, Greenville, N. C.

The Home of Women's Fashions
Pulley & Bowen
Greenville, : : North Carolina

Read The Daily Reflector for All the News

Social and Personal

Mrs. D. C. James returned yesterday afternoon from Snow Hill. She was accompanied by a beautiful little girl, Miss Jennie White James. They are making their home on the corner of Fifth and Greene streets.

Mrs. F. M. Pate, of Snow Hill, is visiting Mrs. D. L. James.

Mr. W. L. Rice left his morning for Boykin, Va.

Mrs. T. W. Whitehurst returned this morning from Kinston.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale and Mr. O. L. Joyner went to Wilson this morning.

Mr. C. J. Hunter, of Raleigh, spent Wednesday night here.

Miss Virginia Jones, of Bethel, who has been visiting Miss Ruebelle Forbes, returned home Wednesday evening.

Miss Mae Schultz returned home Wednesday evening from a visit to relatives in Rocky Mount.

Mrs. D. J. Whichard and daughter, Miss Essie, went to Washington this morning to spend the day. Miss Henrie Whichard, who has been visiting there a few days, will return with them this evening.

Mrs. A. H. Critcher has been quite sick for some days.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Pick-Ups And Hand-Me-Downs.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. Telephone number 308-2 has been installed in the offices of the Greenville Real Estate and Collecting Agency, John H. Manning, manager. Looks like it had about as soon snow as not.

New Advertisements.

B. G. & J. R. Abe-younis call attention to the fact that they must vacate their present store by January 9th, therefore have cut down prices on all their goods to reduce stock as much as possible before moving. This is a chance for you to get bargains.

C. S. Forbes, in a large advertisement, calls attention to the beautiful line of special goods he has for Christmas. A look in his store will at once convince you of the excellence and appropriateness of his stock.

The Greenville Real Estate and Collecting Agency calls attention to some desirable property they have listed for sale and rent. If you want to rent a house, buy or sell land, see these people.

It Brings Happiness.

Happiness comes in making others happy. Saving money is one of the ways to obtain happiness, and the special sale going on at C. T. Munford's big store is making hundreds of people happy in the money it saves them on their purchases. Christmas buying is now on in earnest, and if you go to the big store for your goods you get the very article wanted as a present for any member of your family or friends, you make them happy in the present, you make yourself happy in both the saving of the money and contributing to the happiness of somebody else, and the folks in the big store will be happy because they make you all happy. Try this and see how it brings happiness.

Sunday, December 17.

Dr. J. C. Caldwell will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday, December 17th. The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

They Are Dangerous.

The paper balloons look pretty enough as they go up, but as they carry fire in them, there is danger of a conflagration if they should fall on a shingle roof.

Nice For Christmas.

Engraved cards make nice Christmas presents. The Reflector takes orders for these, but orders should be placed early to insure delivery in time, as it requires about ten days to get an order filled.

Some children are much more sensible with their lies than big grown-ups, because they don't get furious when you don't swallow them.

GREAT GATHERING FARMERS AT WILSON

C. S. Barrett Says Cotton Holding Plan Not His Proposition

THE STATE MEETING OF THE UNION

Delegates Met At Trains By Reception Committee And Shown To Their Homes—Mayor Dickinson Delivers Address Of Welcome.

WILSON, Dec. 14.—The trains last evening and this morning brought delegates to the Farmers' union convention until it was estimated there were 500 or more, the guests of this place. They were met at the trains by a reception committee from the chamber of commerce and shown to their homes. The opening session of the convention was held in the court house this morning at 9 o'clock. The convention was called to order by President H. G. Q. Alexander, of Matthews, N. C. Secretary and treasurer E. C. Farris, of Charlotte, was also at his desk. The other state officers present were: J. M. Templeton, vice-president, of Cary, N. C.; secretary and treasurer, E. C. Farris, of Charlotte; state organizer, J. E. Green, of Nashville; business agent, J. R. Rivers, of Sanford. The roll was called committees were appointed and the convention was organized and settled down to business.

National President C. S. Barrett was recognized and escorted to the rostrum. There were several addresses on the cotton holding movement that were interesting. President Barrett stated in substance that the plan submitted by the financiers was not in line with the proposition he laid before them and he thought they wanted too much and their restrictions were harder than the farmers would be willing to submit to. He urged the farmers to reduce their acreage, raise their living and thus get in position to hold their cotton on the farms. Mr. Wilson, a delegate from the state convention in Mississippi, addressed the convention on the different modes of farming. Rev. Mr. Duke endorsed what President Barrett said and also talked about farming. E. C. Hudson, of the state agricultural department, spoke on soil improvement.

This afternoon the special meeting was opened in the Lyceum theatre, with President Alexander in the chair. The address of welcome by Mayor Dickinson and Colonel Bruton, president of the chamber of commerce, were most felicitous and breathed a warmth of cordiality and happy greeting that caught a responsive chord when Dr. J. T. Smith, of Surry, feelingly responded to on behalf of the convention.

Read This Ad

The Holiday Season is now upon us—Christmas is mighty near here. Our Presents are the right kind—they, are the useful kind.

Suits and Overcoats

Either will make your friend think of you, and remember you in the right way. There are so many things we might suggest, less expensive, at the same time the useful kind.

Whether it be

A Bath Robe, Smoking Jacket, Suit Case, Pair Gloves, Neckwear, Shirts or a Hat, we can supply you with what you want.

An unusually large line of Neckwear, Gloves and Hosiery just placed in our cases—all grades of neckwear in boxes.

Special inducements offered on Overcoats at this time—the very newest patterns here for your inspection.

C. S. FORBES



GAIETY

THEATRE TO-NIGHT
GREENVILLE'S MOST POPULAR PLACE OF AMUSEMENT

Programme

BENEFIT JUNIOR GUILD, EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
SOLO—BY MRS. HALL, MRS. WHITE AND MISS MARY BAGLEY OVERTON; RECITATION, MISS WARD MOORE; MUSIC BY QUARTETTE.
MR. ARMSTRONG WILL SING "FALLING IN LOVE WITH SOMEONE."
"DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE."
"JENNIE'S JOB."
"THE PRINCESS OF THE PUMPS."

Greenville's Exclusive Motion Picture Theatre. Open from 7.30 to 10.30 p. m. Come and See Tonight

A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

A Little Sage And Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy For All Hair Troubles.

Who does not know the value of sage and sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft, glossy and in condition? As a matter of fact, sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp questionably, there is no better remedy of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than sage and sulphur, if properly prepared. The Weyth Chemical Company, of New York, put up an ideal remedy of this kind, called Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented. If you have dandruff, or if your hair is thin or turning gray, get a bottle of this remedy from your druggist today, and see what it will do for you.

is preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special Agent, Moyer's Pharmacy.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court made in Special Proceeding No. 1704, entitled Sadie Turner, et als., against Lucy Elks, et als., the undersigned commissioner will sell, for cash, before the court house door in Greenville, at noon, on Saturday, January 13, 1912, the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the county of Pitt and in Connetquot township, lying about two miles from the town of Ayden, adjoining the lands of Ed Harrington, Joseph Dixon, Mary Ann Vincent, Mat McLawhorn and others, containing 27 acres, more or less, being the share of land inherited by Sallie Ann Elks, deceased, mother of said tenants in common from her father, Aaron McLawhorn, deceased. Said land sold for partition.

This December 14, 1911.

J. B. JAMES, Commissioner.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO MARKETS

(Traded by Cobb Bros. & Co.)

New York Cotton.		
	Open.	Close.
December ..	903	919
January ..	8.66	8.72
May ..	8.87	8.96
July ..	8.98	9.07
Greenville cotton ..	8 1-2	

Chicago Grain.		
	Open.	Close.
Dec. wheat ..	93 1-2	93 1-8
Dec. corn ..	63 2-3	63 3-8
Dec. ribs ..	8.22	8.17

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.

In 1912 You Will Elect a President

THIS election is of supreme importance to you. The whole country is divided. On one side the progressive Insurgents, on the other the Conservative Standpatters. Both parties will promise many things. You will have to judge their claims and their fitness to carry them out. In these stirring times

THE AMERICAN REVIEW OF REVIEWS

is a necessity to the busy man or woman who values being up to date. In a hundred ways its editorials, its character sketches and its timely articles will help you make your choice. It gives you the best, clearest and most accurate, non-partisan and unprejudiced news that money can buy. It is the great monthly newspaper on which intelligent people everywhere rely for their news, and you get this news almost as promptly as it is given in the great daily newspapers of the country.

Senator LaFollete says: "The most concise, accurate, and impartial review of the age. I long have utilized the magazine in its current issues as a valuable means of information."

Never will the Review of Reviews be more necessary than next year

Review of Reviews Co.
13 Astor Place New York City

That Richly-Flavored Coffee You Drank in New Orleans

in the quaint old French Market, is exactly the same famous French Market blend that so delighted Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay, and the gallants and beauties of a hundred years ago. In those days



French Market Coffee

could be had nowhere else, but NOW you all may serve this famous beverage daily at your own tables. For the old French Market blend is perpetuated by

The Same Unique Hygienic Roasting Process and the real old French Market Coffee can now be had at your grocer's—in hermetically sealed tins.

All harshness and bitterness is roasted out of French Market Coffee. They used to drink cup after cup in New Orleans at midnight. You may do the same today.

There is only one real old French Market flavor.

At All Grocers

Genuine "French Market Coffee"—the coffee with a history—is packed only at the

FRENCH MARKET MILLS
New Orleans Coffee Co., Ltd., Proprietors
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Got to Move

Therefore the large \$8,000 stock of B. G. & J. R. Abe-younis must be sacrificed within 25 days, beginning

Friday, Dec. 15, 1911

The crash is now on and we must vacate this store by Jan. 9th. Everything going at cost—your time to save the dollar, which is mighty in this store now. Quick, as the opportunity of a life time slips and is gone forever.

P & O

STALK CUTTER



The Parlin & Orendorf Co., Canton, Ills., made the first Stalk Cutter ever built, over 50 years ago; today they are building the best Stalk Cutter on the market

You need weight in a Stalk Cutter to do good work. You get it in this one—and with weight you get strength. The P. & O. is practically indestructible. Beware of light, flimsy stalk cutters—you will rue the day you buy one. This one will last a life-time. What do the manufacturers themselves think of it? "Back it up with an unequalled guarantee." That is putting it pretty strong—what more can you ask?

Come to see us

For Oliver Plows, Disc Harrows, Smoothing Harrows, Riding attachments for Walking Plows

American Steel Wire Fencing

Don't Forget

That we are headquarters for all kinds of farming machinery, utensils and supplies for home and farm.

J. R. & J. G. MOYE

WANT ADS

The Reflector
Bargain Column

ODAKS AND KODAK SUPPLIES

at Coward-Wooten Drug Store. d-tf

CALL W. J. TURNAGE WHEN YOU want baggage to go to trains. Office phone #23 and residence phone 147-L. Prompt attention given all orders. 7 31-tfd

A NEW LINE OF LADIES' LONG KID gloves in white, black and chamois, at Pulley & Bowen's. 12 20-1tw

HOT CHOCOLATE, AND BOUILLONS at Coward-Wooten Drug Co. d-tf

SEE OUR LINE OF HANKER-chiefs for Christmas, the prettiest line we have ever had. Pulley & Bowen. 12 20-1tw

YOUNG DRESSED CHICKENS, BEEF pork, sausage and oysters at all times. Orders delivered promptly. Phone 75. C. E. Savage, at City Market. 11 23-tfd

CADET HOSE FOR MEN, LADIES, and children, make a very acceptable Christmas present. For sale at Pulley & Bowen's. 12 20-1tw

BARGAINS — APPLES 35 CENTS peck, at S. M. Schultz.

LOST—MY OVERCOAT IN OR NEAR Grimesland. Finder will please return to Singer store, Greenville, N. C., and get reward. J. S. Cockrell. 12 15

MEN'S AND LADIES' SILK HOSE, in black, packed one pair in box, at Pulley & Bowen's. 12 20-1tw

GIVE US YOUR ORDER FOR scenic post cards, either brown or in colors. Our prices are cheaper and the work as good. Let me show you samples. Closs Hearne, The Reflector Printery. 11 29-tfd

WE HAVE A COMPLETE AND SE-lected line of Christmas goods and are better prepared than ever to fill the wants of Christmas shoppers. Pulley & Bowen. 12 20-1tw

FOR RENT—AFTER JAN. 1st, THE dwelling now occupied by T. S. Norman, on Evans street. C. D. Roundtree. 12 2-dtf

BIG REDUCTION IN LADIES' COAT suits, at Pulley & Bowen's 12 20-1tw

VALUABLE CHRISTMAS PRESENT free—A beautiful enameled brooch, worth 50 cents, will be mailed free to any reader of The Reflector, if you will send a dime to pay for postage and package. Guaranteed for years. Address Progressive Premium Co., Dept. T, Greensboro, N. C. 12 21

A COMPLETE STOCK OF BED ROOM slippers, in all styles, at Pulley & Bowen's. 12 20-1tw

FRESH EGGS, NATIVE BEEF, PORK sausage, pork steak. Moore's Market, the place to get something to eat. Steak and sausage, 15 cents pound. 12 16

LADIES' LONG COATS; WE ARE now offering at greatly reduced prices to close out. Pulley & Bowen. 12 20-1tw

OUR SHOE STOCK WAS NEVER more complete than now, and we are in position to save you money on your purchases in the shoe line. Pulley & Bowen. 12 20-1tw

FOR SALE—100 ACRES VIRGIN forest, 3 miles from Norfolk Southern railroad, on old tram road bed. Apply to G. T. Tyson, or Dr. E. A. Moye. 12 12-2twf-1tw

WE HAVE A BIG LINE OF GOLD handled umbrellas, made up especially for Christmas trade, which we are offering at reduced prices. Pulley & Bowen. 12 20-1tw

CARNATIONS—WHITE, 'PHONE 40. O. E. Warren. 12 16

FARM FOR SALE—CONTAINING about 100 acres, 1 mile from railroad station. Two-horse crop cleared; good water, and healthy location. Address Box 100, R. F. D. No. 1, Parmele, N. C. 12 19

Public Official On Trial. JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 14.—Stephen M. Bryan, county collector of Hudson county, was placed on trial today under an indictment charging him with the embezzlement of public funds.

Georgia Hotel Men Meet. AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 14.—The annual meeting of the Georgia Hotel Men's association opened for a two days' session in this city today with an attendance of several hundred of the leading hotel men of the state. year.

THE HAPPENINGS AROUND AYDEN

PERSONAL AND BUSINESS NOTES

Always Something Doing In That Section.

AYDEN, N. C., Dec. 14.—Lonnie McGlohon has purchased a portion of the noted Blount Hall farm, near Grifton.

Mr. Clarence Hart is the proud father of a baby girl.

Mrs. Willis, Mother of Mrs. Jessie Mumford, died Monday and was buried Tuesday.

Turner's North Carolina almanacs and school supplies at J. R. Smith & Bro's.

There has been ginned in North Carolina up to December 1, 829,150 bales of cotton. More than was produced any one season in several years and almost double the crop of 1908, which was 554,346 bales.

Mr. Richard Wingate left Tuesday for the West to buy horses and mules for the Ayden market.

There was a little fracas in the negro flat in South Ayden Sunday. One dusky damsel, Dillian Grady, by name, is minus some fingers, also received a slash in the arm. The case was before his honor, Mayor J. F. Barwick, Monday.

Mr. Will Hart has purchased the corner lot at the intersection of Blount and Second streets, from Mr. W. F. Hart. Consideration, \$1,800.

Mrs. George W. Hart, of Snow Hill, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Irene Hart.

Our efficient chief of police has imported him a full blooded English bull dog that knows no fear.

Odd Fellows meet every Tuesday night to confer different degrees.

The post office department has designated the Bank of Ayden a postal savings bank after January 1, 1912.

Messrs. Tripp, Hart & Co., have leased the Henry Allen farm, near Bethany church, and the John C. Cox farm, in Fork Swamp. These energetic young men can farm as well as merchandise.

Mrs. John Sugg returned Monday evening from a visit to her children, who are in the Odd Fellows home in Goldsboro.

Every home in Pitt county should take and read The Reflector, and feel proud of their home.

Mr. Lorenzo McGlohon is completing a large dwelling house near the graded school.

Our business men should organize a chamber of commerce, then plan and develop the wonderful resources of our town and community. Just think of our county seat before they had a chamber of commerce. They had no railroads, tobacco market, hotel or Daily Reflector. The only thing she had was the old reliable John Flanagan buggy factory and undertaking establishment in the way of factories. Dr. James run sales tables and old Henry Edmonds stage coach, and Tar river furnished freight and transportation facilities, no bank nearer than Taboro, no school except the old academy, no light except the noon, and those who occupied the jail were anxious to leave. But now see the difference. My, my, what young blood can do when organized.

Around our gin looks like October from the amount of cotton that's being ginned.

Messrs. Bill Dennis and John Humber have ordered them a new seine to operate at Pitch Kettle the coming season.

Mr. Enoch Dall has sold his interest in the market to his partner, Mr. John Cox, and accepted a position with the Ayden Furniture company.

Mr. W. H. Phillips has purchased Mr. W. A. Newell's interest in his father's estate in Greene county.

Where is the man who advised the farmers to hold their cotton for 14 cents regardless of their store accounts and guano bills? Notice cotton is now about one-half that price.

Mr. W. W. Dall, of our town, has purchased the farm of Mr. Enoch Braxton, fronting Reedy Branch church, near Winterville.

The official board of the Christian church are requested to meet in their church next Thursday night. Business of importance demands your attention.

There will be an entertainment in the auditorium of the Seminary next Thursday night for the benefit of the school.

Guns, pistols, ammunition, caps and batteries, at J. R. Smith & Bro's.

Mrs. Pemina Frizzelle, of Murry, was here Wednesday prospecting with a view of moving here about January 1st, to avail herself of the religious and educational advantages that our town offers.

Rev. Mr. Kilgo, our new Methodist minister, has arrived and will occupy the J. J. Hines residence. From all appearances he will measure up to the high standard. He preached Sunday night.

Messrs. E. Turnage & Sons have purchased the stock of goods of Mr. L. H. Witherington. We hear that Mr. Witherington will move in the country about the first of the new year.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Greenville Banking and Trust Co. AT GREENVILLE

In the state of North Carolina, at the close of business, December 5, 1911.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$218,724.83	Capital stock paid in\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts .. 2,258.18	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid .. 3,892.65
North Carolina State bonds 3,030.33	Notes and bills re-discounted .. 6,000.00
All other stocks, bonds, and mortgages .. 761.74	Time certificate of deposit .. \$43,680.55
Furniture and fixtures.... 5,215.86	Deposits subject to check .. \$179,930.56
Demand loans .. 10,000.00	Due to banks and bankers .. \$665.27
Due from banks and bankers .. 56,687.97	Cashier's checks outstanding .. \$8,561.40
Cash items .. 8,059.25	
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency.... 891.27	
National bank notes and other U. S. notes .. 12,101.00	
Total .. \$317,730.43	Total .. \$317,730.43

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss: I, C. S. Carr, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. S. CARR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of December, 1911. A. M. MOSELEY, ANDREW J. MOORE, Notary Public. My commission expires March 31, 1913. Directors. Correct—Attest:

Here Is Where The Draft Enters

The most perfect draft ever discovered is the patent Hot Blast Draft of the Wilson Heater. The only draft that secures perfect combustion and prevents waste. This draft is found only in the

Wilson

HOT BLAST Heater

The air enters at the top, drives the combustible gases into the fire where they are burned—prevents the escape of heat up the chimney—doubles the heating power of the fuel. In other words, only half the amount of fuel used in ordinary heaters is necessary. The Wilson is air-tight, making perfect combustion possible and a fire can be held 36 hours. We sell Wilson Hot Blast Heaters for either wood or coal.

FOR SALE BY
TAFT & BOYD FURNITURE CO

On the Boom!

Everything for the Christmas Cooking and Holiday Festivities

Groceries, Fruits, Nuts, Mince Meat, Canned Goods, Full Line Heinz Pickles, Celery, Cranberries, Prepared Currants and Raisins, Grape Fruit and all Kinds of Breakfast Cereals

OUR BAKING DEPARTMENT

can supply you in Fruit, Pound and Penny Cakes, Pies, etc. Leave your order now for your Christmas Cakes. Everyone knows the quality of Mr. J. M. Reuss' baking. He personally superintends this department and any special orders will receive his careful and expert attention.

We have a full line of Royster's in Christmas packages, and other candies of different grades for Santa's pouch.

Look out! Bang! Firecrackers at
J. E. WILLIAMS'

J. B. JOHNSTON FARM, 1-2 mile east of court house; splendid investment. Price on this property is bound to increase. 29 acres cleared.

3 ROOMS AND KITCHEN; running water; electric lights and bath; one and one-half blocks from court house. Rent, \$10 per month.

ANOTHER COTTAGE IN splendid condition. Rent, \$7 per month.

W. A. SAVAGE FARM, 3 miles southeast of Greenville; 50 acres cleared and in highest state of cultivation.

85 ACRES WELL TIMBERED LAND. The 35 acres are priced low and will show a considerable profit if purchased now.

CALL ON US, OR PHONE US, AND WE WILL CALL ON YOU.
Greenville Real Estate & Collect on Agency,
Office 317 Evans Street.

J. BENJAMIN HIGGS, General Manager. **JOHN H. MANNING,** Agency Manager.
F. C. HARDING, Attorney.
PHONE 398.

30-DAY-30 SPECIAL SALE

My Entire Stock being Sold at a Sacrifice to make room for new goods

NOW IS YOUR TIME

to get what you want from the most unique line of fancy and servicable merchandise ever offered in Greenville. Ladies and gents ready-to-wear garments a specialty

B. SHEHDAN