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EARLY MORNING FIRE STRIKES GRIMESLAND

One Side of Business Street Wiped Out

THE LOSS NOT OVER HALF INSURED

Fire Starts in Negro Restaurant and Burns in Both Directions—Opposite Side of The Street Caught Several Times.

About 3:00 o'clock this morning the town of Grimesland, twelve miles east of Greenville, on the Norfolk Southern railroad, was visited by a fire that wiped out about half of the business section of the town.

The fire originated in a negro restaurant on the north side of the main street, near the west end of the business district, and spread in both directions until every business house on that side of the street had been destroyed. From the negro restaurant where the fire started, the flames took in succession the guard house, Dr. J. H. Hudson's office and stables, H. H. Proctor's store, D. G. Moore's store, the market, the old Grimes store and another shop and stables.

Several times buildings on the opposite side of the street caught from heat and sparks, but by hard work that side of the street was saved, though the fronts of stores were more or less damaged.

We could not get a full report covering the total loss and insurance, but the heaviest loss are as follows:

Dr. Hudson on building, \$300; insurance, \$150.

Stock a total loss with no insurance.

H. H. Proctor \$12,000; insurance, \$6,000.

D. G. Moore on stock, \$7,000; insurance, \$4,000.

W. W. Moore on building, \$3,000; insurance, \$2,000.

The Grimes buildings, \$700; no insurance.

The colored people whose restaurant and shops were burned had no insurance.

GOVERNOR KITCHIN

The Man And The Principles That Guide Him.

(By Carey J. Hunter).

On June 16, 1881, in the Farmer and Mechanic, published in Raleigh, by the late lamented Randolph A. Shotwell, the subject of this sketch, then a student at Wake Forest College, was referred to as:

"A young man who bids fair to hold a prominent position in his native state."

I was at college with this young man and present at the exercises which prompted these prophetic words. They have been fulfilled. He has been heard from, first as teacher, then editor, lawyer, congressman, and governor, of his native state, successively; and yet he is only forty-five years of age, in the prime and vigor of mental, moral, and physical manhood, with the promise of many more years of usefulness to the people who so early recognized his ability and leadership.

Why has he moved so far and so rapidly along the perilous pathway of success? What chart and compass have guided him through the tempestuous political seas, which have swept over North Carolina in the last twenty years? The following will, in a measure, answer these questions:

Youth And Early Manhood.

William Walton Kitchin was born at Scotland Neck, in Halifax county, October 9, 1866, the second of a family of nine sons and two daughters. His father was Wm. H. Kitchin—Capt. "Buck" Kitchin—a gallant Confederate soldier, a member of congress and a forceful figure in the political life of the state. His mother, before her marriage, was Maria Arrington, noted for her beauty and accomplishments. He was prepared for college at Vine Hill Academy, at which he afterwards taught; graduated at Wake Forest in 1884; studied law under the late Judge John Manning, at the State University; was admitted to the bar in 1887.

At eighteen he became editor of the Scotland Neck Democrat, and its circulation increased three hundred percent in twelve months. His editorials showed a firmness of conviction, a soundness of judgment and a grasp

of the Democratic faith far beyond his years.

At twenty-one he located at Roxboro, in Person county, to practice law. The people among whom he cast his lot were of the best type, industrious, thrifty, kind, cultured. It was here that he met and married Miss Musette Satterfield, who has since made a reputation as one of the most charming and popular hostesses the governor's mansion ever had.

Success came slowly, as it does to most young men at the bar, but to him it came surely. People were attracted by his earnestness, industry, determination and capacity. His habits were regular, his work thorough. After four years he was enjoying a lucrative practice. He grew steadily in his profession and in the esteem of the people, who began to mark him for leadership. He always took a keen interest in politics. At twenty-four he became chairman of his party in Person county, and, under his leadership, for the first time in ten years, it went Democratic. In 1892 he was nominated for the State senate from the district composed of Granville and Person, but was defeated by a fusion of Populists and Republicans.

Congressional Career.

In 1896 he was nominated for congress in the Fifth District against Hon. Thos. Settle, the most brilliant Republican campaigner in the state, before whom Judge A. W. Graham and the late A. H. A. Williams had successfully gone down to defeat. The task of defeating Settle was difficult and especially so, as the Republicans and Populists in their fusion had allotted that district to the Republicans. No man who heard their joint canvass will ever forget their memorable debates. Kitchin was triumphantly elected and was the only successful Democrat on either the congressional or state ticket. Since then he has known no defeat. His election in the largest and most prosperous congressional district in the state gave courage and hope to the party in its darkest hour. He kept the lamp of Democracy burning brightly until the dawn of the new day. For twelve years, and until he voluntarily retired to become governor, he held this important position without Democratic opposition.

In every political crisis in the last twenty years he has been found in the forefront fighting the battles of Democracy. He took a leading part in the White Supremacy and Suffrage Amendment campaigns. Before the suffrage amendment was ratified by the people it was attacked in congress and he defended it in a speech of such wisdom and power that it not only profoundly impressed congress, but was circulated through the state as a campaign document to the extent of 85,000 copies and had great weight in shaping public opinion for that important measure.

In congress he took an active part in the debates and became first Democratic member of the committee on naval affairs, one of the most important committees. He served on the congressional campaign committee of his party for ten years. He made notable speeches on the Money Question, the Philippines, the Trusts, the Pearson-Crawford contest, the Southern Railway Subsidy, Reciprocity, and many other important questions. In the congressional debates his political views were fully and fearlessly expressed, and his record is one of consistent devotion to the principles of progressive Democracy—which is but a new name for true Democracy. Long before the election of senators by direct vote of the people became popular, he was voting for it in congress. For years he has favored primary elections for the nomination of candidates and the publicity of campaign contributions. Among the things he has favored are the income tax, reciprocity, the ten-hour law for factories and mills, the licensing of foreign corporations to do business in this state, with revocation for violation of our laws, the placing of light and power companies under the Corporation Commission as railroads are now under it, requiring railroads to draw mileage on the trains as formerly, guaranty of bank deposits, good roads, drainage, etc. He has been a leader of political thought, but always faithful to the platform pledges and traditions of his party.

The Principles That Guide Him. He has stood against special privilege, whether in the form of subsidy or a protective tariff; whether it was favoritism for his own section or

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WOODROW WILSON'S BIRTHDAY

Reached his Fifty-Fifth Birthday Anniversary Today.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 28.—Woodrow Wilson, governor of New Jersey and active candidate for the Democratic nomination for President of the United States, reached his fifty-fifth birthday anniversary today and was the recipient of congratulatory messages from many friends and admirers throughout the country.

Though ten years younger than Judson Harmon, who is regarded as his chief rival for the presidential nomination and seven years the junior of Champ Clark, who also is looked upon as a possible Democratic standard-bearer next year, Governor Wilson's experience and activities have extended over a wide field.

Governor Wilson was born in Staunton, Va., and passed nearly the whole of his youth in the South. His father was a Presbyterian minister and during the boyhood of the future governor occupied pulpits in Augusta, Columbia, Wilmington and other cities in the South. The son began his academic studies at Davidson College. In 1875 he went to Princeton and was graduated with high honors from that institution. While he was an undergraduate at Princeton he began his career as a political writer with an essay on "Cabinet Government in the United States" that attracted much attention.

From Princeton Governor Wilson went to the University of Virginia where he studied law for several years. Afterwards he practiced for a time in Atlanta and then went to John Hopkins University where he gained in fellowship by writing a book on "Congressional Government." In 1890 he joined the faculty of Princeton and twelve years later became president of the university, which position he held until his nomination for governor of New Jersey.

RATING THE GIRLS.

Terms Young Naval Officers Use in Fixing Feminine Beauty.

The younger officers in the navy, and the gallant young midshipmen especially, have a method of their own for recording feminine beauty, and they use it on many occasions. This is a system of estimating the attractiveness of a visitor by a sliding scale from 2.5 to 4, which is the system of marking at the Naval Academy.

One particularly attractive girl was walking along the deck of one of Uncle Sam's big warships on a day when it was open to visitors when she overheard two midshipmen say:

"I'll give her a 3.5, anyway. She comes nearer to a 4 than anything I've seen yet."

Of course she did not understand what this conversation was about. If she had she would have felt rightfully flattered, as a 3.5 is an excellent mark and one rarely given.

A 2.5 means passable. That is the lowest mark that will pass at the academy. If a girl is attractive and jolly, but without any particularly striking beauty, she is put down as a 2.5.

Before a girl can be spoken of as deserving of a 3 she must be very pretty indeed. To merit a 3.5 her beauty must be striking. It is seldom any girl, no matter how beautiful or attractive, merits a 4. This is the perfect mark, the very best that can be obtained. It is seldom given by midshipmen to more than one girl in his whole career in the navy.—New York Herald.

An Eye Opener.

Always have a glass medicine dropper and a bottle of rosewater in the medicine chest and in your traveling bag. Then when you get a foreign body in your eye you will be spared much pain and discomfort if the following very simple and harmless method is pursued: Put into the medicine dropper six drops of the rose water. Pull down the lower lid and float the liquid on the surface of the injured eye. After the rosewater has been in the eye for a few seconds use the empty medicine dropper to suck out the liquid, and the foreign matter will come with it.—National Magazine.

Diplomatic.

At the time that Frederick II. used to sup with his French philosophers he demanded of them one day, "What would you do if you were the king of Prussia?"

Every guest tried a dattering and witty rejoinder. When the Marquis d'Argens' turn came he said: "Sire, what would I do? I would sell my kingdom and acquire a small province in France."

An Aggravation.

"I wish," said Mr. Growcher, "that Mr. Jabber wouldn't use that phrase, 'Well, to make a long story short.'"

"Why?"
"It invariably serves merely to make the story that many words longer."—Snokean Spokesman-Review.

MORSE DYING BEGS FREEDOM

Doctors and Nurses Admit Condition of Ex-Banker

HIS LIFE IN PRISON VERY HARSH

Spirit And Health Broken by Three Days in Dungeon on Bread And Water—His Right Side Paralyzed—Days Are Numbered.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27.—The truth about Charles W. Morse is that he is dying. Medical aid cannot save him. Whether he remains at the hospital at Fort McPherson or goes back to the dungeon, where he was cast because of some minor infraction of the rules, or is pardoned by the president, his life cannot be saved.

The only question that exists in the minds of the strict disciplinarians who are giving him medical attention is the length of time that he will live. Conflicting reports, due to a remarkable skepticism, may have gone to the president with reference to Morse's physical condition.

Technical reasons may have been given in support of a theory that he may live one or two years. The absolute truth of the matter, however, is that Morse is dying by inches before the eyes of the nurses and doctors who are watching him. They know it and admitted it to me tonight.

There is no desire to create sympathy for Morse. There is no intention to make any statement that is based on hearsay or idle gossip. Every fact presented herewith has been verified carefully. The personal doctor and the lawyers for Morse told vividly what they know of his condition, but their views were not taken as final.

The facts herewith presented are based wholly upon the statements of the army officials, army surgeons, and army nurses, who have been detailed by the government to watch and treat Morse. If they had any bias it would be on the side of stringent measures.

I went further and visited Morse myself. If the carefully weighed statements of the colonel in command of Fort McPherson and the surgeon in charge of the hospital had not furnished sufficient evidence of the grave condition of the famous banker, the emaciated form that lay inert on the white cot would have told its own story.

The face on the pillow was as white as the pillow itself. Deep furrows lined the pallid forehead. There were circles heavy about the eyes that the whole effect seemed death like. A whispered warning was given that Morse was very weak, and that nothing should be said to excite him. The large hospital ward with a score of white-robed cots lined on both sides, echoed with the footprints of the visitors.

Morse raised a weak left-hand greeting. His whole right side is paralyzed. His lips drew apart in a skeleton-like smile. There was no pleasure in the smile. It was a joyless grimace that seemed to mock at peace and happiness. It was but the ghost of Morse's powerful past.

Million Increase In Capital.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Stockholders of the Childs Company at a special meeting today voted affirmatively on the proposal of the directors to increase the common stock from \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000. The company, which is said to have the backing of the Standard Oil group of capitalists, controls a string of dairy lunch rooms in many large cities of the country.

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.
Fair; continued cold tonight and Friday; moderate northwest winds.

SPORT TALK.

Annual Talk by Prominent Men on Sports.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Once a year the chosen representatives of the leading colleges and universities of the country, comprising the organization known as the National Collegiate Athletic Association, get together to agree on uniform rules and to discuss other matters tending to keep athletic sports at American colleges on a high plane and free from taint. Today, at the Hotel Astor, the association began its annual meeting with an attendance of delegates from nearly four-score of the prominent educational institutions of the country.

The morning session was made notable by the presentation of addresses by several eminent men invited to address the association. The speakers and their topics included the following: "The Military Value of Athletics to a Nation," Major General Leonard Wood, chief staff, U. S. A.; "Collegiate Athletics from the Viewpoint of the President of a University," Chancellor McCormick, of the University of Pittsburgh, and "The Influence of Collegiate Athletics Upon Preparatory Schools," Professor Scudder of Rutgers Preparatory School.

IMPORTANT GATHERING.

Nebraska Bar Association to Oil the Wheels of Justice.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 28.—Members of the Nebraska Bar Association gathered here today and began what promises to be one of the most important annual meetings in the history of the association. In addition to listening to addresses by several noted jurists the convention will receive and discuss the report from the committee appointed by the association a year ago to recommend a revision of the codes of procedure with a view to eliminating technicalities and removing obstacles which at present hinder the course of speedy justice. The report, among other things, suggests a revival of the office of the district attorney for the judicial districts of the state and recommends that a verdict in a criminal case shall not be reversed or affected for errors in the proceedings which do not affect the interests of the defendant. A reduction in the number of pre-emptory challenges allowed the side of the defense in all criminal proceedings is recommended, also an amendment providing that in all civil jury cases a verdict from ten members in district court and five in justice court shall be binding.

DISCUSS LABOR LEGISLATION.

The Discussion Of Live Topics Cause Wide Attention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—The discussion of live topics by men prominent in public life promises to attract wide attention to the fifth annual meeting of the three days' session. Charles Nagel, secretary of commerce and labor, will preside at the session for the discussion of employers' liability; Walter L. Fisher, secretary of the interior, will lead in the discussion of the mining industry; Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, will discuss the reporting of industrial accidents, and Professor Henry R. Seeger, of Columbia University, will preside at the discussion of workmen's compensation and insurance.

Kansas to Have New League.

SALINA, Kan., Dec. 28.—At a meeting here today plans were discussed for the formation of a new baseball league to be made up chiefly of towns in the Central Kansas league circuit last season with others from the old Kansas State league. An eight-club organization is proposed among the cities proposed for membership are Newton, Hutchinson, Emporia, Salina, Great Bend, McPherson, Junction City, Manhattan and Clay Center.

Fights Scheduled for Tonight.
Al Palzer vs. Al Kaufman, 10 rounds at New York.

Untenable.
"By the way, why do you permit your children to believe in fairies?"
"I can't tell them there are no fairies and then expect them to believe in microbes."—Exchange.

In life, as in chess, forethought wins.—Charles Buxton.

ADVANCED STEP.

An Advanced in the Labor Legislation.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 28.—One of the most important matters to be considered and acted upon by the Massachusetts legislature when it assembles next week will be the measure known as the minimum wages bill, which is designed to insure a living wage for women and child workers. The measure proposes the creation of a permanent state commission of three members with power to do the following things:

Conduct a searching investigation of all industries where women and children are employed at a wage that does not permit living under healthy conditions.

From a joint wage board of six employers, six women at work in the establishments affected and three representatives of outside interests, who shall fix a minimum wage for the calling.

Make special provision for physically and mentally defective employees by permitting them to work for a special rate below the regularly established minimum.

Punish violations of the law, through the courts, by a fine ranging from \$10 to \$50 for every such violation, or by imprisonment of from ten days to three months.

College Socialists Meet.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Delegates from forty colleges and universities, representing a three-fold increase in membership the past year, were in attendance at the third annual convention of the Intercollegiate Socialist Society, which met in this city today. The convention speakers included Congressman Victor L. Berger, of Milwaukee, Mayor-elect George L. Lunn, of Schenectady, and several other prominent representatives of the Socialist party.

Oregon Teachers' Meeting.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 28.—The annual meeting of the western division of the Oregon Teachers' association began in this city today and will continue tomorrow. Many prominent educators are participating. Important topics to be considered by the convention include the revision of the course of study of the high schools, a higher standard for the certification of teachers, and the extension of industrial education in the rural schools.

Blue Grass Editors In Session.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 28.—Editors of the Blue Grass state gathered here in force today for the midwinter meeting of the Kentucky Press association. Colonel W. B. Haldeman, president of the association, presided at the opening session this afternoon. The convention will continue over tomorrow.

Woman Ordained to The Ministry.

OSHKOSH, Wis., Dec. 28.—Miss Lara Bowman, a graduate of the divinity school of Lombard College, was ordained to the Universalist ministry today in the town of Markeean, southwest of this city. Dr. Effie McCullom Jones, of Waterloo, Iowa, preached the ordination sermon.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

MACON, Ga., Dec. 28.—A provincial convention of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity met for a two days' session in this city today, with headquarters at the Lanier hotel. Delegates are in attendance from the leading colleges and universities of Georgia and Alabama.

Passenger Agents In Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 28.—Several hundred representatives of the leading railroads of the United States, Canada and Mexico assembled in Jacksonville today for the opening of the annual convention of the American Association of Passenger Agents. Following a two-day session in this city the passenger agents will make a tour of Florida and Cuba.

Oregon Pioneers Remembered.

BAKER, Ore., Dec. 28.—A notable celebration was held in this city today to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the arrival of Wilson Prince Hunt's party in the Powder valley, which event marked the first coming of the white man to eastern Oregon.

Dr. Hyatt Coming.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be at Hotel Bertha January 1 and 2, Monday and Tuesday, to treat diseases of the eye.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1911.

A FEW BOQUETS.

We print below a few remarks made by our neighbors of the press in connection with the issue of our special number. The fact that in most of these remarks Greenville is mentioned in a laudatory manner prompts us to "run 'em" even if our modesty does say something else.

Heading the list is part of a letter from Congressman John H. Small. We were the recipient of many congratulations from our subscribers and citizens of Greenville, and while it is true that we were only doing what we thought right by our community and county it is gratifying to know that our efforts have been appreciated in what they are worth to Greenville and Pitt county.

The Reflector intends to continue serving its people in the same manner and will expect the support necessary to carry out its policy towards the betterment of our town and county.

From a letter from Congressman John H. Small:

"I have just finished reading the pictorial edition of the Daily Reflector, and can not refrain from expressing my pleasure and profit. The illustrations are illuminative and together with the descriptive matter, make an attractive symposium of the industries, the commerce, the schools and other civic activities of Greenville and Pitt county. The editorial page discussed in a forceful way the advantages and needs of the county, and I was particularly impressed with the contributions on 'health conditions.' We must establish our claim to healthfulness and in the meantime enforce the recognized laws of public sanitation.

"Sincerely,
"JOHN H. SMALL."

Congratulations to Editor D. J. Whichard, of the Greenville Reflector, upon the handsome industrial edition of his paper that has just come from the press. First, however, congratulations to the live town of Greenville for having such a man as Whichard as a citizen. If Greenville had more Whichards, if any town in North Carolina had more such men it would progress, and correspondingly prosper more. Whichard, who is a delightful writer, is a "booster," and he is chock full of energy and perseverance. He keeps booming his town. And he has something substantial to build upon, too, because Greenville and Pitt county are rich in resources. The foundation is there, as in every section of Eastern North Carolina, and it only needs the hand of the tiller and the manufacturer to create wealth, which will count separately and collectively. The industrial edition of The Reflector comes as an extra spurt on the part of Whichard, and it is something decidedly handsome. It is sixteen pages of fine book paper, and is well and prettily illustrated, showing views not only of Greenville, but of Pitt county. The information it contains is deeply interesting and of much value.—Evening Dispatch, Wilmington.

The Reflector appeared in an extra sixteen-page edition Wednesday, and we are delighted with its get up. There is no doubt but that "Claus" out-did himself in getting out that extra, and we wish to congratulate him. In fact, we will not limit our

good wishes, but will congratulate every one who helped to make such an edition possible for Greenville. It is a credit, and don't blame the Reflector for feeling good over it. We all feel good over it, and no doubt, every mother's son of us are prouder than ever of Greenville. We're pretty sure that we are.—Pitt County News, Greenville.

Greenville, this state, is growing and if it does not keep on and with accelerated speed it will not be the fault of The Daily Reflector. The paper is always pulling and has just issued a special edition that is a credit to any paper or any community. It is filled with well printed illustrations of public buildings, private residences, etc., yet so far as we know The Reflector has never appealed to its chamber of commerce for help. It is weeding its own row and keeping down the grass.—Greensboro Record, Greensboro.

The pictorial Christmas edition of The Greenville Reflector reached our desk, and to say that it is a creditable edition would, indeed, be putting it mild.

Its dress, the views, the descriptive articles, and in fact, every portion of the sixteen-page Christmas edition is one of the finest ever gotten out in this section, and the citizens of Greenville are to be congratulated upon having such a live newspaper. Morning Telegram, Rocky Mount.

To our neighbors of The Reflector staff and force, we must say a word of praise for the handsome pictorial edition gotten out Wednesday. Sel-dom, if ever, have we seen a more attractive or a better gotten up newspaper. It was a credit to the town, the county and The Reflector Company.—Pitt County Independent, Greenville.

The Greenville Reflector has just issued a most creditable pictorial edition of Greenville and Pitt county. The appearance of the paper is fine and shows that Pitt county has a most progressive newspaper.—New Bern Sun, New Bern.

Editor Whichard's pictorial edition of The Greenville Daily Reflector, is indeed, a beautiful exposition of Greenville. Whichard is enterprising and his people should appreciate his splendid efforts—which no doubt they do.—Maxton Scottish Chief, Maxton.

WHY WE HAVE NO FACTORIES.

We knew this condition prevailed to a considerable extent, but had not regarded it as seriously as it really is until it was emphasized in a conversation with an observing business man.

Said he, you are often advocating the establishing of manufacturing enterprises in Greenville. They are needed bad enough, but I can tell you why they do not come. It is not because of unsufficiency of capital here, but because so many men means invest their money outside of the town. Just look at the men (and he quickly named a dozen or two of them) living in Greenville and who are engaged in farming. They reside here and make their living out of the advantages the town gives them, yet take no interest in the town beyond calling it their home, and invest their money in farms. If the money which citizens of Greenville have invested in farms was put in manufacturing enterprises in the town, Greenville would be one of the largest manufacturing towns in the state, and soon be so overflowing with factories and people as to necessitate enlarging her borders to contain them. You need not expect outsiders to come here and build factories when our own people have such little interest in the town that they will not invest their money in it.

There is much to think about in what this man said, and the reader has only to look and see how truly he has stated the case.

Mr. Joseph L. Seawell has been appointed and qualified as clerk of the Supreme court of the state to succeed the late Col. Thomas S. Kenan.

The Chinaman sets his American brother a good example in not letting the new year find him with a debt unpaid.

Those who contemplate squaring up before the year ends, have but a few days left in which to do this.

As the price of coal is said to be going higher, let us hope the winter will be short and not severe.

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.

Some fellows have been "boozing" like they wanted much to make new year resolutions about.

Possibly the weather has started to make up by new year what is left out for Christmas.

It is about time to quit looking for the Christmas present that did not come.

Put it down among your new year resolutions to do your best for Greenville.

HATCH'S 5 AND 10c STORE WILL BE SOLD.

By virtue of a decree entered at the December term of the Superior court of Pitt county, in a certain action wherein Mrs. L. C. Hatch is plaintiff and L. C. Hatch is defendant, the undersigned receiver will sell all the goods, wares, merchandise, and fixtures of L. C. Hatch, now located in Higgs Bros. building, on Dickinson avenue, on January 3, 1912, at 12 o'clock, to the last and highest bidder. The terms of the sale are cash. An inspection of the premises is invited by those desirous of bidding. For further information, apply to N. W. OUTLAW, Receiver. 12 27-6td-1-2

CARDUI WORKED LIKE A CHARM

After Operation Failed to Help, Cardui Worked Like a Charm.

Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from this place, "and at times, I could not bear to stand on my feet. The doctor said I would never be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer.

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better. They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui, and began to improve, so I continued using it. Now, I am well, and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains.

Cardui worked like a charm." There must be merit in this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women—Cardui—for it has been in successful use for more than 50 years, for the treatment of womanly weakness and disease.

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

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Insurance in Force (Jan. 1, 1911) 1,464,024,396
Annual Income (1910) \$3,981,241.96
Paid to Policy Holders to Date (Jan. 1, 1911) \$6,751,082.25

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RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts\$183,623.62	Capital stock paid in\$ 60,000.00
Overdrafts 1,630.32	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 1,265.68
Banking house\$4,200.00	Time certificate of deposit\$ 42,611.68
Furniture and fix. . . 4,327.32	Deposits subject to check153,210.01
Demand loans 2,192.65	Cashier's checks outstanding . . . 1,290.59 197,112.28
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 16,545.65	
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
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FIVE POINTS. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Marguerite Higgs went to Scotland Neck this morning.

Misses Susie and Ward Moore went to Tarboro today.

Mrs. E. J. Proctor and children, of Scotland Neck, who were visiting her sister, Mrs. James Long, left this morning for Rocky Mount. Mrs. Long accompanied them.

Miss Lottie Skinner went to Henderson today.

Mr. Tom Hutchings returned from Henderson Wednesday.

Miss Ernestine Forbes went to Arthur today.

Mr. J. F. Arthur went to Arthurs today.

Mr. Charlie Rountree left Wednesday evening for Henderson.

Mr. D. E. Braswell, of Tarboro, spent Wednesday night here.

Mrs. Leafie Moye, who has been visiting Mrs. A. L. Potter, left today for Snow Hill.

Miss Nancy Smith, from near Greenville, is visiting Misses Nannie and Mary Johnston.

Mr. W. C. Johnston, who has been spending the holidays here with his people returned to his home in Washington Wednesday evening.

Mr. Jesse Smith, of Newport News, who spent Christmas here with his mother, left this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. May and Mrs. M. M. Harris and daughter, Miss Julia, left this morning for Portsmouth, where they will make their home.

Mr. N. G. White, of Asheville, who was visiting his brother, Mr. H. A. White, left this morning for Norfolk.

Messrs. H. A. White and C. L. Wilkinson went to Grimesland today.

Mrs. Hannis Latham and child, of Washington, who spent Christmas here with her parents, returned home Wednesday evening. Her sister, Miss Bessie Harding, accompanied her home.

Mr. J. T. Timberlake left Wednesday evening for Lexington, Ky.

Mr. F. C. Harding went to New Bern today.

Club Meeting.

The End of the Century club will meet with Mrs. B. W. Moseley, Friday afternoon, at 3:00 o'clock.

"THIS IS MY 47th BIRTHDAY."

Henri de Regnier.

Henri de Regnier, the poet, who a short time ago was elected to membership in the French academy, was born near Havre, France, December 23, 1864. His first verses were published in 1885, under the title of "Les Lendemaing." This was followed, the year after, by another work, "Apaisement." These works were not unnoticed, but it was only in 1887, with publication of a collection of sonnets, that he attracted the attention of the literary world. M. de Regnier belonged to the group of young poets that received the name of "Decadents" or "Symbolists."

From 1887 M. de Regnier's works appear in quick succession. In addition to his numerous poetical works he has published two series of stories, besides being a liberal contributor to some of the leading magazines. In 1900 the poet visited America and lectured on "French Modern Poetry" before numerous colleges and literary societies.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

December 28.

1065—Dedication of Westminster Abbey, which has been splendidly rebuilt by Edward, the Confessor.

1768—Alexander J. Forsythe, the Scottish clergyman, who invented the percussion lock for firearms, born. Died in 1843.

WASHINGTON'S ETIQUETTE.

It Didn't Do to Take Liberties With Our First President.

President Washington never went to congress on public business except in a stagecoach drawn by six cream colored horses. The coach was an object which would excite the admiration of the throngs even now in our streets. It was built in the shape of a hemisphere, and its panels were adorned with Cupids surrounded with flowers and fruits. The coachman and postillions were arrayed in gorgeous liveries of white and scarlet.

The Philadelphia Gazette, a government organ, regularly gave out court news for the edification of the citizens. From this journal the people were permitted to learn as much as it was deemed proper they should know about the president's movements, and a fair amount of space was also devoted to Mrs. Washington, who was, however, not referred to as Mrs. Washington, but as "the amiable consort of our beloved president." When the president made his appearance at a ball or a public reception a dais was erected for him, upon which he might stand apart from the throng, and the guests or visitors bowed to him in solemn silence.

"Republican simplicity" has only come in later times. Very few persons presumed to shake hands with General Washington. One of his friends, Governor Morris, rashly undertook for a foolish wager to go up to him and slap him on the shoulder, saying, "My dear general, I am happy to see you so well." At least there is a tradition to that effect.

The moment fixed upon arrived, and Mr. Morris, already half repenting of his wager, went up to Washington, placed his hand upon his shoulder and uttered the prescribed words. Washington, as the story has it, stepped suddenly back, fixed his gaze upon Morris for several moments with an angry frown until the latter retreated abashed and sought refuge in the crowd. No one else ever tried a similar experiment. No royal loves were more punctiliously arranged than those of our first president.—New York Press.

Restaurant Etiquette.

When a man escorts a lady to a restaurant he pauses at the entrance with her until the head waiter indicates the seats they are to occupy. The head waiter precedes the woman to the table, the man following. The waiter may remove the lady's coat if she has not already removed it in the ladies' dressing room, where it will be safe and out of the way. The man who prides himself on his courtesy may give this little attention himself and may assist the lady to remove her wrap, hand it to the waiter and draw up her chair. If he leaves this service to the waiter he should under no circumstances take his seat until the lady is comfortably settled. The same rule applies when leaving the restaurant.—Baltimore American.

A Raggicker of Paris.

It was marvelous how she managed her iron pick. Its movement seemed incessant in her hands. First there was a quick dive, like a swallow's angle, then a skillful toss, and, although she never once looked behind her, the bit of refuse, whether rag, food, string or paper, straightway took its certain flight into the sack, which gradually assumed such gigantic proportions that a general overture seemed inevitable. But, no. Having filled it to bursting, the indefatigable little worker shook herself free of the unappetizing accumulations and disappeared down the street—Rue Laffitte, you know it—swinging her scepter with all the royal aplomb of her profession.—Mary E. Waller in "My Raggicker."

Monte Carlo's Pension List.

Monte Carlo, the famous gambling den of France, has probably the most remarkable pension list in the world. Men and women who absolutely ruin themselves at the casino are allowed small sums for the rest of their lives. The pensions vary from 5 francs to 40 francs a day, according to the amounts lost at the tables, states the National Magazine. A Scotchman who lost about \$1,000,000 at roulette is said to receive \$7 a day. This gentleman resides today in a tiny villa at Nice. Every year the casino company pays out some \$15,000 in pensions.

The Facetious Farmer.

"I am an actor out of work. Can you give me employment on your farm?"

"I can. But a day on a farm is no twenty minute sketch."

"I understand that."

"All right. Youder is your room. When you hear a horn foot about 4 a. m. that's your cue."—Chicago News.

A Noble Sacrifice.

"I understand that her father died in the insane asylum."

"Yes, he did."

"That's too bad, too bad."

"Oh, I don't know. He accumulated a million dollars before he went in."—Detroit Free Press.

Another Instance.

"Wise men make proverbs and fools quote them," observed A.

"That's so," agrees B. "By the way, who was the author of that one?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Two Classes of Husbands.

There are just two classes of married men—those that go home early nights and those that ought to.—Detroit Free Press.

Childhood has no forebodings; but, then, it is soothed by no memories of untold sorrow.—George Elliot.

THE HAPPENINGS AROUND AYDEN

THEY HAD A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Several Marriages Take Place During the Holidays.

AYDEN, N. C., Dec. 28.—We wish each reader of the Ayden department a merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Mr. Prescott has let the contract for a residence to be built on his property in Venters heights.

Rev. Geo. C. Vause has purchased a portion of Mr. J. H. Harris' farm near here at one hundred and fifty dollars per acre.

Mr. Walter McGlohon is able to be out again after being confined a few weeks with pneumonia.

Mr. J. J. Hines, of Black Mountain, arrived last week to spend the holidays and look after his business. He is looking splendid, has gained 20 pounds since leaving here last fall, and his health has improved wonderfully. He will return in a few days to his mountain home on the Blue Ridge, familiarly known as the Switzerland of America.

On the morning of the 27th, at 7:30, just as the east was clothing itself in the glorious sunlight, Miss Clara Forrest became the bride of Mr. Ed Brown. Miss May Smith rendered the wedding march. Rev. J. R. Tingle officiated. This young couple is well known and very popular. Miss Forrest has had charge of a millinery store for several years and was a teacher in the Christian Sunday school and Mr. Brown is railroad agent at Tunis, and has many friends. They left immediately after the ceremony on a bridal trip amid showers of rice and old shoes.

Wednesday evening about 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Sebran Cox, on West Avenue, Mr. Daniel Smith and Miss Lucy Ormond Cox were made man and wife. Rev. E. T. Phillips officiated. They left immediately after the ceremony for the home of the groom in Swift Creek township. We wish them much happiness.

Dr. J. W. Taylor, wife and daughter, of Greensboro, came down for a few days and returned Wednesday.

Miss Fannie Hardy, of Greenville, is spending a few days in Ayden attending the Moore-Hart marriage.

We regret to hear that Mr. Bill Harris is very sick with pneumonia. Guns, pistols, cartridges, dynamite fuse and caps, at J. R. Smith and Bro's.

Mr. W. H. Skinner, of Farmville, was here Wednesday shaking hands with his old friends. He tells us he has accepted a position in Norfolk and will soon enter upon his duties.

Mayor J. F. Barwick and wife left Wednesday for Richmond to consult a specialist.

Mr. Ellis Dixon, who left here about two years ago for South Carolina, returned this week to spend Christmas.

Mr. Walter Sumrell, who has been in Plymouth, Edenton, and Elizabeth City for a few years, is home spending a few days.

Mr. E. L. Stroud, who for a long time resided here, and practiced his profession, painter and decorator, made us a pleasant call Wednesday.

Tripp, Hart & Co. has rented the two-story Gardner store recently vacated by Mr. L. H. Witherington, and will move their stock of general dry goods to it about January 1st.

Mr. Thad Hart and Miss Mary Joyner, of Maple Cypress, were married this morning at the home of the bride's father, Mr. William Joyner.

Mr. Lorenzo McGlohon tells us he has about 50 bales of cotton still in the patch.

Mr. Charlie McGlohon has bought the farm of Mr. E. D. Braxton, near Renston.

Wednesday evening at 2:30, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Robert B. Burney, Mr. Samuel Harper and Miss Julia Burney solemnized the marriage vows. Rev. J. W. Fulford officiated. The presents were numerous and beautiful. Mr. Harper is a model farmer, and Miss Burney is a prominent school teacher in Swift Creek.

Mr. J. M. Dixon has accepted a position as overseer on the farms of Mr. W. B. Oversby and will move his family near the J. L. Tucker homestead about the first of the year.

Mr. T. J. Worthington has purchased a part of J. M. Dall's farm near Fountain Hill. When it comes to buying land, we will put Tommie Worthington of Greene, and Richard Wingate, of Pitt, in the ring. They are progressive men.

During the entire Christmas we have not seen or heard of any one getting mad or any accidents occurring in this vicinity.

Mr. A. L. Harrington and family, of Kinston, spent Christmas here and returned Monday night.

This has been a welcome week. Many of our citizens all over the state and adjoining states came home to celebrate the glorious occasion.

Dr. Marcus Twain Frizzelle left and Bro.

S. A. L. SCHEDULE

Trains leave Raleigh effective January 8, 1911:

YEAR ROUND LIMITED—No. 81
1:35 a. m.—For Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and points West, Jacksonville and Florida points, connections at Hamlet for Charlotte and Wilmington.

THE SEABOARD MAIL—No. 35
11:35 a. m.—For Portsmouth-Norfolk with coaches and parlor car. Connects with steamer for Washington, Baltimore, New York, Boston and Providence.

THE FLORIDA FAST MAIL—No. 66
12:05 a. m.—For Richmond, Washington and New York Pullman sleepers, day coaches and dining car. Connects at Richmond with C. & P. at Washington with Pennsylvania railroad and B. & O. for Pittsburg and points West.

THE SEABOARD MAIL—No. 41
4:10 p. m.—For Atlanta, Charlotte, Wilmington, Birmingham, Memphis and points West. Parlor cars to Hamlet.

6:00 p. m., No. 30—"Shoo Fly" for Louisville, Henderson, Oxford, and Norfolk.

8:00 p. m., No. 30—"Shoo Fly" for O. for Cincinnati and points West. Memphis, and points West, Jacksonville, and all Florida points. Pullman sleepers. Arrive Atlanta 7 a. m.

4:48 Arrive Richmond 5:32 a. m., Washington 8:48 a. m., New York 2:31 p. m. Penn. station. Pullman service to Washington and New York.

C. B. RYAN, G. P. A., Portsmouth, Va.
J. LEARD, D. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

"The Rosary" will be produced next summer in Australia.

Marie Drossler is playing her fifth New York engagement in "Tillie's Nightmare."

George C. Dougherty, the father of Grace George, died at his home in New York recently.

Marie Cahill made the first production of her new piece, "The Opera Ball," in Utica the other night.

Mrs. Stuart Robson, with her own company, is presenting a playlet entitled "Mrs Honey's Honeymoon."

Louis N. Parker, author of "Disraeli," has undertaken to dramatize Charles Kingley's "Hypatia" for early production.

After the holidays the Schuberts intend to produce a new musical comedy entitled "The Man With Three Wives".

It is said that Weber and Fields are willing to come together again if business details can be satisfactorily arranged.

Francis Wilson will postpone the production of his new play, "The Spiritualist," and continue in "A Bachelor's Baby".

Already the tour of "The Garden of Allah" is being booked. The spectacle will open the Auditorium Theatre in Chicago next fall.

"An man of Honor" having proved a failure, Edmund Breeze is going into vaudeville. He will act in "Copy," a playlet about newspaper life.

Maclyn Arbuckle and Edgar Guest are the authors of "The Reform Candidate", which is slated for elaboration into a longer comedy next season.

The Nora Bayes-Jack Norworth Musical Comedy Company possesses the distinction of presenting the longest act ever in polite vaudeville. It occupies an hour.

Rose Melville is planning to take "Sis Hopkins" to Europe. The play has had thirteen seasons of success and has been played in almost every city, town and village.

Following the withdrawal of "The Lady of Coventry," Viola Allen is soon to appear in a new play by Rachel Brothers, author of "The Three of Us" and "A Man's World".

Louise Closser Hale, wife of Walter Hale, and herself a fine actress, is going to give up the stage and devote herself to literature, as she has won much success as an author.

Tuesday for a trip north on business. Mr. Penning Frizzelle, of Murry, has rented the W. F. Hart house and will move here at the first of the new year.

Car each of lime, salt, cement, and stoves, just received. J. R. Smith and Bro.

DIRECTORY. COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS

Churches, Lodges and Social Organizations.

County.
Clerk Superior Court—D. C. Moore.
Sheriff—S. I. Dudley.
Register of Deeds—W. M. Moore.
Treasurer—W. B. Wilson.
Coroner—Dr. C. O'H. Laughinghouse.
Surveyor—W. C. Dresbach.
Commissioners—J. P. Quinerly, D. J. Holland, J. J. May, B. M. Lewis, W. E. Proctor.

Town.
Mayor—F. M. Wooten.
Clerk—J. C. Tyson.
Treasurer—H. L. Carr.
Chief Police—J. T. Smith.
Fire Chief—D. D. Overton.
Aldermen—J. E. Nobles, E. B. Ficklen, W. A. Bowen, J. S. Tunstall, J. F. Davenport, B. F. Tyson, Z. P. Sanddyke, H. C. Edwards.
Water and Light Commission—H. A. White, C. O'H. Laughinghouse, R. L. Hummer.
Superintendent—E. G. Couca.

Churches.
Baptist, Memorial—Rev. O. M. Rock, pastor; C. C. Pierce, clerk; C. W. Wilson, superintendent Sunday school; J. C. Tyson, secretary.
Christian—Rev. C. C. Ware, pastor; J. G. Latham, clerk; C. C. Ware, superintendent of Sunday school; J. A. Long, secretary.
Episcopal, St. Paul's—No rector at present; H. Harding, senior warden and secretary of Vestry; W. A. Bowen, superintendent of Sunday school.
Methodist, Jarvis Memorial—Rev. J. H. Shore, pastor; A. B. Ellington, clerk; H. D. Bateman, superintendent of Sunday school; L. H. Pender, secretary.

Presbyterian—Rev. Robert King, pastor; P. M. Johnston, clerk; P. M. Johnston, Supt. Sunday school; Miss Olivia House, secretary.

Universalist, Delphia Moye Chapel—Rev. W. O. Bodei, pastor.

Lodges.
Greenville No. 284, A. F. and A. M. R. Williams, W. M.; L. H. Pender, Sec.

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Greenville Chapter No. 50, R. A. M.—R. C. Flanagan, H. P.; J. E. Winslow, W. M.; J. E. Winslow, Sec.

Greenville Encampment No. 45, I. O. O. F.—D. W. Hardee, C. P.; L. H. Pender, Scribe.

Withlacooche Tribe No. 45, I. O. R. M.—W. S. Moye, Sachem; J. L. Evans, C. of R.

Tar River No. 98, K. of P.—G. J. Woodward, C. C.; A. B. Ellington, K. of R. and S.

Tar River Ruling No. 2060, F. M. C.—J. W. Browe W. R.; J. W. Little, W. C.

Clubs.
Carolina—W. L. Hall, president; M. R. Turnage, secretary.

End of Century—Mrs. E. O. Jeffries, Pres.; Mrs. E. B. Ficklin, Sec.

Sans Souci—Miss Hennie Ragsdale, president; Mrs. W. L. Hall, secretary.

Round Table—Mrs. K. R. Beckwith, president; Mrs. S. J. Everett, secretary.

Civic League—Mrs. W. H. Ricks, president; Mrs. E. V. Smith, secretary.

Daughters of Confederacy—Mrs. L. I. Jarvis, president; Mrs. J. L. Wooten, secretary.

The Kings Daughters—Mrs. A. L. Blow, president; Mrs. J. G. Moye, secretary.

N. S. Schedule

ROUTE OF THE NIGHT EXPRESS

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JUNE 11th.

N. B.—The following schedule figures published as information ONLY and are not guaranteed.

TRAINS LEAVE GREENVILLE East Bound

1:07 a. m. Daily, "Night Express" Pullman, Sleeping Car for Norfolk.
9:40 a. m. Daily, for Plymouth, Elizabeth City and Norfolk. Broiler Car service connects for all points North and West.
6:10 p. m., Daily, except Sunday, for West Bound
3:25 a. m. Daily, for Wilson and Raleigh. Pullman Sleeping Car service connects North, South and West.
7:51 a. m. Daily, except Sunday, for Wilson and Raleigh, connects for all points.
4:56 p. m. Daily, for Wilson and Raleigh. Broiler Car service.
For further information and reservation of Sleeping Car space apply to J. L. HASSELL, Agent, Greenville, N. C.
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GOVERNOR KITCHIN

(Continued From 1st Page.)
that of another. He opposed a ship subsidy, and in the same spirit he opposed a fast mail subsidy for the Southern Railway, which had 360 miles of its road in his congressional district. His position is clearly shown by this little extract from his speech in congress on April 6, 1906, against this subsidy:
"For myself, I fail to see how any appropriation, otherwise wrong, can be made right because of its 'coming our way.' (Applause). If it is right, to support it by such an argument tends to discredit it, as it is an appeal to selfishness and not to judgment."

When the public interests required Federal appropriations for his district he claimed them with a zeal and success surpassed by none. He never hesitated to oppose any appropriation which the public interest did not justify. He never sought a temporary advantage by baiting the principles of his party or the birthright of the people. He has tried to win on the righteousness of his cause, and never upon iniquitous precedents. He has opposed a protective tariff on principle, just as his party opposes it. He has been able to see clearly that protection never put a dollar in any man's pocket that was not taken out of some other man's pocket. He believes that the true end of government is the establishment of justice among men, and not to aid the greedy few in preying upon the unsuspecting many.

During his whole public career he has consistently opposed the oppression exercised by private industrial monopolies, commonly called trusts, and advocated the enforcement of the civil and criminal statutes against them, thus incurring their permanent hostility. He has stood for the strict religion of the natural monopolies, such as railroads, and for the destruction of the unnatural industrial monopolies. On May 31, 1900, and February 6, 1903, he made speeches in congress against trusts and to this day his attitude of hostility has never changed. In the hall of congress and on the hustings, in his inaugural address as governor, in a special message to the legislature of 1909, in the last campaign, and in his message to the last legislature he urged the adoption of stringent measures against trusts.

Administration As Governor.

The convention at Charlotte, which nominated him for governor, sat night and day for nearly a week and sixty-one ballots were taken before a nomination. The loyalty and determination of his friends, representing their people, surpassed anything ever witnessed in the political annals of the state. Those who knew him best supported him most loyally.

He went into office a free man, without a pledge or a promise to any one. He was bound only by the pledges of the party which elected him and these he has religiously kept. He has been the governor of all the people and there has been no "power behind the throne."

A contest of this kind always engenders bitterness of long standing and this has been no exception. He incurred the hostility of a number of men prominent in the politics of the state and they have not been anxious to herald the success of his administration. It is probable that no governor ever went into office in this state with so many to watch his every action, to misconstrue his motives and to discredit his administration. In his campaign for nomination his enemies pictured him as a wild, radical agitator, who would plunge the state into endless turmoil and confusion. Since his actions as governor have proven such prediction to be wholly false there are those who seek to create the false impression that since he has not fulfilled his prophesy of evil, that he has done nothing. Some have charged him with neglect of pledges and violation of principles, but in every instance when the light of truth was turned on, these charges have proved to be fabrications of fancy if not the fruitage of malice. The stern facts furnish a crushing answer.

His messages to the legislature have been thoroughly progressive and genuinely Democratic, his last general message having been declared the most progressive message ever sent to a Southern legislature. They have shown study and research and their recommendations have been specific and serviceable. No governor of this state has ever had so many recommendations enacted into law.

During his administration as governor the state has enjoyed peace with prosperity and progress. In education and public health, in agriculture and manufacture, in good roads and drainage, and in other lines there has been marvelous progress which exceeds that made in any like period in the history of the state. Annual expenditures for public education have increased \$750,000.00; for public health from \$4,000 to \$26,500; railroads have increased 250 miles; bank

capital has increased \$1,100,000 and bank resources over \$15,000,000. Thirteen hundred miles of good roads have been built and over 604,000 acres of swamp land have come under our drainage laws. The state institutions and department were never more successfully conducted. A magnificent state building to cost \$250,000 is being erected in the city of Raleigh, which supplies an imperative need recognized for many years. A state school for the Feeble Minded has been established at Kinston, which will not only prove a great blessing from a humanitarian standpoint, but its economic value will be incalculable.

As a result, but not to the extent of his recommendation, the state law against trusts has been greatly strengthened. Contrary to his recommendations to amend, the legislature repealed all the anti-trust law we had and enacted a new law effective only from July 1, 1911, embodying many, but omitting the most sweeping recommendations made by him. To his firm stand and his special message to the legislature on the subject is probably due the enactment into law of the specific demand of the Democratic platform that "conspiracies by prospective purchasers to put down or keep down the price of articles produced by the labor of others, should be made criminal."

He met the concerted action of the railroad interests for an increase of passenger rates with a firm stand in behalf of the public and the present reduced rates were continued. There was no bluster, but these mighty interests had met their match. They saw they had to deal with a man from whom they could expect no special favors, but who would deal justly with them and the people whom they serve, and the many private cars which had gathered in Raleigh glided away on their several courses with their disappointed but wiser owners. Twice in his administration have old repudiated N. C. bonds been given to states with a view to forcing their compromise or settlement. In both instances he handled the subject with such firmness and tact that the scheme was frustrated and at the same time we won instead of lost friends.

Nearly \$3,500,000 of refunding bonds were successfully placed without an extra session of the legislature, at a time when great states and cities could not sell their bonds at par on account of the financial depression. This was accomplished by an appeal to the patriotism of the bankers and other citizens of the state.

His contest with Mr. Settle and his speeches in congress established his reputation as a debater. His speech defending the national platform in the state convention of 1902 proved his political wisdom and courage in the midst of turmoil and doubt. Every campaign for twenty years has shown him to be a worthy advocate of Democratic principles. Since he became governor he has added to his fame as an orator and brought honor to the state. In his introduction of the president at Wilmington, in his welcome to the National Farmers' Congress at Raleigh, and in his great address to the National Teachers' Assembly at Boston—whenever and wherever he has appeared—great audiences have been thrilled by his eloquence and lifted to higher ideals.

Character.

The man who has done these things has a commanding presence, an affable address, a gracious manner; he is an orator of the first order, a logician of rare ability, debater of great power; but his real strength and the hold which he has upon the people of a great state are not due to any of these, nor yet to all of them combined, but to his character, which arises above all and to which these rare gifts are but embellishments. They are but the vehicles by which the character of the man has reached and made its impress upon the public. He has conserved and cultivated the gifts which nature bestowed upon him, but he has done more; he has built a character which is an example and an inspiration to young men. He has shown them what truth, honor, honesty, industry, courage and patience can do for a man when moulded together in a clean, Christian life. He hates deception and spurns sophistry; he is frank and straightforward in his dealings with individuals and the public. He is a statesman rather than a politician and calls to his aid no "big stick" and the man has not yet appeared at whose "big stick" he pringes. He is punctual with his appointments. He has been true to every pledge and faithful to every relation of life; he is fair to his foes and loyal to his friends; he is just to all men. He is tolerant of men's weakness but no man has led him into folly. He has made right and not expediency the rule of his life. In a speech in congress he expressed this splendid creed:

"I believe there is a spirit of universal right that binds together the good deeds and worthy enterprises of the world, that inspires noble conduct and virtuous living among men, that resists vice in private and corruption in public life, that lifts up the

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	3,892.85
North Carolina State bonds	4,030.33	Notes and bills re-discounted	6,700.00
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	3,059.25		
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

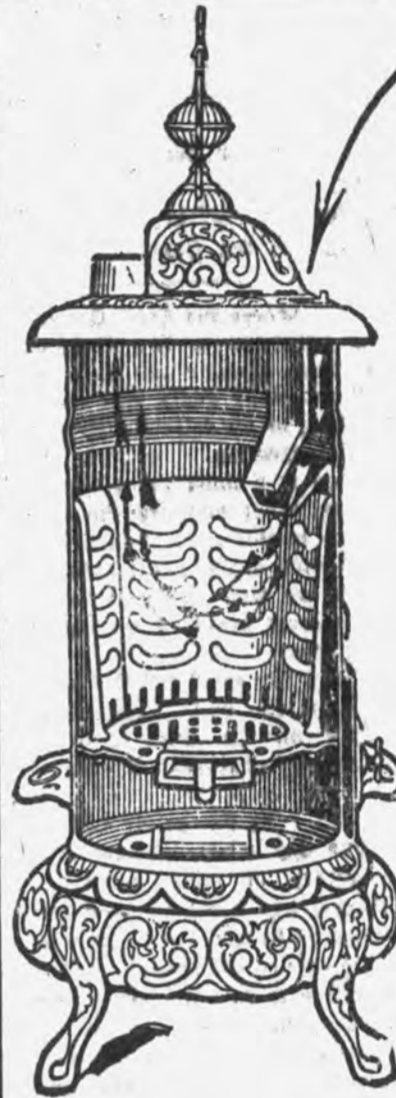
State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:

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, Notary Public.
H. A. WHITE, My commission expires March 31, 1912.
S. J. EVERETT, Directors. Correct—Attest:

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He has lived the simple life of a Democratic citizen, the useful life of a faithful public servant, the clean life of a Christian gentleman. Even his enemies deny him no title to greatness except a failure to usurp functions denied him by the constitution.

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Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 11, 1911.

Joseph Medill Patterson is making a play out of the late O. Henry's stories, "The World and the Door" and "Cabbages and Kings". Charles Waldron will have the leading role of the play.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO MARKETS

New York Cotton.		
	Open.	Close.
December	9.22	9.23
January	8.77	8.73
May	9.06	9.01
July	9.17	9.11
Greenville cotton	8 3-8	
Chicago Wheat.		
	Open.	Close.
May wheat	98 7-8	98 5-8
May corn	63 7-8	63 1-4
May ribs	8.32	8.27

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Edna Goodrich, formerly Mrs. Nat Godwin, has been engaged by Daniel Frohman to appear with Charles Cherry in "His Neighbor's Wife," opening at Powers' Theatre, Chicago, on January 29, next.

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