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GREENVILLE PRODUCE MARKET.

Cotton 6½, Oats 50 cts, Peanuts 40 & 50 cts, Corn 60 cts, Meat 7½ County Hams 11 cts, Lard 10 cts, Sweet Potatoes 40 and 50 cts, Eggs 11 cts, Chickens 20 and 25, Butter 25, Reported by J. C. Cobb & Son.

LOCAL SNAPS.

Will give full proceedings of court next week.

Large stock of shoes at Cobb's

Party who borrowed "Sea Gift" from Robert Moye will please return it to him

Glad to shake hands with clever Sam Joyner, of Kenly.

Job work cheap and neat at the INDEX office.

Mrs. Ellis, of Wilson, is visiting Mrs. S. T. Hooker.

For Bargains call at Higgs Bros.

Mrs. Rosa Purvis, of Hamilton, is visiting Mrs. A. J. Outterbridge.

New Goods arriving daily at Higgs Bros.

Future Congressman, Col. W. W. Carraway is in town.

132 new subscribers this week. That's what telling the news does.

Beautiful line slippers at Higgs Bros.

A large congregation heard Mr. Samerell in the Presbyterian church at Falkland, Sunday.

Coffee at 20 cents a pound, Boswell, Speight & Co.

Don't think we have let up on that public school house matter. It is crowded out this week.

My Hardware Store will be open from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m., during the Spring and Summer months. D. D. Haskett.

Mr. C. T. Munford, Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Higgs have returned from their goods buying expedition North

New line Silks and Trimmings at Higgs Bros

Bob Moye weighed an ox at the scales Wednesday that called for 1448 pounds of Pitt county beef.

Snuff at 25 cents a pound at Boswell, Speight & Co's.

Rev. Mr. Greaves preached at St. John's Sunday and Rev. Mr. Lambreth at _____ in Person county.

Norton yarn slips in fine condition for sale by I. A. Sugg.

Mr. C. M. Bernard returned from Washington city Tuesday. He knows a heap but won't tell it.

Croquet sets at D. D. Haskett's 20 per cent cheaper than last season.

Mr. Walter Henry has at last received an appointment as Consul to Caracoa, West Indies.

I want your eggs, furs, hides, chickens for cash. S. M. Shultz.

If you want the best force pump made go to Pender's and get a Red Jacket pump.

Miss Lil Cherry has returned from Wilmington. Miss Jennie James has not returned yet.

Remember you always get your groceries and furniture at rock bottom prices at the Old Brick Store.

Gen. Coxe named one of his stopping places "Camp Marian Butler." Mr. Butler is emphatically not a crank, if Coxe is.

Hon. A. M. Waddell has been appointed Solicitor of the Criminal Court of Wilmington in place of B. R. Moore who died Sunday.

Farmer's If you want tobacco fines this year S. E. Pender & Co., will make them for you. Put in your order early. Prices are very low. Terms strictly cash.

A man with eleven boys told us Saturday to send 3 INDEXES to him, to keep them from fighting over who should read the paper first.

Gentlemen of the town, the ladies complain that you forget to carry the INDEX home. They and the children want it and ought to have it.

While a lawyer was pleading for his client Monday, the client marched up to the Judge and asked the privilege of making the last speech.

Col. Skinner's eloquent speech crowds out the "Children's Tale" this week. They all might read it. Like the tales it contains both truth and fiction.

Visiting Lawyers: J. H. Tucker, Swift Galloway, T. W. Hawkins, J. L. Bridgers, H. L. Staron, J. J. Martin, H. W. Stubbs, J. E. Moore, J. E. Woodard.

Mr. J. J. Rawls that excellent farmer, of Carolina, in paying for a year's INDEX remarked, that the cash system was a strong plank in his platform.

We enquired what beautiful lady that was with Miss Nannie Bagwell at the Methodist church Sunday and were told it was Miss May Abbott, who is on a visit.

The boys are all feeling better. Judge Bynum remitted the fines and they have sworn death to the first man who says poker or tries to poker little game on them.

We are glad to note the enlargement and other improvements to the Wilmington Sunday Star. Always an excellent paper it continues to grow in interest and usefulness.

Mrs. Georgia Pearce invites the ladies all to come and see her beautiful new patterns of hats, laces, ribbons, flowers just received in her elegant millinery assortment.

James A. Smith, Captain of the Elmo Brass Band desires to thank the people of Greenville and the INDEX for assistance rendered in getting instruments and promises to give some good music after a little more practice.

The elections in Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Kansas and other States, Tuesday, all show great republican gains. They were all local elections and indicate a disgust for the manner in which congress is passing the tariff bill.

Mr. Nat Tripp, of Johnson's Mills, tells us of seeing 300 shad caught at Pitch Kettle, on the Neuse, one day this season. Pitch Kettle is a noted fishing rendezvous. It was when the editor was a little boy, a long time ago, wagons going there for fish from Marlboro, Wilson and Nash county.

The New American Sewing Machine stands among the best manufactured. They have been sold in this and adjoining counties for 15 years, and many will attest to their good qualities. I have on hand three which I will sell at cost freight added. Call early and secure a bargain. D. D. Haskett.

Everybody's friend, Mr. J. J. Burgess, of Norfolk, spent a day or two in town this week. Mr. Burgess tells us that his new home the "Mansion House," in Norfolk is his headquarters for the summer and would

be glad to have his friends stop there while in the city.

Jacob Reed and Sons the celebrated clothiers, of Philadelphia, calls your attention this week to Mr. Gus Heilbronner, of Greenville, who takes orders and measures for their clothing. Heilbronner is a Pitt county boy, raised in the clothing business, and sample he shows you or clothes measures for you will be what he represents them to be. Give Gus a call.

We are glad to announce that Dr. Jenniss Morrill, of Falkland, has decided not to go to Maxton, as was his intention, but will remain in the county. Dr. Morrill is an excellent physician and a splendid man, and we hope he and his good lady will take firm root to Pitt county associations, so firm that they can never break away.

G. B. King came home from Washington city yesterday, to attend court and many is the cordial handshake he has received. He thinks the tariff bill will occupy three months, that Congress will not adjourn until August. That Cleveland has bitterly disappointed the true democrats of the country and that those Southern and Western Congressmen who voted with him last fall under the implied promise that he would do something for silver, are worried to death at their prospects

The county commissioners Monday besides the usual auditing of accounts—passed a resolution inviting the commissioners of Edgecombe and Martin counties to co-operate with them in establishing the boundary line between the three counties.

They appointed the following list takers for the taxes 1894:

Farmville, B. M. Lewis; Falkland Eugene Williams; Swift Creek, L. B. Mewborn; Belvoir, T. A. Thigpen, Bethel, D. C. Moore; Pacolus, J. B. Little; Carolina, Wm H. Williams; Chicod, J. A. K. Tucker; Greenville Henry Sheppard; Beaver Dam, J. W. Smith; Contentnea, L. H. Spier.

That was a bad state of affairs in South Carolina and continues to be. Last Friday the attempt by the Tillman constables to search private houses for liquor without a warrant so incensed the citizens of Darlington, that a fight between two citizens in which the constables took a hand and three persons were killed, made them frantic. They pursued the officers to lynch them. They broke into the armory and took the guns, they destroyed several thousand dollars worth of State liquor in different parts of the State. Gov. Tillman declared martial law, and called out the militia, most of the companies disbanded rather than obey him. The Governor took charge of telegraph offices and prohibited the sending of telegrams or the running of special trains. The whole State is in turmoil, but latest reports show that the constables escaped lynching and cooler heads are directing affairs. It is thought that the State will have to pay heavy damages for the stoppage of telegrams and trains by the Governor as a violation of the Inter-State commerce law.

In Town This Week.

Hon. D. C. Moore M. C. S. Cherry of Bethel, Mr. Thomas Gay, an old Pitt countian, of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cotten, of Cottondale, Hon. W. R. Williams, John King, F. G. Dupree, W. M. Smith, of Falkland, Dr. J. N. Bynum, W. A. Barrett, Jos. Parker, J. L. Smith, Walter Barrett and Richard B. Bynum of Farmville, B. J. Keech, J. J. Martin of Tarboro, Hon. J. B. Kilpatrick, Dr. W. L. Best, L. H. Mewborn, J. P. Quinexly, Will Quinerly, S. J. Chapman, of Centreville, Frank Hart

W. B. Moore, Abram Cox, L. H. Rountree of Ayden, J. E. Galloway, W. H. Galloway, W. M. Moore, L. B. Tilghman, G. W. Veners, Grimes land, Mr. N. B. Dawson the enterprising merchant, farmer and manager of the oil mills, of Conetoe.

Tit for Tat from "Long" Taw.

A young lady from Virginia in a letter to a young man in Greenville, says:

"A friend of mine brought the handsomest gentleman I ever saw up to call last evening, and he is coming again in two weeks. Strange to say a handsome man and not much conceited. I account for this by his home training—he has lovely sisters." The young man writes in reply as follows:

"Last night I went to visit a lady friend of mine that has been away for several months and has just returned to our city. She is the most superb model of grace and beauty that I have ever seen, and strange to say she does not seem at all vain, which I cannot account for unless I have reached that stage or condition in which one so often becomes blind to another's faults."

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G. L. Heilbronner.

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Samples now ready.

Greenville, N. C.

April, 1884.

Dear Joyner:

Many readers of the INDEX have been in to see our mammoth display of new Spring Goods and many exclamations of delight have fallen from the lips of astonished purchasers. We have been much congratulated upon our tasty selection and our low prices makes them wonder How WE Do It! Tell all your friends about us and our low prices this week. It is impossible to learn just what we have, and how low we sell without paying our store a visit.

Do you know where Boswell, Speight & Co. keep?

Do you know they have a store filled with new Spring Goods?

Do you know they are offering many rare Bargains?

Do you know that some merchants sell for less than others, and that they are just that kind?

Do you know that Boswell Speight & Co. intend to deal fair with ALL their customers?

Do you know they can save you money on every purchase?

Do you know that by selling for Cash, they can undersell the merchants that do not?

Come to see us & tell all your friends to do likewise.

We want your trade & must have it.

We sell Arm Lock, Bed Springs and Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines.

With best wishes for yourself and the INDEX,

Very truly
Boswell Speight & Co.